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THE BIG CIRCUS WILL
BE HERE NEXT WEEK

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FRENCH PLAY TO BE HELD ON TOMORROW EVENING

"LE RETOUR IMPREVU" TO BE
STAGED IN CHAPEL BY LE
PETIT SALON

With the final dress rehearsal to-night, the play "Le Retour Imprevu" will be ready for presentation tomorrow evening in Ford Memorial Chapel at eight o'clock. The play is under the direction of Professor Mezzotero and will be given before French students and guests by the Le Petit Salon.

The author of "Le Retour Imprevu," Jean Regnard, is second in importance of the French comic writers. He was born in Paris in 1855. As a youth, Regnard traveled widely and met with many exciting adventures. Upon his return to France he studied letters and the theatre as a form of amusement. Everything he wrote sparkled with gaiety, for it was his sole purpose to amuse people. His greatest success, however, lays in little comedies of intrigue, such as "Le Retour Imprevu."

The play revolves around a father, a son and an old servant. While the father is away from home, his son squanders a great deal of his money. The father suddenly returns and as the old servant makes great efforts to prevent him from finding out the state of affairs, many ludicrous and exciting situations prevail.

The cast of the play is as follows: "Clitandre," Aubrey Billings; "Cyda-lise," Catherine Betts; "Lucile," Alberta Kuder; "Le Marquis," James Meadowcroft; "Lisette," Evelyn West; "Mme. Bertrand," Mabert King; "M. Geronte," Robert Fanner; "Merlin," R. S. Courtney; "Jacquinet," Norman Laffer; and "M. Andre," George Blair.

Following the play there will be a social hour and refreshments will be served. Music will be furnished by Messrs. Ricketts, D. Behrhorst and C. Behrhorst. The committee in charge of the play is: Arline Smythe, Alice Breed, Ruth Wilson and Merwin Himmeler.

HULINGS HALL RESIDENTS ELECT GOVERNING BOARD

GRACE MINCH IS HEAD OF BODY
INSTALLATION TO BE HELD
NEXT WEEK

Last Monday and Tuesday, May 2 and 3, the election of the members to the Women's Student Council took place in the parlors of Hulings Hall. The Women's Council is composed of three Senior members, two Junior members, one Sophomore member, all from the Hall, and two Seniors and one Junior from the College girls who live in town. The installation of officers will take place next week at a special women's chapel service.

Following is the Student Council now in control of the girls' affairs: President, Ruth Hunter; Vice-president, Cecelia Tracy; Secretary-Treasurer, Martha Bordwell; Junior Members, Eleanor Mechem and Grace Minch; Sophomore Member, Alice Humphrey; Town girls, Mary Bollinger and Josephine Pearson; Senior Members, Catherine Betts, Junior Member.

The cabinet for next year will consist of: President, Grace Minch; Vice-president, Eleanor Mechem; Secretary-Treasurer, Frances Salisbury; Junior Members, Alice Humphrey and Naomi Taylor; Sophomore Member, Marjorie Cole.

The results of the election for members on the Senate from the town group of women will be announced in a later issue of this paper.

SENIORS SELECT CLASS DAY SPEAKERS LAST WEEK

At a meeting of the Senior Class which was held in the Chapel last Wednesday evening, the class nominated and elected its representatives who will give the final speeches for the group to several of the college buildings. These addresses form a regular part of the Class Day exercises which are held during Commencement Week.

The following members of the class were chosen to make the farewell speeches to the various buildings: The Chapel, J. Hicks Baldwin; The Gymnasium, William McClurg; The Library, Edwin J. McKay; Bentley Hall, Mina French; Hulings Hall, William H. Rhodes; Jean McCrum, who will give the Class Prophecy; and Robert J. Corbett, the Ladder Orator, completes the list of speakers.

Blue and Gold Track Squad To Meet U of Rochester Saturday

Allegheny's track squad will journey to Rochester, N. Y., on Saturday to engage in a dual meet with the university of that city. As this will be the first meet of the season for both teams but little of their comparative strength is known. The meet is an annual affair and has always been close, although the Rochester team has yet to register a victory over the Blue and Gold.

The score of last year's meet was 70-55 with Allegheny on the long end. Both teams have lost several stars and must find men to fill their places. Suttle and Hedges, who registered thirteen points for Rochester in last year's meeting of the two squads, were lost through graduation. Allegheny lost Marshall, Jones, Bogardus, Slocum and Kinnunen who scored a total of twenty-five points for the Blue and Gold at Rochester last Spring. Subtracting these points from the teams totals the score would stand at 45-42 with Allegheny still on the long end. On paper it seems that the outcome of the meet depends largely on the work of men who are selected to fill the shoes of these veterans. All in all the prospects are exceedingly bright for a close, exciting meet when the two teams stack up against each other at Rochester on Saturday.

The Allegheny squad will leave Meadville Friday morning and will reach Rochester sometime before six o'clock Friday evening. The personnel of the team has not been decided upon as yet, although there is every chance that there will be several new faces on the team which is selected to make the trip. Coach Hammett was able to get much information on his men in the Inter-Fraternity meet last Saturday and will devote all his energies to correcting the defects which cropped up at the time. The Coach was not at all satisfied with the work of the men in the discus and javelin especially. Captain Cibula is not showing the form in the javelin of which he is capable and is still about twenty feet under the college record which he set two years ago. Considerable improvement must be shown if Allegheny is to take its quota of points in these events. There are several other defects, both in field and track events, which Coach Hammett will endeavor to eradicate this week.

LOCAL DE MOLAY CHAPTER TO BE INSTALLED SOON

The Northwestern Chapter of the Order of DeMolay sponsored by the Northwestern Commandry of Knights Templar will be installed sometime in May according to the latest reports of the advisory council. Petitions are being distributed and are coming in regularly, so that the council has every reason to believe that a charter class of two hundred will be initiated.

The chapter at Erie is strong and very proficient in degree work, and in addition many of the college men are members of that chapter. Judging from the number of admission petitions received, the membership will be evenly divided between the college and town men. The chapter is also planning to take in a large number of men from Cambridge Springs, Cochranton and Conneautville.

The initiation fee is \$6.50 and all the men of the college between the ages of sixteen and twenty-one are eligible to petition for membership. Blanks may be secured from George Booth or George Munnell.

ALLIGATOR TO PUBLISH ANOTHER ISSUE SOON

Little is known at present of what the next issue of the Alligator of Allegheny College will contain, but there is certain to be sufficient material to make it one of the best issues yet published. There has been only one issue this year due to a change in the editorship of the magazine. The new head originally planned to place two more issues before the student body, but due to the many activities at this time of the year it has been decided to combine the two in one large edition.

The exact date of the publication of this second issue has not been definitely set, but it is expected that it will be distributed about May 25. The arrangement of the book has not been made as yet, although much of the material has been selected. It is expected that a definite announcement can be made within the next week as to what the magazine will be like for the last issue of the year.

NEW EDITORS ELECTED BY PUBLICATIONS BOARD

REYNOLDS ELECTED EDITOR OF
THE CAMPUS—KIRKPATRICK
OF THE "LIT"

At a meeting the Publications Board held at Alden Hall last Friday afternoon, Paul C. Reynolds was elected Editor-in-Chief of The Campus for the year 1927-1928, succeeding Paul G. Wells, the retiring editor. Reynolds will assume charge of the publication immediately and the next issue will be published under the direction of his staff.

Reynolds is highly qualified to pursue his new duties having been a News Reporter during his Sophomore year and Editor of the News Department prior to his election.

John S. Lindsey, present Athletic Editor, was chosen as Managing Editor, while Hugh K. Long, present Alumni Editor; G. Warren Smucker, Society Editor; and D. Evelyn West, Women's Editor, were chosen Assistant Editors for the coming year.

R. L. Kirkpatrick was elected Editor-in-Chief of the Literary Magazine for next year, succeeding John J. Henrietta, present Editor. Kirkpatrick has been a diligent worker on the staff and has been an able assistant to the present editor. He is capable of continuing the excellent work of the Literary Magazine having been engaged in literary writing for the past two years.

Further business transacted by the Publications Board was to award recognition keys to seniors who have served two or more years on the various college publications. Gold keys were awarded to V. O. Salberg, Frank Wicks, Theodore S. Borrell, Paul G. Wells, John Henrietta and Edwin J. McKay. The following were awarded silver recognition keys: D. A. Larabee, T. L. Dehne, J. H. Gibson, K. P. Williams, R. J. Helmstadt, L. A. Graff, W. E. Pratt, Marietta Laffer, Jean McCrum, Mildred Lose, Madeline Crowe, Arline Smythe, P. D. Sample, P. E. Firden and B. L. Middaugh. The keys will be presented in two weeks. The Publications Board will take action on those members of the Junior class who are eligible for the awards at its next meeting.

Scholarships Offered For College Cruise Round the World

A committee of seven distinguished American educators and public men have been selected to judge the thousands of essays now being submitted by high school and preparatory school students and by college graduates all over the country on three international questions, according to an announcement by Charles H. Phelps, Jr., President of the University Travel Association, sponsors of the world's first "Floating University" which will sail next September in its second round-the-world cruise to combine class room study with the education of travel. The winners of the essay contests will go along with all expenses paid on scholarships valued at \$2,500.00 and offered by the association. The committee of judges will be composed of: Dr. John H. Finley, former Commissioner of Education of the State of New York, and now Editor of the New York Times; ex-Governor Henry J. Allen of Kansas, head of the Journalism classes on the "Floating University"; Dr. Henry Noble McCracken, President of Vassar College; Dr. Stephen Pierce Dugan, Director of the Institute of International Education; Dr. Edward H. Hume, former President of Yale in China; Dr. Mather Almon Abbott, Headmaster of Lawrenceville School, Lawrenceville, N. J.; and Prof. Milton Conover, Associate Professor of Political Science at Yale University.

The three subjects on which young men all over the country are writing are: (1) The International Point of View in Education. (2) The Influence of the West on the East. (3) Contrasts in Eastern and Western Civilization.

In order to give a greater number of students time to take advantage of the opportunity to study and see the world, the date of closing of the contest has been changed from May 15 to June 1.

"The growing acceptance among educators of the theory that formal education can advantageously be combined with the education of travel on a 'floating university'—which is in effect a traveling campus—is demonstrated by the list of judges who will serve on the committee," said Mr. Phelps.

ATHLETIC BOARD RECEIVES DONATION TO FIELD FUND

MEN'S SENATE OF 1925 DONATES
BALANCE TO PRACTICE
FIELD FUND

Last week the Treasurer of the College Athletic Board of Control received a donation of \$104.00 to be placed in the fund for the purchase and improvement of the College practice football field. The donation was made by the Treasurer of the Men's Student Senate of 1925.

This sum, which was partially collected by that body when a poll tax of twenty-five cents was placed on student elections of that year, has remained in the treasury since that time. The tax was placed on elections with the purpose of starting a fund for the Myford Memorial, but the class of 1926 took action on the same matter shortly after. Not wishing to interfere with the plans of Myford's classmates the original purpose was dropped, and before further action was taken the school year closed.

The officers of the organization, desiring to place the bank balance at the disposal of some worthy college purpose, voted to give the money to the committee in charge of funds for the purchase of the new field.

Representatives of Non-Fraternity Win Track Meet Saturday

The Non-Fraternity track team came through to an overwhelming victory in the Inter-Fraternity meet held on Montgomery Field last Saturday afternoon. The Non-Frats totaled 66 2/3 points, just double the score made by Beta Upsilon, second place winners. Sigma Alpha Epsilon with 24 points captured third place with the Phi Psi's, Chi Rho's and Beta Kappa's following in the order named.

The outstanding performance of the afternoon was the vaulting of Tornado, who set a new college outdoor record in the pole vault with a leap of 11 feet 4 1/2 inches. The old record of 11 feet 4 inches was held by M. L. Judd '25.

Several freshmen showed great promise in their events in Saturday's meet. Among these were Minnis, Long, Eighmy, Lusk and Wycoff. Minnis took second place in the mile and two-mile, forcing the winners to extend themselves in both events. Long took second place in the pole vault and tied for first in the high jump, while Eighmy won the high hurdles and placed in the shot and discus. Lusk shows promise in the sprints, while Wycoff ran a steady mile, and shows much promise for later events.

Coach Hammett was far from satisfied with the results of the weight and some of the track events. Though he realizes that the high wind which blew so continuously across the field during the meet worked to the disadvantage of the competitors, he believes his men are capable of better performances and will leave no stone unturned to have his men in A-1 condition for this week's meet at Rochester.

Summary:
100 yd. Dash—(1) Williams, AXP, Time 10.5.
220 yd. Dash—(1) Danner, NF; (2) Williams, AXP; (3) Lusk, SAE; (4) Green, BU. Time 23.7.

440 yd. Dash—(1) Shaffer, BK; (2) Rea, AXP; (3) Ledger, SAE; (4) Waugaman, NF. Time 53.6.
880 yd. Run—(1) Richards, BU; Time 2:15 1/2. Others defaulted.

One Mile—(1) Wycoff, PP; (2) Minnis, NF; (3) Needham, BU; (4) Richards, BU. Time 4:50.
Two Mile—(1) Bentley, NF; (2) Minnis, NF; (3) Riddle, NF. Time 10:40.

120 yd. High Hurdles—(1) Eighmy, NF; (2) Sample, BU. Time 17.5.
220 yd. Low Hurdles—(1) Green, BU; (2) Shaffer, BK; (3) Slaven, PP. Time 29.3.

Relay—Beta Upsilon (Needham, Richards, Green, Sample); (2) NF; (3) SAE. Time 1:27.

Shot Put—(1) Moon, SAE; (2) Jackson, SAE; (3) White, PP; (4) Eighmy, NF. Distance 36 ft. 6 in.

Discus—(1) Moon, SAE; (2) Eighmy, NF; (3) White, PP. Distance 103 ft. 11 1/2 inches.

Javelin—(1) Cibula, NF; (2) Tornado, NF; (3) Munnell, NF; (4) Rehm, NF. Distance 141 ft. 7 in.

Hammer—(1) White, PP; (2) O'Neil, NF; (3) Moon, SAE; (4) Beals, SAE. Distance 89 ft. 6 in.

Pole Vault—(1) Tornado, NF; (2) Long, NF. Height 11 ft. 4 1/2 in.

High Jump—(1) Sample, BU; Long. (Continued on Page 4)

Allegheny Women To Enter Contest At Pitt Today

Due to the generosity of the faculty and student body, which made Tag Day a success, the Women's Athletic Association will be able to meet all expenses of the trip to Pittsburgh on May 4, when twenty-five girls will represent Allegheny in the "Play Day" sponsored by the University of Pittsburgh. Approximately one hundred and five dollars was contributed to the fund on Tag Day. This sum, together with fifty dollars donated by the Women's Senate and about thirty-five dollars realized from the sale of refreshments in Hulings Hall, will be sufficient to cover the cost of the chartering a bus which will take the girls to Pittsburgh.

Miss Herald, Women's Athletic Director, has received further particulars concerning the "Play Day" program which will include major sports and less highly organized sports of such a nature that preliminary training will not be necessary. A challenge system will be in vogue whereby each girl may choose her own games. Following the athletic program, a formal banquet has been arranged at the Heinz House with Miss Agnes R. Wayman as the principal speaker.

The list of girls who will represent Allegheny has been completed, and is announced as follows: Alma Winton, Hazel Gleason, Arline Smythe, Mildred Lose, Elizabeth Hammett, Agnes Williams, Mildred Anderson, Beth Smiley, Marie Hartman, Ruth Cramblett, Marguerite Forbell, Helen Taggart, Leah Pettit, Mildred Gilmore, Vera Gilmore, Nellie Russell, Dorothy Dehne, Jane Eckert, Alice Stephens, Margaret Squires, Sarah Dixon, Margaret Snee, Marjorie Cole, Laura Byers, Elizabeth Kittleburger and Grace Minch. Martha Lieve and Constance Graham will represent Allegheny in the swimming events. Substitutes are: Dorothy Kerr, Eleanor Arbuthnot, Frances Antico and Florence Smythe. Miss Herald and Miss Spalding will accompany the athletes. The bus is scheduled to leave Hulings Hall at 1:30 Tuesday afternoon and will make the return trip Thursday morning.

DELTS WIN OPENER IN INTER-FRAT BALL LEAGUE

After several postponements due to the wet weather last week, the opening game of the inter-fraternity baseball season was played last Friday when the Delt aggregation topped the Phi Delt, 10-3. Dusty Rhodes, who was in the box for the victors, pitched in mid-season form and let the opposition down with only four hits.

The Delt nine took the lead in the very first inning when the top of their batting order accounted for two runs. But their lead was not enjoyed, for in the second stanza the Phi Delt got busy and pushed across three runs, their only scores of the game. In the third inning, however, the Delt ran wild, and before they were finally retired eight runs had crossed the plate. The whole team came to bat during the big inning. After that, both teams settled down to steady baseball, and no more runs were scored for the remainder of the seven innings.

Gillis led the attack for the Delt team with three hits out of three times at bat, one of the hits being a double. Fiscus, Archbold, Rhodes and Waite each collected two hits apiece, while the remainder of the Delt nine each got a single. No Phi Delt got more than one hit. The Delt team showed a powerful attack, collecting fourteen hits from the offerings of Ekey and Corbett. In the field, however, they were somewhat unsteady, committing four errors to their opponent's two.

PLAY PRODUCTION CLASS TO GIVE PLAY SATURDAY

Under the direction of Miss Alice Huntington Spalding, the Play Production Class will present four short one-act plays in their studio on the third floor of Bentley Hall. A play will be given each week, the first one to be presented next Saturday.

A play a week is the aim of Miss Spalding and marks the beginning of a new movement at Allegheny. On account of the limited space, admission to these plays is purely invitational.

The Play Production Studio has a stage that is equipped with every facility necessary for the production of short plays. Excellent lights and lighting systems have been installed and many different scenes and property have been acquired, making a very fine stage.

ONLY CIRCUS OF SEASON APPEARS HERE TUESDAY

FOURTH ANNUAL SHOW BY "Y"
TO OUTCLASS ALL
OTHERS

Circus season will again get under way next Tuesday evening, May 10, when the Rinky-Dink Circus conducted by the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. will be held in the College gymnasium. Under the direction of James Meadowcroft and Mina French, the representatives of the two organizations, the large staff has practically completed all arrangements for what is to be one of the best shows that has ever visited Meadville.

A big parade will be held at noon Tuesday, starting at the College gym and winding its way across the campus. The big show will start at 7:45 P. M. and last until 10:30.

The whole evening will be one big thrill after another, filled with heart-throbbing and death defying acts, in addition to many new, emotional and aesthetical performances of the modern age.

One of the big features of the evening will be the Collegiate Vaudeville in which all the talented musicians, wits and acrobats of the College will appear. The committee in charge of this part of the program is planning to present a really worth while show, and with the proper cooperation of the above mentioned performers a snappy bill is assured.

Coupled with a remarkable display of talent will be numerous circus attractions and sideshows containing their freaks, would-be freaks and fakes. There will be all the extra attractions including fortune telling, games of chance, peanuts, pink lemonade—all of them present in copious quantities and guaranteed to give everybody an evening of fun and frolic.

Due to the general women's athletic conference which is being held in Pittsburgh this week, and to which Allegheny has sent twenty-five delegates, the original date of the circus, May 3, was moved forward one week.

The Rinky-Dink Circus will mark the fourth annual appearance of the circus under the banner of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. groups and from present indications should prove a howling success. The students who have been appointed by the committees for the arranging of the spectacle are as follows: Ringmaster, Frank Phillips; Program, Donald Leeper; Booths, Mildred Lose; and Refreshments, Cecelia Johnson.

RESULTS OF Y ELECTION ON THURSDAY PUBLISHED

FLORENCE CLARK IS NEW PRESIDENT OF YOUNG WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION

At a special meeting of the young women of the College, held in the Chapel Thursday noon, April 28, new officers were elected for the local chapter of the Y. W. C. A. The Young Women's organization ranks probably second in importance only to the Women's Senate insofar as women's activities are concerned in the College, therefore no little excitement was caused by last week's election. At regular intervals throughout the year this society holds meetings, receptions and aids the incoming new students in all ways possible. It fills a very important place in the life of the Hulings Hall resident.

The new officers who will assume their duties at the opening of school next fall are as follows: President, Florence Clark; Vice-president, Ruth Cramblett; Treasurer, Laura Byers; Secretary, Ida Hammond; Undergraduate Field Agent, Wanda Dowdell. Also three new members were elected to the Faculty Advisor Board, Mrs. Lee D. McClean, Mrs. C. E. Hammett and Mrs. Dale Thomas. The three old members of the Board are Miss Staley, Mrs. Beebe and Miss Boyer.

The retiring officers of the organization are: Cecelia Johnston, President; Mina French, Vice-president; Mary Brockman, Treasurer; Alice Rorabaugh, Secretary; and Lois Ann Alter, Undergraduate Field Agent. The three retiring members of the Faculty Advisor Board are Mrs. Darling, Mrs. Beiler and Mrs. Emig.

Ninety freshmen of Western Reserve University were kidnapped, taken to a barn, stripped, and painted green by their rivals, the sophomores. Those who protested were given a second coat.

One hundred and fifty men at the University of Southern California have received positions in motion pictures to be made by the Buster Keaton Company.

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WHY ALWAYS THE OBVIOUS?

All too often it seems we mortals are prone to praise the obvious, while other important work oftentimes goes unheralded simply because it is not obvious. Yet if it were not for this unseen work the obvious part would not be possible. How often do you think of that? All of this startling discovery and deep gloomy thought brings us to the obvious part of this comment.

Last week when you were so free with your praise for the work done by the cast of the college play, how many of you had a good word for the production staff and the Director whose hard work made it possible for the cast to get the bouquets? These people gave many days of earnest effort toward setting the stage, so that the cast could show off to advantage. Yet because they were behind the scenes their contribution is likely to be passed over too lightly, and they were the wheels of the machinery that turned out the successful play! Working quietly and smoothly you were scarcely conscious of their presence, yet what would the cast do if one of them reached for a book and there was no book, or started to go out a door and there was no door? You surely realize the importance of the work done by these unseen hands, who work under difficulties and with the prospect of little reward, other than the satisfaction of knowing that they have done their part for Allegheny dramatics. Students, why don't you show your appreciation? If you think it is easy work try it some time, and you will see that it is not as easy as it looks, especially when you have to labor under the added difficulty of a serious lack of cooperation upon the part of the High School authorities, as this year's production staff and cast did.

And while we are considering this appreciation business we might ask if you ever consider how the Dramatic Club, in a few years time, has been able to rise from comparative obscurity to the point where it can stage a finished production like "The Youngest"? To the untiring efforts of the director we can attribute a great part of the rapid rise, but there are others who have given much to Duzer Du and Klee-O-Kleet in the past few years—particularly one man, who has probably done as much as any individual in making the recent plays successful, but because he is behind the scenes his work is likely to go unseen except by the Director and the casts who appreciate his contributions. Alas, it seems to be the old story of the football field—the linemen doing the hard work and the backfield men getting the glory, but why must we limit our praise to the obvious?

THE NEW REGIME SAYS—

ADIOS—With this issue the old staff of The Campus will bid a fond farewell to its surroundings and give its best wishes to the new staff, which will assume complete charge with next week's issue. A tribute must be paid to Paul G. Wells, the retiring editor, for his continued faithfulness and untiring efforts to edit a greater college paper. His geniality constantly overshadowed the staff in its most trying and perplexing moments. "His work was laborious, yet he never faltered." His dutifulness will be a source of inspiration to his successor, Paul C. Reynolds, in his efforts to oversee and publish a paper in keeping with the progressive policy of this college.

Cooperation on a large scale is needed if the policies of the new staff are to be fulfilled. If you desire a paper which will truly express student or alumni opinion, send the information with your signature to The Campus mail-box in Bentley Hall. Help the new staff make The Campus a real, live organ for the true expression of student opinion, and to be a closer connecting link between the graduate and undergraduate bodies.

ALUMNI—The succeeding editor desires to establish closer bonds with the large and powerful alumni body of this institution. Beginning in the next issue, it is the hope of the new staff to be able to publish alumni letters on any question affecting Allegheny College or its policies. Commendation or criticism will be printed in these columns, and your name will be withheld or printed as you desire—all material, however, must bear the writer's signature. Discussion in the form of editorials will be gratefully received, if the writer so desires. Such questions as "Should College Athletes be Paid?" "What I Think of Allegheny As an Institution of Higher Learning," "Some Interesting Reminiscences," and "Athletics in General" should bring answers that will interest the alumni more in Allegheny and the students of the college more in the alumni.

STUDENTS—It is the wish of the new staff to bring student opinion into a more prominent place on Allegheny's campus. To that end editorials or other material of any interest to Allegheny as a whole are earnestly solicited from the entire student body. The articles should be short and more to the point rather than long or wearisome, and should be more or less harmonious with the administration in their tone. All that is required for you to break into print is to sign your articles with your name, which we will either publish or withhold as instructed, and place the items in the editor's mail-box in Bentley Hall.

FACULTY—Should any member of the faculty of the college wish to contribute an article upon any subject to The Campus for publication, please sign your name, and the item will receive publicity. Discussion upon recent books, the Princeton plan, the honor system for examinations, or the advisability of young college instructors should arouse possible contributors to write down their comments and place them in the hands of this paper's representative.

STEP RIGHT UP, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN!

Remember that clamoring for trade and money of the old circus vendors? That peculiar circus smell and noise? Well, next Tuesday evening, ladies and gentlemen, is the night to relive your childhood days and help a worthwhile organization, financially, to carry on its work. Attend the Y. M.—Y. W. Circus at the gym. P. S.—Please bring some money.

ALUMNI SECRETARIES MEET IN NORTH CAROLINA

The fourteenth annual conference of the Association of Alumni Secretaries, of the Alumni Magazines Associated, and of the Association of Alumni Funds was held at the University of North Carolina, at Chapel Hill, N. C., from April 27 to May 1. In attendance were 124 secretaries and officers from 97 colleges and universities in the United States and Canada. The delegates from the central and eastern and southern states predominated but several from California and the northern tier, as well as from Canada, showed that the importance of the meeting rather than the location determined the attendance.

The University of North Carolina, whose alumni secretary, Mr. Donald L. Grant was also president of the Association of Alumni Secretaries, acted as host and presiding officer. The headquarters was at the Carolina Inn on the edge of the campus in the beautiful new hotel given to the University by an alumnus less than two years ago for the purpose of caring for visiting alumni and student's guests.

The University is 134 years old, has 2,500 students, and is set in the midst of a large campus well covered with century old trees. The forty buildings are about evenly divided between the old brick structures and the modern ones that are still in process of erection as a part of a large building program financed by state funds. The quiet inland town standing high on a wooded plateau makes an ideal spot for an educational institution. It was also an ideal setting for the convention which had for its purpose the consideration of the multitude of problems that concern the relations of college and alumni and education in general. Southern hospitality, ideal surroundings, and summer flowers and weather were in the background for an intensive, varied, and highly inspirational program lasting three full days. The recreational part of the program was for the most part planned to be enjoyed after the close of the meetings by those who could spend the week-end following the meetings at Chapel Hill.

The speakers included, in addition to the many from members, a number of distinguished persons from other professions who could speak with authority on some phase of the many sided activities that engage alumni secretaries. Among them were: President Harry Woodburn Chase of the University of North Carolina, Dr. Rollo G. Reynolds, provost of Teachers College, New York City, Mr. E. T. Williams, Brown University, advertising expert connected with Inter-collegiate Alumni Extension Service, President Hamilton Holt of Rollins College, Florida, Mr. Morse A. Cartwright, executive director of the American Association for Adult Education, and Dr. Fraser Metzger, dean of men of Rutgers College.

Of the outstanding importance in the history of the associations was a merger made at the Chapel Hill meeting of the three organizations mentioned above into one called the American Alumni Council with a constitution of broader powers, to include the functions of all three former alumni bureaus. The new association with less complicated administrative machinery will be able to serve more efficiently.

A paper on "Club and Alumni Scholarships" given by James E. Armstrong of Notre Dame analyzed the working of the aid to needy students in many colleges. The consensus of opinion seems to be that student aid should be in loans rather than in gifts, with a low rate of interest if any, the money to be returned to the agency providing it, so that it may go on indefinitely to assist succeeding generations of students. The value of responsibility accepted by the student and keeping his self respect in addition to the cumulative effect of more money is evident.

The University of Georgia long ago had a fund of \$50,000.00 for scholarships. By the care exercised in administering this it has grown to a quarter of a million dollars now. Columbia University clubs have 100 scholarships. The Cleveland alumni of one university have the Glee Club come for an annual concert and use the returns for scholarship. The Swarthmore clubs have competitive scholarships. Harvard club has awards of \$400.00 to be returned after graduation. Excessive student labor has the effect of lowering scholarship in many cases as the student is too tired to put the needed energy into his work. Assistance ranges from one third to one half the expenses of the student in many instances. Very careful investigation of this is made in several universities.

Some colleges have a committee of alumni and faculty who inquire deeply into the student's record before granting help. Indiscriminate help was judged worse than none. The interest in students by alumni is almost universal and many universities do work similar to big brother assistance for undergraduates and entering freshmen.

FIRST EXAM SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED BY OFFICE

**RULES ARE ALSO PUBLISHED—
LAST SENIOR EXAMS
JUNE 14**

This is a preliminary examination schedule, and all conflicts should be reported to the office at once so that revision may be made for the May 18 issue of The Campus.

Senior examinations must be completed by Tuesday evening, June 14, so that the grades for seniors may be reported to the Registrar's Office at the earliest possible time thereafter. Those exempt from finals will be notified by their instructors.

Examinations in one-hour subjects will be limited to one and a half hours; in two hour subjects to two hours; in three hour subjects to two and a half hours; in four hour subjects to three hours.

If a student has been absent from any class for any cause one-seventh of the total number of recitations or more, a supplementary examination will be given at the close of the regular examinations. Members of athletic teams are allowed four absences above such fractions each term to fill engagements.

The schedule is as follows:

Tuesday, June 7

A. M.	P. M.
Bible III	Biology VII
Economics II	German I
Economics VII	German II
Physics I	History VII

Wednesday, June 8

A. M.	P. M.
Chemistry IX	Biology IV
French I	Eng. Lang. IV
French I A	Eng. Lit. VIII
French II A	Mathematics V
	Pol. Science II
	Surveying I

Thursday, June 9

A. M.	P. M.
Eng. Language I	Art Appreciation
Eng. Literature II	Eng. Lit. I
Italian III	Eng. Lit. VI
	Philosophy VII

Friday, June 10

A. M.	P. M.
French II	Education V
French III	Greek VII
French VII	Philosophy II
Latin B	Philosophy VI

Saturday, June 11

A. M.	P. M.
Astronomy I B	Eng. Language IX
Biology XI	Greek IX
Chemistry I A	Mathematics I
Economics IV	
Education VII	
Geology III	
Pol. Science VI	
Greek I	
Latin II	
Mathematics II	

Monday, June 13

A. M.	P. M.
Bible I	Chemistry II
Chemistry III	Education IV
History VIII	Geology I
Latin VI	Greek III
Public Speaking I	

Tuesday, June 14

A. M.	P. M.
Eng. Lang. VII	Biology II
Eng. Lit. XII	Biology X
History I	Eng. Language III
History II	Physics II
Latin IV	Pol. Science IX
	Spanish III

Wednesday, June 15

A. M.	P. M.
Education III	Italian I
Biology I	Spanish I
Biology V	Spanish II
Economics I	
Latin I	

Thursday, June 16

A. M.	P. M.
Biology VI	French V
Chemistry I	Surveying III
History V	
Mathematics III	

Alumni publications always receive attention at the conventions. The paper on "A Style Sheet" by Miss Helen McMillin, editor of the Wellesley Quarterly was the result of a long study of the magazine usage and makeup in various alumni organs. After citing enough choices to turn the head of any amateur editor, the need of a style sheet for each paper was so evident that few magazines will longer delay formulating their editorial usage. Better alumni magazines follow each effort on the part of the experienced to assist the newer workers as has come from an exhaustive magazine clinic carried on last year at the Columbia meeting.

Other speakers emphasized the value of alumni magazines to the graduates and the right of every alumnus to know how the money he sends in is spent, what the college is doing scholastically as well as athletically, and the nation wide ever increasing interest of the alumnus in his college and the present student body. The former gulf between the student of yesterday and the undergraduate of today is rapidly disappearing; the faculty opposition toward alumni suggestions.

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Alumni Notes

James A. Bortz '11, who will be remembered as having managed and instituted the Bortz Popular Concerts given in Carnegie Music Hall, Pittsburgh, for five seasons and run in connection with the Allegheny College Concerts, recently took over the business of Edith Taylor Thompson upon her retirement from the concert management field of Pittsburgh.

After graduating from Allegheny, Mr. Bortz received his Masters Degree in the Department of Psychology at the University of Pittsburgh. Later he attended Harvard on a scholarship and then entered professional work in Pittsburgh.

On Tuesday, April 26, Carlyle T. Boynton, who has been serving as pastor of the M. E. Church of South Middleboro, Mass., was received into full membership of that Church and received the elders ordination at the Annual Conference of the New England Southern Conference held in New Bedford, Mass. Bishop H. L. Smith '04, presided at the conference. Mrs. Boynton was Wilhelmina Trautman '21.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Faye Barnes '15, and Mr. Robert L. Howe of Pittsburgh on April 2. Mr. and Mrs. Howe will live in Chicago.

The first Annual Lakewood Post Gold Medal, given in recognition of outstanding public service, was awarded to Charles P. Lynch '86, who for the past seventeen years has been head of the Lakewood schools. During this time a high school, three junior high schools and five elementary schools have been built.

In addition to his school work, Mr. Lynch also has taken a keen interest in the affairs of the church. Under his regime as superintendent of the Lakewood Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday School, he has shown his organizing ability in establishing one of the most effective church school administrations in the state.

SOCIETY NEWS

PHI KAPPA PSI HOLDS A FULL CHAPTER PARTY ON FRIDAY

Phi Kappa Psi held a full chapter party at the chapter house on Friday evening, April 29. The Blue Ribbon Orchestra of Meadville furnished the music. Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Ling were the chaperons. Guests at the party were H. Lane, Cambridge Springs; Leslie Meyers, Ralph Reese, Miss McCafferty and Miss Dorothy Kennedy, Warren, Ohio; Paul Noonan, Robert Bates, Walter Ferer, Wesley Morrissey '25, Roy DeVore '24, Miss Betty Fry and Miss Violet Gardner, Meadville; and George L. Reid '26, Cleveland.

FULL CHAPTER PARTY HELD BY PHI GAMMA DELTA ON FRIDAY

Phi Gamma Delta held a full chapter party at the chapter house on Friday evening, April 29. Kress' Orchestra furnished the music. Miss Alice Spalding chaperoned. The following were guests at the party: Miss Mary Deeves, of Toronto; Miss Roberta Meyer, of Pittsburgh; Mr. Younger, of Ben Avon; and Messrs. Garrison, Blair and Daily, of Waynesburg.

SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON HOLDS FULL CHAPTER PARTY ON FRIDAY

Sigma Alpha Epsilon held a full chapter party at their house, Friday evening, April 29. The Troubadour's Orchestra furnished the music during the evening. Prof. and Mrs. P. E. Hill chaperoned. Guests at the party were: E. A. Humeston '26, R. M. Evans ex-'28, Lloyd Miller ex-'30, George Sigendall ex-'23, Professor Lally and the Misses Evelyn Layng and Mary Harkey, of Greenville.

Gulings Hall News

At the regular meeting of the Y. W. C. A. held on Sunday evening, May 1, the following officers were installed for the 1927-1928 term: President, Florence Clark; Vice-president, Ruth Cramblett; Secretary, Ida Hammond; Treasurer, Laura Byers; Field Representative, Wanda Dowdell; Music chairman, Zula Hill; Publicity chairman, Erma Kuhnert; Freshman commission chairman, Evelyn West; Bible Study, Phyllis Connel; Social service chairman, Nellie Russell; Devotional chairman, Frances Greenwalt; Social chairman, Lois Ann Alter.

Miss Cecelia Johnston, the retiring president gave a short farewell address and Miss Florence Clark, the new president responded in behalf of the incoming cabinet.

Miss Mary H. Deeves, of Brampton, Ontario, Canada, the national registrar of Kappa Kappa Gamma, was the guest of Gamma Rho chapter from Wednesday until Saturday. On Wednesday evening a banquet was held in honor of Miss Deeves. Friday afternoon Kappa Kappa Gamma joined with Alpha Chi Omega in giving a tea in honor of Miss Deeves and Mrs. Graff. Miss Deeves was the guest of the Kappas at a luncheon given at the Riverside Hotel on Saturday.

Mrs. Gladys Livingston Graff, of Waban, Mass., President of the Atlantic province of Alpha Chi Omega, has been the guest of Delta chapter during the past week. Last Thursday evening the chapter held a formal dinner at the Lafayette Hotel in honor of Mrs. Graff. Other guests were Mrs. Antoinette S. Brown, Mrs. Celia Ballinger, Mrs. C. C. Laffer and Miss Grace Stoke. Friday afternoon Kappa Kappa Gamma and Alpha Chi Omega were hostesses at a tea in the Alpha Chi Omega rooms in honor of Miss Mary H. Deeves, national registrar of Kappa Kappa Gamma, and Mrs. Graff. Faculty ladies and the alumnae of both sororities were present. Mrs. O. P. Akers and Mrs. C. J. Ling poured. Friday evening Mrs. Epsilon was the guest of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Saturday afternoon Miss Grace Stoke entertained at a tea Mrs. Graff, Meadville alumnae, active members of Alpha Chi Omega and the mothers of five town girls. Sunday evening Miss Florence Harper entertained the Meadville Alumnae Club at dinner in honor of Mrs. Graff.

Edith Shannon '26, of Emlenton, Pa., was Mary Butler's guest over the week-end.

William Hazelitt of Oakmont, was the guest of his sister, Priscilla, over the week-end.

Ruby Meyer of Pittsburgh visited Dorothy Dehne over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Squires visited Margaret Squires on Sunday.

Florence Sheehan who is teaching in Emlenton visited friends during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barkley '11, and Miss Mary J. Barkley '15, have returned to their home in Cleveland, O., after having spent several weeks in Florida during the past winter.

THETA UPSILON HOLDS ANNUAL SPRING PARTY AT OAKLAND HOTEL

Eta chapter of Theta Upsilon held its annual Spring Party, an informal dinner dance, at the Oakland Hotel, Saturday, April 30. The feature of the evening was a cotillion directed by Mr. J. Masson. The sorority colors, which are the rainbow tints, were used in all the cotillion favors. Music was furnished by Kress' Orchestra. Prof. and Mrs. L. D. McClean were the chaperons.

MEMBERS OF PHI DELTA THETA ENTERTAIN MOTHERS OVER WEEK-END

Pennsylvania Delta of Phi Delta Theta held their annual Mothers' Day entertainment at the chapter house during the week-end of May 1. About thirty mothers and sisters were present. The program consisted of a tea in the afternoon, a banquet and a theatre party with an entertaining program in the evening.

HILL NOTES

John L. Porter '90, of Pittsburgh, was a visitor at the Phi Kappa Psi house on Saturday.

George L. Reid '26, was a week-end visitor of Phi Kappa Psi.

Guests of Phi Gamma Delta during the past week were Miss Ruby Meyer of Pittsburgh, Margaret Louise Pershing of Pittsburgh, Eleanor Velth, Datus Berlin ex-'28, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Pressel, Miss Pressel and Mr. and Mrs. Lydee of Warren, Pa.

Guests of Alpha Chi Rho during the past week were J. H. Henderson '20, J. H. Horne '22, Ted Seidle '24, and Henry and Walter Sutherland of Oil City.

Professor Long was a dinner guest at the Beta Upsilon house last week.

NOTICE ALUMNI

The annual reunion and dinner of alumni and former students of Allegheny College living in the Cleveland district will be held on Saturday evening, May 7, in one of the new private dining rooms of The University Club, 3813 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

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ALUMNI SECRETARIES

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tion is also yielding to better information on the part of the alumnus and recognition on the part of the professor that the graduate has a right to influence the policy of the college in some cases. A broader view of the entire relation of alumni and college results in an interest beyond making contributions to athletics and paying endowment pledges and alumni dues. Likewise the functions of the alumni clubs have expanded until for most colleges the annual banquet is a mere incident in a year of activity that draws the alumnus close to his alma mater as a living thing, has constant information of the college from the secretary and in turn is ready to render service whenever asked. Athletics is the common denominator of interest to the alumnus and the affection of the alumnus for the college is still the touchstone of success.

President Hamilton Holt of Rollins College, Florida, spoke on the new ideal of education that is being worked out in may colleges in this country. He would separate greatness from bigness and chooses the small college and gets the proper relation of endowment, buildings, teachers and books which will make education proceed under the best conditions for the student. The specialist, defined as "A man who knows more and more about less and less" he does not select for the best teacher, the granting his place in the great university. The rare soul with the genuine gift of teaching are the only ones who make any real impression on the student. If students are entitled to professors who can teach, then the professor is equally entitled to students who can be taught. President Holt objects to the methods of rounding students up from the high schools in a wholesale manner. He wants to make it clear that no person or persons can educate any body and that all true education is self education.

W. E. Shaw of the University of Michigan was elected president for the coming year. The place of meeting, to be selected from a score of pressing invitations, has not been selected at the close of the convention.

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Well, This and That, after watching the non-fraternity track team romp away with a soft proposition at Montgomery Field Saturday, thinks it's about time some groups on the Hill get interested in this annual intramural affair. No discredit is intended to the winners, either, for they would have won anyhow, even if there had been several other entries; but the meet would be much more interesting if more people would take an interest in it—that's our point.

It Would Be Worth While—

For a lot of men in Allegheny College to be entered in a track meet of this kind, if only for the purpose of getting some exercise, but there are always a few extra points to be won, and the cup emblematic of the interfraternity championship would grace any mantle in the College.

At Any Rate—

We predict (and when This and That get their heads together on a forecast, their decision is a sure bet) that the next two seasons will see a decided change in the attitude toward track at Allegheny. Colleges and Universities all over the country are taking great interest in the sport now, and it seems to us (after long deliberation) that a change in the wind can be scented about Meadville. You get what we mean, don't you?

Getting Up in the Air

After reading about pole vaulters at the Penn and Drake relays clearing the bar around 13 feet, 11 feet 4½ inches may not seem so terribly high, but a very few minute's time devoted to the scanning of track records will suffice to prove that the vaulters who have done better than 12 feet are few and far between. It's an Allegheny College record, at any rate, and in track competition of this class, a vault of 11 ft. 4½ in. is rated good. Tornado appears to have the stuff to get pretty close to the 12 foot mark this season, and we doubt seriously, if any opponent in the four dual meets will furnish a great deal of opposition.

Per Usual

You can always judge the Spring rainy season in Meadville by noticing just when the interfraternity baseball season gets underway; that's a tip on local weather conditions which we received three years ago and which has worked out very beautifully, with this year no exception. Fine Spring weather was on tap almost to the very day slated for the opening games, and only

three have been played thus far, because of rain and wet grounds.

However,

We like to see the boys having a good time, and we know that they all enjoy the National Pastime just a little more than anything else going on during the Spring months. Hence, we adopt an optimistic mood after a short conference with the Weather Man at Pittsburgh who has promised us plenty of good weather to finish the season, and predict better baseball conditions from now on.

One Would Gather

From the preceding This and That that the progenitors of this column are pretty badly conceited and consider themselves able to dissertate upon practically any subject which could be mentioned. As a matter of fact, nothing is further from the truth, for really if you only knew us, you would swear that you never were acquainted with two more humble people in all your life.

Here's the Secret

A distinguished columnist for a leading American daily—no, you're wrong, it wasn't Ted Robinson—once said within our hearing that this business of grinding out a column of comment and whatnot at regular intervals just naturally makes the guy who does the grinding appear as a fellow who thinks "Mr. I" is about "it." You see, this stuff has to be written from a personal viewpoint, and the misapprehension is a natural consequence, we suppose (craniums together again.) So you see—we hope you do, anyhow—that we're really not half so bad as appearances might indicate.

We Should Worry, Though

For since you don't know who we are, what difference does it make what you think? Or, for that matter, even if you did know, what difference would it make? We enjoy doing this little bit of nonsense, etc., every week, and are just independent enough not to give a hang what any of you think.

INTER-FRAT TRACK MEET

(Continued from page 1)

NF; Tornado, NF tied. Height 5 ft. 4 in.
 Broad Jump—(1) Sample, BU; (2) Green, BU; (3) Waugaman, NF; (4) Rehm, NF. Distance 18 ft. 11 in.
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 Non-Fraternity—66 2/3; B. U.—33 1/3; S. A. E.—24; Phi Psi—16; A. X. P.—10; B. K.—8.

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