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Audience Vote Will Determine Winner In Prize Music Contest This Evening

The John L. Porter Prize Fund contest for the Belle McClintock Fry Prize will be held tonight at 8:15 p.m. in Ford Memorial Chapel.

The winner, decided by a vote of the audience, will receive a prize of $80. The contest alternates yearly between vocal and instrumental artists. Last year's winner was Chuck Krueger, who played the trombone.

Mr. W. S. Wright North of the Music Department has announced the following contestants:

Barbara Bacon will sing "Oft at Night" by Brahams and "Desert Song" by Romberg.

Robert Brannan's numbers will be "Old Man River" by Kern and "I Got Plenty of Nuthin'" by Gershwin.

Jacelyn Brown has chosen "My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair" by Haydn and Gershwin's "Summertime."

"I Love Thee" by Grieg will be sung by Nancy Dubrawsky.

Mary Ellen English will sing Niles' arrangement of "I Wonder as I Wander" and "Songs My Mother Taught Me" by Dvorak.

"Plaisir d'Amour" will be sung by Dane Hannum.

E. Purcell's "Passing By" is the number chosen by Florence Keppler.

Eleanor Kuhlman will sing "Dido's Lament" by H. Purcell and "Habanera" by Bizet.

Patricia MacEwen, who was co-winner of this contest in her sophomore year, will sing "Little Shepherd" by Watts and "How Do I Love Thee" by Lippe.

"Amarilli" by Caccini and Handel's "Where E're You Walk" will be sung by Crawford Thoburn.

Placement Bureau Has Large Choice Of Jobs For Graduating Class

There is more than a choice of jobs for the interested senior who will cooperate fully with the Placement Bureau this year, according to director Robert T. Sherman. While jobs in government, business, and industry are the principle openings, companies are not looking for trained technicians but rather for individuals with a well-rounded liberal arts education. Sherman states that in the past few years there has been a definite trend on the part of business concerns to seek the small college graduate as the most promising source of future executives.

It is true that majors in the arts, drama, and writing have more difficulty obtaining jobs in their fields than the business or economics graduates, but Sherman emphasized that this is because talent and extremely high competition in these fields have not warranted an all-out campaign by the Bureau.

In regard to draft status, the director reported that the majority of concerns will hire graduates regardless of their standing with Uncle Sam. In most cases the company will try to obtain an occupational deferment for the individual. If this is not forthcoming, the job will usually be waiting after the period of military service has ended.

Registration Saturday For License Plates

Jack Heffner, Chairman of the Parking Regulations Committee, has announced that registration for student and faculty automobile licenses will be held in Brooks lobby Saturday, March 1, between 11 and 12:30 p.m. A fee of twenty-five cents will be charged for registration.

Heffner warned that all student and faculty members who have cars on campus for 14 days out of every 30 are required to register. Failure to register will be punished by a $5.00 fine.

Freshman Katie Keifer Elected Charm Queen

Katie Keifer was named freshman charm queen in the run-off election with Jane Parsons held last Thursday in Cochran. Katie, who lives in Section 2 of Caflisch, is a member of Orchesis.

Statistics show that 87.4 per cent of the boys and 74.7 per cent of the girls voted in the freshman election.

Wallets Ransacked In Two Fraternity Houses During Past Weekend

Theta Chi and Phi Gamma Delta both reported thefts last Friday, according to Meadville police.

The thief entered the Phi Gam house at 4:30 a.m. but was able to take only $22 from a wallet, when the house mascot, a St. Bernard sleeping in an adjoining room, started to growl and frightened him away. Members reported that a man's tracks in the snow led down the front steps of the building and toward Arter Hall.

Dresser drawers were ransacked and $50 was taken from five wallets at the Theta Chi house, in a robbery discovered at 6:40 a.m. on the same day. The empty wallets, which had been in the drawers, were lying on top of the dressers.

AUC Splits Annual Fund Drive Quota; Vidal, Newcomb Will Head Campaigns

AUC voted to give $2,000 for bringing students from other countries here to study for a year and $2,000 to be split between WSSF and the College Union at the regular meeting last Wednesday afternoon at Brooks Hall.

The goal of $4,000 is to be raised by a fund drive and a carnival, according to Ned Vidal, general chairman of the drive. Tom Newcomb was named chairman of the carnival which will be held March 29 to help raise funds. Barbara Cooper is vice chairman. Last year the drive topped the $4,000 mark by $700.

One of the largest turnouts in the council's history, about 125 students, attended the meeting, according to AUC president Arny Lewis. Three hundred and fifty freshmen had signed a petition asking that half the goal be set to bring foreign students to Allegheny and the remainder to the College Union.

Petitions of the Goal

A paper signed by 160 upperclassmen petitioned that part of the fund be given to the World Student Service Fund to educate foreign students in their home countries.

Representatives of the three agencies spoke. David Levering, traveling representative of WSSF, spoke on education of foreign students in their native school; Ginny Johnson talked on bringing foreign students to Allegheny, and Dean Charles W. McCracken discussed benefits of the College Union.

The fund drive central planning committee under the chairmanship of Ned Vidal, has announced that a program of individual solicitation of students will get under way by the end of next week and will continue until the climax of the drive with the Carnival on March 29.

Of the $4,000 goal, the $2,000 set aside for bringing foreign students to Allegheny assures us of having

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Allegheny Debaters Win Tri-State Tournament In Pittsburgh Saturday

The Allegheny debate team of Emily Engle, Ida Smythe, Joan Zulch, and Charles Wells won the Ninth Annual Tri-State Debating Tournament, held Saturday, February 23, at Mt. Mercy College for women in Pittsburgh. Winning five of their six debates, the Allegheny team scored highest of the 20 schools participating from Pennsylvania, Ohio, and West Virginia. Westminster and Kent State won five debates also, but their individual point ratings on each debate were lower than Allegheny's.

Also attending were Bill McCartney, Jack Richards, Larry Oxley, and Bill Oehmler, who won two of their six debates, and Miss Jean Isherwood and Mr. Howard Martin, coaches.

This tournament was partly in preparation for the Pennsylvania State Debating Tournament, to be held at Lehigh on February 29. Allegheny representatives, who left for the tournament today, are: debate team 1, Emily Engle, Ida Smythe, Joan Zulch, Muriel Zulch; team 2, Larry Oxley, Bill Oehmler, Charles Wells, Bill McCartney; extemperaneous speaking, Emily Engle and Bill McCartney; original oratory, winners of last night's Wakefield contest.

Russian Student Relates Painful Past; Believes Stalin Similar to Raskolnikov

by Len Rubin

We cornered Vladimir Poliakoff in Brooks Pine Room last Sunday afternoon, and with a minimum of questions received a maximum of information on Communism, Fascism, the philosophy of Despots, the fate of the world, and very few words about Vladimir.

Vladimir told us that he was born in Russia and graduated from high school in the city of Rostov. We asked if Rostov were in Southwestern Russia and Vladimir explained it was on the Sea of Azhov, but not content with the explanation, he proceeded to draw us a map not looking very much like any map we'd ever seen, but relating Rostov to the general area of the Black Sea.

When the Germans occupied the city in the summer of 1942 they shipped Vladimir and many other Russians to East Germany to work in a factory so as to release German workers for service in the Army. When the Russians advanced eastward the Germans sent him to West Germany, where he managed to escape return to Russia when the war ended by telling the Russians he was a German.

After a few years at the University of Frankfort, the Allegheny WSSF provided a scholarship for him to come here to study, and in September of 1949 he was enrolled.

Vladimir described his coming here with something of a sense of relief in his voice, and it wasn't long before he was explaining the situation in the Soviet Union to us, with gestures and expressions that were

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Seven Freshman, Sophomore Girls To Reign At First Military Ball In March

Seven freshman and sophomore coeds are competing for the title "Queen of the Military Ball", which will be held March 15 from 9 to 12:30 p.m. in Brooks Hall.

Lt. Robert W. Carroll, ROTC advisor for the dance, has announced that final balloting for the queen will be held the week before the dance, and the winner will be announced that night in Brooks. The six runners-up will comprise the queen's court. Music for the dance will be provided by Stew Snyder and his orchestra.



Pictured above are the seven contestants for the title of Queen of the Military Ball. They are: (bottom row, left to right) Jerry McGregor, Charlene Faller, Katie Kiefer, and Linda Baum. (top row): Nancy Martino, Jane Parsons, and Sara Huddleson. —Photo by Lynn Snyder

The seven contestants include: Linda Baum, who is vice president of the sophomore class and a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma. A resident of Beaver Falls, she is also in Singers and Terrapin, and last year was vice president of the freshman class. Nancy Martino, a sophomore from Rochester, Pa., is a member of the Newman Club and is leader of a Bethesda Home Group. A member of Kappa Kappa Gamma, Jerry McGregor, from Cleveland, was last year's freshman charm queen.

Charlene Faller, of Donora, Pa., is a cheerleader, member of Terrapin, and works for **The Kaldron.** A majorette with the Allegheny marching band, Sarah Huddleson, from Dormont, Pa., won second place in the Meadville Halloween Beauty Contest last fall.

Katie Kiefer, recently elected freshman charm queen, is a member of Orchesis and appeared in "Peer Gynt." Her home is in Aliquippa, Pa. Jane Parsons, a member of Heelers and Chapel Choir, is also a cheerleader. She lives in Washington, Pa.

Monotony

These are not the times for a period of immorality. We would like this editorial to be read with that point in mind.

In line with a general revision of spirit upon this campus we feel that there is a need to break the formalized monotony that has taken deep root. Every day of the week we go to classes. Every weekend we go to a movie or to a fraternity party. Hollywood may claim that movies are getting better all the time, but Allegheny's social events seem to hold to a status quo.

The election of the May Queen symbolizes a part of the monotony. Here was the opportunity to produce some lively entertainment for the student body. Why not make it a bona-fide beauty contest? Why not start an AUC dance at 3 a.m. and follow it up by a sunrise breakfast? Why don't we all follow the example of the freshmen and give some needy building a new coat of paint? Tomorrow is Leap Day—why couldn't the girls have thought up some clever way to celebrate their quadrennial day of freedom? There are a variety of projects which could relieve Allegheny's monotony; many of them require the work of a united campus.

We are not asking for drunken affairs, nor for license. We think that the students and the student leaders in particular ought to think of some ways to enliven the Allegheny social life.

More Action

We should like to commend certain action already taken and to encourage further action in regard to the problems emanating from the recent cheating scandal. AUC is doing an excellent job of investigating the possibilities for an honor system, of viewing the relationship that exists between faculty and student, and of examining the general academic methods in practice. The committees working on these projects are all in the early stages of investigation, but we believe it is necessary that they make periodic reports to the student body as a whole on the results of their research, as well as that they continue their work.

In our opinion, the most important factor in such a crisis is that constant lines of communications among student groups and between students and administration be established and kept open. What occurred at Allegheny in January cannot be permitted to occur again. The student body must find a way to insure the highest degree of equality of educational opportunity for everyone.

We feel that a serious mistake was made in not calling an all-college convocation early in February, as soon as was possible after Dr. Benezet's return. The administration and the faculty have accepted a share in the responsibility for our moral collapse, but we feel that they, as well as student committees, should keep the college informed of their reforms and decisions. The student body would like to know whether those faculty members who have been giving the same tests repeatedly for the last few years have been given some sort of ultimatum ordering them to change their examinations, which are extant in fraternity files.

We do not intend to bicker with the faculty nor with the administration; our main suggestion is that we all be kept wholly aware of the methods of reform now in progress. Open discussion is the best answer to this problem.

Editorial Postscript

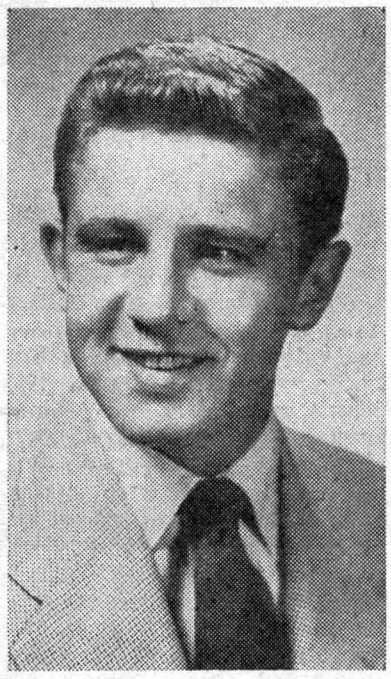
A few minutes after the above editorial was written, **The Campus** was informed that a test given recently was made up of questions a large portion of which had previously appeared on a test now in the files of at least one fraternity. This is laxity, and emphasizes the type of reform that is needed. We cannot blame those students who had studied the test that was in the file, for they could not know that the same questions would be used, and furthermore, there should have been a new test.

Senior Sketch

If Bill Tillotson's post-graduation activities follow the pattern he has set at Allegheny, the world will have another politician. However, the Spartansburg senior, although he is majoring in political science, avers he is going into sales and promotion work.

Bill has filled so many school and club offices that it is surprising that his fellow students haven't accused him of graft. He has held two offices in Phi Kappa Psi, as well as acting as that fraternity's representative on Inter-Fraternity Council. He is also active on the Allegheny Undergraduate Council. A four-year letterman in soccer, he has also lettered in baseball, and is currently president of the Block A Club. Last year he was treasurer of both Block A and the junior class.

Favorite relaxation, aside from sports and politics, are reading, semi-classical music, and singing (definitely for his own enjoyment).



Bill Tillotson

Pins 'n Sins

The men of the student body seemed reluctant to let go of their pins this week. We considered reducing the title of the column to just **Sins.** However, we did not think it in good taste, due to the recent occurence of Religion-In-Life Week . . . If anyone would like to know what a t.s. slip in the army is, Ann Archibold will be glad to supply the information given her by Rabbi Falck . . . Life was getting a little too hectic for Kay Davis, so she decided to ski away from it all; she's getting the prettiest blue pills in the infirmary for her bum leg.

The male portion of Allegheny has been engrossed in a campus-wide search for Miss 105, 38, 24, 33. Anyone possessing information concerning the "little lady" will please contact the Meadville Chamber of Commerce . . . Hats off to the victorious women's debate team and to Chuck (Charline) Wells, who helped prove that a man's place is not in the home.

That Spring vacation travel lust has already hit several members of the student body. The Phi Psi Travelling Agency will be pleased to arrange tours of Florida if anyone is interested . . . Congratulations to Jack Lang and Donna Cannon (Grove City) on their recent engagement.

The nightly lineup in front of Caflisch Hall is growing in size—this we feel is an extremely healthy sign; a guy could make a pretty penny selling sidewalk space . . . A splash party was held at Bousson last weekend; Janie Parsons entertained with an under water ballet.

The week ended with an outstanding example of interfraternity spirit. The Theta Chis threw one of the wildest parties this semester, the only aftermath being that Jack Skeel is now going into the gasoline business—or is that sign just a souvenir? . . . In closing, may we again have the pleasure of quoting Colonel Brodie who, upon addressing his staunch band of fearless airmen, said, "Honest, boys, it really doesn't hurt to give blood!" **Just us**

Activities Calendar

Thurs., Feb. 28	Porter Singing Contest — Ford Chapel — 8 p.m.
Fri., Feb. 29	Basketball — Bufalo State at Buffalo. "Candida" — Playshop — 8:15 p.m.
Sat., March 1	Basketball — Alfred at Alfred, N.Y. District Swimming Meet — Pittsburgh. Alpha Chi Rho Crow Bar Party — 9-12 p.m. Phi Delta Theta — Pledge Dance — 9-12 p.m. Outing Club — Overnight at Bousson — 1:30 p.m., Saturday to 11:30 a.m., Sunday. "Candida" — Playshop — 8:15 p.m.
Sun., March 2	All-College Worship — Ford Chapel — 11 a.m. Speaker: Dr. Herbert Picht, Chaplain — Topic: "Adventurous Religion". Phi Gamma Delta Open House — 3-5 p.m. ACA — Oratory — 7 p.m.
Mon., March 3	AAUP Meeting.
Wed., March 5	AUC Weekly Meeting — Pine Room — 4 p.m. Basketball — Wooster at Meadville.
Thurs., March 6	Sinfonietta Concert at Gannon College.
Fri., March 7	Political Science Hour Exam — 7 p.m. Tallageewe Roller Skating Party — 8-10:30 p.m.
March 7-8	Play "Candida" — Playshop — 8:15 p.m.
Sat., March 8	Basketball — Grove City at Grove City. Outing Club Overnight Outing — Bousson. Alpha Gamma Delta Parents' Weekend
Sun., March 9	Kappa Kappa Gamma Faculty Tea — Chapter Rooms — 3-5 p.m. Movie — "Way Down East" — Playshop — 8 p.m.

Washington Report

Editor's Note: Printed below is an article written by Dean Titus, currently attending the Washington Semester. The article is the personal opinion of Mr. Titus, and does not necessarily reflect the opinion of the staff.

Wait! Yes, wait for about five, maybe ten years. By that time you will have no trouble in licking the Western nations who will be so weak economically and outdated militarily that they will easily submit to the forces that you gather.

How can I be so sure? Look at the facts, Joe. First, the United States is spending some 50 billions a year for defense and is forcing other nations in NATO to spend to their limit too. It can't go on for long. Neither the American nor the foreign taxpayer will permit it, and more important, they can't stand it. Within a few years the demand to cut arms spending will be so insistent that it will have to be heeded. And then, you know as well as anyone else that armies will shrink, weapons will "stabilize"; that is, become new Maginot lines in which the West will of necessity put its confidence. You, on the other hand, Joe, can go on with industrial expansion that will raise your peoples' living standards and as far as strategy is concerned, can continue in research in modern weapons postponing mass production of them until that time when your Western antagonists become tired of supporting overwhelming defense measures.

Second, Joe, and you must have realized this longer than anyone, except perhaps MacArthur and Lattimore, that we are building up the defense of a senile part of the world to the complete neglect of the real plum of imperial design. While the United States is going about with its head in the sands, building air bases in Spain and France, you are right in giving your attention to the economically and politically more valuable lands, those of the Orient.

I suppose you could justify to yourself the acquisition of part of Europe, those industrial areas which would add immediately to your productive capacity; but I quite agree that your policy in China and if extended to the rest of Asia, it will bring you greater returns both in mineral and human resources. Living where you do between Europe and southeast Asia, you cannot have made the same error in judgment as have our ostrich-like Western statesmen.

And my third point is merely a bit of strategy designed to point out how you can have your cake and eat it, too. If you continue and expand your strength in eastern Asia, you can probably count on owning it within ten years at the most; then it would be a comparatively simple matter to engulf Europe too, for your strength will be of such magnitude as to be undefiable.

And if you should want the United States in addition there would be little to impede you. If you will merely be sure of your stock of super atomic weapons—the United States will have stopped spending money for research by 1955; all the taxpayers will be in the poorhouse—you can be sure of victory, almost as sure as Hitler was in France and the low countries in 1940. Remember how the standing armies and the Maginot line disintegrated before his airforce and panzer divisions? The same will happen with 1952 weapons when up against your 1960 creations.

But Joe, I ask one favor: that your atom bombers pass by my home town. I ask this as a token return for my advice to you. Should this advice prove useful and accurate to you, perhaps you will find a place in your cabinet for me—the cabinet of the world under the hammer and sickle.

I am sorry I can't extend my best wishes for success; but I frankly admit the inevitableness of the situation.

Letters To The Editor

To The Editor:

We should like to express our appreciation of the constructive and effective presentation by **The Campus** of the recent Judiciary Court action. **The Campus** staff, in our opinion, has made through its responsibility a fine contribution toward, and example for integrity within the college community.

May we also add our enthusiastic support of the idea of the "town hall" type of meeting which you describe in your editorial last week entitled "A Course of Action." We agree with you that this sort of meeting would be an excellent place for the discussion of issues and a fine means of communication about them.

Ruth E. Williams
Charles W. McCracken

To The Editor:

The plea in last week's **Campus** editorial for open meetings dealing with vital issues of student government was indeed a very sound one. We agree wholeheartedly with the policy of investigating the pulse of campus thinking before action is taken.

However, it is felt that the machinery for such communication is now in operation. The regular weekly meeting of AUC (4 p.m. Wednesday in the Pine Room) is open for such participation by all students. The last meeting dealing with the relief funds drew approximately 125 interested Allegheny students. Discussion is not limited to the AUC members alone, for the students are urged to express their views.

Although we feel that the present plan provides an opportunity for a weekly mass meeting, we would nevertheless alter the arrangement should campus opinion so desire.

Executive Committee of AUC — Kitty Crawford, Jack Sullivan, Jim Boddorf, Bob Blomquist, Glenn Dunmire, and Arnold Lewis.

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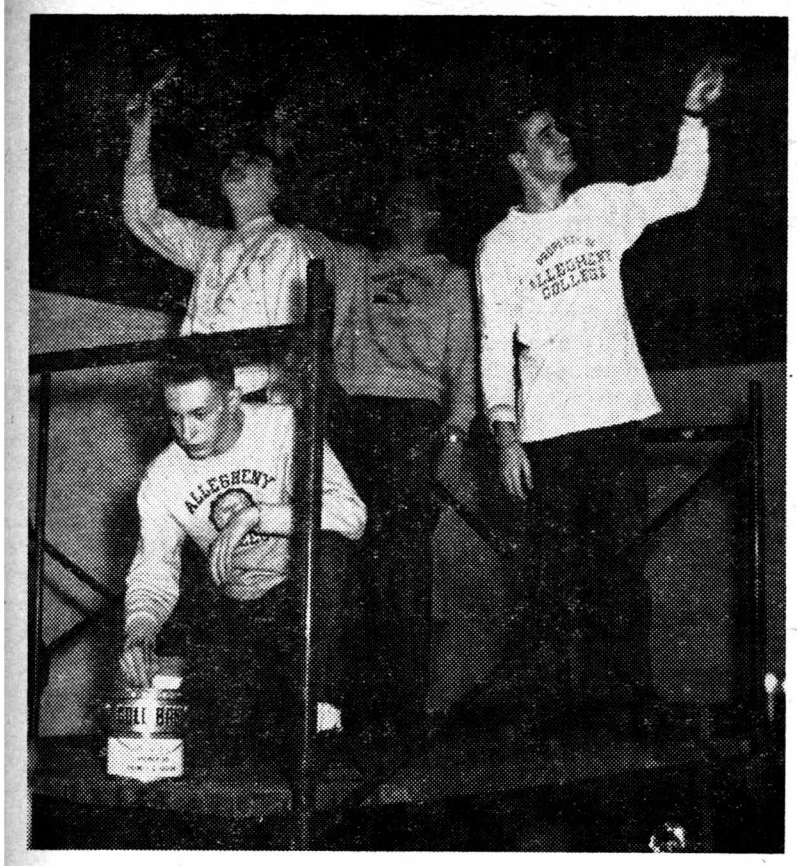

Members of the freshman class began painting operations in the College Union last Friday in line with the complete renovations which have been scheduled for this semester. Here Chuck MacDonald (below) and Robin Yost, Al Monstrom, and Bob Miller (top, left to right) add their talents to the project. —Photo by Damm

AUC Splits Fund Proceeds

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at least two foreign students on campus next year, he said. In addition, the administration has agreed to furnish tuitions for three students, and it is hoped that their other expenses will be covered by the Institute of International Education. If the Institute is able to provide sufficient funds for the room, board, books, and other fees of the administration - sponsored students, there will be a minimum of five students. At all events Ginny Johnson, planning committee member representing the Foreign Students Committee, has expressed hopes that we will know within a few weeks just who the students are who will be coming to Allegheny next year.

Nan Ellis, committee member in charge of the World Student Service Fund project, has written to WSSF headquarters to find out the specific object of our aid. It is hoped, she said, that we may direct our funds to a small liberal arts college of the nature of Allegheny if possible.

College Union representative Abbie DeLellis said that the $1,000 earmarked for the CU will no doubt be used for redecoration.

Weekly Program For Four-Twenties Listed

The remainder of this week's Four-Twenties program will be from the personal collection of Ross E. Miller. Next week's concerts will be sponsored by Phi Delta Theta.

Thursday, Feb. 28: Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 2 in C Minor, Little Russian. Mitropoulus and the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra.

Friday, Feb. 29: Borodin: Prince Igor, Dances of the Polevetzki Maidens. Leopold Stokowski and his Symphony Orchestra. Smetana: The Moldau. Arthur Fielder, conductor, the Boston "Pops" Orchestra.

Monday, March 3: Paganini: Concerto in D Minor. Fritz Kreisler, violin, Philadelphia Orchestra, Eugene Ormandy, conductor. Beethoven: Quartet in A Minor. Bach Quartet.

Tuesday, March 4: Handel: Organ Concerto in A Minor. E. Power Biggs, organ, Boston Sinfonietta. Mozart: Concerto in D Minor. Joseph Szigeti, violin, London Philharmonic Orchestra, Sir Thomas Beecham, conductor.

Wednesday, March 5: Tchaikovsky: Concerto in D Minor. Jascha Heifitz, violin, London Philharmonic Orchestra, John Barbirolli, conductor.

Thursday, March 6: Beethoven: Concerto in D Minor. Joseph Szigeti, violin, Symphony Orchestra, Bruno Walter, conductor.

Speaking Contest Held In Chapel Last Night

The annual Wakefield Oratorical Contest sponsored by Philo-Franklin Speech Union was held in the Chapel at 8:15 last night.

Speakers and their topics were Ned Curtis, "An Army for America"; Nan Kilburn, "Prudence Conquers All"; Pat O'Connell, "Why the Silent Generation?"; Jack Richards, "It's Up to You"; and Chuck Wells, "Red Cancer".

Acting as judges for the contest were Miss Jean Isherwood, Dr. John E. Cavelti, and Dr. Julian Ross. Emily Engle was chairman.

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Gator Five In New York; Finmen At District Meet

Buffalo, Alfred Provide Opposition For Floormen Friday And Saturday

by Ken Smith

The men of Bob Garbark invade the hinterlands of upper New York State this weekend, as they meet Buffalo State Teachers Friday night, and then invade Alfred Saturday. If everything goes according to form, the Alleghenians should get no worse than an even break on the two day junket.

Alfred is the team that should give the Gators more than a few problems. Their nine win and eight loss record includes two defeats to a strong Buffalo team, and a 57-48 win over Rochester, a team that vanquished the Gators, 71-68. In the Hofstra Invitation Tournament, played in New York City last Christmas, the seventh-seeded Alfred took a second place as they dumped Queens and Hofstra, and were nipped by Wagner in the finals, 51-48. In addition, they have beaten St. Lawrence, Toronto, Hobart, Brockport and McMaster.

The Saxon squad is a smooth, fast breaking unit, that shines on defense as well. They have allowed the opposition only 50 points per game, on the average. Forward Millard Evak (6' 4") and center Bill Coddington provide the only height on the New York squad, but both have averaged ten rebounds a game. Last year, the Gators ripped Alfred 72-64 on the Meadville court for one of their three victories.

Buffalo A Softer Touch

The Bisons of Buffalo State have a not too bad 7 and 4 record, but should be a much softer touch for the Meadville gang. They have a small squad that shouldn't give Buck, Bishop and McIndoe too much trouble off the boards. They were able to put up a good battle against Oberlin before bowing 76-67, but last Saturday were thumped by a weak Thiel outfit, 62-53. High man on the scoring totem pole is forward Jim Garfield who is usually good for a point total in the double figures. The Gators' main handicap will be Buffalo's monster home court in the Buffalo armory. Being used to the pint-sized affair in Montgomery gym, the Gators may be a little baffled by the wide open spaces that will be the scene of Friday's action. But it will take more than that for the Bisons to turn the tables.

Floormen Drop Three Games This Week To Three Superior Foes

The Gators of Allegheny suffered three set-backs in the past week as they ran into some of the better quintets in this part of the state. A heart-breaking four-point loss to an undefeated Clarion five, then a rough night with Carnegie Tech, and then finally a disappointing seventeen-point loss to Slipery Rock, were handed to the Gators.

Clarion Almost Tripped

Clarion entered Montgomery Gymnasium sporting an impressive fourteen-win, no loss record, and for thirty-eight minutes of the contest apeared to be going down to their first defeat at the hands of the inspired Gators. At this point the score was 66-62 in favor of Allegheny, but two quick baskets by Clarion center Don Stemmerick and another one by Kelly put the Eagles ahead. The coolness of Clarion, combined with their full-court press, was too much for the Garbark men to overcome.

Tech Wins Close Battle

Last Saturday night Allegheny again lost out in the closing minutes as they dropped a nip-and-tuck game 67-55 to Carnegie Tech. Losing by only four points at half-time the Gators continued to hold their own throughout the third quarter and most of the fourth. When Bob Buck fouled out of the game and Allegheny switched to a man-to-man defense the Tartans easily got beyond the Blue-and-Gold defenders and pulled away to their 12-point margin.

Gators Off

On Tuesday night the Rockets of Slippery Rock with their sharpshooter Don Black cruised to a 74-57 win over the hapless Garbark men. It was a real fiasco during the first half as the entire team was capable of only massing 24 points in the first two frames. Meanwhile, the Rockets were hooping for 43 points. It was just one of those nights for the Gators.

The third quarter brought a spark of hope, and Allegheny played heads up basketball for the first time during the evening. McIndoe and Mattei hit for three baskets apiece and Snyder dropped in four points. The Rockets were having difficulty finding the hoop and with only a minute to play found themselves maintaining seven points of the 19-point lead. Then johnny-on-the-spot in the form of none other than Don Black swished in two quick baskets and a ten point lead which never faltered.

Rockets Coast Home

The fourth quarter saw action from both benches with the Rockets getting the better of it in the point department. It was 20 more points for the Rockets in the last frame and 13 for the Gators.

Intramurals

The intramural basketball and bowling schedules for this week are as follows:

Basketball

Thurs.,	Feb. 28	7:00—Commons - Chi Rhos
		8:15—Phi Delts - Phi Gams
		9:30—Phi Gam J.V. - Phi Delt J.V.
Fri.,	Feb. 29	7:00—Phi Gam Fijis - Independents
		8:15—Cochran 2 - Beebe
		9:30—Tarbell-Klie
Sat.,	March 1	1:30—Phi Psi Green-Phi Delt J.V.
		2:45—Phi Psi Red - Independents
		4:00—Phi Gam J.V. - Phi Gam Fijis

Bowling

Fri.,	Feb. 29	Commons - Theta Chi
		Phi Gam - Sigs
Mon.,	March 3	Phi Delts-Phi Psi
		Delts - Chi Rhos
Wed.,	March 5	Sigs - Theta Chi
		Commons - Phi Psi

Varsity Schedule

The varsity basketball and swimming schedules for the remainder of the year are as follows:

Basketball

Feb. 29—Buffalo State at Buffalo, N.Y.
March 1—Alfred University at Alfred, N.Y.
March 5—Wooster at home
March 8—Grove City at Grove City

Swimming

March 1—District meet at Pittsburgh

Swimmers Lose 46-29; Defeat Grovers 48-27

After losing to a strong Westminster aggregation, 46-29, Allegheny's mermen bounced back four days later to defeat Grove City 48-27. The Gators now have won four and lost three.

High-point men for the Allegheny freestyles were Billings and Muir with 17.7 and 14 points respectively.

Results: Westminster

300 yard medley relay won by Allegheny (Schenck, Ertle, Billings); 2 Westminster (Keppel, Wilson, Sampson). Time 3:16.0.

220 yard freestyle won by Radcliffe (W); 2 Work (W); 3 Case (A). Time 2:15.0.
New pool record.

60 yard freestyle won by McGrath (W); 2 Billings (A); 3 Fenwick (W). Time :30.6.

150 yard individual medley won by McGrath (W); 2 Muir (A); 3 Case (A). Time 1:22.0.

100 yard freestyle won by Radcliffe (W); 2 Billings (A); 3 Muir (A). Time :56.5.

200 yard backstroke event won by Schenck (A); 2 Keppel (W); 3 Campbell. Time 2:40.6.

200 yard breaststroke won by Wilson (W); 2 McAlevy (A); 3 Ertle (A). Time 2.52.6.

440 yard freestyle won by Gauett (W); 2 Sayre (A); 3 Caulkins (W). Time 5:41.2.

400 yard freestyle won by Westminster (Fenwick, Sampson, Radcliffe, McGrath). Time 3:50.6.

Results: Grove City

300 yard medley relay won by Allegheny (Schenck, Ertle, Case). Time 3:31.8.

220 yard freestyle won by Muir (A); 2 Remensnyder (GC); 3 Sayre (A). Time 2:34.8.

60 yard freestyle won by Billings (A); 2 Johnston (GC); 3 Watts (A). Time :31.5.

120 yard individual medley won by Muir (A); 2 Conaway (GC); 3 Case (A). Time 1.24.5.
New varsity record.

100 yard freestyle won by Billings (A); 2 Johnston (GC); 3 Butler (GC). Time :57.7.

200 yard backstroke won by Schenck (A); 2 Flahert (GC); 3 Bailey (A). Time 2:35.0.

200 yard breaststroke won by McAlevy (A); 2 May (GC); 3 Ertle (A). Time 2:52.2.

440 yard freestyle won by Conaway (GC); 2 Remensnyder (GC); 3 Sayre (A). Time 5:37.5.

400 yard freestyle won by Allegheny (Perry, Watts, Case, Bailey). Time 4.13.3.

Tech, Westminster And Case Favored In Penn-Ohio Meet At Pittsburgh

by Dino Nellas

The annual Penn-Ohio District Swimming Meet will be held this Saturday at Carnegie Tech. Carnegie Tech, the host team, will be defending the championship it won last year. Its strongest competition will probably come from Westminster and Case.

Allegheny first participated in this meet in 1948 when they placed fourth. In 1949 they raised themselves two notches to second place. Finally, in 1950, we emerged as co-champions of the district with Slippery Rock. This team also posted the best season record for an Allegheny team,—8 victories and 1 loss. In 1951 Allegheny slipped to fourth place and is expected to place either fourth or fifth this year.

Medley Team Best

The Gators are expected to perform best in five of the 11 events in the meet. Our medley team of Schenck, Ertle, and Muir is potentially the best in the district. The final relay team of Case, Watts, Muir, and Billings has had its share of defeats but should perform creditably, and Johnny Muir stands a good chance of copping the individual medley relay race. In the 100 and 50 yard dash Warren Billings will probably be near the top. Capt. Ward Schenck faces some tough competition in the 100 yard backstroke event, but could pull the upset of the meet with a little luck.

Gator Grandstand

by Jack Hill

How do we build school spirit—by throwing sororities and fraternities from our campus and moving everyone into a central dormitory as has been suggested? In my opinion this is not the answer.

For a solution I think the present basketball season is the biggest boost to the situation in years. The team is winning a few games, putting up a terrific battle against superior teams, and in general providing good exciting entertainment. When has a throng of faithful fans followed an Allegheny varsity outfit around the way they are this year with Bob Garbark's crew? There were at least 50 students at the Thiel game, 50 to 100 more at Gannon, and a massive throng of 250 to 300 at Carnegie Tech. Friday and Saturday evenings will see 50 to 100 more visiting Buffalo and Alfred.

The unity among the students has been nothing short of miraculous. There was no cheering for friends or fraternity friends but for the team as a whole. When the team is winning or fighting to the wire no one thinks about such childish things as this.

Maybe if the administration would push athletics a little more by providing a minimum bit of help to athletes, the varsity teams would provide victorious and exciting contests in the fall and spring as well as during the winter. By doing this I feel that the Allegheny student body would become more of a unit and school spirit would mount 100% within a year.

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244 Students Respond To Blood Plea; Early Return Of Consent Forms Urged

244 students responded to the plea for a pint of blood to be given for the Allegheny Red Cross Bloodmobile campaign on March 19, according to campaign chairman Jack Barrows. Lists which had been posted in all fraternity houses and college dormitories as well as the Grill were tallied last Saturday to give the total which exceeded the 193 donors needed to meet the quota. All of the volunteers will remain on the list to insure complete success on March 19, said Barrows.

Students between the ages of 18 and 21 who have not previously obtained a parental consent form will have to take no action. Committee members will mail the form directly to their parents to be returned as soon as possible. Self-addressed stamped envelopes are being enclosed to facilitate their return. Barrows urges students in this group to notify their parents of their willingness to donate blood and to ask for an early return of the form.

Those who have already had their parental consent forms filled out are to retain them until March 19, when they will be presented to the committee.

Committees of approximately thirty people are being formulated to handle activities on the day of donation. All students will be contacted in the future as to time of donation on March 19.

A breakdown of donors follows below. Freshman men have been included with their fraternal group; others are listed under independent men:

Alpha Chi Omega	5
Alpha Gamma Delta	11
Alpha Xi Delta	5
Kappa Alpha Theta	6
Kappa Kappa Gamma	10
Theta Upsilon	2
Independent Women	9
Freshman Women	48
Alpha Chi Rho	11
Commons Club	5
Delta Tau Delta	16
Phi Delta Theta	34
Phi Kappa Psi	35
Phi Gamma Delta	24
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	5
Theta Chi	3
Independent Men	9
College Total	244

Placement Bureau

A representative of the Pennsylvania State Employment Service will be on campus February 29 to register seniors who desire aid in obtaining employment after graduation, Robert T. Sherman announced yesterday.

Copies of **Career, Inc.** are available to all seniors through the Placement Bureau in East wing, Bentley. This book is a compilation of the leading corporations in the United States.

Applications Ready For Selective Service Test

All eligible students who intend to take the Selective Service College Qualification Test in 1952 should file applications at once for the April 24 administration, according to an announcement received from Selective Service National Headquarters.

An application and bulletin of information may be obtained at any Selective Service local board. Applications must be postmarked no later than midnight, March 10. The announcement stressed that early filing is to the student's advantage.

Results will be reported to the student's Selective Service local board of jurisdiction for use in considering his deferment as a student, according to Educational Testing Service, which prepares and administers the College Qualification Test.

Fourteen Pledged By Biological Fraternity

Ricky Hawthorne, secretary of Phi Beta Phi honorary biological fraternity, has announced the pledging on Tuesday night of fourteen members. Initiation for the group will be held on Tuesday, March 11.

Those pledged at the meeting were Richard Atkinson, Kenneth Brandt, John Campbell, Jane Dallas, Ann Houston, Ann Kirch, Donald Paish, Sanford Reitman, Leonard Rubin, John Segal, William Segmiller, Alex Spears, Walker Stone, and Richard Uhrich.

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Allegheny Possesses Mechanical Brain; Make Plans To Improve Clock System

A mechanical brain is existent on campus. Oddly enough its story has seldom been told. Allegheny's mechanical brain is the Bentley bell system, yet to be completed. At present the system controls only the bell, but in the future a network of clocks will be related to it.

Plans have been made for a master clock to control all other clocks. Should the Meadville current be turned off for any reason, the master clock would automatically restore every clock in the system when the current is returned. The big clock would run under its own power in time of such crises. The master clock would be able to regenerate a maximum of eighteen minutes per hour, but not in excess of fifty-five minutes.

A bell ringing program would be prepared for a period of eight days. This is the maximum the machine would be able to regulate at one time. The program is similar to the metal bar or roll of a Swiss music box. As the seconds tick by, the bar would turn. When one of the protrusions on the bar strikes a portion of the clock, the Bentley Bell would ring.

Since 1929 and until May, 1950, the bells were rung mechanically by a program clock which had a wooden pendulum. This apparatus was imperfect as it lacked a self-correcting device. Among other defects, it slowed down and accelerated with the change in seasons. Summer weather would cause the pendulum to expand and absorb moisture, therefore gaining weight. The additional weight slowed the clock and bells and someone was needed to remedy the inaccuracy. The cold weather, in turn, would cause the wooden pendulum to shrink, lose moisture, lose weight, and gain speed. As a result it was in constant need of repair.

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Russian Student

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ample proof of his first-hand experience with the misery produced by Stalin's Government.

He explained the Soviet's psychology of deliberately keeping the standard of living so low as to produce a willingness on the part of the people to follow blindly anyone who offered better living conditions. Compared to Czarist Russia, "Economically—(it) was paradise." Never having lived under the Czar, Vladimir explained that his opinion was what he heard from the majority of the people whom he knew in Russia.

"The Soviet Government isn't interested in the welfare of the people," he said. "The Soviet Government is interested in world conquest!" Asking about Stalin's reasons for pursuing such a path, we drew from Vladimir an analogy to **Crime and Punishment.** He explained that Raskolinikov committed two murders—the second being necessary to cover up the first. Similarly, Stalin, having morally murdered one part of mankind, must of necessity follow it by committing a second. In this respect, Engles was right in saying that Socialism—in the hands of evil people—is dangerous.

The temperature in the Pine Room had risen to the mid-eighties and we watched Vladimir crumple a piece of paper upon which chemistry equations were written. Said he, "I saw death—real death. My conscience can never forget it. The state here is for the people; the state there is for the state." With this black picture in mind, we walked out of Brooks into the coolness of the sunny afternoon.

Allegheny Hour

Due to WMGW's recent affiliation with the American Broadcasting Company "The Allegheny Hour," regularly heard every third Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., has been temporarily postponed. Arrangements are being made with ABC, after which the program is expected to resume broadcast over a different station.

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