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# 635 STUDENTS ENROLLED FOR '36-'37 SCHOOL YEAR

### CAPACITY REGISTRATION SECURED BY COLLEGE

Capacity enrollment of 635 students was announced by the registration office for 1936-37. Due to the increase in transfers and the return of former students, a smaller freshman class was admitted than last year. One hundred ninety were listed as compared with 222 of before. Transfer students numbered 20 and returning ones 9. Total registration of a year ago was 640.

New students are as follows:

Abbott, Bruce, Erie, Pa.
Aey, Arthur, Dunkirk, N. Y.
Aichner, Louise, Erie, Pa.
Aldrich, Elizabeth, Meadville.
Anderson, Jane, Johnstown, Pa.
Appleyard, Robert, Jamestown, Pa.
Baldwin, James, Warren, Pa.
Baldwin, Ruth, Meadville.
Barackman, Bruce, Meadville.
Barco, Joseph, Meadville.
Bardes, Dwight, Jr., Swissvale, Pa.
Barney, Chas., Waterford, Pa.
Barnhart, Wm., Meadville.
Bartle, Wilmot, Salamanca, N. Y.
Battaglia, Bernard, Meadville.
Beach, Jean, Erie.
Beacom, Benjamin, New Kensington, Pa.
Beighley, Jeanne, Zelienople, Pa.
Bellmore, Flora, Curwensville, Pa.
Bendall, George, Flushing, N. Y.
Berlin, Harold E., McKeesport, Pa.
Bohrer, Wm., Saegertown, Pa.
Bolmer, Grant, Franklin, Pa.
Boyd, Jean, Mt. Lebanon, Pa.
Breiver, Suzanna, Meadville, Pa.
Brownell, Rogers, Fairfield, Conn.
Byerly, Chester, Tylersburg, Pa.
Buchanan, Betty, Mercer, Pa.
Buttermore, Elizabeth, Connellsville, Pa.
Chambers, Betty, Bellevue, Pa.
Clark, Virginia, Washington, D. C.
Clark, Nancy, Mt. Lebanon, Pa.
Coates, Jaynes, Novelty, Ohio
Cook, Wm., Jr., Fredonia, N. Y.
Counselman, Roger, Meadville.
Cowden, Rosemary, Meadville.
Cowles, Alice, Austinburg, Ohio.
Crandall, Carmon, Meadville.
Crawford, Helen, Meadville.
Cutshall, Betty, Library, Pa.
Dale, John, Meadville, Pa.
Daniels, Dorothy, Madison, N. J.
David, Bette, Cleveland Hts., Ohio.
Davies, Llewellyn, Sharon, Pa.
Dickson, Dorothy, Jamestown, N. Y.
Eicher, Alice, Mt. Lebanon, Pa.
Ellsworth, Stephen, Dormont, Pa.
English, Jean, Vermillion, Ohio.
Enserro, Michael, Jamestown, N. Y.
Fay, Miriam, Rochester, N. Y.
Fishel, Eleanore, Erie, Pa.
Fix, Pauline, Meadville.
Frantzen, Dorothy, Dunkirk, N. Y.
Fuss, Philip, New York City.
Gallo, John, Meadville.
Gardner, Susan, Ebensburg, Pa.
Gehrlein, Genevieve, Meadville, Pa.
Geisinger, Robert, Carnegie, Pa.
Gelbach, Katharine, Evans City, Pa.
George, Meredith, Windber, Pa.
Gingenbach, Mary, Erie, Pa.
Grabe, Marian, Wilkinsburg, Pa.

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### A. Clark Beiler Making Progress As Physicist

Among the graduates of Allegheny in recent years A. Clark Beiler, '33, is showing promise of living up in full measure to the numerous predictions of a successful career as a physicist for him made at the time of his graduation in June, 1933.

For the past two years Mr. Beiler has been employed as a graduate assistant at the University of Illinois, where last February he received his master's degree in physics. Mr. Beiler is now at work on his doctors degree.

Recently, his study has been centered upon the perfecting of electron tubes in which ions with an especially high positive charge may be produced at great velocity. In addition to his work in the sub-atomic field, Beiler has this past year aided in the summer sessions, delivering among other lectures one entitled, "Air Flow and Wind Turbulence".

As was the case during his undergraduate days here at Allegheny, Beiler has found time for numerous activities other than those immediately connected with his work. He has been honored with the presidency of the Graduate League of the Wesley foundation, a social organization on the university campus.

He is the son of Dr. I. R. Beiler, Professor of Religion, who is now on sabbatic leave.

# FRATERNITIES PLEDGE FIFTY-SIX STUDENTS

Seven fraternities claimed a total of fifty-six pledges for the first two days of the 1936 season. Phi Kappa Psi had the largest number with 13 men, the rest being divided among the other six groups.

Pledging has been slower this year as a result of the new rule passed by the Men's Undergraduate Council which required a week of deferred pledging.

A strict ban on premature rushing was lifted Sunday when Mr. P. M. Benjamin, head proctor, gave the signal at noon for the freshman round-up. Fraternity men who corralled students in the dormitory spirited them away to their respective houses.

Afterward, a variety of entertainments kept prospective pledges pleasantly diverted during rushing week. Noon and evening dinners throughout the week, radio parties on Friday and Saturday, and smokers on Tuesday and Thursday enabled freshmen to become acquainted with the home and personnel of their prospective fraternities.

The newly inaugurated system of deferred pledging. as well as reduced size of the freshman class is said to account for the diminution in the number of pledges. During the same period last year 92 pledges were listed.

ALPHA CHI RHO.

Joseph Hornstein, Mont MacKinney, George Bendall, Karl Thiele, Norman Myers, Grant Bolmer, Glenn Loveday, Robert Thomas.

BETA KAPPA.

Frank Will, Neil MacKeigan, Robert Tugend, James Bradfield, John Templeton, Paul Jaycox, William Sichak.

DELTA TAU DELTA.

Dwight Bardes, Henry Jacobus, Robert Dugan, Jack Wolford.

PHI DELTA THETA.

Robert Appleyard, Robert Wright, William Scarpetti, James Young, Edgar Wood, William Ervine, Rodger Brownell.

PHI GAMMA DELTA.

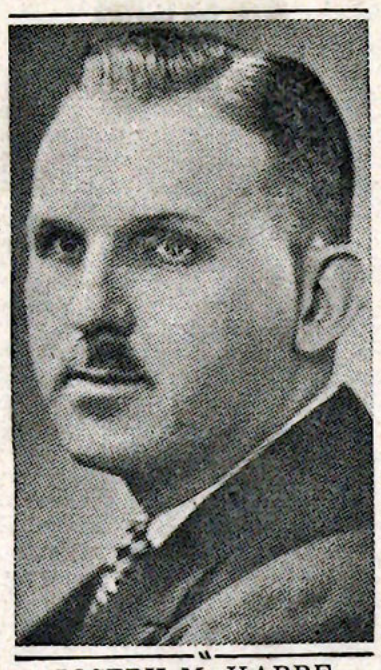
Charles Miller, James Hickernell, Robert Geisinger, Llewellyn Davies, George Rose, John Dale, Fred Baldwin.

PHI KAPPA PSI.

Douglas Boyer, Gilbert Wakefield, William Petre, William Cook, Charles Liggett, Robert Hirschman, Orwen Rector, William Kursel, Edward Robinson, James King, Gerald Weller, James Bradfield, Robert Sherman, Bruce Barackman.

SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON.

Lee Hicks, Jack Major, John Hosking, Stephen Ellsworth, Fred Pence, Charles Barney, Robert O'Neil, Arthur Gratz, William Mohney.



JOSEPH M. HARRE

# JOE HARRE ACCEPTS NEW POSITION WITH BOND FIRM

Joseph M. Harre's resignation as alumni secretary of the college was announced by President Tolley last week. Mr. Harre plans to open a Cincinnati office for the firm of E. H Rollins & Son, a bond company with head offices in Philadelphia.

He will leave this campus October 1, at which time he will go directly to Philadelphia for survey work and intensive training at the Company's headquarters. The Cincinnati branch is expected to open about November 1.

Harre assumed his position as Allegheny alumni secretary in February, 1935, and under his guidance in the past year the number of contributions to the alumni fund has increased 63 percent and the total amount of contributions now totals 55 per cent more than the preceding year.

He has maintained an active interest in the affairs of the college, serving as secretary of the gifts and bequests committee and secretary of the alumni association.

No successor has been appointed to Harre's position.

### FRESHMEN!

Like to write? Be at the third floor of Ruter Hall Wednesday at 3:30 for *Campus* staff tryouts. Upperclassmen who are interested will be welcome.

Whether experienced in high school journalism or not, you are urged to participate in this extra-curricular activity.

You know the time and place.

Be there!

# CHANGES IN FACULTY FOR YEAR ANNOUNCED

## TOP SCORES POSTED IN COMPREHENSIVE EXAMS

As an aftermath to a barrage of examinations which sweltering Sophomores were subjected to last May, the Registrar's office today released a placement list of students achieving meritorious rank in the Sophomore comprehensive exams.

The two day round of objective quizzes was intended to ascertain the retentive abilities of Sophomore students. Furthermore, advancement from the lower to the upper college level was contingent upon the successful completion of the exam series.

Because the detailed tests were administered late in May, immediately before the final exam period, little opportunity for cramming was available.

For the college administration, the quizzes answered the question: "How accurately do Allegheny students retain information acquired in class?"

Second year students were required to take exams in each of the following survey courses: English, Physical Science, Biological Science, Economics, Political Science, Religion, and Speech. Dependent upon the student's schedule, members of the class of 1938 were offered a choice of exams in: Drama, Music, or Art Appreciation; History or Mathematics.

Sophomores who scored the highest general average in all exams, ranked according to placement, are:

Richard Maguire, Sam Ziskind, Aileen Rockenbach, Robert B. Miner, Janet Fishel, Harry Else, Betty Ferris, Frances Wynne, Eva McCurdy, Virginia Derr.

An analysis of top ranking students in the respective exams discloses the following results, likewise arranged in order of placement:

English: Barbara Turner, Helen Nagay, Jean Stewart, Frances Wynne, Harry Else, Janet Fishel, Valerie Fullerton, Robert B. Miner, Mary Quay, Lucille Stein.

Physical Science: Betty Ferris, Robert Winitzky, Harry Else, Richard Maguire, Dale Bowman, Henrietta First, Michael Settembrino, Stuart Smith, Norman Seuffert.

Economics: Richard Maguire, Dale Stoops, Mary Calvin, Rex Malmquist, Aileen Rockenbach, Robert Miner.

Political Science: Norman Seuffert, Dale Stoops, Virginia Derr, Robert B. Miner, Kathryn Demmler, Rex Malmquist, Herbert Ransford.

History: Sam Ziskind, Ben Raskin, John Bailey, John Lavely, Harry Else, Eva McCurdy, Raymond Shafter, Dale Stoops.

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## FIVE NEW MEMBERS ARE ADDED TO THE FACULTY

Several changes in the college faculty have been made for the 1936-'37 academic year. There are five additions to the faculty, as well as several losses from it through sabbatic leaves and transfers.

### Dr. Laila Skinner.

Dr. Laila Skinner, the new Dean of Women, comes to Allegheny from Illinois State University, where she held the several positions of Assistant Dean of Women, Assistant Instructor in Psychology, and Director of the Girls' Dormitory. Dr. Skinner took her undergraduate work at MacMurray College, receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree there in 1921. She then taught for six years in the University of Rochester, and received a Bachelor of Music degree there in 1923. She received her Masters degree from the State University in Iowa in 1930 and her degree of Doctor of Philosophy from the same university two years later. She is at present living in an apartment in Hulings Hall.

### Prof. John Cavelti.

Prof. John Cavelti, the new head of the Science department, comes here from Wesleyan College in Middleton, Connecticut, where he has been an instructor for several years. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Wesleyan College in 1919 and his Masters degree from the same college the following year. He received his Doctor of Philosophy degree at Yale in 1929. At present Prof. Cavelti and his family are living on Chestnut Street in Meadville.

### Dr. Alice Kemp.

Dr. Alice Kemp, the new instructor in Spanish and French, comes to Allegheny from Milwaukee-Downer College in Milwaukee where she was employed as a Spanish teacher. She took her undergraduate work at the University of New Hampshire, receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree there in 1919. She received her Master's degree from the University of Iowa and her degree of Doctor of Philosophy from the same university in 1933. She also taught and studied for four years in Barcelona, Spain. She is at present living at Tarbell House.

### Mr. Curtis Rudolf.

Mr. Curtis Rudolf, the new instructor in the Speech department, comes here from Northwestern University where he was an assistant in the Speech department and from which he received his Bachelor of Arts degree last February. Mr. Rudolf's home is in Spokane, Washington, but while in Meadville, he is living in Caflisch Hall.

### Dr. Henry Caren.

Dr. Henry Caren, the new instructor in History and Political Science, comes here from Ohio State University where he received his doctor's degree last June. Dr. Caren completed much of

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# A Freshman's Reaction; Or How a Freshman Took It!

*By* RUTH STAFFORD

Gosh, Dad, are you sure this is Meadville? It doesn't look like it did this summer—oh yes, it must be, there's Isaly's . . . look, Mother, there's the campus. Why those two big posts are the entrance I guess . . . and there is Hulings . . . you can stop in front . . . I wonder if Marty is here yet . . . I hope not, because I want first choice on the beds . . .

How long is that speaker going to talk anyway? . . . Take a good look, this is the last time we'll ever see fellows in the Hulings dining room . . . Aren't the fellows in this class funny looking? . . . We can still hope for the upperclassmen . . . I don't envy those girls waiting on tables . . . imagine starting with a formal banquet . . . President Tolley seems to be a pretty swell guy, doesn't he? . . . Joan, see that cute blonde at the next table? . . . I wonder if he's a freshman too? . . . What's that song they're singing? "Near the Vale" . . . wonder if that's the alma mater? . . .

Heaven's Betty—we no more than get unpacked and they hand us a fistful of tests . . . some one told me they don't ever look at them so I'm not getting worried, but they look pretty tough—I'm glad I told them I had only two years of French instead of three . . . now I won't seem so dumb . . . Jean, do you suppose this personality test is ever used in getting blind dates? . . . maybe they send your score to your big sister and she picks out a corresponding one for a date with you . . .

What car are you going in? . . . I'm going in that one—it's full of fellows now, but I'll get in some how . . . did you say we're going to Bousson farm? . . . Imagine a college with a farm! I'll have to write and tell Bob—he wants to be a farmer . . . this is probably an experimental one . . . Help! . . . what was that? A fellow just dived into Siple lake and got stuck in the mud . . . there goes that blonde who lives down the hall from us with a fellow . . . wonder how she got one so soon?

Those Cwens are certainly working hard . . . this food isn't bad at all. Ummm, that fire feels good . . . I'm going to wait for the last bus . . . maybe there'll be some men on it—do you know that song? . . . I think Dean Schultz is kidding us . . . Why no, I'm not busy after we get back . . . you say your name is Jack Carlyle? . . . Yes, I'd love to . . .

So this is Jim's? . . . my brother talked about it for four years and I was expecting something . . .

Did you finally get registered? . . . I guess you can qualify for the football team now . . . what quiz section do you have? . . . Aw. mine is at eight o'clock on Thursdays . . .

This is my third cup of tea . . . my feet hurt . . . I wish I hadn't worn new shoes! . . . How do you do Mr. Cares . . . That's the first faculty member I've met . . . but I have three dates for next week . . . can you introduce me to that little redhead? . . . I believe there are seven hundred people in this college and every one of them is in this room . . . no thank you, I've HAD tea! . . .

She's a freshman, short, says she dances and is awfully nice . . . I'm sure you'd like her, Bob . . . he isn't bad, but you ought to get her a better date than that . . . He's a Tau Mu and is very smooth . . . will some one answer that telephone, and if it's a freshman wanting a date, put his na- on the list on the telephone stand . . . Does any one know a Betty Hill? . . . she is supposed to be a smoothie . . . Jim wants a girl for a short fellow . . .

Did you say I had a caller? That dance isn't supposed to start till eight-thirty, but I have three blind dates to introduce . . .

Barney doesn't sound half bad does he? . . . and it is a pretty good dance for an all-college . . . Yes, we ran all the way to Jim's . . . you should have seen what I got in that Paul Jones—you did! Never catch me getting to dance with a good dancer . . .

Do your feet hurt too? . . . It must have been the floor . . . yes, I have another date with him . . . I saw Judy's blind date . . . she got hooked all right . . . And just imagine how I felt when he was a whole head shorter than I was!

Is your big sister nice? . . . Mine's over there by that window . . . she got me that date last night . . . I suppose it was the best she could do . . . these getting acquainted games are fun, but I have a date . . . Yes, my big sister is taking me to Jim's . . . Do you realize that Freshman week is almost over?

Goodnight Marty . . . if that alarm doesn't go off I'll miss my first class at Allegheny!

## Lit Magazine Sponsors Frosh Writing Contest

Five dollars have been offered as first prize for freshman literary work in the form of essays, poems, or short stories to be featured in the first edition of the *Allegheny Literary Magazine*. This is part of the annual search for new talent; and is under the supervision of Ross Beiler, editor of the *Lit*.

Rules of the contest have been posted in Bentley Hall and Hulings and are as follows: 1. only freshman men and women are eligible; 2. the author of the piece of original writing (essay, fiction, or poem) which the judges shall deem the best of those submitted will receive a prize of five dollars, and the second and third choices of the judges will receive publication in the first issue of the *Lit*, along with the prize-winning work; 3. there is no limit to the number of entries each freshman may make; 4. previous publication shall not invalidate any original work for this contest; 5. a sealed envelope containing the author's real name and bearing a pseudonym on the outside should accompany the manuscript, which should carry only the author's nom de plume; 6. all entries must be in the *Lit* box at the Registrar's office by 4:00 P. M., of October 12, 1936.

Drs. Stanley Swartley, John Heller, and Julian Ross will be the judges.

Upperclassmen are urged to contribute any and all kinds of literary work.

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## TO THE FRESHMEN

Now that the Students, Administration, and Faculty have welcomed you into the halls of Allegheny, **The Campus** would also like to extend its welcome.

Words of advice from every conceivable source have been poured into your ears from the day of your arrival. The only advise we have to offer is: study hard and play some. For if you can make a good scholastic start there will be plenty of time for extra-curricular activities and social events.

In studying, make use of the Library. Read the periodicals, make it a point to read one book a week, and look over the browsing shelf. In playing, the men have the use of the Gym at all times for athletics—swimming, handball, basketball, wrestling and boxing. Also the Cochran Lounge and the bowling alleys are for your pleasure. The women have similar use of the gym at Hulings and the swimming pool later on in the year.

A good start is half one's college career—May your start be among the best.

## STRAWS IN THE WIND

The junior wearing the sunflower button in his lapel looked up from the sports page of the morning paper. "Why take a straw vote of Allegheny students, anyway?" be queried. "You ought to know what the results will be. Allegheny is a citadel of Republicanism. We will choose the American Way. Allegheny will not sell its birthright for a pot of pottage. Allegheny is 'safe'."

And so it is.

In announcing a political straw vote of the Allegheny student body, **The Campus** is well aware that the results will be lopsided. No "politactician" or student of political science can forecast otherwise, for politics, like religion is transmitted through generations. Economic self-interest, too, is a powerful influence. Is there one man among us who differs in political persuasion from his parents? If so, that gentleman is a curiosity.

Allegheny—the liberal arts college—is conservative. The fact cannot be denied. The forthcoming poll will prove it.

Whether Allegheny goes liberal or conservative is inconsequential. But, whether Allegheny can think clearly and intelligently about political problems is a matter of prime importance.

## *Personable New Dean Pleased With Allegheny's Glad Welcome*

Not the "hills of Tennessee" but the hills of Allegheny made the advent of a new task more pleasurable to Dr. Laila Skinner, new dean of women. Although getting settled was somewhat complicated when her trunk failed to arrive, Dr. Skinner felt "that she had been here for weeks."

Evidently the problem of watching over a large group of girls didn't prove frightening, for Dr. Skinner denied feeling nervous when called upon to speak to them at luncheon the first day. She has been acclimated to this work by a position as assistant dean of women, assistant professor of psychology and director of the girls' dormitory at Illinois State Normal University. She was graduated from MacMurray College and taught at the University of Rochester for six years. An assistant directorship of the Cook County school of nursing occupied Dr. Skinner for three years, including the charge of all activities with the exception of the nursing service.

One of her largest hobbies entered into the letter-reading, particularly in the fields of drama, biography and science. Music, a former vocation, is now becoming more or less Dr. Skinner's avocation: she was Eastman Fellow in Psychology of Music at the University of Iowa where she received her doctor's degree.

"I like serenades," she declared laughingly. Community singing, particularly such as the college sings proved popular. "It shows what influence the Singers have on the campus. I like to see a large group together like that," she stated.

Traveling filled Dr. Skinner's month's vacation last summer, to the north rim of the Grand Canyon in Arizona, and Zion and Bryce Canyons in Utah. She particularly enjoyed living the out-of-door life, riding or tramping most of the time.

Snow and cold of Allegheny held no terrors after growing up in typically Adirondack climate in New York, her home state. In fact, Dr. Skinner said, "I believe it was the hills that made me feel at home right away."

Since her arrival here on Thursday morning, Dean Skinner has been kept very busy. A tea was held on Friday afternoon to help acquaint the new dean and her students with each other. She has visited all the dormitories, had lunch at Cochran Hall, and attended the Independents' picnic.

Thus far, Dr. Skinner is absorbed in what she considers her primary task, becoming acquainted with her students. She is also anticipating meeting parents who come up as Sunday visitors to the Allegheny campus.

## Letters to the Editor



(ED. NOTE—*Mr. Darling was a member of* THE CAMPUS *staff for four years and assistant editor his Senior year. This letter was given to the Editor after the last issue in May.*)

May 19, 1936

Dear Mr. Editor:

Now that you have been officially taken in as Editor of this rag, let me ease your worries regarding material this week by offering a few observations upon publications at Allegheny. This subject has been on my mind for a long time, and now that I have no drum to beat, I desire to make them known. I shall limit my remarks to *The Campus* because of my intimate acquaintance with it for four years.

You realize that no student paper can be perfect, but there are some which are much better than others. Essentially this is due to one reason, ability of the staff. Some people have a natural ability for newspaper work and are quite capable in spite of little or no training. Unfortunately, the average individual is not so blessed, and therein lies the weakness of *The Campus*, lack of training of the staff.

It therefore seems evident that some sort of training should be given to the staff. The English department will point with pride to its one-semester course in news writing which covers only one phase of the publication of *The Campus*. The staff is not required to take this course although a few have taken it.

Most of the students do not realize that *The Campus* is imposited by the staff itself. This is what is popularly known as placing the type in the columns, make-up, etc. All of the work in publication is done by the student staff except the actual type-setting and press work. What little knowledge the staff has concerning the shop work is picked up from preceding staffs and from actual experience. No definite instruction is given about such matters. It is no wonder that mistakes are made.

The last attempt made to place the publications under the control of the faculty and to have some sort of course instituted whereby the publications staffs could be instructed about their work was in 1933. The staffs would receive credit for the course and thus be recompensed for their time to some extent. At the present time no recognition is given for such work.

The petition was rejected on the part of the faculty for various reasons. One of these was that an extra course would burden the academic schedule of the freshmen who are reporters for *The Campus*. This is true but do the reporters have to be freshmen? They do not.

Another was that a course could not be designed to fulfill the requirements of every member of the staff. While this is true, the needs of many of the staff could certainly be met by a course. There are three courses offered by the English department which are of advantage to the staff of the *Lit Magazine*, each course covering a different field.

The chief objection to faculty control by means of a course was that it would involve, to quote from a faculty letter, to the petition "a degree of paternalism in the conduct of college publications that we believe is unwise. *The Campus*, *The Literary Magazine* and the *Kaldron* are virtually the only organs the college has for the expression of student thought and opinion. The students themselves would soon come to feel that the close faculty oversight proposed (by the plan) involves censorship, and such censorship they would properly resent."

The reply to this is that there would be no more censorship under the direct oversight by the faculty than there is at the present time. I do not mean to infer that there is any censorship now for there is not, but it is generally recognized that there is an indirect control which the staff recognizes and is guided by it. This control may be termed common sense.

I realize that I am stealing material for an editorial from you but this subject is close to my heart. It is time for something to be done for the publications at Allegheny. The matter was discussed by the recent joint committee of students and faculty but nothing was recommended in the report to the faculty in spite of the fact that the problem was recognized. I am not aware whether or not this problem is still under advisement but if the faculty do nothing about it, then it is up to the Allegheny Undergraduate Council as the representatives of the students to take some action. The students should demand a better paper because *The Campus* is their paper.

Having written at great length I must stop. But I want to point out that the other non-academic activities of the college, music, debating and drama, are much better under faculty supervision. It is an honor to be in one of these curricularized activities. To be in the non-curricularized activity of journalism, it is not so much so.

Let us have some action on this matter, the sooner the better.

Respectfully yours,
RICHARD DARLING.

## FRESHMEN

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Graf, Mary, Dunkirk, N. Y.
Gratz, Arthur, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Green, Paul, Jr., Meadville.
Grounds, Mary, Meadville.
Hall, Herbert, Meadville, Pa.
Hamill, Marian, Ligonier, Pa.
Hannon, Dorothy, Erie, Pa.
Harter, Eleanor, Indianapolis, Ind.
Haudenshield, Suzanne, Carnegie, Pa.
Hazlett, Samuel Milton, Tarentum, Pa.
Heath, Lloyd, Meadville.
Hibbs, Martha, Greensburg, Pa.
Hickernell, James, Syracuse, N. Y.
Hicks, Lee, Monaca, Pa.
Hirschman, Robert, York, Pa.
Hoffman, Betty, Sharon, Pa.
Holder, George, Sheakleyville, Pa.
Horner, Adele, Wilkinsburg, Pa.
Hornstein, Joseph, Meadville, Pa.
Hosking, John, Jr., Rochester, N. Y.
Hustel, Elizabeth, Youngsville, Pa.
Ingraham, Josephine, Meadville.
Irvine, Wm., Jr., Neville Island, Pa.
Jacobus, Henry, Kane, Pa.
James, Arthur, Rimersburg, Pa.
James, Dorothy, Meadville.
Johannesmeyer, Charles, Meadville.
Johnson, Alden, Sugar Grove, Pa.
Johnson, Margaret, Erie, Pa.
Johnson, Vivian, Dormont, Pa.
Johnston, Barbara, Cleveland Heights, Ohio.
Jones, Juanita, Youngstown, O.
Jones, Richard, New Sheffield, Pa.
Karlitsky, Madeleine, Lyndora, Pa.
Kistler, Elinor, Edgewood, Pa.
Krall, Robert, Mercer, Pa.
Kraus, Cora, McKeesport, Pa.
Krimmel, John, Erie, Pa.
Kuehner, Richard, Meadville.
Kursel, William J., Bessemer, Pa.
Lancaster, Jeanne, Mt. Lebanon, Pa.
Larrabee, Georgiana, Emporium, Pa.
Leberman, Edgar, Jr., Meadville.
Lemme, Frank, Meadville.
Lewis, Marjorie, Dallas, Texas.
Liggett, Charles, Latrobe, Pa.
Litten, Helen, Evans City, Pa.
Loveday, Glenn, Wilkinsburg, Pa.
McCandless, Ruth, Nanty-Glo, Pa.
McCrea, Frances, Oil City, Pa.
McCurdy, Harry, Ellwood City, Pa.
McDowell, Margaret, Altoona, Pa.
McQuiston, Thomas, Wesleyville, Pa.
MacKeigan, Neil, Lakewood, O.
MacKinney, Mont, Butler, Pa.
Mahoney, Helene, New York, N. Y.
Major, Jack, Albion, Pa.
Martin, Frances, Port Huron, Mich.
Maziarz, Walter, Meadville.
Megahan, John, Clarion, Pa.
Milcher, Florence, Conneautville, Pa.
Miller, Charles, Slippery Rock, Pa.
Miller, Wieford, Meadville.
Mohney, Ross, DuBois, Pa.
Mohney, William, Kittanning, Pa.
Mumbalo, Rachel, Scranton, Pa.
Myers, Norman, Jr., Johnsonburg, Pa.
North, Mary Ellis, Kenmore, N. Y.
Ochsenhirt, Helen, Dormont, Pa.
O'Neil, Robert, Bradford, Pa.
Overholser, Mary, Ridgeway, Pa.
Pence, Frend, Erie, Pa.
Pierce, Charles, Fayette City, Pa.
Pool, Edward, Jr., Mt. Lebanon, Pa.
Port, Jane, Connellsville, Pa.
Poushey, John, Bessemer, Pa.
Raistrick, Gardner, Jamestown, N. Y.
Rector, Orwen, Sewickley, Pa.
Reynolds, Catherine, Saegertown, Pa.
Robinson, Edward, Meadville.
Roha, Neil, Meadville.
Rose, George, Mt. Lebanon, Pa.
Rothrock, Alice, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Rungo, Lena, Washington, Pa.
San Filippo, John, Uniontown, Pa.
Scarpitti, William, Erie, Pa.
Schutt, Robert, Albion, Pa.
Sherman, Robert, Meadville.
Slagel, Marjorie, Altoona, Pa.
Smoyer, Alexander, Clairton, Pa.
Smyers, Walter, Sykesville, Pa.
Snead, Richard, Freedom, Pa.
Snee, Nell, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Spring, Betty, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Stark, Dorothy, Mt. Lebanon, Pa.
Stewart, Elizabeth, Mt. Lebanon, Pa.
Stewart, Gail, Meadville.
Stewart, Mary Jane, Braddock, Pa.
Sullivan, James, Kittanning, Pa.
Szabatura, Harry, Meadville.
Taylor, Wendell, Cleveland Heights, O.
Templeton, John, Jr., New Castle, Pa.
Thiele, Karl, McKees Rocks, Pa.
Thomas, Robert, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Thomas, Marguerite, Cereal, Pa.
Thomas, Rita, Meadville.
Topper, John, Jeannette, Pa.
Tugend, Robert, Buffalo, N. Y.
Turner, Anne, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Turner, Margaret, Cambridge Springs, Pa.
Ullman, Jean, Niagara Falls, N. Y.
Varano, Joseph, Vandergrift, Pa.
Waters, Rea, Jamestown, N. Y.
Watson, Gordon, Munhall, Pa.
Weislogel, Ellinor, Fairview, Pa.
Weller, Gerald, Meadville.
Wetner, Georgetta, Fairchance, Pa.
Wetherbee, Ruth, Cleveland Heights, Ohio.
Whitacre, William, New Castle, Pa.
Will, Frank, Oil City, Pa.
Wilson, Kathryn, Weedville, Pa.
Wolford, Jack, Brookville, Pa.
Wood, Edgar, Connellsville, Pa.
Wright, Robert, Meadville.
Young, Dorothy, Mt. Lebanon, Pa.
Young, James, Mt. Lebanon, Pa.
Zwilling, Velma, Cleveland, Ohio.

ADVANCE STANDING.

Blair, Douglas, Asbury Park, N. J.
Bradfield, James, Altoona, Pa.
Brickman, Mary, Youngstown, Pa.
Chen Shih Chieh, Foochow, China.
Connick, Milo, Conneautville, Pa.
Diley, Louise, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Dugan, Robert, Erie, Pa.
Grimaldi, Frank, Meadville.
Ling Kung Hsiang, Foochow, China.
James, Olive, Rimersburg, Pa.
Johe, Edmund, Pittsburgh, Pa.
King, James, Meadville.
Lenox, Robert Lewis, Waverly, N. Y.
Lukehart, Martha, Punxsutawney, Pa.
Marceca, Frank, Meadville.
Murray, Richard, Patton, Pa.
Quigley, Catherine, Sharon, Pa.
Scanlon, Betty, Dormont, Pa.
Sharpe, Mary, Dawson, Pa.
Wakefield, Gilbert, Maplewood, N. J.

RETURN STUDENTS.

Black, Christine, Meadville.
Bolmer, Grant, Franklin, Pa.
Bromley, Florence, Meadville.
Irvin, Glenn, Edinboro, Pa.
Jackson, Fannie, Meadville.
Jones, Florence, Clark, Pa.
Knapp, Mary, Conneautville, Pa.
McDuffy, Mary, Meadville.
Swanson, Kenneth, Meadville.

### Gets Pitt Appointment.

Miss Betty Douglas, ex '37, who attended Allegheny her freshman and sophomore years, has been appointed to the Research Bureau for Retail Training at the University of Pittsburgh. Although this honor is accorded only to graduates she was appointed while only a junior. This course is designed for special training in department store work.


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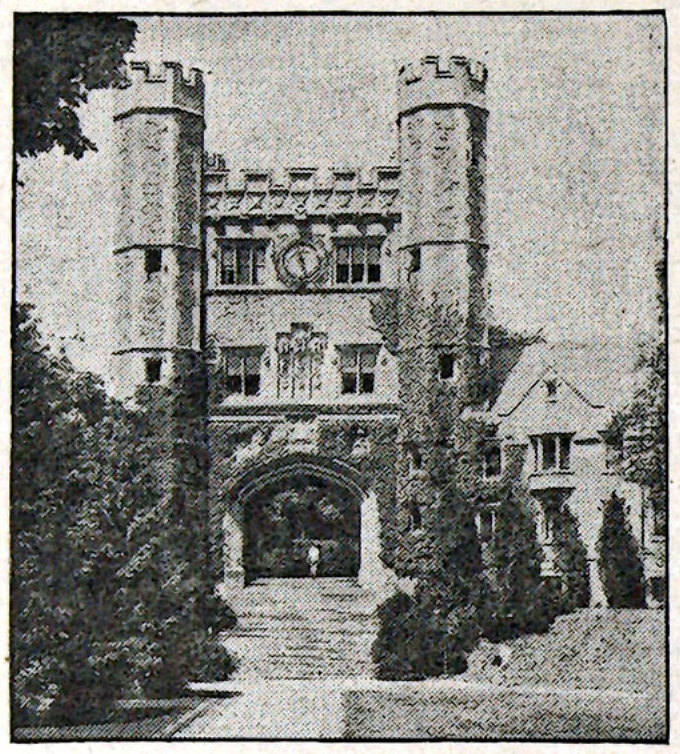
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## SCHEDULE

FOOTBALL
Oct. 3—Hiram—home.
Oct. 10—Oberlin—away.
Oct. 24—Grove City—home.
Oct. 31—Juniata—away.
Nov. 7—Thiel—away.
Nov. 14—Westminster—home.

SOCCER
Oct. 16—Slippery Rock—home.
Oct. 23—Grove City—home.
Oct. 27—Rochester—away.
Oct. 28—Buffalo State—away.
Nov. 6—Oberlin—home.
Nov. 13—Grove City—away.

## REVISION OF OUTING CLUB IS PROPOSED

At the Outing Club meeting this evening plans for the reorganization of the club will be discussed. As the plans stand now the club will be organized with the men and women under severate vice-presidents both responsible to the president of the club. The plan is to more closely knit the men and the women to the club by giving them separate responsibilities and yet not to make it two separate organizations. At present Hazel Dixon is the president of the group. James Werle is the men's vice-president but there is no women's vice-president as yet. With the new plan the club expects to carry out its work much more efficiently.

An extensive program for the following year is being mapped out at the present time. Several overnight camping trips to the club's reservation at the Bousson Farm are being contemplated. The club's cabin is to be completed by the time of the combined Hallowe'en and fall initiation party. This will mean that the big fireplace will be in working order and the cabin will be heated. The main attraction on the program is the trip planned to one of the national forests in this vicinity. This trip will be a week-end trip for the club members. As yet the destination has not been decided upon.

As the plans are now, the Outing Club will enjoy its most successful year since it was started. Year by year it has been building up its strength and this year looks to be the best of its existence.

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# 'GATORS OPTIMISTIC OVER 1936 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

### Veteran Letterman Plus Adequate Reserves are Cause of High Spirits.

For the first time in several years the student body of Allegheny is feeling rather optimistic about their football squad as the training season progresses. Whether their spirits are being aroused in vain can only be decided at the end of the season.

Despite the loss of the three men who were the spark plugs of last year's team, Horn, Widmann and Blasdell, the outlook is bright as there are several freshmen who look capable of stepping into varsity competition. Beside the loss through graduation, the squad is minus Don Eberle, a regular halfback last year, who has entered George Washington University. Cobb Diaz is also on the absent list due to an automobile accident that has put him on the shelf for awhile.

For the nucleus of the team Coach Lawrence has ten lettermen to work with. John Lavely and Jack McFarland at the terminal positions, Jim Cousins and Ced Spence at the tackles; Bud White and Joe Pierce at guards, and although the latter is not a letter winner he has seen sufficient service to be regarded as a veteran. Bill Becker, who played tackle and guard last year has been shifted to center to take over Scotty Widmann's job.

In the backfield the returning men are: Elmer (Moose) Swanson at fullback, Tom Clark at quarterback, and Horace Lavely who has been moved back from the guard position to be groomed as a blocking back.

To fill in the holes Lawrence has a squad of 40 men to keep the lettermen on their toes the whole season. Several freshmen at this time have good chances to beat out the upper classmen for the varsity positions.

For the first time in several years the coach has a sufficiently strong squad that he will have competent reserves to rush in to stem the tide. It is this fact that is causing the ripple of enthusiasm among the students.

The 'Gator line will average around 180 pounds, a little heavier than last year, while the backfield will average about 165 pounds per man.

Lacking weight, Coaches Lawrence and Daniels must depend almost entirely on speed and deception in their attack, and to that end they have been drilling the squad in a series of fast, tricky plays.

This year the schedule shows that Dickenson and Springfield, the two strongest teams on last year's schedule, have not been rescheduled. The schedule this year is made up of teams of our own class thus assuring keen competition in all of the games.

The season opens on Oct. 3 on Montgomery Field, with Hiram College furnishing the opposition.

## Intramurals Start With Golf Tourney Set For Thursday

### Many Events Scheduled On the Fall and Winter Program.

Intramural sports for the fall season will get under way this week with the opening of the golf tournament on Thursday. Thursday, Friday and Saturday have been set aside as the days for the qualifying rounds and match play will follow immediately. As was the case last year the tournament will be played on the basis of individual accomplishment rather than by team play. The 1935 tournament proved to be one of the highlights of the intramural program, bringing out some of the keenest competition of the year. Ray Shafer, Phi Psi and Chuck Miller, Phi Delt, played in the finals with Shafer winning one up in an extra hole match, putting on one of the best exhibitions of golf ever seen in Allegheny intramurals. The match seesawed back and forth until Shafer finally won on the 19th hole. In 1934 the Phi Delts won the cup with Vangeli and Miller playing the tournament undefeated and only pressed in the final match for the championship.

An agreement with the management of the golf course makes it possible for the players to play for 25 cents a round. In order to take advantage of this reduction it will be necessary for the players to obtain an identification slip from Coach Way's office before going out to the course.

Next week the touch football and tennis tournaments will get under way. The tennis will be run under the same system as golf, while the football schedule as usual will be played in two leagues with the two winners meeting for the championship.

Al Wellons, Chi Rho, was the winner of the tennis tournament last year but will be unable to compete this year as he is a letterman in the sport. This will mean a wide open scramble for the championship. A large and versatile field is expected to enter and keen competition can be expected in every match.

The touch football tournament will find the Phi Psi's out to retain the championship won last year from the Sigs. As usual all the other fraternities will be after the defending champions and will be out to beat them at all costs.

With the short fall season experienced in Meadville it is necessary that the tournaments be short and that they be played immediately. It is necessary that the men engaged in the tournaments that are individual contests contact one another as soon as they learn who they play so that the tournament can be played off with as little delay as possible.

Rules governing the intramural activities of the college will be included in a handbook which will be ready for distribution in the near future. The same system of officiating will be used in the contests as were in effect last year.

## Competition Hot As Faculty Cup Tennis Starts

Annual competition for the Faculty Tennis Cup began this week, with sixteen men vieing for the trophy emblematical of the tennis championship of Allegheny.

The past two years that the tournament has been run off have proven to be huge successes and has now become firmly entrenched in the athletic program of the college. The cup has been donated by members of the college faculty and is awarded to the winner of the tournament, to remain in his position for the remainder of the year.

Charles (Chuck) Nevins, versatile member of last year's varsity team, and winner of the cup last year, has graduated and so will not be on hand to defend his championship, leaving the field open for keen competition.

Sixteen men, picked by the committee on the basis of their previous experience and their success in competition in the summer tournaments, are taking part in the tournament. Of these four have been seeded. Bobby Manness was seeded number one, Wellons No. 2, Luke Taylor No. 3 and Archie Tate No. 4.

The preliminary matches are scheduled for the best out of three sets. Semi-finals on Friday and the finals on Saturday will be the best three sets out of five.

## '36 June Graduates Continue Work In Schools, Business

Alumni office reports give evidence that teaching, specialized field, and graduate work have attracted the talents of Allegheny's June graduates.

A large number of them have been fortunate in securing positions as teachers. Among these are Lois Slocum, who is teaching at Arnold, Pennsylvania; Robert Dennis, now an instructor in French and English at Georgia Military Academy; Helen Walper, employed in Cambridge Springs; and Frances Boone, Helen Edmundson, and Carol Tiffany are also in this group.

Others have secured positions in their specific fields. Ronald Ober has been doing social work; Arthur Vangeli is employed by the Gulf Refining Company in New York City; Carl Cunningham is now working for G. C. Murphy Company in McKeesport, Pennsylvania; Robert Dane is associated with The Crawford County Trust Company in Meadville; Virginia Rossiter is now working in the office of the Viscose Company; and Dorothy Phillips is a Meadville dentist's assistant.

William Hershelman is the assistant resident adviser at Syracuse University as well as a student there; Arthur Cobb and Jean Morrow are both attending schools in Buffalo, New York; Orin Hawkins is back on the Allegheny Campus studying for his master's degree; Dake Gull is at the Library School of the University of Michigan; Charles Nevins is attending Washington School of Government; Romayne Lawrie is now at Columbia University, and William Taft is attending Jefferson Medical School in Philadelphia.

# SOCIETY

### A. W. S. Tea.

Dr. Laila Skinner, Dean of Women, was introduced to the students at a tea held by the Associated Women Students Friday afternoon, September 18, in Hulings parlor. In the receiving line were Dr. Skinner, Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Ross, Dr. and Mrs. O. P. Akers, Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Schultz, Dr. Alice Kemp, Miss Mildred Ludwig, and Mary Virginia Jones, president of the Associated Women Students. Members of the Senior Court presided at the tea table, and the Cwens served.

### Fraternity Radio Parties.

Phi Kappa Psi initiated their newly redecorated house with a radio party Saturday which was chaperoned by Dr. and Mrs. Scott Hall.

Phi Delta Theta entertained the freshmen with a radio party Saturday night. Miss Ludwig and Mr. Hulbert chaperoned the event, and refreshments were served during the evening.

Phi Gamma Delta held their radio party on Friday. Miss Ludwig and Mr. Martin Howes were chaperones.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon illuminated their house in honor of a radio party Saturday, at which Mr. and Mrs. Harley Morris were chaperones.

Feature of the evening at the radio party held by Alpha Chi Rho was a trio who entertained with fraternity songs. Chaperones were Dr. and Mrs. McClean.

Delta Tau Delta's radio party Saturday was chaperoned by Dr. and Mrs. Heller.

### Cochran Housewarming.

The customary Sunday evening housewarming of Cochran Hall was devoted to its guest of honor, Dr. Laila Skinner, Dean of Women, Sunday, September 20. This informal affair was held in the suite belonging to Pollyanne Denney and Betty Krimmel.

Housewarmings arose from the custom of having a "feed" each time a Cochranite changed the location of her room or the position of its furniture. The entire dormitory attended.

### MARRIAGES.

On June 20th, at Pittsburgh, Pa., Miss Suzanne Wallace Finley became the wife of Mr. John L. Heller, a member of the college faculty. And on August 9th, at North Platte, Nebraska, Miss Iva Marie Hinman became the wife of Mr. Karl Lawrence, Allegheny's football coach.

### All-College Dance.

The first scheduled bout of the current season, which soon turned into a "free-for-all", was staged before a record-breaking crowd in the Gymnasium Arena Monday night, September 14. The contestants were carefully weighed in, amid much lusty shouting, following which they climbed clumsily through the ropes. The audience was almost quiet in the suspense that preceded the main event of the evening. (The preliminary bouts, which were fought off in Hullings Hall several hours earlier, between applicants of the Dating Agency, had only increased the tensity of the moment.) Excitement was terrific! Barney Knapp gave the signal; the gong sounded; defender and challenger rushed from their respective corners! For some time nothing could be distinguished through the dust except hands and feet. At the close of the first round, it was obvious that the battle would be a tough one. The participants appeared to be exhausted, but were somewhat refreshed by cherry punch, served during the first Time Out. The judges, Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Tolley and Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Schultz, and the referees, Myra June Bankin, Beverly Sims, and Ray Shafer, declared the bout a draw. However, as the mob dispersed, each felt that at least it had been a moral victory.

### Alumni Marriage.

Mark Roe, '36, and the former Fanny Mae Charlesworth, of Pittsburgh, were married this summer. While on their honeymoon at Asbury Park, N. J., they expressed a desire to make a visit to Allegheny College sometime in the near future.


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### Improve Dorm Facilities With Additional Equipment

Two changes have been made by the college in the boarding accomodations for the women students this year. A new dormitory, Morford House, formerly Caflisch Annex, has been provided for the increased number of women. A second change is the new beds with which most of the rooms of Hulings Hall have been equipped.

Morford House is a two-story dormitory with three double rooms and a single room on the second floor and a double room, a single room, the proctor's rooms, and a parlor on the first floor. It is now housing nine women, all the rooms being filled except the single room on the first floor. Miss Ludwig, formerly proctor of Hulings Hall, has been put in charge of the new dormitory while Dr. Skinner has taken over Miss Ludwig's proctorship of Hulings Hall.

Last year Morford House was in use as an annex of Caflisch Hall to accomodate several of the freshman men students. The name was changed from Caflisch Annex to Morford House in memory of the former owner of the house, Mr. Morford, who was then janitor of Allegheny College.

### COMPREHENSIVES

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Mathematics: Betty Ferris, Richard Maguire, Dale Bowman, Cedric Spence, Jay Linn, Chester Pardee, Henrietta Cutter.

Religion: Robert Olson, Betty Ferris, Eva McCurdy, Kermit Longley, Jean Stewart, Frances Wynn, Mary Calvin, Robert B. Miner.

Drama: Sam Ziskind, Eva McCurdy, John McFarland, Rex Malmquist, Robert B. Miner, Barbara Turner, Raymond Shafer.

Music: Aileen Rockenbach, Betty Kottman, Elvira Peffer, Henrietta First, William Cappe, Frances Wynne, Rachel Miller, Richard Maguire, Myra Bankin, Kathryn Demmler.

Speech: Virginia Derr, Janet Fishel, Ben Raskin, Aileen Rockenbach, Beverly Sime, Seymour Smith, Sam Ziskind, Richard Maguire.

Biology: Stuart Smith, John Bailey, Jay Linn, Richard Maguire, Roy Robinson, Michael Settembrino, Norman Seuffert, Lucille Stein, Alfred Wellons, Herbert Willison, Frances Wynne.

### Professor And Student Attend Conference At Eagles Mere

Dr. Irwin R. Beiler and Alfred Wellons were Allegheny's representatives at the Annual Conference of the Student Christian Movement of the Middle Atlantic States. This conference, held at Eagles Mere in June, was attended by three hundred students of the colleges and universities of the district.

Dr. Beiler took part as a member of the faculty and led a study of "The Bible and the Philosophy of Life." Meanwhile Al Wellons took an active part in the activities by winning the tennis championship and the treasure hunt.

Dr. John MacMurray, Professor of Mind and Logic at the University of London; Mr. T. Z. Koo, Secretary of the World's Student Christian Federation; and Rev. Edward Carroll, a negro graduate of Morgan College and Yale Divinity School were among the well-known leaders who were present at the conference.


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### Library Features Books On College Studies And Courses

"Success in College" is the caption of the exhibit Reis Library is displaying this week. The selection contains reading material on common undergraduate problems.

President Tolley recommends a chapter on habit from James' "Psychology". This chapter treats with habit formation, showing its relation to and effect upon the nervous system.

"College—What's the Use?" takes a non-partisan view on problems such as studying conditions, athletics, fraternities, sororities, and discipline.

Gauss' "Life in College" deals not only with undergraduate propositions, but it considers the college's issues and parents' queries. Gauss defends Allegheny's stand on sports, for he advocates the intramural program for college athletics.

"How to Study in College" by Headley contains clear, concise explanations on how to use the library, how to concentrate, and the method of taking good notes. With the aid of examples and diagrams the author indicates that the fairest standard of appraisal for good notes is their usefulness to the student.

In the fiction line "Studies are not Everything" is an amusing diary of a college boy, with very clever illustrations.

This attractive selection is the first in a series of book displays which will be shown this year.

### CHANGES IN FACULTY

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his undergraduate work at Yale University but transferred to Ohio State where he obtained his A.B. and M.A. degrees. For the last two years he has held the position of graduate assistant in the department of History at Ohio State University. At present Dr. Caren is living in Caflisch Hall.

#### Sabbatic Leaves.

Dr. C. A. Darling, who is temporarily absent from the college faculty on a semester's sabbatic leave of absence, this summer toured the western states and Alaska. He is at present taking work at the University of California at Berkeley, California.

Dr. Paul Giddens, who is also on a sabbatic leave, is at present located in Titusville where he is studying the history of Oil Creek and helping Miss Ida M. Tarbell with material for a forthcoming book of hers.

Mr. Horace Lavely, on a semester's sabbatic leave of absence, is taking work at Boston University.

#### Resignations.

Mr. Harley Morris has resigned from the college faculty in order to accept a position with the Viscose company in Meadville.

Mr. Frederick Haberman has accepted a position on the faculty of Cornell University.

Dr. Evelyn Miller, Allegheny's former Dean of Women, resigned her position here in order to accept a position as Dean of Women at the University of Idaho.

### New Senate Members Of Hulings Hall Are Elected

Elections to the Hulings Hall Senate were held at a housemeeting there late Sunday evening, September 20, 1936. Those selected as proctors for the front of the hall were: Mary Lou Youngman, second floor; Betty Biggs and Virginia Derr, third floor; and Virginia Cook for fourth floor. Emily Carothers, Edith Heinze, Marian Leslie, and Emaruth Burkhardt were selected for the corresponding positions at the back of the Hall.


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