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THE Y. M. C. A. CABINENT



WELCOME 1914

BIG PREPARATIONS.

The Y. M. C. A.-Y. W. C. A. reception for new students will be held on next Monday evening. That this initial college function will be a treat is beyond question. An opportunity will be afforded to renew old-time acquaintances and to form new ones. A joint committee of the two associations, composed of Mr. Stewart, Miss Emery and Miss Loane, have been busily engaged during the week making arrangements for the evening. A spicy program will add to the attraction, and the best musical talent available in school has been employed to make the event a success.

Dr. Crawford has consented to give a brief address. This fact alone is a drawing card to all college people, and most particularly to those who have never yet heard him speak publicly.

THE Y. W. C. A. CABINENT



CLASS SPIRIT RUNS HIGH

Freshmen Draw First Blood but the Sophs Come Back Strong and Win the Flag Rush

The fall class fights, which generally serve to introduce the Freshman to his classmates as well as to some other members of the student body, were begun last week with characteristic determination and ferocity on the part of both the new-comers and their rivals. The first pugnacious tendencies were shown by the Freshmen at an hour on Wednesday morning when all good boys would have been in bed. But not so with the men and others of 1914. Posters had been prepared and it seems that the new sun dial on the Campus would have indicated about two hours after midnight had it been able, when a number of Freshmen crept out of bed and placed on their backs clothes which were good for nothing but class fights and poster smearing and which had doubtless been laid away for the express purpose of being used in the aforementioned contests. At any rate the clothes were donned and the assailants sallied forth. The result of the expedition was that a number of Sophomores had to arise rather early to remove the handiwork of their rivals.

The Sophomore posting was also well planned and skilfully executed. Going out into the black of night at twelve, when everyone of them would have given a week's allowance to stay in bed, the 1913's decorated the town with the result of their labor. But the green ones were soon on the job, and it is said that the fight which ensued on the campus between the hours of three and five was hard and fierce. Both classes were meagerly represented but they were well matched, the Freshmen having only a few more than the Sophs. The contest at this time was awarded to the 1914's who, with their numbers, outdid their more experienced opponents.

The flag rush at the first Chapel service, which left the Chapel almost entirely to the faculty, on Thursday morning, was said by some of the older men to have been tame in comparison to the contests of previous years. This may perhaps be accounted for by the fact that members of both sides were fatigued by the work of the night. No sooner had the upper classmen succeeded in goading the fighters on to battle, in front of the Chapel, than there was a rush for the tall pine tree in front of the Library around which the classes of '11 and '12 struggled two years ago.

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W. & J. CANCELS

Wholly Unwarranted and Inexplicable Action by W. and J. Officials. Attempted Misrepresentation. The Facts.

For the second time within the last six months, Washington and Jefferson College has been guilty of conduct that smacks strongly of poor sportsmanship. The attempt made last spring to rob Allegheny of the prestige won on the W. P. I. A. L. track meet is still fresh in the minds of all. The excuse was then advanced that only an unauthorized correspondent would pervert the facts as grossly as was done in the Pittsburg papers at that time. But, now, at the second occurrence of such a character, the mantle of charity begins to appear threadbare. For the W. and J. representative, not content with cancelling today's game on a mere pretext, also caused to be inserted in the Pittsburg papers a slur on the reputation of Allegheny and a falsehood designed to injure Coach E. J. Stewart.

These inspired articles emanating from the camp of Manager R. M. Murphy stated that Allegheny had refused to accept the officials assigned for the game by Dr. Babbitt, the chairman of the Intercollegiate Rules Committee. The account of the Washington scribe further went on to say that Mr. Stewart had made the statement that the committee was not competent to se-

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A REGISTRATION RECORD

Total Enrollment 339—The Three Upper Classes Show a Decided Increase—List of Matriculates

Allegheny's ninety-sixth year opened Tuesday, September 20th. For several days before this date, however, students new and old were pouring in to such an extent that Saturday night saw more in town than are usually here on Tuesday of opening week. The trains were met by the representatives of the Y. M. C. A. and the students introduced to the older ones. Cochran Hall was well inhabited before the close of the week and the capacity of Hulings was taxed from the first. By skillfully handling the in coming rush of registrations, Dr. Snavely and his office force eliminated many features that have sometimes marred registration week.

Meadville supplied more students for this year's class than for any in recent years. Of the 119 who matriculated in the Freshman class, 35 are from this city. Distant states of the Union are represented as well as Puerto Rico, Burma and Canada.

The enrollment has already reached 339, a figure never before reached at this time. Last year's total was 340 but this included all who were added in the course of the year. When all the late arrivals are in a banner enrollment may be expected. This enrollment is divided among the classes as follows: Seniors 57, Juniors 60, Sophomores 98, Freshmen 119, Special three and two candidates for a master's degree.

On account of the large Sophomore class it was necessary to change the plans of seating at chapel service. The Juniors now are occupying the seats back of the Seniors while the Sophomores and Freshmen are seated in the side blocks.

Following is the complete list of matriculates:

Askey, Harrison T.,Sharon.
Barrackman, Paul F, Meadville.
Bardall, Mary E., Moundsville, W. Va.
Barnes, Faye E., Zanesville, O.
Bartholomew, Ruth, Meadville.
Beck, Perry E., East Sandy.
Black, Perry N., Meadville
Boyer, Kile, Evans City.
Breckenridge, Banks B., Meadville.
Brigham, Richard D., Oil City.
Browning, Mabel E., Scottdale.
Burns, Jessie E. North Washinton.
Cares, Charles W., Meadville.
Carr, Clarence J. Meadville.
Carlson, Leonard O., Conneautville.
Carroll, Florence M., Kane.
Carroll, Marion A., Kane.
Case, Clarence C., Townville.
Chadman, Frank W., Lamartine.
Cobern, Miriam, Meadville.
Coon, William E., Albion.
Davis, Clara R., Union City.
Delp, August, Meadville.
Diefenderfer, Catherine E., Meadville.
Dodds, Ruth, Zanesville, O.
Dotterrer, Charles M., Muzette.
Edmonds, Audley R., Bruin.
Elbel, Louis M., Punxsutawney.
Ericson, Ruth M., Du Bois.

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UNION MEETING

Bishop Thoburn Brings First Message of Year to a Large Number. The Importance of Prayer Emphasized.

The students of the college were given an opportunity Wednesday evening, at the union prayer meeting, to hear Bishop Thoburn. It was the first meeting of the year and at least 250 students turned out to hear the message of the bishop. His usual forcible style made a deep impression on all those present. Dr. Cobern in introducing him said:

"The pride of Allegheny College is her alumni; the pride of the alumni is Bishop Thoburn and the pride and joy of Bishop Thoburn is to bring out of the wealth of his treasure something for the student body."

Bishop Thoburn's talk was full of useful advice, taken from his own experience. He said: "You come here at a critical time in your lives. The whole future is before you and with it will come startling responsibilities. To meet these one thing is necessary. You must learn to pray."

He then told of his many experiences in prayer and of his unshaken faith in it. "It is necessary," he continued, "to talk with God and give him time to speak. You cannot understand prayer in its practical sense until you have had an experience."

His calling to India was mentioned and some of the things which he accomplished, only through prayer, were described. He related several interesting personal experiences of the ways in which he had been called to minister to people while on his knees.

In his closing remarks he said: "The Lord Jesus knows everyone here and has marked out a course for each person If you do not walk in it he may mark out another, but, remember, it will be a second best way. What he wants is your best."

THE FACULTY

Very little activity in travel and study was shown by the members of the faculty during the summer. Most of the professors and instructors spent the hot months at their homes and comparatively few were traveling.

Dr. W. A. Elliott, professor of Greek, spent a large part of the summer in visiting relatives in Canada and Ohio. Also, during the second week in September he represented Allegheny College at the triennial council of Phi Beta Kappa which was held in the Hotel Savoy, New York City.

Dr. Frank C. Lockwood returned on July 1 to his home in this city, after spending his sabbatic year in Europe. During the year he spent much time in study at Oxford and Dublin and in addition did some traveling about continental Europe. During the remainder of the summer since his return he appeared on the lecture platform at Chautauqua, N. Y., and at other chautauquas in the western states. He has also written several articles for the Northwestern Christian Advocate and other periodicals.

Professor Robert S. Breed, of the department of Biology and Geology, left the latter part of July for Europe, where he will spend his sabbattic year. He was a delegate from Allegheny College to the International Conference of Zoologists, held at Graz, Austria, a few weeks ago. He has been in Austria, Germany and Holland and will spend the remainder of his time abroad in study and travel about the continent.

Dr. Crawford has been attending to the executive business of the college during the summer and was in Meadville most of the time.

Professor Dutton remained at his home in this city and during the summer did some engineering work on the

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THE CALENDAR

SUNDAY, 6:15 P. M.—Y. W. C. A. meeting in Hulings Hall. Recognition service for new members, led by the president, Miss Gertrude Hillman.

MONDAY, 10:00 A. M.—College Band Practice, gymnasium.

MONDAY, 8:00 P. M.—Y. M. C. A-Y. W. C. A. reception.

TUESDAY, 4:00 P. M.—Meeting of the Mission Study Committees in the library.

TUESDAY, 7:00 P. M.—Glee Club try-out, College of Music.

TUESDAY, 7:00 P. M.—Scientific Club meeting, in the Library.

WEDNESDAY, 4:00 P. M.—Meeting of Student Volunteer Band, in Library. Election of officers and outline of the work for year given

WEDNESDAY, 6:45 P. M.—Y. M. C. A. meeting in Association Room. "A Few Words of Welcome," by H. S. Leitzel.

WEDNESDAY, 6:45 P. M.—Y. W. C. A. Prayer Service, in Hulings Hall. Leader, Miss Spalding.

THURSDAY, 4:30 P. M.—Forum, in Philo-Franklin Hall. Question: Resolved, that federal conservation of natural resources is preferable to state conservation. Leaders: affirmative, J. W. Barkley and E. J. Hall; negative, H. R. Hunt and C. F. Brockway.

FRIDAY, 4:00 P. M.—Meeting of College Council. Re-organization.

SATURDAY—Allegheny-Hiram football game, at Athletic park.

AN AGREEMENT

Pan Hellenic Contract 1910.

1. No new girl shall be invited to join a fraternity until the first Saturday of the second semester, the bids being mailed so that they will be received by the new girls at noon. No girl shall be invited to join a fraternity until she has completed twelve hours' work at Allegheny.

2. Answers to invitations shall be in writing and shall be presented to one member of the fraternity from whom information can be obtained.

3. Older girls shall not be with the new girls on "bidding day" and there shall be no talking to the new girls on fraternity matters until answers are received.

4. A copy of the contract shall be sent to all interested alumnae and friends, to every member of the Freshman class and published in the Campus, early in the term. Each chapter shall be responsible for their active girls, alumnae, friends and pledges.

5. There shall be no rushing whatever by active girls or alumnae. By "no rushing" the following is understood:

I. No parties or spreads given by any fraternity or member of a fraternity or friend of a fraternity, for a new girl.

II. No money shall be spent on a new girl.

III. No fraternity or fraternity girl shall monopolize the time of any new girl.

IV. No dates shall be made with a new girl and no new girl shall be seen off the campus with one fraternity only, more than twice a week.

V. No new girl shall be allowed out for a meal with any fraternity girl, alumnae or friend of the fraternity.

VI. No fraternity girl shall be seen with a new girl after bells.

6. During the first semester, a party shall be given by the three fraternities for all the new girls.

7. All complaints, of any nature whatever, shall be presented to the Pan-Hellenic Committee, who shall have power to impose penalties.

8. The Pan-Hellenic Committee shall have a definite regular time for meeting.

9. The Committee on College Organizations shall be advisory members of this committee.

10. We advocate that this contract be tried for at least two years.

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EMMA EDSON,
MARGUERITE SHELMADINE,
BESS EMERY,
BESS LING,
MARY T. B. HEYDRICK,
RUTH E. DORWORTH,
WILHELMINA ANDERSON,
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LOOKING FORWARD.

With this issue, the first number of volume twenty-nine, the editorial board of the Campus begins its task of representing Allegheny College in the field of journalistic endeavor. The responsibility is great but the rewards of successful achievement are well worth the effort necessary to keep the Campus up to the Allegheny standard. Certain definite ideals will always be kept clearly in view and a settled policy will be pursued throughout the year.

The first ambition of the staff is to make this year's Campus a little better than any previous volume. In order to do this the experience of our forerunners will be heavily drawn upon. Few, if any, revolutionary changes will be made because they are not needed, but, rather, greater perfection of detail in every department will be sought. Mechanically, it is hoped to make the paper flawless by the skillful arrangement of cuts and headings as well as by the elimination of typographical errors. In presenting news the object will be to cover the entire field of college activities impartially and accurately. A hign standard of literary and journalistic excellence will be required of every contributor.

As the official organ of the student body and the molder of student sentiment the Campus will continue the policy of the square deal to everyone. It will ask no favors and give none, but will stand or fall on its own merits and expect others to do likewise. If certain movements or reforms are projected or supported in these columns it will always be done in a fair minded manner with the best interests of the college at heart. Differing opinions will be heard gladly and be published as such if desired. First and always the axiom that the Campus is not the mouthpiece of any party, clique or person but of a united Allegheny will be followed.

The board, however, wishes to go a step farther than merely outlining its policy. The outcome of the college year of 1910-11 is infinitely more important than the policy of many boards. And so, the Campus in looking forward not only gives promises but asks for promises as well. The co-operation of the student body with the Campus is essential to the best interests of the whole college. The new board pledges its most loyal support to Coach Stewart and the new athletic Allegheny which is dawning. Will the student body do less? Oratory and debate will be pushed to the front by the Campus but the responsibility for their success rests on the shoulders of every man and woman. Literary, scholastic, musical, dramatic and religious interests will from time to time be presented. Shall it be said that in one of these particulars Alleghenians were lacking? The future is full of hope and bright with promise if only the assurances asked are given.

THE ATHLETIC SITUATION.

It is always best before embarking on any enterprise to examine closely into the facts most directly connected with it. We, as a student body, are undertaking this year to make Allegheny College athletics a success. We ought, therefore, to know exactly where we stand in order that our support may be as intelligent and effective as possible.

New Economies.

The Athletic Association is now carrying a deficit of $200. Fortunately there are certain facts, which if considered will make this statement less disheartening. In the first place, sensible economies of management have just been put into effect. One of the most prominent of these is the arrangement under which the college buys all athletic supplies direct from Spaulding's at manufacturer's prices. In addition to this, the association derives all the profits from the exclusive Spaulding agency conducted by Mr. James Wicks. Mr. Wicks does not get the profits on the goods he sells but is in the employ of the athletic association as manager of the agency.

Still further, under the direction of Coach Stewart, the football schedule has been so arranged that practically $200 less than last year will be expended for guarantees and officials for the home games. The expenses of out of town games are more than covered by ample guarantees. And then, again, there is every reason to believe that larger gate receipts than last year will be taken. Two of the important home games of last year were played in the rain. Even if such a series of misfortunes should again overtake the team this year the loss would not be so great owing to the fact that in both cases last year larger guarantees were at stake than will be for any game this year. Another hopeful feature is the almost certain prospect of a winning eleven. While everything in the range of possibility was done last year to turn out a successful team, the odds were all against the coach and the team. Now, since the order is reversed, the interest among townspeople and alumni is already beginning to make itself felt and when the season starts in with a whirlwind succession of victories, as it is bound to, the gate receipts will swell to an unprecedented figure.

The General Plan.

Although there is ample justification for an optimistic view of the situation, nevertheless, the undertaking of financing athletics this year is no puny one. The general plan will be much the same as in past years with some few modifications. Briefly stated, it is as follows. Season athletic tickets are sold for five dollars. These are good for admission to all intercollegiate athletic contests held under the auspices of the Athletic Association. Unless these tickets are bought by **every man** and many of the women of the college, athletics will be a miserable failure. If one student fails to do his duty, part of the responsibility for the crippling of athletics will rest on him. Do you care to go on record as a disloyal son or daughter of Allegheny?

Besides the general admission tickets, memberships in the Athletic Association are sold for one dollar a year. This membership entitles the holder to vote at the two regular elections for positions on the athletic board. The privileges of membership, however, are not half as important as the aid given athletics. Plans are on foot, too, which will make membership in the association of more consequence than it has been in the past. To the women of the college the definite statement can be made that in the near future some provision for their representation on the athletic board will be made. Every college student a member of the Athletic Association, is the ambition of those in charge. Will you do your part and join? College pride and loyalty and patriotism should dictate the answer.

COMPETITION PROSPECTS.

Every one interested in the welfare of the Campus ought to be highly pleased with the unprecedented interest taken in competition at the present time. In spite of a severe rain storm, fourteen competitors attended a preliminary Campus Board meeting last Saturday and four others have since signified their intention of entering the race. The record of this week's competition shows fourteen contributors, each one of whom submitted something worthy of publication. Such manifestations as this seem to point to the dawn of the most successful year in the history of the paper.

It is not yet too late to begin competing. The editor is at the service of any who wish to learn in detail of the system and he is always ready to assist competitors with suggestions. This year's competition offers a challenge to the best minds in college, because of the fact of its closeness and spirited character. Some have already taken up the gauntlet but there are still others who should be represented not so much, however, because the Campus needs them, but because they need the Campus.

One thing is made imperative by the volume of competition. The faculty competition committee must be chosen at once. The Quill club and College Council owe it to the Campus to attend to this matter immediately. Otherwise, the boasted system of competition is in continual danger of miscarriage or failure. It is too much of a responsibility for the editor to preserve and file the large amount of material submitted in the short space of a month.

THE ALUMNI

The object of this department is to unite alumnus with alumnus and alumnus with undergraduate in the firmest and closest ties of Allegheny loyalty and fellowship. In order that it may be a success the hearty co-operation of the alumni is asked. All alumni material sent to the editor will be published in some form.

THE LAST OF THE FOUNDERS.

College Suffers Great Loss in the Death of the Venerable Dr. Hamnett. A Sketch of His Life and Services.

Perhaps the saddest news that reached the ears of the students during the summer was the announcement of the death of Dr. Jonathan Hamnett, emeritus professor of philosophy, which occured on August 29. Although too old and infirm to be actively connected with the college, he never let his interest wane in his Alma Mater. Up to the time of his death he never lost track of the men who went to foreign lands as missionaries and always mentioned them as "his boys."

His last service to the college was rendered last June when he conducted the annual love feast, on the afternoon of commencement Sunday. For a number of years Dr. Hamnett had charge of this particular feature of the week and here greeted many of his old friends.

His death was a great shock to his friends and immediate family. Although he had been feeble for some time yet it seemed probable, with his good constitution, that he should pass his ninety-fifth year. On his ninety-fourth birthday, last January, Andrew Carnegie sent greetings and wishes for many more years of happiness.

The funeral services, held at his home, were simple and in keeping with his quiet life. Bishop Harris read the funeral ritual of the Methodist church, two hymns were sung by a male quartet, Dr. Crawford read two scripture passages, and Bishop Thoburn gave a short address, telling of his personal relations with Dr. Hamnett. The remains were interred in Greendale cemetery.

BRIEF PARAGRAPHS.

Rev. W. W. Youngson, '91, is pastor of the Park Avenue M. E church, East Orange, N. J.

Miss Lettie Johnston, '05, is the director of Social Settlement work in Baltimore, Md. Miss Hattie Johnson, '07, is associated with her.

Miss Katherine Illingworth, '09, is teaching in St. Mary's, W. Va.

C. W. Johnson, '09, is reading law in the office of W. S. Anderson, Youngstown, O.

Miss Mary Nicholls, '09, is teaching in the Sharon High School.

P. C. Deemer, '09, is superintendent of schools in Leetonia, O.

Maurice Morrison, ex-'08, will be graduated from Leland Stanford University this year.

Miss Amy Courtenay, '07, is teaching in Shelby, O.

Miss Josette Beebe, '08, is assistant in the modern language department at Hiram College, Hiram, O.

Lee Benedict, '08, is teaching in the state of Washington.

A feature of the alumni column in the next issue will be a complete account of the doings of the class of 1910.

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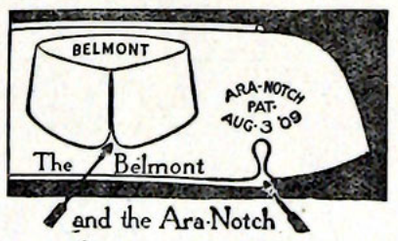

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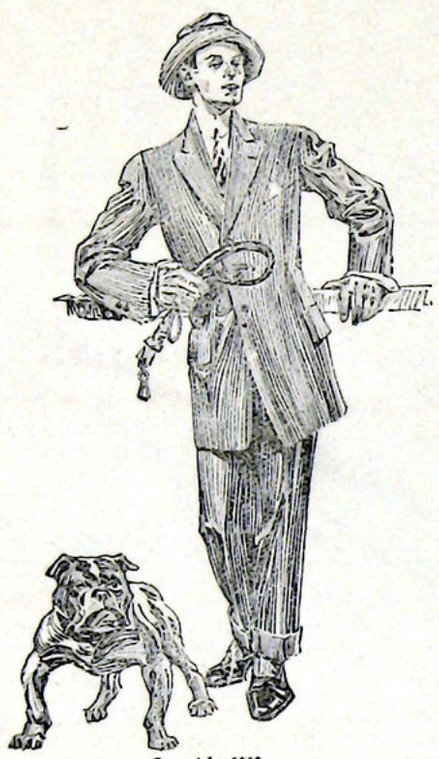

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NEWS ITEMS

The regular class elections were held beginning Friday, September 24 with Senior organization. The Juniors followed Tuesday and the Sophomores Wednesday.

Through the kindness of W. L. Stidger, ex-'10, and J. W. Barkley, '11, the Library has been furnished with bound volumes of the Campus for 1908-09 and 1909-10.

Miss Lucy Crawford, accompanied by her brother, Raymond, left Wednesday evening, September 21, for Goucher College, Baltimore, Maryland, where she will matriculate as a Freshman.

On last Saturday, the men of Cochran Hall were given their seating. For the first time, the plan of seating upper classmen at the head and foot of the tables, while the rest of the boarders were assigned their places by lot, was adopted. The seating will be changed every three months.

Miss Rowley, the librarian, desires to announce that the privilege, enjoyed last year, of getting books from the Carnegie Library, of Pittsburg, may be still made use of by patrons of the college library. Miss Rowley will be glad to explain exactly how to order the books if anyone is interested.

Dr Crawford recently received a letter from Professor Beed in which he said that he was busy studying "glaciers and milk." His greeting to the students, which was read in Chapel, Tuesday morning, was as follows: "I wish you to give my greetings to the students with my best wishes for a good and prosperous year."

Dr. Crawford's latest book, "Thoburn and India," is on sale at the book-store. This publication, which has received very favorable notice from receivers, is an outgrowth of the Thoburn Jubilee held in the spring of 1909. Both, because of its subject matter and its associations the book will doubtless be of interest to many of the student body as well as to friends of the college.

As a result of the efforts of several members of the student body the college band has been revived. At chapel, Tuesday, President Crawford brought up the subject and expressed his great satisfaction over the bright prospects for such an organization this year. He stated that he was heartily in favor of it and urged every student who could play an instrument to join in the project.

Perhaps the most interesting person in the Freshman class this year is found in Pedro Ramirez, of Maunaho, Puerto Rico. He comes here from the preparatory school at Ohio Wesleyan, where he was a student for several years. Mr. Ramirez is preparing himself for missionary work and expects either to tutor or give private lessons in Spanish if there is any demand for that line of work.

Quite a number of the professors from the college occupied various pulpits last Sunday. Dr. F. C. Lockwood preached both morning and evening in the Presbyterian church. Dr. G. A. Mulfinger occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday morning. Professor S. S. Swartley preached at Saegertown in the morning and in the evening. Dr. Crawford addressed a Sunday school rally at the Wilkinsburg M. E. church.

To judge from the applause which greeted his remark, President Crawford was quite right, Tuesday morning, when he called Coach Stewart "the most popular man among us." After the ovation had ceased a notice was read inviting the student body to the practices, calling for more candidates and asking for volunteers to act as rubbers. Some few men responded to the call for more candidates for the team, but scarcely one offered himself for the job of rubber. Although the hours are rather inconvenient the work is absolutely necessary, for it is only in this way that the men can be kept in good shape, free from soreness, with their muscles working perfectly and ready to put forth the last ounce of energy when it is called for.

For the first time in the year the student body came together on the afternoon of Wednesday, September 21 for a brief Chapel service, which began at four o'clock and lasted for about a half an hour. Dr. Crawford, in a few well chosen sentences welcomed back the old students, whose faces were proverbially familiar and also extended the welcoming hand to the many new ones who for the first time had gathered in the Chapel.

Before the departure of Rev. Mitchell a farewell reception was held for him at the Stone church. Professor O. P. Akers presided and Dr. Cobern made the farewell address and presented the pastor with a purse of gold. Mrs. Mitchell was also given a set of silver.

The first meeting of the Oratorical Association was held in Philo-Franklin Hall, last Thursday afternoon, for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year. The following officers were chosen: president H .M. Weeter; secretary, F. H. Callahan, treasurer, H. R. Hunt. The meeting then turned to the discussion of plans for the Forum.

Officers were elected for the Forum as follows: speaker, A. J. Nelson; speaker pro tem, J. M. White, secretary, J. T. Taylor; sergeant-at-arms, Clair Sweetland. An informal discussion of the general plan for this year's Forum was led by Professor Swartley. Particular stress was laid on the importance of an early start in debating activity this year, as the inter-collegiate debates will probably be held at an earlier date than formerly. The meeting then adjourned after 25 members had been enrolled.

This last summer has seen a number of changes in the local churches. The Rev. W. S. Mitchell has been changed from the Stone church to Grace church, Oil City, Rev. Mr. J. H. Bickford, formerly of Toledo, O., taking his place here. The former pastor of the State Street M. E. church, Rev. Mr. R. A. Buzza, was transferred to Edinboro. The pastor who was assigned to his place is unable to come and the pulpit is being supplied by the Rev. Mr. Lavely, Erie Conference evangelist. Rev. Dr. C. Thurston Chase, of the Congregational church, has accepted a call to a church at Lynn, Mass. As yet no provision has been made for a pastor for the local church. Rev. W. B. Irwin, of the Presbyterian church, has returned from his trip abroad and esumed his work. L. W. Sherwin, '08, who occupied the pulpit in his absence, has returned to the Theological Seminary.

The following pledges have been announced by the several fraternities:

Phi Kappa Psi: Maurice Lord, Meadville; Newton Longfellow, Minneapolis, Minn; Frank Richard, Braddock; Richard Kahle, Buffalo, N. Y.; James Wicks, Pittsburg.

Phi Gamma Delta: Paul Thomas, Meadville; Charles Dotterrer, Muzette; Paul Johnston, Greenville; Everrett Weidle, Erie; Theodore Thoburn, Meadville; John Pierson, Meadville.

Delta Tau Delta: Ira Shoup, Muzette; Rudolph Cullom, Meadville; Harrison Askey, Sharon.

Phi Delta Theta: Ray Evans, Pittsburg; Richard Brigham, Oil City; Cecil Riggs, Moundsville, W. Va.; John Nichols, Sharon.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon: Frank C. Johnson, Lisbon, O.; James H. Graham, Butler; Walter H. Fegely, Erie; Perry Black, Meadville; Lawrence Miller, Meadville; D. G. Richey, McKeesport; W. F. Galbraith, Coal Center; A. R. Edmunds, Bruin.

Theta Delta Psi: Ben Ball, North Girard; George Hayes, North Girard.

Class officers are:

Seniors
- President—J. W. Barkley.
- Vice-President—Paul M. Hillman.
- Secretary—Miss Mollie Bassett.
- Treasurer—James A. Bortz.
- Assistant Treasurer—Miss Una Duffy.

Juniors—
- President, H. S. Leitzel.
- Vice President, C. L. Lore.
- Secretary, Miss Mary Patterson.
- Treasurer, Williard Maxwell.

Sophomores—
- President, W. T. Dotterer.
- Vice President, Charles S. Hendricks.
- Secretary, Miss Beulah Grauel.
- Treasurer, Gordon Hinckley.

Freshmen—
- President, James S. Wicks.
- Vice President, Frank C. Johnson.
- Secretary, Miss Isabella Thoburn.
- Treasurer, Richard D. Brigham.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE.

October 8.—Hiram, at home.
October 15.—Geneva, at home.
October 22.—Grove City, at home.
October 29.—Open.
November 5.—Carnegie Tech, at Pittsburg.
November 8—Westminster, at Sharon.
November 12.—Buchtel, at Akron.
November 19.—Rochester University or Alfred College, at home.

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new athletic field behind the gymnasium.

Coach E. J. Stewart spent a large part of the vacation in scouring the surrounding country on his motorcycle in search of men for the football squad and between trips he was at his home in Ohio.

Miss Spalding, who is now acting dean of women, was at her home in Chicago during the summer.

In addition to those mentioned, Professors Ross, Mulfinger, Ling, Akers, Snavely and Decker remained in Meadville during the summer.

Dr. Cobern was probably the busiest of the faculty men this summer. Sixty lectures at six Chautauquas were delivered by him at Lancaster, O.; Bay View, Mich.; Waterloo and Sioux City, Ia.; Round Lake, N. Y., and Mt. Gretna, Pa At the last named place he addressed the State Y. M. C. A. Bible conference. He has been re-engaged already for next summer at these same places and also to give a two weeks' series of lectures at Plymouth church, Brooklyn, which was Henry Ward Beecher's church for many years and which now has Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis for its pastor. Dr. Cobern has also been invited to join Dr. Campbell Morgan in the great Bible School to be held at Atlanta, Ga., next March. Last year over 2,300 ministers attended this school.

During the summer, two interesting articles by Dr. Crawford appeared in Zion's Herald. One was on "The Passion Play at Oberammergau," and the second was entitled, "In the Footsteps of Savonarola."

Professor and Mrs. Lee took a delightful automobile trip during the summer. They went to upper Canada and came home by way of the Great Lakes.

CHANGES.

A number of changes of great importance have been made in the personnel of the Faculty since last June with the result that the platform seats in Chapel present several new faces to the view of the student body.

Perhaps the greatest change is noted in the department of history. This department was, for a number of years, in charge of Dr. Ernest Ashton Smith. At the close of last year, Dr. Smith announced his resignation to accept a position on the faculty of Princeton University, where he is now a preceptor with rank of assistant professor. He left early in the summer to take up his new duties.

The history work is now in charge of Professor H. H. Trexler, of Omaha, Neb. Professor Trexler graduated from Bellevue College, Omaha, in 1905, and later spent two years in graduate work at the University of Chicago. During 1907-09 he was on the faculty of the Hardin College for Young Ladies, in Missouri, and last year he spent in travel and study in Europe. He also done special work in the University of Missouri.

Miss Margaret E. N. Fraser, who was, for several years, professor of Romance Languages and dean of women, has resigned her position and Miss Spalding, of the department of elocution, is acting dean. Miss Hazel Bullock, who graduated in the class of 1909, has been engaged as instructor of French in college and in Alden Academy. She graduated in the Latin and Modern Language course, leading her class and winning Phi Beta Kappa. Last year she taught at Cattaraugus, N. Y.

Dr. Guy E. Snavely, the popular registrar and professor of French, has been promoted to the position of professor of Romance Languages.

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lect officials—a lie spun out of the whole cloth.

The true history of the case shows that Harry Fry, Jr., of Pittsburg, was agreed upon as one of the officials. While negotiations for the other were pending Dr. Babbitt's appointments for the game were received by Mr. Murphy, who notified Allegheny's management that the matter was therefore settled. Caruthers and Rafferty, the committee's choice, were not considered satisfactory here, but in view of Mr. Murphy's ultimatum, delivered in the form of the following telegram, were accepted as follows:

Telegram No. 1.

"Washington, Pa., Sept. 26, received at Meadville at 8:11 a. m. Sept. 27.

"E. J. Stewart, care Allegheny college, Meadville, Pa.

"If Farar and Caruthers are not satisfactory consider game cancelled. Wire reply.

"R. M. MURPHY."

Telegram No. 2.

"Meadville, Pa., sent at 12:07 p. m. Sept. 27 to R. M. Murphy, care Washington and Jefferson college, Washington, Pa.

"We will play Saturday as per contract.

"E. J. STEWART."

Telegram No. 3.

"From Washington, Pa., Sept. 27, received 3:52 p. m., to E. J. Stewart, care Allegheny college, Meadville, Pa.

"Your telegram came too late. Game is cancelled.

"R. M. MURPHY."

Allegheny wanted to play the game or such a telegram as No. 1 would have brought instant cancellation. Mr. Murphy's reply to No. 2, received in Meadville three hours after reply to the first, was a surprise and disappointment in view of the fact that every point had been conceded by the local management.

CLASS SPIRIT RUNS HIGH.

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Three Sophomores were perched in the branches and the uppermost held the coveted rag For twenty minutes the lads of emerald hue vainly attempted to make the ascent, and during this time the fighters were struggling and digging. However, all efforts made by the Freshmen to get a man up the tree were fruitless and when the time limit was up, the scarlet and gray flag was still safely held in the upper branches.

The fight of Thursday morning ended hostilities and they will not be resumed until the rope tieing contest, which is to be held at the Athletic Field in the near future.

A REGISTRATION RECORD

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Evans, Raymond D., Pittsburg.
Fegely, Walter H., North Girard.
Fisher, Stella, Ellwood City.
Freer, Nellie E., Galion, O.
Frost, George B., Richmond, P. Q. Canada.
Galbraith, Wilbur F., Coal Center.
Girsham, Ellen M., Yenangyoung, Burma.
Graham, James H. Jr., Butler.
Hamilton, Linna G., Hopkinton, Iowa.
Hotson, Mary Helen, Meadville.
Hammond, Gertrude L., Reynoldsville.
Harper, Edgar R., Meadville.
Harper, Helen, Youngstown, O.
Hastings, Josephine, Meadville.
Hays, Wesley G., Edinboro
Heath, Clyde H., Corry.
Hotson, Mary Helen. Meadville.
Hunt, Sara A., Conneaut, O.
Hutchinson, Joe B., Parkersburg, W. Va.
Jeffrey, M. P., Meadville.
Johnson, Frank C., Lisbon, O.
Johnston, Paul, Greenville.
Kahle, Richard B., Buffalo, N. Y.
Kellog, Hazel G., Titusville.
Lane, Winfield S., Mt. Pleasant.
Lindberg, Paul, Homestead.
Longfellow, Newton, Minneapolis, Minn.
Lord, Maurice M., Meadville.
McGowan, James R, Smithport.
McKay, Eleanor, Meadville.
Mafit, Marion A., Meadville.
Marvin, Isabella D., Meadville.
Maxwell, Clint S., Meadville.
Mellon, Melion G., Conneaut Lake.
Miller, Karl C., Mt. Pleasant.
Miller, Lawrence, Meadville.
Mitchell, Joe, Meadville.
Morehead, Marion A., Beaver.
Mueller, Gertrude A., South Bend, Indiana.
Nicholls, Jonter A., Sharon.
Parsons, Willard D., Saegertown.
Pierson, John C., Meadville.
Pitcairn, Katherine, Sharon.
Rameriz, Pedro, Maunaho, Puerto Rico.
Rambler, Harry F., Renfrew.
Ramsey, Nathan L., Renfrew.
Rea, Caroline L., Linesville.
Reed, Gertrude., Sandy Lake.
Reed, Jessie S., Scottdale.
Reese William, Bolivar.
Richard, Frank A., Turtle Creek.
Ricker, Ruth M., Meadville.
Riethmiller, Clara F., Dayton, O.
Riggs, Cecil, Moundsville, W. Va.
Riggs, R. R., Clarion, Pa.
Robinson, Jeanette G., Boston.
Scott, Florence M., Meadville.
Seiler, Marion, Sprankle Mills.
Seitz, Margaret, Hamilton.
Shoup, Ira B., Muzette.
Shryock, Gertrude Miriam, Meadville.
Siggins, Howard W., Meadville.
Smith, Rachel E., Meadville.
Spohr, Arthur, Meadville.
Strauss, Charles S., Seagertown.
Strong, Lucile K., Mt. Jewett.
Sweetland, Clair, South Dayton, N. Y.
Thoburn, Isabella, Meadville.
Thoburn, Theodore, Meadville.
Thoburn, Thomas W., Meadville.
Thomas, M. Helen, Meadville.
Thomas, Guy H., Linesville.
Thomas, Paul E., Meadville.
Tiffany, Jessie M., Meadville.
Unangst, Cecil M., Cochranton.
Walker, Charles R., Bruin.
Waring, Marie, Mansfield, O.
Waugaman, Arthur R., Meadville.
Weaver, Forrest P., Meadville.
Weidle, Everett S., Erie.
Weissenborn, Thelma O., Jersey City, N. J.
Wicks, James, Bellevue.
Wilkins, Bernice, Union City.
Wilkins, Isma, Union City.
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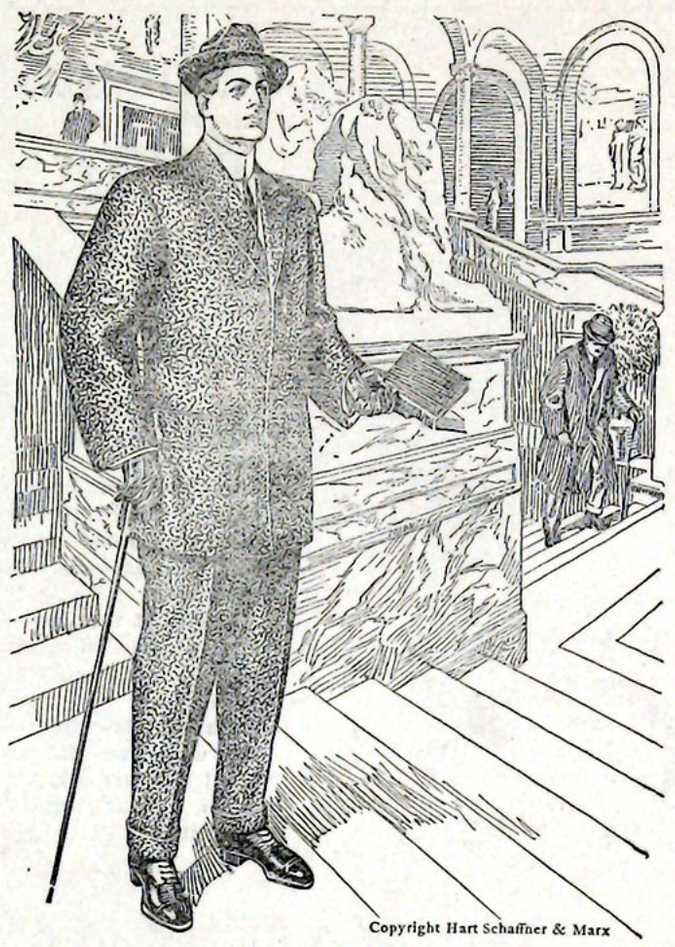

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