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Bowling Tournament Nearing Close

SIX MORE GAMES TO DECIDE WHO SHALL RECEIVE THE TROPHY CUP—DELTS AND SIGS LEAD.

With only six games remaining to be bowled, the bowling tournament held annually on the Cochran Hall alleys is drawing to a close. Two teams are in the running for the silver cup—the Tau Delt and Sigs. The Tau Delt appears to be the most likely contenders at present, inasmuch as the Sigs must win the remainder of their games to tie with them for first honors. In case the Sigs win three from the Chi Rhos and three from the Phi Psi, another contest will be necessary with the Delt in order to determine who is the winner.

Last Tuesday evening the Tau Delt won three from the Chi Rhos.

Score of Tau Delt-Chi Rho Game.			
Tau Delt.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
Arnold	87	100	84
McCreary	90	100	103
Bash	93	92	93
Flick	118	106	114
Ritchie	114	114	119
Total	502	512	513

Chi Rhos.			
	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
Mellon	87	91	79
Craig	118	103	110
Wagner	85	85	75
Wiltie	103	87	103
Hoffman	80	102	89
Total	473	468	456

Last Friday evening the Chi Rhos won three games from the Commons Club. Wagner was high man for the Chi Rhos; Dickey was high man for the Commons Club. The scores were as follows:

Chi Rhos vs. Commons Club.			
Commons C.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
Mansell	101	93	117
Clendennin ..	79	98	81
Nelson	81	88	80
Dickey	122	108	116
Weide	108	97	83
Total	491	484	477

Chi Rhos.			
	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
Wiltie	92	107	108
Craig	102	109	90
Wagner	111	104	107
Mellon	90	87	114
Hoffman	117	98	105
Total	512	505	525

Standing of Teams.			
	Won	Lost	Average
Delts	16	5	.760
Sigs	10	5	.667
Phi Delt	12	9	.571
Cochran Hall.	12	9	.571
Chi Rhos	8	7	.533
Phi Gams	7	11	.389
Commons Club	4	14	.222
Phi Psi	3	16	.158

Fine showing of Spring Suits at Veiths'.

Charles A. Mead, '19, who has been seriously ill at the City Hospital for the past several weeks, is reported to be slowly improving.

CALENDAR.

Tonight—
7:00 p. m.
German Club Play in Bentley.
Classical Club in Library.

Wednesday—
6:45 p. m.
Y. M. C. A. in Cochran.
Y. W. C. A. in Hulings.

Thursday—
4:00 p. m.
Forum in Bentley.

Friday—
4:00 p. m.
Public Speaking Recital in Bentley.
8:15 p. m.
Indoor Interclass Track Meet in Gym.

Death of Prominent Allegheny Alumni

DEATH OF NICHOLAS E. WORTHINGTON, '54, ILLINOIS CIRCUIT JUDGE OCCURRED MARCH 14.

Death has called another of Allegheny's prominent alumni in the passing away on Tuesday night, March 14, of Hon. Nicholas E. Worthington, '54, of Peoria, Ill., a man famous throughout the state of Illinois for his brilliancy and justice on the bench at the time he was a member of the Circuit Court. The Peoria Daily Journal of March 15 has a long write-up of the splendid character of the man and tells of his wonderful reputation for justice and the host of friends he has made.

He was born in Wellsburg, Virginia, March 30, 1833. His father, the Rev. G. J. Worthington, was a Methodist minister, devoting his whole life to the service of the church. The family moved several times, finally ending up at Clarksburg, Virginia, where Nicholas Worthington attended college, and later matriculated at Allegheny, where he was graduated with first honors in the class of 1854.

Following his graduation from college he spent some time in teaching school and studying law at the same time. Later he entered the law office of Waitman T. Willett, where he continued his law studies.

In 1856 he went to Illinois and taught school in Tremont. Owing to his exceptional ability as a teacher and organizer, he received the appointment of Superintendent of Schools of the County where he held the position with great credit. From this time on his rise was rapid. He still continued his law study and in 1872 he ran for Congress, but was defeated. However, in 1882, he was successful and at the end of a two-year term was re-elected. The next time he refused the nomination. In 1891 he was elected circuit judge for Peoria County and held this office for twenty-four years. During this time he was appointed as appellate judge and held both these positions for several years.

In 1856 he married Miss Sarah E. Fowkes, the daughter of Colonel Fowkes, of West Virginia. Two children survive from this union, Frank E. Worthington, of Paradise, Arizona, and Mrs. Edward L. Clark, of Peoria. His widow and a brother and sister also survive him. With his death Allegheny College loses one of its most prominent alumni.

GERMAN CLUB PLAY.

The members of the German Club will have a rare treat tonight when they witness the dramatic performance given by a few members of the Club. The evening's entertainment will be given in form of a play, in German, entitled "Einer Muss Heiraten" or "One Must Marry." The parts will be taken in the following order: Jacob by C. H. Stevenson, '16; Wilhelm by L. H. McKay, '16; Louise by Miss Elizabeth Best, '16, and Gertrude by Miss Tillie Bitler, '16. Considerable time has been spent upon the parts under the instruction of Professor Matthei and there is no doubt but what the play will be a success.

The story of the play is quite interesting and some amusing scenes are the result of the plot. Two bachelors, who are brothers and also very learned men, are living together with their aunt. The aunt is eager for them to carry out the wishes of their dying father and take unto themselves a wife. It is impossible for her to persuade them to take the matter seriously, so she does some scheming of her own and has a distant relative of hers come to visit them, hoping that one of them will fall in love with her and get married. Not being successful, the aunt threatens to leave unless the girl is married to one of the brothers. The only thing left for them to do is to draw lots and the duty falls upon Jacob, the more bashful of the two.

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New College Catalogue Appears

SEVERAL IMPORTANT CHANGES MADE IN COURSES—COMPLETE NEW GROUP IN HISTORY DEPARTMENT PHILOSOPHY ENLARGED.

The new College Bulletin, or February Catalogue, has just come from the hands of the printer and is now ready for distribution. The catalogue contains a few changes and has in addition some material which has never before been in the College Catalogue.

The first changes come in the list of the trustees. Some new ones have been added to take the places of others left vacant by deaths, these names having been announced in previous issues of The Campus. The dates of the opening of college and the closing have been changed from the 14th of September and the 14th of June to the 19th of September and the 20th of June. The two new buildings, Alden Hall of Biology and Carnegie Hall of Chemistry, have both taken their places in the description of the college and its buildings.

An important change in the curriculum is the addition of Spanish in the electives of both the A. B. and B. S. courses, for the requirements for graduation.

One of the most important changes and additions is the addition of a new group to the A. B. course and the changing of all numbers of the B. S. groups. Heretofore there have been eight groups, four belonging to the Arts, and the four numbers V, VI, VII, VIII belonging to the sciences. Now there has been a complete group assigned to History and numbered V, making five groups in the arts course. What was formerly V is now Group I of the science, and so on, making a total of nine groups, five A. B. and four B. S. In addition to these changes the department of education has three new courses listed in the catalogue. The department of Philosophy has added and changed several courses so the required courses have changed their numbers.

While it has been necessary for several colleges to raise considerably on their prices for board, Allegheny has been successful in holding it down to a very low figure yet, though it was necessary to raise ten dollars for the year. However, this still keeps the very low rate of 120 dollars a year. There are nine graduate students pursuing graduate work as against one of last year, and the enrollment for this year is 405 against 400 of last.

The catalogue is put up in the same way that it has always been and is numbered Series XV, No. 1. There are several minor changes made which have not been mentioned, but will be noticed when the catalogues are looked over.

You should buy your new Spring Suit at Veiths'.

ELECTION RESULTS.

The annual athletic election was held last Saturday forenoon in the treasurer's room of Bentley. The election was for President of the Athletic Association, Delegate-at-Large, Assistant Football Manager, and Assistant Track Manager. There were only six men out for the four offices, and while the election was fairly close, there was comparatively little interest shown. The results were as follows:

President of the Athletic Association—	
Askey, '17.....	107
Drake, '17.....	91
Delegate-at-Large—	
Powell, '17.....	198
Assistant Foot Ball Manager—	
Isherwood, '18.....	198
Assistant Track Manager—	
Smith, '18.....	107
Craig, '17.....	91

Select your new Spring Hat at Veiths'.

Indoor Track Meet Next Friday

POPULAR INTERCLASS CONTEST PROMISES INTERESTING EVENTS—SIX EVENTS SCHEDULED.

The next athletic event of interest that will take place in the college is the annual Inter-Class Indoor Track Meet. This will be held in two parts, the true indoor meet to be held Friday, April 7th, at eight-fifteen in the Gymnasium, and the outdoor events to be held Tuesday, April 11th, and Thursday, the 13th, at four-fifteen, on the Montgomery Field track.

The events that will be held in the Gym are: fifteen-yard dash, twenty-nine-yard hurdles, seventy-five-yard hurdles, high jump, pole vault, and twelve-pound shot put. On the 11th of the month the 440-yard dash and the mile run will be held. The last will be the 880-yard and the two-mile run, which will be held the 13th.

There have been a large number of men training for these events for several weeks and the probability is that there are going to be a large number of contestants. Every year that the meet is held the interest increases and there are always some very exciting contests between the four classes. All entries must be in by noon Friday. The points will be awarded for first, second, third, and fourth places in the following order: first counts five points; second, three; third, two; and fourth, one. The class winning the largest number of points will be the interclass champions. The outdoor events will count just the same as the indoor.

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BIOLOGY EXHIBIT.

The department of Biology has just added another small but valuable and interesting exhibit to the building in the form of a collection of bird pictures which contain some valuable information concerning the birds of Meadville and this locality. Besides this exhibit, there has been a new case completed in the second floor hall which contains a collection of butterflies from Singapore, another of eggs, and another of insects and beetles.

The collection of bird pictures, together with the information, deserves attention. These pictures are in full colors and are classified as yearly residents, or the time of year that they are here if they are migratory, and according to whether they are, or are not common. The information was compiled largely by the late Mr. F. C. First, '14, as a Senior thesis and the facts were taken from observations that lasted over a period of several years. The following is a partial list: Yearly resident, not common, Kingfisher, Canadian Jay, Piliated Woodpecker; common, Bluejay, Cardinal, Nuthatch, Chickadee, English Sparrow, Hairy Woodpecker, Downey Woodpecker, and Crow. The winter residents are listed as "rare", Snowflake; "not common", Shrike, Winter Wren, Tufted Titmouse, Horned Lark, Red Poll, Pine Siskin; and as "common", the Junco, Golden Crowned Kinglet, Brown Creeper, and Tree Sparrow. In another collection the time is given for each bird to appear here in the city. These records as a rule come within three days of prophesying the appearance of the birds and often times hit upon the very day. For the past month of March the Song Sparrow should have appeared on the 2d, the Robin on the 5th, the Blue Bird on the 11th, the Bronzed Grackle on the 13th, the Red Winged Blackbird on the 14th, the Meadow Lark on the 17th, the Purple Finch on the 20th, the Chipping Sparrow on the 24th, and the Fox Sparrow on the 25th. The April list of arrivals has not yet been completed but will be given at a later date.

Call and see the new shapes in Hats at Veiths'.

Literary Monthly for March Appears

INVITING LIST OF SUBJECTS IN VARIOUS LINES OF THE WRITING ART—GOOD NUMBER.

The March issue of the Literary Monthly has just arrived from the press and is one of the best issues that has been put out for some time. The magazine this year has been very good; every month it has been filled with splendid productions which show much thought and reflect much credit upon both the editor and the contributors. This last issue of the magazine is one that is well worth reading. A glance over the table of contents shows an inviting list of subjects and the following pages bear it out:

The first page contains a short poem by Miss Anna Strong, '16, entitled "April." A story entitled "Alibi" and signed M. E., '17, follows it. This story is a "hair raiser," replete with thrills from beginning to end. It cannot fail to please. "Dreams," by R. P. M., '19, is a little three-verse poem that tells a story in a few words. "Primroses," by H. F., '18, is a sweet story of a little old lady in England and shows considerable thought. "Uncle Christobald's Umbrella" is another thriller which will hold any one's interest and admiration. This is unsigned. "John Paul Jones," by Robert Howell, '19, is one of the best pieces of poetry that has appeared in the Lit for some time. A short story, "Summer Adventures," is a humorous selection signed 1919. "Verse and Diverse," containing "The Way to Do It," "A Wail," "I Remember, Revisited," and a few others is a particularly strong department this time. The magazine ends with an editorial on "National Defense Highway" that is very good. Taking the entire contents into consideration, the issue is one of the best of the year.

Duzer Du to Stage Production in May

"IMPORTANCE OF BEING EARN-EST", BY OSCAR WILDE, NOW UNDER WAY.

"The Importance of Being Earnest," by Oscar Wilde, has been announced by Duzer Du as the production which that organization will stage this year about the middle of May in the Academy of Music. The definite date has not yet been arranged nor is the final cast ready to be announced, but plans are fully under way in preparation for a performance which will equal in success that of last year which was the most successful in the record of the club.

The play was written in 1894 by Oscar Wilde, the well-known English dramatist, and has been played a number of times since that time with several notable casts of famous actors and actresses. In its entirety it is a satire on modern English society, as the author expresses it, a frivolous comedy for serious people. There are three acts and nine characters, two young Englishmen, members of the aristocracy, two very young English girls, Lady Bracknell, an elderly English woman of the aristocracy and mother of one of the girls, Miss Prism, a very austere maiden governess, the Reverend Charles Chasuble, an English rector in love with Miss Prism, and a city butler, Lane, and a country servant.

The play throughout is replete with funny situations and complications in the three different love plots and will afford a great deal of amusement with all the characters played by college men.

Miss Alice Spalding is to coach the play—an announcement which of itself insures a successful production. Most of the try-outs have been held and President W. L. Scott, '16, of Duzer Du, promises that the final cast will be announced next week.

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With next week's issue of The Campus, the competition for "the worthy sheet" closes for this year. Under the wise Competition. recommendation made last spring by the Competition Committee the new editor will take charge May first instead of September 15th as formerly. The change not only relieves the old editor during his last weeks and commencement but allows the new editor to get into shape with the help of the old editor during May.

There are a number of very promising competitors among the members of the two lower classes and a word of advice and commendation to them would be apropos, coming from upper classmen or alumni interested in them personally or in The Campus and college generally, to have the competitors get started early and strong in the May numbers, which will count in next year's competition. The competition has suffered this year very severely, not in quality, but in quantity, and in several very sudden changes in the editorial staff. Whoever is selected to serve as editor for next year is going to have to exert himself to stem the tide of reaction or stagnation that has been noticeable this year. Here's a chance to boost a college asset and give Allegheny the best student paper possible.

THE HECKEL SCIENCE PRIZE.

Every year special interest is aroused among the science students of the college through the generosity of Dr. Edward B. Heckle, of the class of '87, who offers two prizes in science amounting to fifty dollars. A first prize of thirty-five dollars, and a second prize of fifteen are awarded for the two best theses prepared by resident graduate or undergraduate students upon scientific subjects. These theses must embody the results of such original research as may be reasonably expected of such students.

The time of year for these papers to be submitted is near at hand and it is understood that several students are planning to submit their own productions sometime this month.

The rules of the contest are as follows: Two copies of each thesis, either typewritten or neatly written in ink, must be in the hands of the head of the department of Biology on or before May first of each year. Only one thesis may be offered by any student and no one who has once won a prize may enter again into competition. Dr. Heckle is to receive a copy of each thesis submitted. Successful competitors must deposit a suitably inscribed copy of their thesis in the Allegheny College Library.

The theses will be judged by a committee of three, chosen by President Crawford and Dr. Darling, from men engaged in scientific work, and the winner will be announced Commencement Day. No prize will be awarded to a student whose thesis falls below an average of 75. Any one else who

is interested may receive further information from Dr. Darling.

BIOLOGY CLUB MEETS.

A meeting of the Biology Club was held last Tuesday evening in Alden Hall and an interesting program was enjoyed. The fore part of the evening was spent in the regular business meeting and the following people were elected to the club: Miss Elizabeth Hendershot, '17; Dale Thomas, '17; Paul Hill, '17; H. W. Bosworth, '18; R. A. Cox, '16; A. F. Munhall, '16, and H. A. Wissinger, '18, three new members, were initiated. After this, Miss Bernice Thoburn, '16, read an instructive paper on "Biology and Its Part in the Present War." In this paper she brought out many interesting things, the most important of which was the comparison of men and animals when under the stress of battle. She showed how they were much the same and both governed by impulse. She also told of a peculiar production of adrenaline from the super-renal glands which occurs in both man and animal when anger is aroused. The purpose of this substance is to aid in the coagulation of the blood so wounds will heal more readily. A social time was enjoyed after this part of the program and refreshments were furnished by Misses Agnes Smith, '17, and Ruth Pitt, '17.

The club was especially favored by having present two of its former members, both of whom were called upon to make a few remarks, C. S. Burwell, '14, who has been attending Harvard Medical School, and Miss Ethel Roach, ex-'16, who is attending Rochester University.

MODERN PROBLEMS

CLUB MEETING.

Ossian E. Carr, '00, City Manager of the City of Niagara Falls, N. Y., will address the Modern Problems Club on Friday night at seven-thirty o'clock in the oratory of the Chapel. Mr. Carr is one of the several engineering alumni of Allegheny who have come to large prominence in the profession. After his graduation, he has had valuable experience in the cities of the Northwest and in the Philippine Islands. In Cincinnati he was closely associated with M. R. Waite, who became the noted city manager of Dayton in 1912. Mr. Carr first served as city manager of Cadillac, Mich., with conspicuous success. He was called to Niagara Falls in 1915. Mr. Carr was a popular student when in college and was center on the first strong foot ball team that ever represented Allegheny. He is a member of Phi Kappa Psi.

We will be pleased to show you new Spring Clothing at Veiths'.

ALUMNI NOTES.

Word has been received here of the sudden death of Harry Boyd Espy, '90, of Fredonia, which occurred at the Brooks Memorial Hospital in Dunkirk a short time ago. Mr. Espy graduated here in 1890 and later studied law in Washington, D. C. He practiced for some time in Buffalo and then moved to Fredonia, N. Y., where he has since that time made his home. For twelve years he has held the office of Village Clerk and has been well liked by all who have had any dealings with him. His death was caused from severe complications which arose from an operation for appendicitis during the early part of January. The operation was thought to be successful and he was getting along nicely when his sudden death occurred. The sympathy of all his friends goes to his widowed mother in her loss.

The annual banquet of the New England Alumni Association of Allegheny College was held Monday night, February 21, at Du Pont's Restaurant, in Boston, Mass. After a delightful repast had been enjoyed, the president, H. T. Lavelly, '12, called the meeting to order for the annual business meeting and election of officers for the ensuing year. P. W. Johnston, '14, was elected president, and A. H. Kemp, '15, secretary-treasurer. President Lavelly then introduced Dr. L. H. Bugbee as toastmaster. Those responding to toasts were: Mrs. Gertrude Hillman Lavelly, '11; Walter Mark Depp, '15; Paul Hillman, '11, and Mrs. Georgiana Crane Mueller, '00. Before closing the evening's enjoyment with the college medley and an Allegheny, it was voted to send an

expression of sympathy to Dr. A. C. Knudson, whose mother had but recently died. Also, before leaving, on Dr. Bugbee's suggestion, all drank to the toast of a "dry Crawford County."

Those present were: J. D. Van Horne, '13; Miss Mabel Beatty, '00; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lane, '15; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mueller, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hillman, '11; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dewey, ex-'01; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lavelly, '12 and '11; Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Bugbee, N. D. Doane, '13; Walter Mark Depp, '15, and Miss Alexander, Prof. Herbert W. Rand, '92; Prof. Heber Harper, '10; H. Hunt, '12; P. W. Johnston, '14, and A. H. Kemp, '15.

Professor Roger H. Motten, of Colorado College, '01, has been recently appointed by the board of trustees of that institution to the office of secretary of the college, a new position which has been created recently. Professor Motten has been connected with the English department since 1909 and during that time has also had charge of the publicity and extension work of the institution. For the last four years he has been the state high school inspector for the college. The duties of his new office are largely in extension of the work which Mr. Motten has already been carrying on for several years. The office will deal with the publicity and extension work and public relations of the college. Professor Motten will continue as professor in the department of English, but will also take up immediately the work of the new office.

This note received some time ago from Penn State will be of interest to Alleghenians: "With lots of enthusiasm to make up for the lack of numerical strength, five loyal Allegheny alumni, with friends, gathered around the festive board in formal array last Tuesday at the University Club, State College, to celebrate not only Washington's Birthday, but to renew the Old Allegheny spirit. It was regrettable that Dean Blaisdell, ex-'86, was unable to be present, but Mrs. Blaisdell, who attended Allegheny in the latter part of the eighties, was able to come. Dr. B. J. Van Riper, '05; E. J. Hall, '13; P. H. Nichols, '14, and C. L. Mulfinger, '15, made up the rest of the party. What we lacked in numbers we made up in spirit. Dancing and bridge were also enjoyed although it ought not to be mentioned in connection with a Methodist celebration."

Allegheny has branched out into a new field of social service through her alumni in the recent selection of John W. Barkley, '11, as head of the community social center movement in Cleveland. The plan is an experiment which seems to be proving successful and Mr. Barkley became identified with it in the early part of the winter. When he was selected he was given to understand that it was a big undertaking. A similar experiment was tried in Boston under the charge of a highly paid expert and was a failure. Mr. Barkley to date has had a great deal of success. At the present time there are fourteen centers in operation. These are in the public schools and their number will be constantly increased. Each center has a supervisor, a men's athletic director and an athletic director for women. Classes are conducted in gymnastics, music, cooking, sewing, dramatics, etc. These centers are open to any one above 14 years of age. Their success seems to be assured.

The Independent of April 3rd has a picture and the following article about W. C. Deming, '90:

From a small daily paper in Ohio, W. C. Deming came to Cheyenne, Wyoming, to become editor of the Wyoming Daily Tribune—and incidentally to revolutionize the ideas of an entire state.

Very early he became interested in Wyoming's agricultural possibilities. Few, if any, of the town people had given the subject any thought. Occasionally a ranchman would plant a patch of potatoes or a dab of oats; but they received practically no attention. Whenever the editor of the Wyoming Tribune observed the slightest evidence of farming he "wrote it up," even to flower gardens, irrigated with a hose.

In 1904, as chairman of the program committee of a young men's club, he asked Hon. C. T. Johnston, the state engineer, now professor of irrigation at Ann Arbor, to prepare a paper on the subject, "Is Farming Around Cheyenne Practicable?" Mr. Johnston, after an exhaustive study of the Campbell System of Dry Farming, rendered a favorable verdict. The club at once engaged Dr. V. T. Cooke, a practical dry farmer, purchased a four hundred acre tract

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WATER STREET

of land near Cheyenne, and started to work. That was in 1905, when dry farming was a joke and a by-word. But Dr. Cooke never had a crop failure.

Homesteaders began to flock into Wyoming by the hundreds. The result is that within a radius of eighty miles of Cheyenne today there are three thousand small farms. The mean rainfall is 14 inches, but wheat and oats frequently yield thirty bushels per acre. There are ten grain elevators in Southeastern Wyoming; a big flour mill in Cheyenne, a large farming community, and the people say it was Demings' faith and vision that did it.

FORUM MEETING.

At the meeting of the Forum last Thursday, considerable discussion followed the suggestion of G. G. Witter, '17, that a new plan of conducting meetings be introduced and tried out for several weeks. If successful, this plan should occasionally be substituted in the future in place of the regular debate.

Mr. Witter's plan is as follows: The Forum is to be resolved into the form of the United States Senate with each member as a senator representing a certain state. A chosen senator is to make a short speech, introducing a bill. The other senators are then free to attack or support this bill, which finally goes before a committee to be rejected or passed. The intention is to announce the bills one week before they are introduced in order that the Forum members may read up on the subjects concerned. Syracuse and University of Michigan debating clubs have successfully adopted a system similar to this.

The new plan having been voted upon favorably, the Speaker appointed G. G. Witter, '17; R. E. McCreary, '18, and G. A. Stetson, '19, as a committee to draw up bills and choose the in-

troducing senators. It was then decided that the debate announced for next Thursday, "Resolved, that the Indian reservation as conducted by the Government at present is not conducive to the uplift of the Indian," should be transformed into a bill to be introduced into the Senate next week.

Professor Swartley spoke concerning the series of public debating contests suggested several weeks ago. He expressed the desire that all interested in these contests speak to him in the near future. Due to the fact that only two of the debaters were able to be present, the debate for the afternoon was omitted. The remainder of the hour was passed in a spirited discussion of various points of parliamentary law.

It is urged that every member of the Forum be present at the next meeting, Thursday, April 6th, as the new plan promises to be both interesting and instructive.

GERMAN CLUB PLAY

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Afraid to do it himself, he has Wilhelm propose to the girl for him. In the process of delivering Jacob's proposal, Wilhelm discovers that the girl's beauty and charm appeals to him greatly and suddenly he believes he is in love with the result that he changes and proposes for himself and ultimately marries the girl, greatly to the surprise of the rest of the family.

G. S. Craig, '17, has charge of the scenery and properties and will no doubt add a finishing touch to the production.

This play is to be given only before the members of the German Club and a few invited friends and then it is planned to give another production shortly after Easter. If these two are both successful, they may be given later in a public performance.

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The Senior Tea on Thursday afternoon was in charge of the Misses Lulu Lydell, Anna Strong, Emma Kightlinger and Ethel Kleckner. Delightful refreshments were served and the afternoon was a very pleasant one.

Miss Katherine Illingworth, '09, has been the guest of Miss Helen Adams, '16, for the past few days.

The Misses Katherine Illingworth, '09; Helen Adams, '16; Janet Ellis, '15; Ruth Ellis, '19, and Meredyth Neal, '19, were dinner guests at the Phi Gamma Delta house Friday noon.

Miss Laura Sturdevant, '18, spent Tuesday at her home in Linesville.

Miss Margaret Ross, '16, has been filling a two weeks' vacancy in the High School at Linesville for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Clouse, of Geneva, spent Wednesday with her daughter, Miss Musette Clouse, '19.

The Misses Olga Baird, '17, and Mary Clendenin, '17, entertained the active members of Alpha Gamma Delta at a prettily appointed party Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Baird.

Miss Ethel Curry, '19, was the Thursday luncheon guest of Miss Pauline Rhodes, '18.

Miss Helen Hamilton, of Butler, spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Mary Hamilton, '19.

On Sunday evening the regular Y. W. C. A. meeting was in charge of Miss Myrtle Mills, a Y. W. C. A. Secretary, of Sacramento, California. Miss Mills was in California during the recent Panama Exposition and she gave the girls a most interesting as well as instructive talk on the work of the Y. W. C. A. and the prominent part it played in the celebration. The Y. W. C. A. acted not merely as a cafe, but as a home to the thousands of girls employed on the exposition grounds and as a board of protection to the hundreds out of work. A nursery was maintained, nurses and physicians were kept on reserve ready in case of emergency. A social life was made for girls alone and away from home, and an effort was also made to give the employed girls an opportunity to appreciate the exposition in so far as possible. The meeting was a most enjoyable one and Miss Mills proved to be a very entertaining speaker.

Miss Lois Taylor, of the University of Pittsburgh, was the guest of Miss Hazel Ross, '16, over the week-end.

Miss Helen Hamilton, of Butler, Pa., was the guest of her sister, Miss Mary Hamilton, '19, over Sunday.

The dinner guests at the Hall on Sunday were Dr. and Mrs. Akers, guests of Miss Ruth Allgood, '16; Miss Louise Chase, '10, guest of Miss Mildred Hazen, '17; Miss Dorothy Mason, ex-'18, guest of Miss Marion Miller, '18; Miss Agnes Smith, '17, guest of Miss Agnes Robinson, '17, and Miss Blanche Taylor, '16, guest of Miss Mary Flahaven, '17.

Mrs. H. B. Randall, of Union City, spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Clarissa Randall, '19.

The active chapter of Alpha Chi Omega gave a very delightful party on Saturday evening to all the young women of the Freshman Class.

The Eight-Week Club of the Y. W. C. A. held its first meeting on Sunday afternoon in the Association reception room. Mrs. S. S. Swartley, '15, is the leader of the club. The objects and plans of the club were discussed. The regular time of meeting is to be on Monday evenings from 6:30 to 7:30.

The Misses Dortha Angove, '16, and Carmen Kahle, '17, spent Sunday at their homes in Oil City.

Saturday evening the Freshman girls of Alpha Gamma Delta entertained the other members of the sorority by a play entitled "Julius Caesar." Mothers and friends of Alpha Gamma Delta were invited.

Miss Georgia Roberts, '16, spent Sunday at her home in Albion.

Miss Sadie Van Hoesen, '11, is spending her Easter vacation with Miss Isabella Thoburn, '14, of Tidoute.

Knox College is considering the inauguration of military courses for the students.

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GIRLS' BASKET BALL.

On Tuesday and Thursday of last week the last two of the girls' inter-class basket ball games were played. The first one on Tuesday was between the Seniors and Juniors, which resulted in a score of 22 to 7 in favor of the Juniors. The Senior team was composed of the Misses Marguerite Beatty, '16; Lulu Lydell, '16; Marion Miller, '16; Ruth Allgood, '16, and Martha Kelley, '16. The Junior team was composed of the Misses Mildred Hazen, '17; Elizabeth Chase, '17; Helen Kulp, '17; Agnes Smith, '17, and Martha Nebinger, '17. The Junior substitutes were the Misses Mary Flahaven, '17, and Ethel Kelley, '17.

On Thursday the two winning teams, the Juniors and Freshmen, played the last of the class games. The game gave the Freshmen the championship team with a score of 21 to 14. The Junior team was the same as on Tuesday with the exception of Mildred Hazen, '17, and the Freshman team was composed of the Misses Louise Root, '19; Helen Abrams, '19; Marion White, '19; Meredyth Neal, '19, and Virginia Lewis, '19.

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Y. M. C. A.

A regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held on Wednesday evening in Cochran Hall. Dr. Mosher, the evangelist who is conducting the revival at the Stone Church, spoke to the men, taking for his subject, "Big Business."

Dr. Mosher related an incident of visiting a college friend who was a corporation lawyer and a millionaire. He told of the big business deals which were carried on in a matter of course way in the short time he was with his friend. He felt small, he said, until he thought, and then he knew that the biggest business is God's business, and that the biggest firm is God and Company.

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INTERCOLLEGIATES

Students of Columbia University will be able to do research work at Sing Sing and other prisons, through the adoption of a course in the study of Criminology.

The Modern Language Association of America held its thirty-third annual convention in Cleveland, under the auspices of Western Reserve and Case.

It is interesting to know that out of nine justices of the Supreme Court of the United States that eight are college men and seven have graduated from denominational schools.

It is said on apparently good authority that Head Coach Perry Houghton, of Harvard, receives ten (10) thousand dollars for his three months' service with the foot ball team.

The Senior, Junior and Freshman classes of University of Pennsylvania adopted resolutions to abolish class rushes.

At Meadville Wooster was pitted against one of the best teams in this part of the country and one that is almost invincible on its home floor, having lost only two home games in the last ten years. Against such odds Wooster put up a strong fight, the game being clean and fast from start to finish.—"The Wooster Voice."

Walter Camp, the greatest authority on foot ball in the United States, is to have complete charge of athletics in Yale.

The foot ball committee, which meets in New York this month, will decide whether or not it will be permissible to wear leather armour and protection devices or not.

Harvard University is to have a course in military medicine. An officer of the United States army is to have charge.

Plans for a fourteen-thousand-dollar swimming pool are being made at Harvard.

Two hundred students of Pitt Dental School have entered the course of military drill.

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News Items

E. L. Mattern, '90, whose writings
in "The Bookman" have been attract-
ing considerable interest of late, has
just recently had another very good
article published in the April issue.
The name of the article is "The Laur-
eate of the Trenches."

A very interesting article recently
appeared in the "Educational Review"
of April, written by Coach Hammett.
The article was headed "The Influence
of Athletics upon Physical Education
in American Colleges" and is one of the
most interesting articles that the
Coach has ever written. In it the
Coach advanced several of his pet the-
ories of true athletics versus simple
exercises and drills and gave some
most convincing arguments for the
kind of sports we promote at Alle-
gheny. The article was very good and
as it is considered quite an honor to
have anything printed in this maga-
zine, the Coach is to be congratulated.

President Crawford went to Pleas-
antville last Friday to lecture, and
while enroute he stopped off at Corry
and Titusville where he spoke to the
high schools in both places.

T. W. Thoburn, '14, has been a vis-
itor on the hill for a few days while
enjoying his Easter vacation from
Western Reserve Medical School.

Another public speaking recital was
given on last Friday afternoon at four
o'clock, in Philo-Franklin Hall, by some
of the students in Miss Spalding's ad-
vanced classes. This is the second of
a series of recitals which Miss Spald-
ing planned with the purpose of giving
the students practice in the actual
and practical work of public speaking
and at the same time to give public
speaking its place as an art. Those
who have been privileged to attend
have enjoyed a delightful and charming
entertainment. The selections were of
a dramatic character and were ren-
dered with a great deal of interpretive
power.

The program was:
The Story of a Dog.....Mary Wilkes
Miss Catherine Carroll.
Aunt Jane on Women's Clubs.....
..... Anonymous
Miss Hazel Gaskill.
A Scene in a London Garret.....
..... Anonymous
Fred H. Sanner.
A Royal Princess.....Rossetti
Miss Leona Rial.
Scenes from "As You Like It".....
..... Shakespeare
Miss Mildred Ritchie and Miss
Elizabeth Best.

The Quarrel Between Brutus and
Cassius from "Julius Caesar"....
..... Shakespeare
Elmer W. Hickman.

A Slow Race.....Anonymous
Miss Laura Sturdevant.

Another recital will be given next
Friday at 4:30 o'clock in Philo-Frank-
lin Hall. An invitation to the recital
is extended to any who care to attend.

Last Friday evening Professor W. A.
Elliott delivered a lecture in Carnegie
Lecture Hall, Pittsburgh, entitled "On
Horseback Through Arcadia." He
talked to a large and appreciative au-
dience concerning the remote and al-
most inaccessible regions of Greece.
He treated the life and customs of that
primitive people in a very interesting
manner. He described minutely the
quaint Easter dances and other sur-
vivals of ancient rites. The slides and
photographs which he used to illus-
trate his points helped considerably to
add interest to the lecture.

A series of unusually good lectures
are to be given in the Chapel April
11th and 12th by the famous Dr. Guy
Morrison Walker on the subject of
"Transportation—The Measure of Civ-
ilization." Further announcements will
be given later as to the individual top-
ics he will discuss.

President Crawford left Monday af-
ternoon on a two days' trip to visit
the high schools of Sheffield and
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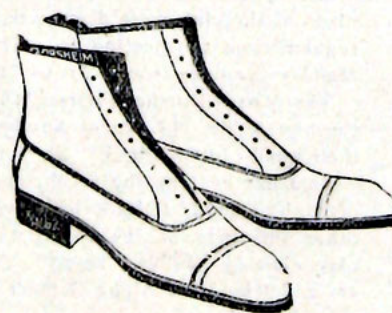
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