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"Sing Out, Sweet Land" Opens In Shop May 13

by Betty Heil

Superstition doesn't bother the Playshop, as its plans to open Walter Kerr's musical comedy, "Sing Out, Sweet Land," on Friday, May 13th.

Barnaby Goodchild, the impish hero who keeps America singing, is portrayed by Lee Adey. Barnaby begins his mission of preserving our country's folk tunes back in Puritan times and follows it through the roaring twenties. His adventures take him to a Virginia plantation, a camp on the Oregon trail, a Mississippi River boat, a Civil War camp, a city park and a speak-easy.

Throughout the play Barnaby is pursued by the villainous parson, Bob Landon, and the amorous Priscilla, Edith Carberry. Both hinder him in their own ways, but of course music wins out in the end.

Because the cast is very large, most of the actors are playing several different roles, including both singing and speaking parts. The cast includes Margaret Clement, Ruth Cohen, Joe Dickey, Jane Frankel, Rita Ginn, Marvin Goldstein, Jane Hassell, Betty Heil, Sue Johnson, Ralph Marion, Joan McCafferty, Miles Mutchler, Selma Mehlman, Norma Petritz, Anne Roberts, Gordon Robinson, Dorothy Schade, Nancy Shaw, Barbara Stacy, Clair Strawcutter, Muriel Stein, Mary Elizabeth Thoma, Ned Vidal, John Waite, Bob Wilde, Jack Wine, Jane Winship, Phil Wiseman and Joan Zulch.

Besides these there is a special dance group with Hope Ayrault, Dayle Bartholomew, Dorothy Fielder, Gloria Keyes, Carol Krier, Louise Schmitz and Sally Schwab.

The dances are under the direction of a professional dancer, Mr. Frank Benham, who has come to Allegheny to help in this production of "Sing Out, Sweet Land." A navy veteran, Mr. Benham has had his own dance studio in Toledo, Ohio, and has served as dance director in theaters in San Diego, California, and Windham, New Hampshire. He recently appeared in the Equity Library production of "Pal Joey."

The music of the entire production is under the supervision of Mrs. Marietta Richards of Cleveland. Like Mr. Benham, Mrs. Richards has come to Allegheny especially for this production. She has directed music at Cain Park Theater in (Continued on page 4)

Rabbi Falk Speaks In Sunday Programs

Rabbi Randall M. Falk of Temple Anshe Hesede, Erie will be the guest speaker at the Sunday morning chapel service in Ford Memorial Chapel at 11 a.m. His topic will be "The World I Want To Live In."

For the topic of discussion at the A.C.A. meeting Sunday evening at 7 p.m. in the Oratory, Rabbi Falk has chosen "On Common Ground: Judaism and Christianity Compare Notes."

A native of Little Rock, Arkansas, Rabbi Falk received his B.A. degree from the University of Cincinnati and his M.A. and rabbinical degree from Hebrew Union College of Cincinnati.

During the war, Rabbi Falk served as civilian chaplain at Camp Robinson, Arkansas and later at Percy Jones Army-Navy Hospital at Battle Creek. Before accepting his present position at Erie, he was at Battle Creek and then at Tulsa, Oklahoma.

New AWS Officers To Be Installed Thurs.

New A.W.S. officers and members of senior court will officially be installed at a compulsory mass meeting in Ford chapel at four o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Hazel Lou McIntosh, retiring president, said that it was hoped that the new president, Virginia Pratt, would return from Washington Semester in order to take part in the ceremonies. For the remainder of this year vice-president, Connie Callahan, will assume the official duties of president.

Other officers to be installed on Thursday are Jane Keffer, treasurer; Carol Hunt, recording secretary; and Jane Walker, corresponding secretary. The new senior court members include Marilyn Schreiber, Marjorie Beck, Virginia Bender, Lois Curry, and Ruth Miller.

Girls are reminded that this meeting is compulsory for all women students—both residents and commuters. There is a dollar fine for an unexcused absence.

Three Teachers Added to Staff

Dr. Louis T. Benezet, president of Allegheny College, has announced the appointments of three new members to the college faculty for the academic year 1949-50.

Dr. Henry F. Pommer has been named assistant professor of English; Taffee T. Tanimoto, instructor in mathematics, and Miss Donna Day, instructor in modern languages.

Dr. Pommer at present an instructor in the English department at Cornell University, received a bachelor of arts degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1940, and completed his graduate work at Yale University, where he was awarded a master of arts degree in 1943 and a doctor of philosophy degree in 1946. From 1943 to 1945, Dr. Pommer was an English instructor at Swarthmore College, leaving there to accept his present post at Cornell. A member of the Modern Language Association and the American Association of University Professors, Dr. Pommer is the co-author, with William M. Sale, Jr., of "The Use of Language." He is at present completing the manuscript of an anthology on Quaker literature.

Mr. Tanimoto took his undergraduate work at Los Angeles City College and the University of California at Los Angeles, receiving his bachelor of arts degree from California in 1942. From 1942 to 1944, Mr. Tanimoto was mathematics teacher at Posten (Arizona) High School, leaving his position there (Continued on page 4)

"Manhattan Moods" Is Terrapin Pageant Theme

The whirls and thrills of the "Biggest City in the World" will come to Allegheny when Terrapin presents its annual pageant. This year's theme, "Manhattan Moods," will consist of about nine routines, all created by the Major Terrapins and will be given in Montgomery Pool from Wednesday, May 11 through Saturday, May 14.

Chemii Club Gives Research Program

"The March of Research" will be brought to Ford Chapel by the Chemii club on Friday, May 6, at 7:15 p.m.

The program, sponsored by Westinghouse Electric Corporation, is a stage demonstration of modern scientific principles. Included in the various displays is a pulse-jet engine known as the buzz bomb. Another demonstration shows the effects of pipe smoke blown into the commutator of a high-speed motor. Changing colors in a plastic model bridge allow the audience to see where the stress is placed as a car crosses it. Another model illustrates the number of different elements which can be made by simply varying the primary "building blocks" of the atom. The final demonstration shows the effect of 250,000 volts at a very low amperage on man.

The program will be presented by Dr. Richard C. Hitchcock, research engineer and lecturer. As an inventor, Hitchcock has patents covering the first electronic organ, photoelectric traffic controls, and a super-sonic oscillator for radio broadcasting. Hitchcock has taught physics at Indiana State Teachers' College and the U. S. Naval Academy.

According to Bette Massa, president, there will be little costuming, but decorations will be provided by trick lighting, a mural (painted by Virgie Lou Oehmler and Nova June Pierce), and the routines themselves.

The pageant will open with the entire cast in a routine called "Grand Central Station" and will be followed by a sequence involving Brooklyn and naturally, baseball. Swimming in this are Jane Sewell, Joan Kropp, Barbara Arndt, Barbara Bounds, and Nancy Molmark. Completing the team will be Judy Smith, Jody Breeze, Marilyn Roehm and Sib Thomas.

"Night Club" patrons will be Jeanne Bockel, Pudge Swanson, Janet Klein, Nancy Sholes, Judy Smith, Bette Massa, Liz Stidger, and Joan Kropp, while the "Chinatown" sequence will feature Pat Griffith, Ginny Minor, Liz Stidger, Jeanne Bockel, Betty Massa, Pudge Swanson, Mary Ellen Yates and Sue McCreary.

When the "turtles" go swimming down the Great White Way (Broadway to the uninitiated), Jeanne Bockel, Itie Crowell, Pat Griffith, Judy Smith, Pudge Swanson, and Bette Massa, will be there to show how it's done.

And after crossing the East River and traveling all through Brooklyn until the Atlantic Ocean is reached, Itie Crowell, Ginny Minor, Sally Schwab and Barbara Bounds will introduce "Coney Island" to the onlookers.

For the finale, the entire cast will swim in the "Times Square" sequence thus concluding a tour of (Continued on page 4)

Thirty-Five Talented Speakers Enter Frosh Speech Contest Preliminaries

Thirty-four outstanding freshman speakers will compete in the Freshman Speech Contest eliminations to be held tomorrow and Friday in Arter 15. Eight participants will then be chosen to vie for honors in the finals to be held on Wednesday, May 11th, in Ford Memorial Chapel.

Participants in the preliminaries will be one person selected from each speech section, and any one else who wishes to enter. Those competing are: Paul Buell, Robert Blomquist, Pat O'Connell, Wendel Mickle, Arnold Lewis, Ann Clark, Selma Mehlman, John Lovette, Jean McCrea, Marion Gray, Glen Dunmire, Richard Kerr, Gerald McClaren, Pax Hart, Gladys Haddad, Buzz Diaz, Richard Steele, Sue

Quinn, Ignatius Stanko, John Olofson, Ned Vidal, Miriam Erckerson, Jack Goelner, Peggy Seib, Patricia Riddell, Austin Swanson, Sue McCreary, Sam Bates, Pat Freas, Harold Cooley, Will Dicome, Dolores Cunningham, Larry Grove and Helen Baumgartner.

Judging the preliminaries are Philo-Franklin members: Jeff Hopper, Barbara Bounds, Charles June, Tod Taylor, and Charlene Lindsley. Judges for the final contest will be two non-speech department faculty members and Philo-Franklin members Raymond McCall, Jean Isherwood, and Tom Fort.

Three awards, given by Philo-Franklin Union, of \$15, \$10, and \$5 will go to the first, second, and third place winners.

Outing Club Plans Initiation of Heelers

William Allison, President of the Outing Club, has announced that there will be an Outing Club-Heelers overnight outing at Bousson this weekend. There will also be an outing on the weekend of May 14, at which time the initiation of the Heelers into the Outing Club will take place. A truck will leave Brooks at 1:30 p.m., Saturday for both weekends, and it will return after dinner Saturday evening and Sunday morning. The initiation of the Heelers will be held as early as possible, so that those who wish to return Saturday evening may do so.



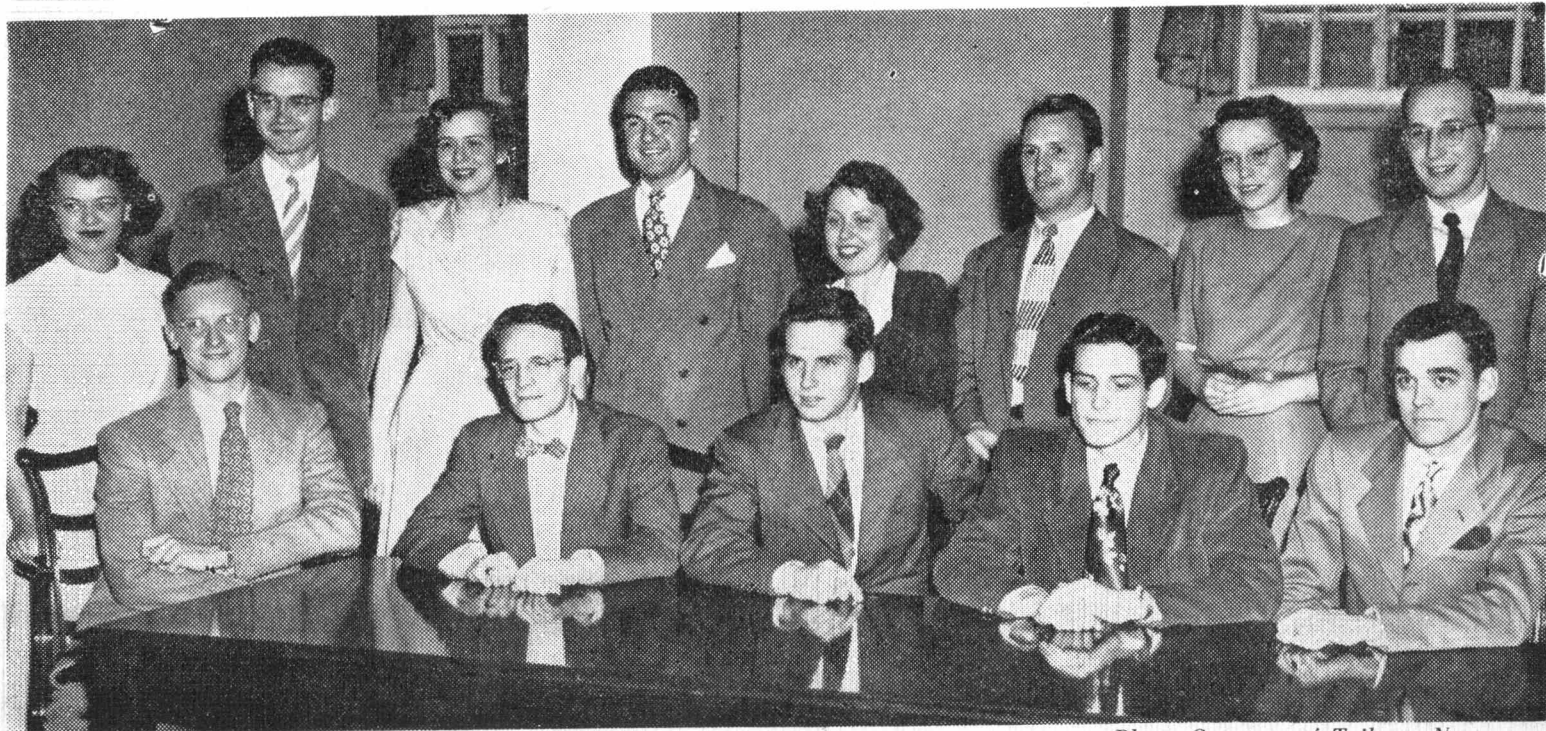
MRS. MARION DOWNS

Negro Soprano To Give Ford Concert

Mrs. Marion Downs, Negro lyric soprano, will be heard in recital at Ford Memorial Chapel tomorrow evening at 8 p.m. Students will have an opportunity to meet Mrs. Downs at an informal reception to be held in the Craig Room at Reis Library at 4 p.m. There will be recorded music from 4:20 to 5 p.m.

Mrs. Downs has been widely acclaimed by critics on her concert tours which have taken her throughout the western part of the country. For several years she was a soloist on Station KTBC, Hollywood, and was a popular performer on the programs of Junior Leaguers, Friday Morning Clubbers and other civic groups. Her musical triumphs include engagements at leading colleges, churches, and universities, and a tour of Mexico.

Dr. Karl Downs, Mrs. Downs' husband, is the president of Samuel Huston College. Mrs. Downs has given many benefit performances in the interest of this school. At these concerts gifts and good will offerings have been given in amounts totaling as much as nine thousand dollars.



—Photo Courtesy of Tribune Newspapers

Sixteen To Receive Phi Beta Kappa Keys . . .

Sixteen Allegheny seniors were recently voted into Phi Beta Kappa for high scholastic attainments and all-around ability. The 16 electees will receive their keys at a ceremony in the Treasury Room in Reis Library at 2:30 p.m., Saturday, June 11.

To be elected to Phi Beta Kappa a student must have an average of 85 or above, and it is a national rule that not more than one-eighth of the class may be elected to the fraternity. Selection is based on grades and all-around ability in various activities.



From left to right, standing, the students are: Lois Baumbach, Mt. Lebanon; Ray McCall, South Hill, Va.; Ellen Jane Albright, Crafton; George Strong, Johnstown; Alice Koklauner, Wilkesburg; Frederick M. Brandow, Buffalo, N. Y.; Dorothy McKnight, Franklin; Robert Miller, Jamestown, N. Y. Seated are, all from Meadville: Dana Nelson, Richard Rossbacher, Arthur Spohr, Donald Acker, and Myron E. Cale. Not present when the picture was taken were: Ralph Ketcham, New Hartford, N. Y.; James Feisley, Mt. Lebanon; and Charles Johnson, Evanston, Ill.

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Behind The Scenes

Report on N.S.A. by Betty Hubbell

Rejuvenation, at long last, is underway. Last November, there appeared on the scene, at NSA's instigation, a Constitution Revision Committee. Its task was to make a long over-due evaluation of AUC's Constitution and suggest possible changes. The complexity of the task hindered a complete and thorough coverage within the stipulated time, so the Committee's report should be considered a preliminary one. Unfortunately a detailed constitutional plan could not be drawn up in the time allotted.

How could the Committee make AUC a more effective governing organization, arousing greater interest and support from the student body? That was the question. Technical constitutional problems were to be tackled, but more difficult was the prevailing indifference of students. Sweeping constitutional changes, however, could k. o. this student apathy for AUC, stimulating enthusiasm which, in the past, has been sorely lacking except at election time.

Student government here at Allegheny isn't our legal heritage, but rather a privilege which the administration has granted us. Its scope of authority rests solely on the initiative and responsibility of the students themselves. The Committee's job was to find the best possible way to utilize this privilege.

As it stands, AUC is a hodge-podge of class officers and representatives from certain campus organizations. Difficulties arise from drawing the dividing line between groups to be or not to be represented. Also on the debit side is the inequality of the voting system; the President of MUC, who represents Allegheny's entire male population, has no more voting power than the President of Philo-Franklin, who represents exactly fifteen persons. And the Freshman Class, with over three hundred students this year, is represented by one non-voting seat. But why go on an organizational basis at all?—the campus organization's two direct connections with AUC, securing a budget allotment and arranging for dates on the college calendar, even now are being handled not by AUC as a whole but by various sub-committees.

It would be putting it mildly to say that the representation problem had become one big headache, with the Committee on the verge of giving up in despair and jumping collectively into the Cussewago, when up came Don Hamilton with a series of startling new proposals that stirred the Committee into new life. The Hamilton plan revived the original idea of having a legislative-type government with members elected at large (see the condensed outline of the Hamilton plan in the Campus of March 30, 1949).

Twenty-eight voting representatives would compose the new AUC; four freshmen, six sophomores, eight juniors, and ten seniors, to provide more of a chance for continuity of personnel. The ratio of men to women would be taken into consideration in each class. Nomination would be by petition; the student would vote only for his particular class representatives. The President of AUC and three subsidiary officers would be elected from within the group itself.

Under such a plan, student government jobs would be responsible legislative positions, not "political plums." The number of voting seats would seriously impair one fraternity or one sorority's domination. The presidential elections being strictly within the group emphasizes

the importance of the group as a whole rather than the glory of a single office. Each representative would be a potential candidate for the Presidency, thus encouraging all groups to run their best members in this hope.

Requesting membership on various committees now made up strictly of faculty members would enable AUC to play a more vital part in campus affairs; that is, in the Curriculum Revision Committee, Admissions Committee, Health Committee, Library Committee, and Athletics Committee, in addition to those which it is already representing.

Formation of a Publications Committee would be highly desirable. Consisting of a representative from each of the three campus publications as well as several from the faculty, it would have the duty of choosing new editors, besides coordinating and stabilizing the financial policies of the publications.

Since further investigations of the Student Life Committee may have a direct bearing on this problem, the conclusions reached by the Constitutional Revision Committee are not necessarily final, though its members feel that they should be used as the basis for future deliberation, with the underclassmen of the present committee the nucleus of the new committee which should finish the report next year.

(Adapted from the "Report of AUC Constitutional Revision Committee," Ray McCall, Chairman; Hugh Crawford, Albert Diaz, Don Hamilton, Charlene Lindsley, Deenie Rassas, Ruth Slosser, and Larry Tompkins, members of the Committee).

College Sing Slated For Thursday, May 19

An old Allegheny tradition will be revived on Thursday, May 19th, with an all-college sing sponsored by M.U.C. It will be held at 7:00 p.m. in Brooks driveway, with the student body facing Bentley Hall.

Bob Johnson, who will direct the student body in a few songs, will also have the Allegheny band on hand for selections. Four part harmony will be added by seven quartets, one from each fraternity.

Musicians To Vie For Porter Award

Student musicians in the instrumental field will vie for the Flavia Davis Porter Award in assembly May, 11, the Music department has announced.

The award, which is made annually, is given to the student who is chosen by majority vote of the student body to be the outstanding musician of the college. This year's contest will feature piano, organ, trombone, cello and flute players. Any person interested in competing should contact Mr. Johnson in the music department immediately.

MUC Vice-Prexy, Secretary Chosen

The M.U.C. elected Corky Bonner, Phi Delta Theta, as vice-president, and Dick Price, Phi Kappa Psi, secretary-treasurer, at the regular meeting, Thursday, April 26th.

President Bob Damon also appointed Bonner chairman of the rushing committee, which will be composed of Bill Shields and Sam Pees. George Mulfinger was appointed chairman with a committee of Bob Morrow and Jack Olofson.

Dean J. L. Bostwick attended the meeting and presented some ideas concerning the formation of a men's court on the campus.

Social Whirl

Lots of kids went home this weekend—lots of kids didn't. Those that did had a good time—those that didn't—did other things. Crash!

Well, now! For those that were here there were a few parties. The Theta Chi and Alpha Chi Rho held a joint spring formal at the Hotel Riverside Friday night. Tiny pink and blue teddy bears and hand-somely inscribed programs were awarded the girls as favors. Members of Theta Chi and their dates enjoyed a lush dinner at the house beforehand. All in all those that went had a very lovely time—those that didn't,—did other things.

Saturday was an afternoon of fun and frolic—"Lake" and brook. The Alpha Xis held a rollicking picnic at Shadybrook Park with food like mad, a spirited baseball game and—wading

Completing the weekend were four major sports events. Baseball game, track meet, tennis match and

The Phi Delt Lawn Party. Croquet, badminton, hot dogs and marshmallows. What more could we ask for a too much time!

Next weekend for those that do—we have an impressive list of social happenings. Friday night the annual Fiji Island Party and the Delt spring formal, the Alpha Chi-Theta and Phi Psi spring formals on Saturday night and the Kappa dinner dance.

Open house will be held at Beebe on Saturday, May 8, for all Ex-Beebe-ites.

News of NSA Encampment

by Paul Davidoff

ARE YOU CLEAR ON THE MEANING OF DEMOCRACY? Recently the NSA received a bulletin with that question staring us right in the face. Thinking that someone had their nerve asking a political science major that question, looking right back at the note we said "why sure, democracy means that, ah, every ahhh, body has ah, or then again does it, well maybe? But that's not the way I was taught the constitution. Well, democracy then must mean, gee maybe they have the answer inside."

Looking further down the page we saw in bold type this question, ARE YOU BIG ENOUGH? Again we thought that was a rather personal question, but on examining the question more carefully we saw that these people wanted to know if we were big enough to live with a cross-section of Americans of your generation, from different states, different races, different religions, and different backgrounds. We weren't too sure that we could answer that question in an unprejudiced manner, so we decided to continue to read the bulletin.

The notice came from an organization called the "Encampment For Citizenship." This group, it appears, sponsors a six-week course which it states simply, will make you a better American. The camp has been in operation for three years now, and has been highly successful. During this summer program you live with a 150 boys and girls from 17-23. These young people have come from farms, unions, colleges, and from all over the nation. The program of the Encampment consists of lectures in the morning, from the staff of college profs, or from a guest speaker. Among those who have addressed the group have been former cabinet members, representatives of labor and management, and foreign policy experts. Following the lecture the camp breaks down into small discussion groups which go over the daily lecture.

The Encampment offers a full scale sports program on its preschool campus. It offers New York City within a half hour ride. It offers trips around the city that alphabetically run from the Abraham Lincoln housing project, through the Stock Exchange and down to a day at the United Nations. It also has in the past offered a day with Mrs. Roosevelt at Hyde Park.

We of NSA felt that this bulletin was of enough importance to pass on to you. The Encampment is located just outside of the New York City. It runs from July 1st to August 12th. The cost for this six week period is \$200, but the notice states that partial or complete scholarships are granted. The notice goes on to say that "No one has

Sphinx Thinks -

By Joe Friedman

Calling all Friday night radio listeners. After midnight, that is. WMGW signs off at midnight. Amen. If you will turn your dial just a little bit below (to 1560), the spot where you last heard our local station, you will usually find Station WQXR, New York. The New York Times owns and operates this fine outlet; it broadcasts nothing but music, news and commercials. WQXR has recently inaugurated a new feature. It broadcasts a special program of popular and classical music from midnight until 3:00 A. M. on Friday nights.

The power of the station is increased during this time so that it can reach places as far away from New York as Meadville is. The music makes perfect accompaniment for term paper and comprehensive work. I know, because I've tried it.

Periodical Room Notes — There's a remarkably funny book called "Cheaper by the Dozen" which is currently riding the top of the best-seller lists. It's the story of a very enterprising gentleman who raised a brook of twelve red-haired children. Two of the children in question have written this account of their childhood, and there are more laughs in it than you can shake a stick at. "Cheaper by the Dozen" has been cleverly condensed, and constitutes the book section of the April Reader's Digest. You'll like it very much. Another interest item is the annual contest or salon issue of Popular Photograph. This year it was the March issue. It's already been put away downstairs, but it can be had by inquiring at the desk. Here you will find some of the year's most distinguished photographs. In a completely different field is the USSR Information Bulletin, a colorful little pamphlet designed to acquaint the American public with the human side of Soviet life. There are a great many interesting pictures and features. The propaganda line is fairly bearable, and reading this magazine will add somewhat to your knowledge of what Russia's people are like.

The Columbia album (and long-playing version) of the "South Pacific" score, featuring the original cast, will be in the record stores shortly after May 5. This recording has been eagerly awaited and it should be wonderful. Incidentally, Mary Martin and Ezio Pinza, the stars of the show, will make a special appearance on the Telephone Hour (NBC, 9 P. M.) May 16. They will sing selections from the "South Pacific" score. If you have wanted to hear this music, be sure to listen. Speaking of show albums, Columbia's "Kiss Me, Kate" set is one of the best to come along in a good while. This one also features the original cast. Songs like "Too Darn Hot" and "Where Is the Life That Late I Led?" are hilarious.

ever been rejected because of inability to pay his way."

The NSA hopes to offer a program on the Encampment within the coming week or two, so look on the Grill poster for further information about the course which to us sounds like a lot of fun, but more important that that, a brief survey of good citizenship, certainly a necessity in these days of discussion on loyalty and how to keep the peace.

Carpenter On Bridge Strictly Culbersonic

Spades-----A 4 3 2			
Hearts-----None			
Diamonds-----6 5 4 3 2			
Clubs-----5 4 3 2			
Spades-----None			
Hearts-----A K Q J 10 9	North		
8 7 6 5 4 3 2	West East		
Diamonds-----None			
Clubs-----None	South		
Spades-----6 5			
Hearts-----None			
Diamonds-----J 10 9 8 7			
Clubs-----J 10 9 8 7 6			

East-West vulnerable, West dealer.
The Bidding: West, 7 Hearts; North, 7 Spades; West, double.
The Comment:

One of Ely Culberson's most consistent points in bidding is either to score as many points on a hand as possible, or to hold the opponents to as few as possible. Thus the supposedly incredible bidding illustrated above.

North played it smart. When West bid seven Hearts, North observed that only East-West was vulnerable. Therefore the seven Heart bid was not a sacrifice bid. Taking into consideration the fact that West dealt himself the hand, North concluded that West had his bid cold.

His mathematical brain went to work. Seven Hearts bid and made, vulnerable and undoubled, would give West a total of 2410 points (1500 for vulnerable grand slam bid and made, 210 for seven Hearts, and 700 for two-game rubber score).

Whereas, North must take at least one trick—the Ace of trump—if he gets the bid for seven Spades. If he were set twelve, doubled, that would give East-West 2300 points, less than 2410 if they got the bid.

The only remaining question is: How practical can a bridge article be?

Insurance, Church Personnel Here

A representative of the Aetna Life Insurance Co. will be on campus the 5th and 6th of May to interview senior men interested in positions with that concern as field representatives. A group meeting will be held on Thursday the 5th at 4:30. Personal interviews will be held on Friday the 6th.

General Electric will be here on Thursday, May 5. Their representative is interested in interviewing senior men who have maored in business administration. obs are in operations, office management, factory and cost accounting, and non-technical sales. Interview blanks must be obtained at the Placement Office before Thursday. Appointments will be made for personal interviews.

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Miss Frances Ball of the Department of Personal Service of the Board of National Missions of the Presbyterian Church will be on campus today at 5:00 p.m. She will hold interviews with any senior women interested in missions work for the coming year. She will also talk to any underclasswomen interested in church work. For additional information and appointments for conferences,, students are requested to call the office of the Dean of Women.

WMGW Broadcasts Class Radio Plays

Members of the radio production class, as part of their class work, are directing a series of children's radio plays.All adapted from well-known fairy tales, these plays were originally planned for the listening pleasure of Meadville's youngsters. However, it has been discovered that "youngsters" through the age of fifty have become regular listeners. Heard over station W.M.G.W. every Saturday morning from 10:15 through 10:30, the plays which will be presented in the near future are:

May 7, **The Blue Flame** (directed by Samuel Hazelbart).

May 14, **Aladdin and the Wonderful Lamp** (directed by Mark Funk).

May 21, **Hansel and Gretel** (directed by Jane Frankel).

May 28, **The Pied Piper of Hamelin** (directed by Janet Schulmeister).

Those which have already been heard are:

April 9, **Cinderella** (directed by John Bowman).

April 23, **Rumpelstiltskin** (directed by Donald Horton).

April 30, **The Little Pony** (directed by James Hall).

Jack Howell Blasts Two Homers As Baseball Team Beats Clarion by 8-5

CARL HERRMANN PITCHES EFFECTIVELY

by Jim Hall

The Allegheny College battery of pitcher Carl "Lefty" Herrmann and catcher Jack "Dixie" Howell teamed up in an effective manner yesterday afternoon at Clarion to give Coach Bob Garbark and his Gators an 8-5 victory over the Teachers—the first victory in three starts for the Hilltoppers.

Herrmann scattered seven hits in the seven-inning game—official length of Clarion home games during the school week—and struck out ten men, while Howell took charge of the offensive situation, blasting two home runs out of the park, the first coming in the fourth inning with two Gators on the sacks to put the Blue and Gold out ahead to stay. The other followed in Howell's next trip to the plate in the sixth.

In all the Gators collected nine hits, the only other extra base blow a triple comig from the bat of Jim Ketcham. Four Clarion errors paved the way for three of the Gator runs as they scored every inning from the fourth to the end of the contest.

After the Teachers got off to a fast two-run lead in the first inning, the Hilltoppers came right back in their half of the third to tie it up on a single by Feisley, Ketcham's t riple and Joe Paul's deep fly to center .

Feisley, who collected two for three, banged his second single of the game to start the fourth-inning rally. Ketcham sent Jim to second with a single. Then Howell homered to left center and the Gators had a 5-3 lead.

In the fifth Poole singled and came all the way home as Meadville's Bob Betz sacrificed him to third and a Clarion throw to third went wild. Howell's homer added one more run in the sixth, but Clarion followed suit to make the count read 7-4.

Allegheny's last run came in the seventh as Dick McEwen walked, stole second and came home on an overthrow to first. The teachers picked up one more run in the last half of the seventh, but Herrmann's left-handed offering got the Gators out of trouble.

Howell, who had been riding the bench, up until yesterday was responsible for driving in five of the Gator tallies. Herrmann, starting his second game of the season, gave up four walks, while the Clarion hurler, Yakim, issued one free pass. Allegheny left three men stranded and the Teachers seven. Yakim was taken out for a pinch-hitter in the sixth and was charged with the loss.

The Allegheny record stands at one win and two losses, with the fourth game of the season booked for Saturday. Rochester University will oppose the Garbarkmen in the opener of the new quarter-million dollar athletic area on Park Avenue extension.

Complete summary of the Gator-Clarion game:

Charged Battery

Allegheny	AB	H	O	A
McEwen, lf	3	1	0	0
Poole, ss	4	1	1	1
Betz, cf	3	1	3	0
Paul, rf	4	0	0	1
Lewis, rf	0	0	0	0
Rimer, 3b	4	0	2	0
Feisley, 2b	3	2	0	4
J. Ketcham, lb	3	2	6	0
Howell, c	3	2	8	1
Herrmann, p	3	0	1	2
Totals	30	9	21	9
Clarion	AB	H	O	A
Zeleznock, lf	4	0	1	0
Lessen, 3b	3	1	1	0
Curry, cf	3	1	2	0
Malacarne, lb	3	1	9	0
Mason, c	4	1	5	3
Lignelli, 2b	3	1	0	1
z-Juban	1	0	0	0
Komasik, rf	2	0	1	0
Kelly, ss	3	1	2	4
Yakim, p	2	1	0	2
zz-Mergeatam	1	0	0	0
Sheffer, p	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	7	21	10

z—Batted for Lignelli in seventh.
zz—Batted for Yakim in sixth.
Allegheny 020 311 1-7
Clarion 201 001 1-5
E—Paul, Howell, Lessen, Kelly, Malacarne 2.
R—McEwen, Poole, Feisley 2, J. Ketcham 2, Howell 2, Lessen 2, Curry 2, Lignelli.
RBI—Howell 5, J. Ketcham, Paul, Mason, Kelly. 2B—Lessen. 3B—Ketcham, Malacarne, Kelly, H R—Howell 2. SH—Betz. SB—McEwen, Betz 2. Lessen, Komasik. DP —Lignelli, Kelly and Malacarne. L OB—Allegheny 3, Clarion 7. BB—Herrmann 4, Sheffer 1. SO—Herrmann 10, Yakim 6, Sheffer 1. HO—Yakim 9 in 6 innings, Sheffer 0 in 1. PB—Howell, Loser—Yakim. T—1:55.

Diamond Dwellers Drop Two Games

by Arny Lewis

Allegheny's diamond-dwelling nine dropped their first two games, losing an 8-1 decision to Waynesburg and a 13-7 slugfest to Slippery Rock State Teachers College.

The Garbarkmen, playing their first engagement of the year against Waynesburg, were tight and tense as they took the field. This factor played a very important part in the defeat. Lefty Carl Herrmann, one of the most promising freshman pitchers to enter the school in recent years, struck out nine and issued only one base on balls in seven and two-thirds innings. However, poor support in the field caused the downfall, as the team committed ten errors.

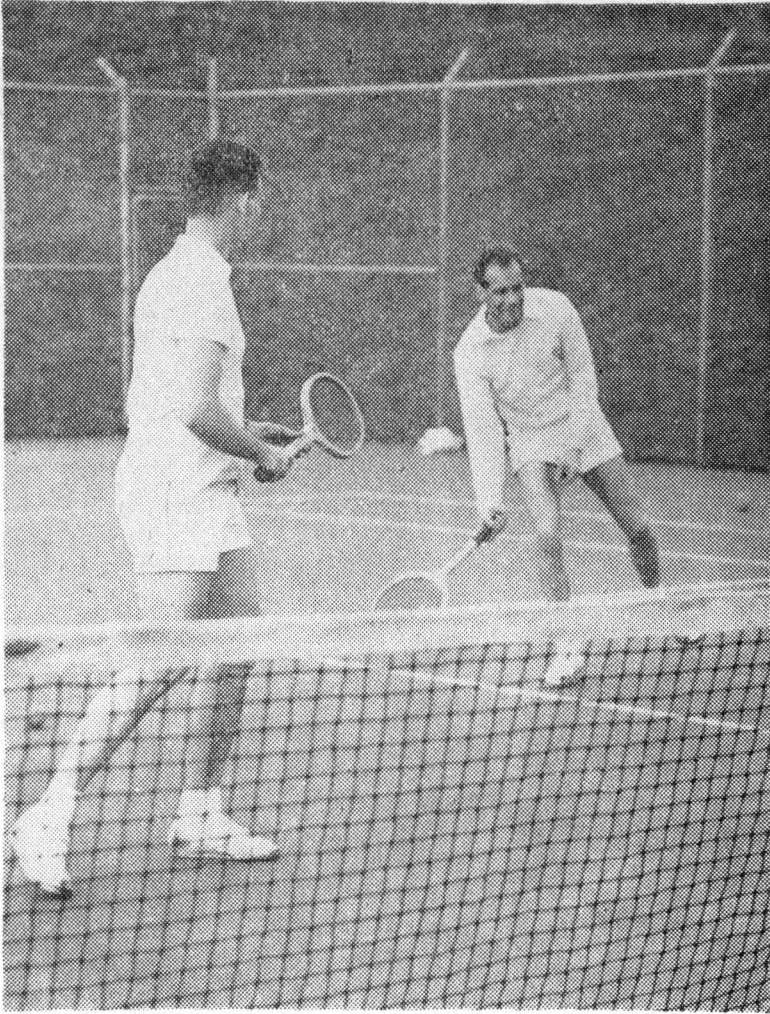
The Hilltoppers started the game in fine fashion by getting their first run of the 1949 season in the first inning. Jim Montgomery led off with a Texas League double to left center and was driven across on a clean single by clean-up hitter Joe Paul. Waynesburg tied it up in the same frame and increased their lead (Continued on page 4)

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Larry Tompkins and Paul Miller, ace netmen on H. P. Way's thrice-victorious tennis team, warm up before a meet. Neither man has been beaten in singles this year.

Fiji Sluggers Win Three Games In Softball Loop

The powerful Phi Gams lashed and slugged their way to three consecutive victories last week to jump into an early lead in the intramural softball league. They capitalized on numerous Chi Rho errors and walks, while pounding the cover off the ball for fourteen hits, to soundly defeat the "New Look" aggregation 22-6. Monday night they continued their pill pulverization, lambasting the Sigs by a decisive 15-5 count. But with the Phi Deltas it was a different story.

The Fiji power collected four runs in the first inning against "Vitamin" Elliot of the Terrace Streeters, hinting at a runaway. The Phi Deltas scored one run in the last of the first, so the idge men tallied twice in the second and once in the third to takes a "safe" 7-1 handicap.

Elliot Steams, Hall Ices

Then "Vite" got hot, and Jim Hall, the Phi Gam hurler, cooled off. Despite the loss of Rog Christopherson, Phi Delt catcher, who was booted from the game by Ump George Ely, the "Koalitionless Kids" shoved one tally across in the fourth and no less than three the following inning. Thusly the supposedly "safe" lead was reduced from six runs to a mere two.

Elliot snuffed the Fiji sluggers for the fourth straight stanza, and the Phi Deltas came to bat. They needed two runs to tie, three to win. So they proceeded to load the bases with only one out. Hall bore down and got the next batter out, but a passed ball scored one run and left men on second and third. Phil MacFarland, who had substituted for Christopherson as catcher, stepped to the plate. The tension was increased when the count went to three-and two. Then Hall hurled one high, but Mack swung. The easy popup ended the game with the score 7-6, Phi Gams.

Indes Surprise, Defeating Phi Psis, 6-5

The unpredictable Independents, paced by Art Waterman's base-clearing double and Mike Goldstein's control pitching, upset the mighty-on-paper Phi Psis by the minute measure of 6-5. Bob Thomas, Phi Psi shortstop and probably the best player in the league, connected for two home runs in the losing cause.

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Tennis Team Wins First Three Meets

The Allegheny College tennis team won its first three meets of the season last week, slashing Thiel here, 8-1; romping over Slippery Rock away, 8-1; and blasting Wooster College of Ohio, 7-2.

In these matches, the Way-coached squad has not lost any singles matches. The lineup of Larry Tompkins, Paul Miller, Frank Steinle, Dave Meyers, Pete Gordon, and Randy Limber, has proved itself as formidable as that of last season, when the racketeers won twelve and lost only two meets.

The explanation of the comparative failure of the doubles teams is that Way is experimenting with different teams. Paul Davidoff, Jack Bynane, Harold Fleischfresser, Dick DeKay, and Virginia Minor, are the guinea pigs, and all of them have looked quite good. The doubles teams have won five matches and lost four in three meets.

In the third meet, against Wooster, Pete Gordon and Randy Limber had trouble in downing their opponents. Pete finally won in two sets by scores of 11-9 and 6-4, and Randy won his last two sets, 6-2, 6-2, after dropping his first, 3-6. Larry Tompkins and Dave Meyers only had to play fifteen games to complete their victorious sets, Tompkins triumphing by 6-3 and 6-0 scores, and Meyers winning by 6-1 and 6-2 counts.

In this meet, Dick DeKay and Jack Bynane impressed onlookers by defeating their opposing doubles team of Bird and Kenny by scores of 6-4 and 10-8. Ginny Minor, the girl athlete, and Hal Fleischfresser lost a close match by scores of 6-4 and 7-5.

The box score of the Wooster meet:

Tompkins (A) defeated Bird (W) 6-3, 6-0.
Miller (A) defeated Clark (W) 6-2, 6-4.
Steinle (A) defeated Sheffler (W) 8-6, 6-1.
Meyers (A) defeated Louch (W) 6-1, 6-2.
Gordon (A) defeated Kenny (W) 11-9, 6-4.
Limber (A) defeated Kuniyoshi (W) 3-6, 6-2, 6-2.
Clark and Kuniyoshi (W) defeated Davidoff and Meyers (A) 6-4, 4-6, 6-2.
Bynane and DeKay (A) defeated Bird and Kenny (W) 6-4, 10-8.
Sheffler and Louch (W) defeated Minor and Fleischfresser (A) 6-4, 7-5.

Geneva Trackmen Trip Gators 69-62

The Allegheny College track team, trailing by 64-62 with one event remaining, saw Geneva College's mile relay foursome sew up the victory by bringing home fve meet-deciding points Saturday afternoon. Coach Al Werner was disappointed in the final score, 69-62, but expressed satisfaction at the way his untested thinclads responded to competition.

Garnering only three first places in the track events and four out of six in the field competitions, the Hilltoppers captured a bevy of second and third places to keep pace with the visitors throughout the length of the afternoon's action. Times for most events were slow, but with the exception of the long distance races, very little distance separated first, second and third places in the running events.

Herbst Takes Two Firsts

Only double winner on the slate of fifteen events was Allegheny's Ray Herbst, who used the speed he displayed in football last season to spurt home a winner in the 100-yard dash—one of the highlights of the meet—and in the broad jump. Workhorse of the nip-and-tuck battle proved to be Meadville's Virgil Sayre, who won first place in the Javelin throw, third place in the pole vault, third place in the 120-yard high hurdles and competed in the shot put for Allegheny.

The Gators showed strength in the short distance events when Jack Mitchell sped across the line first in the 220-yard dash, with Bill Jack third, and Zack Taylor took the 120-yard high hurdles and placed third behind Dick Welsh in the 220-yard low obstacles. The visitors picked up eighteen precious points by virtue of clean sweeps in both the mile and two-mile grinds, besides taking lots of count in winning the 440- and 880-yard runs.

TRACK EVENTS
Mile run—Won by Casky (G); 2nd, Steele (G); 3rd, Dalbey (G). Time, 5:4.9.
440-yard dash—Won by Phillips (G); 2nd, Penwell (A); 3rd Eades (A). Time, :54.5.
100-yard dash—Won by Harbst (A); 2nd, Right (G); 3rd Mitchell (A). Time, :10.5.
120-yard high hurdles—Won by Taylor (A); 2nd, Fuget (G); 3rd, Sayre (A). Time, :16.9.
880-yard dash—Won by Lockley (G); 2nd, Simons (A); 3rd, Willis (G). Time, 2:10.5.
220-yard dash—Won by Mitchell (A); 2nd, Right (G); 3rd Jack (A). Time, :24.
Two-mile run—Won by Steele (G); 2nd, Bloom (G); 3rd, Dalbey (G). Time, 11:14.8.
220-yard low hurdles—Won by Anderson (G); 2nd, Welsh (A); 3rd, Taylor (A). Time :28.0.
Mile relay—Won by Geneva (Casky, Lockey, Fuget, Phillips). Time 3:44.5
FIELD EVENTS
Javelin throw—Won by Sayre (A); (Continued on page 4)

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Members of the IRC will be charged \$.50 apiece to help pay for the dinner. The 1949-50 officers of the club will be formally inaugurated on this occasion.

"SING OUT"

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Cleveland and at the Dock Street Theater in Charleston, South Carolina. For eleven years she taught voice at Carnegie Hall in Cleveland. Mrs. Richards has a wide background in both classical and popular music. She received her training at the Berlin Conservatory in Germany and was also taught by her mother, Marie Clerx, a concert pianist. In the field of popular music, Mrs. Richards also takes part in jam sessions in Cleveland regularly.

Aid Mrs. Richards with music for the show are Jacques Goutor, Libby Townsend, Richard Price and Wayne Gibson, playing banjo, fiddle, drum and clarinet, respectively. Joe Friedman serves as alternate piano accompanist.

The entire production of "Sing Out, Sweet Land" is under the direction of Mr. John W. Hulburt, head of the drama department. Clair Strawcutter is his assistant. Mr. William McMillen is acting coach. Tickets for "Sing Out, Sweet Land" will be available beginning Monday, May 9. The box office will be open every afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00. Tickets will be available for the first three performances Friday, Saturday, and Tuesday, May 13, 14, and 17.

THREE TEACHERS

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to begin graduate study at Loyola University of Chicago. From 1945 to 1948, he was a graduate student at the University of Chicago, gaining the degree of master of science in mathematics in 1946 and continuing study toward his doctorate. From 1946 to the present he has been an instructor of mathematics at Illinois Institute of Technology. Mr. Tanimoto is a member of Phi Mu Epsilon, the American Mathematical Society, and the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Miss Day will come to Allegheny from Ohio State University where she has been a graduate assistant while finishing work on her master of arts degree. A native of Cleveland, Miss Day received her bachelor of arts degree from Miami University at Oxford, Ohio in 1949, spent a summer studying at the University of Colorado, and entered Ohio State Graduate School last fall. While at Miami and Ohio State, Miss Day served as a tutor in German.

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FIJI SLUGGERS

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fly ball in the Delt-Phi Delt contest; and Carl Jensen, who made a beautiful stab and throw from behind second base to retire the side against the Phi Gams. . . . Monk Myers, Phi Gam right fielder, grinned from ear to ear after his long four bagger against Van Marter of the Sigs. . . . the next time to the plate he lined a double to the same spot, right center field. . . . Lee Adey's convulsive behavior on the pitching mound for the Theta Chis was well warranted both games. . . . Nothing is more pitiful than the worried look on Paul Randolph's face. . . . Bob Seidenberg runs a close second.

TRACK MEET

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2nd, Christopherson (A); 3rd, Durham (G). Distance 147 feet, 11 inches.

Shot put—Won by Stang (G); 2nd, Carman (A); 3rd, McCune (A). Distance, 38 feet, 3-3/4 inches.

Discus—Won by Main (A); 2nd, Stang (G); 3rd, McDonald (G). Distance 117 feet, 10 inches.

Pole vault—Won by Kibler (G); 2nd, Hoyt (A); 3rd, Sayre (A). Height, 10 feet, 6 inches.

High jump—Tied for first place: Christopherson (A), Sullivan (A) and Richards (G). Height 5 feet, 6 inches.

Broad jump—Won by Herbst (A); 2nd, Kibler (G); 3rd, Berner (A). Distance, 20 feet, 5 1/2 inches.

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DIAMOND DWELLERS

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in the later innings mainly because of the absence of finesse and combat experience. Bill Porterfield relieved Herm and, although he has been troubled by arm trouble all spring, turned in a very creditable job.

Saturday, the club journeyed to Slippery Rock, and, although their bats hammered in seven runs, the Slimy Pebbles gave a hitting exhibition that will go down in history. The bad infield and lively ball contributed to the excess of runs, but the S. R. batters did the most part.

Starter Red Ketcham had difficulty in finding the corners, and when he found the middle of the strike zone, the Teacher catcher boomed a terrific home run over the head of centerfielder Bob Betz. The Rockets pounded Ketcham's suc-



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cessor, Doug Benson, with equal vigor, and ended with a total of sixteen safe knocks, many of them for extra bases.

The Gators pounded out nine hits and looked considerably better at the plate and in the field. Fred Feisley, Senior second sacker, rapped out three for four to lead the attack. Joe Paul blasted a long double, and Joe Poole, Jim Ketcham, and Bill Porterfield, the latter two in pinch-hitting roles, also clouted doubles.

Freshman hurler Dick Steele received his initiation into college ball in the seventh and displayed unusual coolness and ability in two innings.

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Allegheny was severely hampered by the loss of Jim Montgomery, who suffered an injured leg during the week. Coach Garbark switched Joe Poole from second to short to fill the big gap left open by the key infielder.

Charlie Rimer, third baseman, made a sensational catch of a foul fly on the dead run.

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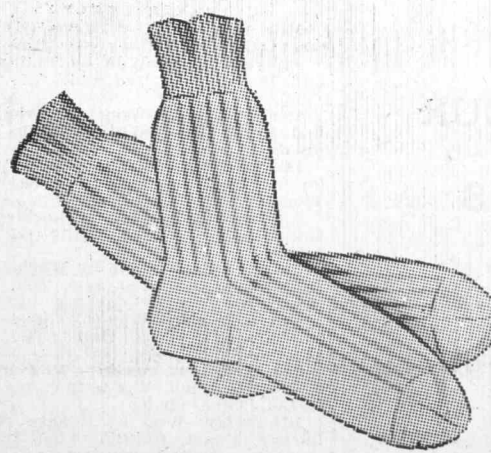
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