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FOUR GAMES RESULT IN TWO VICTORIES

Team Meets Defeat at Hands of Pitt and W. Va.— 34-22 Victory Over Tech—Grove City Defeated 32-23

PITT GAME.

For the second time in nine years University of Pittsburgh emerged victor in the annual basketball tilt with Allegheny by a score of 30-25. The contest was bitterly fought throughout, neither side having a commanding lead until the last few minutes of play when the Pitt quintet forged ahead.

In contrast to the splendid teamwork of the Pitt team, the Allegheny five could not get their team play working smoothly. The clever short passing which bewildered the Hiram team two weeks before, was missing in the Pitt game. On account of exams Allegheny was idle since the Hiram game and this lay-off accounts in a large measure for the showing, because against Carnegie Tech and West Virginia the local boys showed decided improvement. For the first five minutes our boys seemed bewildered and tossed the ball wildly or threw it into a Pitt man's hands. Had Pitt been the last game of the trip Allegheny beyond a doubt would have taken her scalp.

Allegheny took the lead against Pitt with fouls by Kofford and a field goal, the first of the game, by Volk. Pitt, however, tied the score when Laughran dropped one in from mid-floor and A. Berman started his foul shooting. The game saw-sawed during the first half, being tied at 12-12 once but shortly before the close of the first half Allegheny took the lead when Meredith dropped in one from under the basket and Kofford shot a foul. Score at end of first half: Allegheny, 16; Pitt, 12.

Pitt started off with a rush the second half. A. Berman electrified the crowd when he dropped one in from beyond the center of the floor and when Laughran, a few minutes later, tipped one in from a scrimmage in under the basket, Pitt took the lead. The horse shoes were all Pitt's for Mervis increased the lead by a wonderful long shot.

The guarding was close and the fighting was spirited, many fouls being called. Incidentally, both foul shooters were working good, Berman shooting 10 out of 13 tries, Kofford, 11 out of 15.

During the last few minutes Allegheny tried desperately to overcome the advantage and while Kerr and Volk managed to slip away for baskets, Levine and Laughran sewed up the game for Pitt with long shots, lucky or otherwise, thus giving Pitt a clean-cut 30-25 victory.

Captain Volk and Kerr played the floor well and scored twelve of Allegheny's points, while Kofford did exceptionally well on fouls, but the team work, as mentioned above, was far below par. This lack of unity predominated throughout. Pitt out-scored Allegheny in baskets, 10-7.

The line-up:
Allegheny—25 Pitt—30
Volk, Capt. F Daniels
Kerr F A. Berman
Meredith C Laughran
Kofford G B. Berman
R. L. Baldwin G Mervis, Capt.
Substitution: Levine for Daniels.
Field goals: Pitt—A. Berman, 3; Laughran, 3; Mervis, 3; Levine. Allegheny—Volk, 3; Kerr, 3; Meredith.
Foul goals: A. Berman, 10 out of 13; Kofford, 11 out of 15.
Referee: Slack.

CARNEGIE TECH GAME.

Stung by the defeat at the hands of

CALENDAR.

Tuesday, February 11.
7:00 P. M.
Quill Club, Library.
Wednesday, February 12.
7:00 P. M.
Y. M. C. A., Cochran Hall.
Y. W. C. A., Hullings Hall.
Thursday, February 13.
7:00 P. M.
Lecture for men by Dr. Jerome, Y. M. C. A. Rooms, Cochran Hall.
Friday, February 14.
4:30 P. M.
Philo-Franklin Forum, Bentley Hall.
7:00 P. M.
Y. M. C. A. Movies in Chapel.
Monday, February 17.
8:15 P. M.
Basket ball game with West Virginia University, Allegheny Gymnasium.

Pitt, the night before, Allegheny wreaked vengeance on their old time rivals, Carnegie Tech, by scoring a 34-22 victory over the Plaid representatives. The Tech boys were outclassed in all departments of the game and save for a few minutes in the second half were on the defensive. One feeble effort late in the game to overcome the odds was quickly subdued by the close guarding of the locals.

Meredith got the tip-off and a few minutes later rung up the first counter for Allegheny followed by three foul shots by Kofford. Abrams missed two free shots and then scored two for Tech. Kofford then threw in one from the side. The team work and passing of Allegheny recalled to mind their fine floor work in the Hiram game. While Tech was making a couple of points on fouls, Kerr and Volk registered points from the field for Allegheny. The Allegheny goal was in danger at no time. Every attempt of Abrams to dribble was stopped by Baldwin's close guarding. Baldwin played the so-called star off his feet. The score at half time stood 16-6 in Allegheny's favor. Every man but Baldwin, who was playing still guard, scored while Tech made but one basket, Lynn dropping one in from the center of the floor.

Tech started out in the second half with the intention of evening up the score but Meredith quickly dispelled this wild fancy by scoring one of the prettiest baskets of the game from mid floor. It never touched the rim. His work the second half was exceptionally good, especially in the close fighting under the basket. His efforts netted three baskets the second half. Kerr's floor work was good, holding his man scoreless while he caged two baskets himself.

For a short time in the second period Allegheny slackened up somewhat and enabled Tech to fill up the breach a trifle. Abrams managed to count up three times and Hammon twice, but when the situation threatened, our guards tightened up and no further scoring resulted from the floor. The game ended with Allegheny on the long end of a 34-22 score.

The line-up:
Allegheny—34 Carnegie Tech—22
Volk F Abrams
Kerr F Foxon
Meredith C Gretzler
Kofford G Carey
R. Baldwin G Lynn
Substitutions: Hammond for Foxon, Nichol for Carey.
Field goals: Volk, 2; Kerr, 3; Meredith, 4; Kofford, 1; Abrams, 3; Lynn, 2; Hammond, 2.
Foul goals: Kofford, 14 out of 21; Abrams, 6 out of 14; Lynn, 2 out of 6.
Referee: Dougherty.

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College Dinner Plans Are In Full Swing

COMMITTEES APPOINTED AND ACTIVE. G. A. STETSON, '19, CHAIRMAN OF GENERAL COMMITTEE.

The committees are now actively engaged in making preparations for the Washington's Birthday Banquet. Besides a General Committee there is the Finance Committee, the Program Committee, and the Decorating Committee. Certain members were appointed to each of these committees by the Student Senate, but the chairman of each of these committees has the privilege of making an additional appointment.

The following is a list of the members of the various committees:

General Committee: G. A. Stetson, '19, chairman; Miss Neal, '19; Miss Monroe, '19; Professor Ward.
Finance Committee: W. S. Zehrung, '19, chairman; Norwood Kerr, '20; Anna Nelson, '20; F. J. Stewart, '19, Paul Webb, '20.
Decorating Committee: Helen Abrams, '19, chairman; Miss Pappenhagen, '20; E. E. Kirkpatrick, '19.
Program Committee: George A. Stetson, '19, chairman; Professor Ward, C. L. Jones, '19.
There are certain college traditions connected with this affair, always the biggest social event of the year. Each class is given a corner of the Gymnasium which they decorate in accord with certain restrictions given below.

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Two Lectures by Noted Journalist

DR. TALCOTT WILLIAMS SPEAKS. LEAGUE OF NATIONS ESSENTIAL. PRESS PERFORMS BIG WORK.

That a league of nations is necessary to keep the boundaries which are just laid out in Europe, and that unless such union of nations is formed the democracy of the world is in peril, was the rather striking keynote of Dr. Talcott Williams' remarkable speech, "A New Era in Democracy," Friday evening before a large audience at the Ford Chapel.

Dr. Williams declared that it was up to the three great Powers of the world, the United States, Great Britain and France, to keep the peace of the world, and organize a league of nations which would render future wars an impossibility.

The peril of democracy at the present time lies chiefly in the fact that the great material and materialistic forces of certain countries desire to dominate the Peace Conference at Versailles for their own selfish ends and ambitions. The mission of Japan, for instance, is made up of military and financial interests of the old regime. Japan's mission, consisting of naval, army, financial and industrial magnates, are looking out for extensive interests in China. But the democratic movements of the United States, Great Britain and France will undoubtedly succeed in curbing any imperialistic schemes which would endanger the peace of the world.

Prophecy that Japan will in time be as self-governing and democratic as the United States, Dr. Williams stated that this will be a new era in the democracy of the world. Japan and Italy, countries which still belong to the old imperialistic type are bound to emerge as democratic countries. Militarism and oppression must make way for democracy.

The speaker voiced the opinion that the United States was the only country that carried out a work of amelioration and self-government in her colonial possessions. The United States was practically the first country in the world that sent a commission to investigate the tropical diseases in the colonial possessions. The United States granted Philippines self-government, while other nations were ruling their colonies under the iron heel of militarism. As a result of our fair treatment to the peoples of our possessions, the colonial attitude of the world was gradually being changed. England, which controlled many colonies, began to grant self-government to many more of her colonies.

Thus, when other nations sought to exploit the weaker countries, when other governments looked for material interests, the United States was the one disinterested and unselfish country among so many other great powers. Upon the United States and the other big powers rests the future peace of the world.

Dr. Williams emphasized that out of this great struggle democracy must come supreme. Oppression in the Ottoman Empire must be eradicated not by hanging men, but by establishing schools and universities.

Dr. Williams was entertained Friday at 6:30 p. m. at a dinner in Cochran Hall, given by the University Club.

Saturday's Lecture.

"The newspaper is democracy in thought; it is representative of the people; it is the beacon of civilization."

So said Dr. Talcott Williams, head of the School of Journalism, Columbia University, in his splendid address, "Journalism and Democracy," before a large audience at Ford Chapel, Saturday morning.

Pointing out first some of the essentials in journalism, and illustrating the methods of the press from his extensive journalistic experiences, Dr. Williams emphasized the fact that the newspaper was always a powerful factor in the fighting of the evil forces of society, in fighting oppression and injustice.

"In the words of Mr. Dooley," declared the speaker, "the aim of the newspaper is to comfort the afflicted and to afflict those who enjoy comfort."

The American newspaper has constantly played a big role in the campaign against the social evils. It assisted the Government in removing some of the prevailing evils in the United States Army. It has carried out successfully all the great reforms of the day and has served the people in every way possible.

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Oratory and Debate Programs Announced

THREE ORATORICAL CONTESTS AND UNDER-CLASS DEBATE SCHEDULED. VARSITY DEBATE PROBABLE.

Oratory and debate—a field in which Allegheny has not recently shown the interest usual in other colleges—bids fair to be revived this year with more than usual enthusiasm. In preparing for the Wakefield contest, the only Oratorical affair heretofore announced, it was found that over a dozen contestants wished to enter. This number is greater than for years past, and seems to indicate a general revival of pep and interest in debate and oratory.

The following schedule has thus far been arranged for oratorical and debating activities this spring:

Philo-Franklin Oratorical Contest, March 13.

Wakefield Oratorical Contest, March 28.

Freshman-Sophomore Debate, April 10.

Intercollegiate Oratorical Contest, May 2.

In addition to these events an attempt is being made to schedule a dual debate sometime late in the year for the Varsity team. The late start will be a handicap, and it is probable that nothing ambitious in the inter-collegiate line will be undertaken. However a number of colleges have been written to and at least one Inter-Collegiate debate is hoped for.

The annual contest of the Inter-Collegiate Oratorical Association, comprising Wooster University, University of Pittsburgh, Ohio Wesleyan University, Washington & Jefferson, Colgate University, and Allegheny, will be held here on May 2. As this contest has always been a big event for all the colleges involved, and comes to each one only once in six years, it is much looked forward to here.

In this contest Allegheny is usually represented by the winner of the Wakefield Oratorical Contest, which will be held March 28. This contest is for a prize of \$50, which is given by James A. Wakefield, Jr., of Pittsburgh, Pa. Thus far the following prospective speakers have entered the contest: McCafferty, Kreuger, Russel, Camel, Hoover, Meredith, Colley, McCurdy, Welty, Barr, Benson.

All contestants must hand in four copies of their orations to G. A. Benson, '20, not later than Feb. 24. The orations will be judged by a faculty committee and the six best will be presented on the evening of the contest.

The Philo-Franklin Oratorical contest is distinguished from the Wakefield mainly in that it is open to Freshmen, while the Wakefield contest is not. It will be held on March 13 in the Chapel. All students wishing to compete should hand their names to Miss Sue Jenkins, '20, Secretary of the Oratorical Association, or to C. L. Jones, '19, President, before February 15. The contest carries two prizes; a first prize of \$15, and a second prize of \$10.

The Annual Freshman-Sophomore debate will be held in chapel on April 17. In previous years this has aroused some class feeling, and should not fall this year. The trophy is a large banner which is hung in the library, and on which the numerals of the winning classes are placed. It was provided by the Oratorical Association last year. The question for this debate has not yet been announced, and will be held up pending the arrangement of an intercollegiate debate, as it is customary to debate the varsity question in the inter-class debates. The Sophomore team of three and one alternate, are elected by their classmates from the best material of the previous year. The Freshman team is chosen by competition before a faculty committee of judges, who select the best material.

Ten Delegates at Centenary Convention

ALLEGHENY WELL REPRESENTED AT OHIO WESLEYAN BETWEEN SENESTERS. PLANS FOR CAMPAIGN MADE.

At a convention where there were delegates from nineteen colleges and universities of Ohio and Western Pennsylvania; held at Ohio Wesleyan University, at Delaware, Ohio, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, January 31, February 1 and 2, Allegheny had

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ALLEGHENY DEDICATES SERVICE FLAG TO DEAD

Impressive Memorial Service for Thirteen Alleghenians Who Gave Their Lives for Democracy

Impressive memorial services were held Friday morning at 11:30 at the Ford Memorial Chapel in honor of the many Allegheny men who made the supreme sacrifice in the far-flung battle lines of France.

Several of the mothers of the Allegheny men, whose sons sacrificed their lives in order that German militarism may be crushed forever, were present at the services.

After a prayer by Dr. W. A. Elliott, Miss Root, '19, in behalf of the student body, presented a service flag, consisting of 13 gold stars to the college.

Professor C. F. Ross read the following names and records of each of the 13 men who had died in service.

The Honor Roll.

Frank Owen Amon, '12. Captain, Gas Offense Service. Died Souilly, France, Oct. 12, 1918.

Floyd Elmer Arnold, '15. Second Lieutenant, U. S. Infantry. Died Paris, France, November, 1918.

Wells McDermott Clothier, ex-'19. Died Oakdale, Pa., May 18, 1918.

Fred. Conover, '04. Captain, U. S. Engineers. Died Camp Lee, Va., Feb. 8, 1918.

Elmer Tansie Conrath, ex-'19. Private, U. S. Infantry. Died Camp Hancock, Ga., Jan. 31, 1918.

Ralph Edmundson Graham, ex-'18. Second Lieutenant, Aviation. Died Caruthers Field, Texas, Oct. 14, 1918.

Evans McKay, '13. First Lieutenant, U. S. Infantry. Died Hot Springs, Ark., Jan. 18, 1917.

Grant Smith Norton, ex-'19. Private, U. S. Infantry. Died Argonne Wood, France, Oct. 7, 1918.

Don Kramer Prather, ex-'20. Died Oakdale, Pa., May 18, 1918.

Paul Kistler Sheffer, ex-'20. Died Pittsburgh, Pa., May 25, 1918.

William Sheldon Sigendall, ex-'21. Died Oakdale, Pa., May 18, 1918.

Ellery Justin Stetson, ex-'11. U. S. Infantry. Died Argonne Wood, France, Oct. 11, 1918.

Franklin Brinton Trosh, ex-'13. Private, U. S. Infantry. Died in France, October, 1918.

Presentation of the Flag.

The flag was presented with great simplicity and dignity. Captain Judd and Lieutenant Faulkner had been chosen as ushers; Sergeants Patterson and Harman as guards; Miss Root, President of the Senior Class, as presenter of the flag; Miss Widdowson, President of the Women's Senate, as flag-bearer; and Mr. Stewart, of the Navy.

These students, acting as a body-guard for the flag, marched in solemn procession down the aisle of the chapel, dividing right and left at the platform. Miss Louise Root and Miss Olevia Widdowson then moved to the platform. In presenting the flag, Miss Root spoke proudly and movingly of the part that Allegheny has played in the Nation's wars.

President W. H. Crawford in a fitting response accepted the service flag for the college and trustees, declaring that the Allegheny students, as courageous, brave and unselfish men, dedicated themselves to the great cause which America committed herself. Allegheny men paid a big price in the war, but it was not in vain.

After a splendid solo by Ruth Miller which touched the hearts of the many Allegheny mothers, Dr. Talcott Williams, noted journalist, distinguished educator, and head of the Pulitzer School of Journalism, Columbia University, made the principal address at the memorial service exercises.

Dr. Talcott Williams' Speech.

"We have fought many wars for freedom," declared Dr. Williams. "We have fought for ourselves when we broke away from the isolated policy of Great Britain in the American colonies; we fought for the freedom of the seas; we fought against the institution of slavery and against injustice. We entered this world cataclysm in order to give self-government to the world. We have discovered like our forefathers, that the world can not exist half autocratic and half democratic.

"We stood patiently resolved to maintain our peace and let the miscarriage of justice go on, but an hour came when we determined to draw the sword for humanity's sake."

Dr. Williams stated that we were not here to remember the past but the future; not one nation, but all nations.

Let us make a solemn sacrifice, a solid determination that out of this war shall come peace, that out of the

struggle shall follow a union of nations, when all races and peoples that were blended by centuries of oppression and servitude shall have light from above. Let us take a burden upon ourselves to stand ready for the principles we fought; that we should not enjoy our untold material prosperity for selfish motives, but that we should remember that we do not belong to ourselves but to the rest of the world.

The American Flag is only one of many flags; our Nation is one of many nations, and therefore, it is essential that if we have fought for humanity, that we ally ourselves to the men who are endeavoring to make a union of nations a success.

"Never again may this college be called again to fight wars. Never again shall a nation lead her armies for war, but may we know true and everlasting peace."

Dr. Williams was formerly the chief editorial writer of the Springfield (Massachusetts) Republican and the Philadelphia Press. He was also on the editorial staff of the New York World, Sun, San Francisco Chronicle, and a string of other famous newspapers. He resigned his various editorial positions only a short time ago to become the head of the School of Journalism, Columbia University, perhaps the largest school of its kind in the world that aims to train young men in professional journalism.

Dr. Williams is a well-known contributor to literary and philosophical journals. His recent articles in the Review of Reviews and the World Magazine have been extremely interesting.

Order of Service.

Organ Voluntary: "Ase's Death"—Grieg.

Doxology.

Call to prayer.

The Lord's Prayer—Choir.

Hymn, No. 275—"The Son of God Goes Forth to War."

Scripture Lesson.

Prayer—Dr. William A. Elliott.

Anthem—Choir.

Presentation of Flag—President of Senior Class.

Response—President Crawford.

Solo—"My Son," Carrie Jacobs-Bond.

—Miss Ruth Miller.

Address—Dr. Talcott Williams.

Hymn—"Alma Mater Beatissima."

Benediction—Dr. Joseph W. Miles.

Postlude—"Triumphal March from Naaman"—Costa.

New Coach Comes

With Fine Reputation

GEORGE E. KEOGAN NEW DIRECTOR OF GYMNASICS AND PHYSICAL TRAINING FOR THIS YEAR.

During his trip to the West, President Crawford succeeded in getting a man to fill Prof. Hammett's place till the latter returns from France. He is George E. Keogan.

Mr. Keogan is a graduate of the University of Minnesota and was active in athletics while there, playing two years varsity football and basketball as well as participating in baseball and track. He will remain here the rest of the school year, as Director of Gymnastics and Physical Training, and will assist Coach Gilbert with the basketball team.

He has had considerable experience in coaching and directing Physical Training. He has been coaching for the past ten years at various high schools and colleges in the Middle West—Charles City College, Riverside Academy, Super-State Teachers College, St. Thomas College and St. Louis University. He came to us the first of last week and aided in whipping the basketball team in shape for the Grove City game. He will also direct track activities and will issue a call for candidates shortly.

ALLEGHENY COLLEGE TO RECEIVE INCOME FROM CARNEGIE FUND.

The Associated Press dispatch to the Tribune announced that Allegheny College was the first to be added to the Carnegie Foundation's list of Associated Institutions under its new plan of contributory annuity. The important details of this welcome contribution to Allegheny cannot be given but the students of this college will undoubtedly be elated at the above announcement.

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EDITORIAL.

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Less than two weeks remain before the biggest social event of the college year, an occasion dear to tradition and looked forward to by Allegheny students and alumni everywhere, the Washington Birthday Banquet. Last year war conditions made it impossible to have the banquet and that fact makes more intense the desire of every college man and woman that this be the biggest and best college dinner ever held, an affair equal to the occasion and fittingly heralding Allegheny's entrance upon a post-war period of renewed advance. Many traditions are bound up in the Banquet dear to the hearts of all Alleghenians, and these must be kept alive and handed down intact to the men and women of the future. The occasion is one in which college and class spirit runs high, and the songs of the various classes are one of the prominent features of the evening. Great interest hinges upon the Freshman and Sophomore classes when they make their appearance in the banquet hall in their fancy costumes, kept secret from all until the moment of entry. The grand march of the two under classes later in the evening serves to show off the costumes of the two classes and their relative novelty and picturesqueness. Speeches by members of the alumni, faculty, and classes with the exception of the Freshman Class follow the dinner. To make this banquet the biggest success ever, it is absolutely necessary that every man and woman in college attend. If you have any college or class spirit whatever, you will be at the Washington Birthday Banquet full of pep, and ready to boost for Old Allegheny.

The latest Periodicals at Trace's.

COLLEGE DINNER PLANS

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The Seniors wear their caps and gowns while the Juniors wear white caps and gowns. The Sophomore and Freshmen classes each wear fancy costumes which are kept secret from the rival classes and the college until the evening of the banquet. During the meal class songs and yells are given, the Seniors giving their yells first, being followed by the classes in their order. After the dinner toasts are given by members of the faculty, the alumni, and all the classes but the Freshmen class.

The restrictions which are placed on the classes are as follows:

1. No nails shall be driven in the floor of the gymnasium.
2. No material shall be used which will obstruct the balcony viewers. This applies to both the general and the class decorations.
3. The expense of any class shall not exceed twenty dollars.
4. There shall be no raised platforms.
5. The division of the gymnasium shall be in the hands of the general committee.
6. No men shall buy the women's tickets.

For the benefit of the visitors it can be stated that the same provisions will be made for the balcony visitors as in former years.

Read your home paper.—Trace's will deliver it.

TEN DELEGATES AT CENTENARY CONVENTION.

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ten representatives. They were Miss Ruth Miller, Miss Marie Francis, Miss Cecil Edwards, Miss Helen Abrams, Miss Margaret Chapin, Mr. Edwin Booth, Mr. Robert Faulkner, Mr. Farber Baum, Mr. Gilbert Benson and Mr. Stanley Eberlee.

This convention was held with a view of getting a thorough understanding of the augmented movement which has been undertaken by the Methodist Episcopal Church. This move is to endeavor to raise \$80,000,000 for missionary purposes, \$40,000,000 for home missions and a like amount for foreign missions. The convention was held not with the intention of getting missionaries but to get backing for the movement from colleges and universities.

To help the delegates to an understanding of what the church is aiming to do, a series of addresses and stereopticon lectures were given throughout the three days of the convention, by noted ministers and missionaries. A good idea of the great work which the Methodist Episcopal Church is doing may be gained from what is being done in the city of Boston alone. Here the church owns a complete block in which besides a church there are a home mission establishment to take care of those who come there down and out, dormitories, club rooms and a manufacturing establishment. Here are employed those who come to the mission for aid. Last year this plant did \$250,000 worth of business.

When down for your mail, stop at Trace's for your tobacco.

Y. M. C. A. READING ROOM OPENED THIS WEEK.

Beginning with this week the Y. M. C. A. reading room, in the basement of Cochran Hall, will be open daily from ten-thirty in the morning to eight in the evening. On the tables will be found copies of the following periodicals: Literary Digest, Outlook, Independent, Leslie's, Collier's, Life, Judge, Saturday Evening Post, Survey, Association Men, World Outlook, and several others. It is hoped that more than ever the room will be found a convenient place to drop in to spend a vacant hour or half hour in study or reading or a game of chess or checkers.

The bowling alleys are receiving a new dressing and new supplies have been ordered in the way of balls and pins. Under the direction of Bittner, '22, the alleys are open from four to eight; on Saturdays from two to eight.

Go to Mendel's for Society Brand Clothes.

TWO LECTURES BY NOTED JOURNALIST.

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The newspaper is a pulpit which is never closed. Its judgment is rectified by the people. It is always preaching a lesson of humanity and justice. The ordinary newspaperman cares for the daily and believes in it with all sincerity; his great passion for self-expression in the newspaper is always felt; he is always ready to expose some dark place in a community.

The United States amazed itself when it entered the war. How was the United States able to enter this great war? It was not our institutions, not our ballot, but the newspaper that made us enter the war and finish it successfully.

"We are to be the leaders of democracy," stated Dr. Williams, "and we are able to hold such leadership only by the power of our newspapers."

Dr. Williams pointed out that the newspaper was being read by millions of readers; from the Atlantic to the Pacific, millions read the same news and almost at the same time. The newspaper is the only medium of expression, which reaches so many people while a book is the essential message of the individual, the newspaper voices the opinion of hundreds of thousands of people throughout the land.

"Come close to the newspaper," said the journalist, "if you desire to carry out any reform." You may think the newspaper slow in carrying out your ideal reform; but, nevertheless, that high ideal of yours will be brought about by the newspaper and not by anything else."

College Specials every day at the Tea Room, 930 Diamond.

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WEST VIRGINIA GAME.

The West Virginia game was the best game of the trip. It was a real basket ball game—the sad feature being that Allegheny was on the short end of a 43-35 score. After the first 10 minutes it was an up-hill fight for with the score tied at 12-12, West Vir-

ginia pulled gradually away and amassed an eight-point lead, a handicap too great to overcome from such a team as West Virginia.

It was Allegheny's first visit to Morgantown in nearly ten years and the "Ark," West Virginia's floor, was crowded to its full capacity. The team received wonderful treatment and the victory was well earned and clean cut. The sportsmanship was excellent, and even in the last few minutes when Allegheny brought the score to 39-35, although the contest was very lively there was no roughness nor unsportsmanlike playing on either side.

Those who saw our 21-20 victory over West Virginia last year will do well to see the return game here February 17. Captain Dawson is a Sophomore, while all the other members of the quintet are Freshmen, three of them having been chosen on the All West Virginia State High School team. Behan, the left forward, has a wonderful High School record and at West Virginia is making an equally enviable showing. In the first half of the Allegheny game he made four baskets, mostly from mid-floor. West Virginia may have their Behan but Alleghenians have their Volk. "Junts" played his best game of the year and was incidentally the star of the game with seven baskets in the second half, scored from all angles of the floor. A few minutes before time was called he was knocked against the wall after scoring his seventh basket, and laid out for a few minutes. Despite the fact that he was shaken up considerably he pluckily strove to overcome the West Virginia lead until the whistle ended the contest.

Meredith and Kiger were evenly matched and considerable scrimmage usually took place around the center of the floor, resulting in frequent calling of fouls; thus did Kofford start the Allegheny scoring, followed shortly by a basket by Meredith. West Virginia did considerable damage on their long shots the first half while Allegheny resorted to short passes. Mainly through Kofford's foul shooting Allegheny was able to keep the score a tie for the first fifteen minutes. Baldwin, too, got away for a basket. Behan and Kiger then started with their long shots and Dawson slipped away a couple of times from Kerr so that at the end of the first half the score stood 21-13. One of Behan's shots was from nearly three-fourths the length of the floor; his shooting was phenomenal and beyond the power of a guard to prevent.

In the second half Allegheny displayed their customary fighting spirit and courage and played wonderful basket ball. Both teams scored 22 points. Kofford played a strong guarding game and held Behan scoreless the second half.

It was not until half of the last period had been played that Allegheny began to overcome a fourteen point lead. Volk's whirlwind game was too fast a pace for his guard and time after time the Kerr to Volk combination resulted in points for Allegheny. Allegheny's work at times was phenomenal, and slowly but surely the big lead was diminished. When Volk brought the score within four points of a tie the West Virginia team called time and held a council. Three minutes of play remained. The confidence of the home team as well as the fans had vanished. It looked as though a repetition of last year's game might result but alas, scarcely had play been resumed when Kiger dropped one in from the center of the floor and Dawson slipped down the floor and decided the game for West Virginia.

Kerr was the unfortunate individual of the game. West Virginia had him spotted, remembering his death-dealing shot in the game here last year. Several times he slipped away from his guard but the ball persistently refused to register for him. He scored but one basket late in the game. He was just beginning to hit his stride when time was called.

The line-up:
Allegheny—35 W. Va.—43
Volk, Capt. F Martin
Kerr F Behan
Meredith C Kiger
Kofford G Dawson
Baldwin G Pittsford
Field goals: Martin, 3; Behan, 4; Kiger, 4; Dawson, 5; Volk, 8; Meredith, 2; Kerr, 1; Baldwin, 1.
Foul goals: Martin, 11 out of 14; Kofford, 11 out of 15.
Referee: Watkins.

GROVE CITY GAME.

Last Saturday night in the College Gymnasium Allegheny triumphed over Grove City's basket ball team by a 32-23 score. The game was practically devoid of basket ball science and tactics, reverting more or less to the gridiron sport. Lovers of this sort of play witnessed a fine exhibition for the give and take spirit was the feature of the evening—holding, tripping, body checking, running with the ball 'n everything prevailed—not all of which was detected by the referee. At times Allegheny displayed some clever passing but in the main it was horse play as before mentioned.

Volk started off by getting the tip from Meredith and on a return pass from Kerr, he netted a basket in the first few seconds of play. A minute later Hodge drew first blood for

Grove City by caging a long one. Kofford scored two fouls and put Allegheny in the lead, which lead they maintained throughout the game. Volk scored two more baskets in quick succession. Black dropped a pretty one in from the side and also netted a foul throw. It was mainly through the efforts of Black that Grove City kept in the running for on two other occasions during the first half he scored on long throws. Hodge, too, was in evidence with clever floor work, excelling in the follow-up shots. During the closing minutes of the first half he scored a clever field goal from a difficult angle. The score at half time ended 20-13 with Grove City on the short end.

Kerr broke away for the first scoring in the second period but Lyons came back for Grove City and dribbled down the floor for a basket. Meredith caged one after several minutes of scrimmage. The game slowed up considerably during the middle of the period. The referee was partly responsible for this in that he allowed the Grove City players and Coach to talk to him. He tried to throw out one of Volk's baskets because the Grove City Coach complained of some technicality even though play had been resumed after the basket had been scored.

Kerr played a fine game the second half and Kofford's guarding of Hodge was very close. Kofford bids fair to be one of Allegheny's best guards. He is playing his first year of college basket ball and playing remarkably well in addition to shooting a large percentage of the foul throws. Filer made the last basket of the game a few minutes before time was called.

The line-up:
Allegheny—32 Grove City—23
Volk, Capt. F Black
Kerr F Hodge, Capt.
Meredith C Gilson
Kofford G Lyons
Baldwin G Filer
Field goals: Volk, 6; Kerr, 6; Meredith, 2; Black, 4; Lyons, 2; Filer, 1; Hodge, 2.
Fouls: Kofford, 4 out of 5; Hodge, 5 out of 12.
Referee: Snyder, Cleveland.

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Hulings Hall Notes

Kappa Chapter of Alpha Gamma Delta announces the initiation of the following pledges: Miss Myra Halverson, '22; Miss Doris Larsen, '22; Miss Bess Jeffrey, '22, and Miss Mary Miner, '22.

Miss Louise Leonard, of Syracuse, New York, Grand President of Alpha Gamma Delta, spent the week-end with the Chapter.

The following guests were present at initiation: Mrs. O. H. Houser, '09, Lisbon, Ohio; Misses Edith Rowley, '05, Lottie Smith, '13, Nellie Roberts, '16, Margaret Smith, '16, Esther Lyons, ex-'17, Ruth Hammerton '18, Dorothy Pees, ex-'21, of Meadville; Lina Powers, ex-'10, Conneautville; Marion Thomas, '13, Silver Creek, N. Y.; Vera Foster, '13, Butler; Gertrude Reed, '14, Sandy Lake; Ruth Lavelly, '15, Girard; Lois Foster, '16, Tarentum; Mary Clendenin, '17, Cambridge Springs; Eva English, '18, New Castle; Helen Fogo, '18, Wellsville, Ohio; Clarissa Randall, ex-'19, Erie; Esther Ritter, '17, Zeta Chapter, Greenville, and Mrs. Adrian W. McCoy, of Meadville.

Mrs. Elizabeth Reynolds entertained six Senior girls of Allegheny College at her home at 279 Loomis Street, Friday evening. These girls: the Misses Brooks, Salchow, Monroe, Abrams, Leyda and York, lived at Mrs. Reynolds' home during their Freshman year. A five course dinner was served and the occasion was greatly enjoyed by all.

Miss Margaret Terpinig, '20, was married in Edinboro on January 21, to Mr. Roy Smith, of Edinboro.

Miss Stella Fleming, '22, spent the week-end at her home in Cochran, Pa.

Miss Marjorie Abbott, '22, spent the week-end in Franklin with her parents.

Miss Isabelle Marvin, '18, of Meadville, was married on Saturday, February 1, to Mr. Perry Beck.

Mu Chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta announces the initiation of the Misses Elizabeth MacLaren, '22, Warren, Pa.; Helen Andrews, '21, Conneaut Lake, Pa.; Marie Charlton, '22, and Dorothy McKinney, '22, Meadville, Pa.

The following alumnae were here: Mrs. C. L. Webb (Josephine Bates, ex-'99); Miss Augusta Gibbons, '10; Mrs. Trumbull, '98, of Chi Chapter; Miss Agnes McMahon, '15; Mrs. George Nichols (Marie Howell, ex-'15); Mrs. Albert Caldwell (Josephine Singley, '15); Mrs. Paul Johnston (Dorothea Abrams, '15); Grace Miller, '10; Lottie Hammett, '10; Alice Hawkey, ex-'16; Rachel Cleveland, ex-'17; Mary Flahaven, '17; Ruth Brumbaugh, '18; Anne McConnell, '18; Florence Peterson, ex-'18; Norene Saxton, '18; Janet Simcox, '18.

The Active Chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta entertained the alumnae and initiates at breakfast, Sunday morning.

Miss Mildred Hazen visited for a few days at her home in Titusville.

Miss Catherine Carroll, '20, visited friends in Erie between terms.

Miss Gladys McKinney, '20, entertained the Juniors of Alpha Gamma Delta at dinner Monday evening.

Mr. Gail Cooley, of State College, Miss Mary Cooley, '22, has been forced to leave college on account of serious illness.

Miss Anna Jane Walker, '21, has returned to school to take up her work at the beginning of the second semester.

Madeline Rishell, '19, visited Miss Helen Kulp, '19, at Erie over the week-end.

Miss Cecil Edwards, '19, spent the Dusenbery, '20, at Conneaut, Ohio.

Miss Wilma Landers, '22, spent the mid-term vacation with Miss Marion Dusenbery, '20, at Conneaut, Ohio.

Miss Sarah Peabody, '22, was the Friday evening guest of Miss Marion Morrison, '21.

Miss Doris Stockdale, '19, spent a few days between terms with Miss Madeline Stanford, '22, in Sheffield.

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Miss Helen Shuster, '21, and Miss Helen Millhoff, '21, visited Miss Claribel Belknap, '21, at her home in Erie between terms.

Miss Mary Henry, '22, was the guest of Miss Elouise Fink, '21, at her home in Cambridge between terms.

On Wednesday evening, February 5th, Miss Edith Rowley entertained at a dinner party the Reverend Hibbard, of Malasia, one of the speakers at the convention held at Ohio Wesleyan College, and the Misses Marie Francis, '19; Cecil Edwards, '19; Louise Root, '19; Ruth Miller, '19; Margaret Chapin, '19; Helen Abrams, '19, and Glenn Barr, '19; G. Arthur Stetson, '19; Stanley Eberlee, '19, and Robert Faulkner, '19.

The Misses Gertrude Monroe, '19; Margaret Houghton, '19; Jean Freer, '20; Gladys Raymond, '20; and Mrs. Breckenridge were dinner guests of Miss Marjorie Roubush, ex-'19, on Friday evening, January 31st.

Viscount de Teémadant, of Paris, France, a friend of Miss Felicie Sabalot, was a guest of the college for several days between terms. He spent three years in the French Army, where he received two wounds. He is now a student at Carnegie Technical School.

Miss Florence Steward and Miss Melrose Pittmann enjoyed a trip to New York, where besides many other interesting places, they attended the Grand Opera.

On Sunday evening, January 26th, the Y. W. C. A. had an interesting meeting led by Mrs. Leake. A vocal solo was rendered by Miss Elizabeth Fehr, '21.

UNION MEETING OF THE Y. W. C. A. AND Y. M. C. A. HELD.

Lieutenant Davenny, Song Leader, and Mr. Hubbard, Missionary from Sumatra, Present.

One of the most interest meetings of the two associations was held in Ford Memorial Chapel last Wednesday evening, February fifth. Lieutenant Davenny, who had been sent by the Government to the different colleges and universities to lead "sings" had charge of the first part of the program. From all appearances it seemed almost like the "sings" during the S. A. T. C. regime. Many of the songs such as, "Good Morning, Mr. Zip," "Over There," "Li'l Liza Jane," "Pack Up Your Troubles," and "The Star Spangled Banner," were sung. Much to the pleasure of all present he held a song battle in which the women sang "Keep the Home Fires Burning" while the men sang "There's A Long, Long Trail A Winding." His modesty, however, did not permit him to say who was victorious.

The Army Song Books had just arrived, but needless to say they were of little use as the songs were all well known. Allegheny College can consider herself fortunate in having Lieutenant Davenny present as the Government had notified him to retire from this work on the eighth of February.

After the song service a duet, which was highly appreciated, was sung by the Misses Josephine and Genevieve Hovis. After this duet Mr. Barr, '19, introduced the speaker, Mr. Hubbard, who had been doing missionary work in the island of Sumatra. Mr. Hubbard mentioned the great need for missionaries on this island. He stated that Mohammedism was spreading more rapidly than Christianity. This is not due wholly to the fact that there are so few Christian missionaries there, but he said that the natives could not understand why there are so many different Christian denominations. He stated that at times Mohammedan regiments would raid the country, and cause great hardships on both the part of the natives and the white people living on the island.

He said that the people of America could not appreciate the opportunities provided for them to become educated; especially for the women. He stated that in the southern part of the island it was almost impossible for a girl to receive any education at all. He also mentioned the fact that the men are great admirers of educated women, and that they can foresee the benefits derived from living in a land where the people are educated. As an example, he mentioned a native who came to him and said if it was possible for him to marry an American woman he would be willing to discontinue the practice of polygamy. In conclusion he said that he did not want all the students of Allegheny College to choose this as their life work, but he said that all those who were interested in foreign missions could do splendid work at Sumatra.

On account of the length of the program the reports of those who attended the convention at Ohio Wesleyan University could not be given, but the delegates are to give them later.

DR. W. F. JEROME TO LECTURE HERE THURSDAY.

On Thursday evening, February 13, Dr. W. F. Jerome will lecture in Ford Chapel to the men of the college. He comes under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. and is making a tour of all the colleges of Pennsylvania. Dr. Jerome is a physician of high standing in his

profession. He has served as mayor of his home town—Hillsdale, Mich.—and in the Michigan legislature. He recently returned from ten months' service with the fighting forces in France. His lecture will be illustrated with movie films. The new movie machine—Graphoscope Junior—recently received for use of the Y. M. C. A. will be used for the first time in connection with this lecture. Dr. Jerome treats his subject—"The Beginnings of Life"—so accurately from the scientist's standpoint and so interestingly from the standpoint of the average listener that no college man can afford to miss hearing him.

FRESHMAN RULES PUT IN EFFECT LAST WEEK. SEVERAL NECESSARY MODIFICATIONS MADE.

Late they are in appearing but a welcome sight it is to see the Freshmen of Allegheny with their time honored badge, the Freshman cap. With the caps have also appeared the rules published each year by the Student Senate directing the Freshmen as to how they shall conduct themselves with propriety and respect.

The rules as published by the Student Senate are as follows:

FRESHMAN RULES

*I.—All Freshmen must wear regulation Freshman caps from 8 a. m. until 6 p. m., Sundays excepted, until April 1, 1919.

II.—Freshmen must use only side-walks on the Campus.

III.—Freshmen must not loiter about the chapel or any of the college buildings, but must enter and take their seats at once.

IV.—Freshmen must not hold any class functions or display their class colors before the Washington Birthday Banquet.

V.—Freshmen men must not accompany co-eds on the Campus.

*VI.—Freshmen men must wear black socks and black shoes only.

VII.—Freshmen men must carry baggage of members of athletic teams to and from the station during the year.

VIII.—Freshmen must build college bonfires when so directed by the College Cheer Leader or by the Senior President.

IX.—Freshmen must ring the college bell at the end of every athletic victory.

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*Note.—Rules I and VI do not apply to men in full United States uniform. These men, however, must have a Freshman cap in their possession between the hours designated above.

KALDRON ANNOUNCEMENT.

Work on the 1919 Allegheny year book is getting well under way, and prospects are bright for a first-class year book which will break all precedents by appearing on time. The staff has gone enthusiastically to work early in the game, and has been complemented until it now includes:

Editor-in-chief, C. L. Jones; Assistant Editor, Musette Clouse, '19; Associate Editors, Miss Sue Jenkins, '20; Miss Anna Nelson, '20; and T. B. McCafferty, '20; Art Editors, G. F. Meredith, '20, and R. Inman, '22; Editorial Board, G. A. Benson, '20; Miss Mary Hilderbrand, '21; Miss Dorothy Roach, '21; Miss Coral McMillen, '22; J. V. Kamerer, '22; Miss Mary Miner, '22; Athletic Editor, John Preston, '20. C. C. Laffer, '20, is the manager.

A plan was conceived to get some variety and pep into the book by having baby pictures substituted for the conventional snapshot, and this will be carried through. Senior girls should hand their baby pictures to Miss Clouse, or any member of the Staff, and the men to Mr. McCafferty. If a bona fide baby picture is not available, the Kaldron Board will accept any good looking baby's picture. They are to be had for a reasonable price from any photographer. February 15 is the date set for these pictures to be in, and the editor's threat will be carried out—namely, in place of every baby picture that is missing will be placed one first-class, bow-legged, coal black pickaninny.

Short poems, funny things that happen in class, jokes of the Anno Domini variety, and especially snapshots of all kinds are wanted, and should be handed to any member of the Kaldron staff.

Another novelty which was decided upon is the inditement of all the class histories in poetry. The poets are to be dug up from oblivion by the respective class presidents, and the excellence or foul odor of the efforts in verse will be entirely up to the classes and will reflect only upon them.

Y. M. C. A. MOVIE MACHINE HERE.

As is noted in another place, the long-expected movie machine for the use of the Y. M. C. A. has been received. It is a Junior Graphoscope and in its try-out recently worked like a charm. The first regular use of the machine will be in connection with Dr. Jerome's lecture Thursday evening at seven o'clock. Films will be shown hereafter one evening a week—Thursday or Friday evening, at seven.

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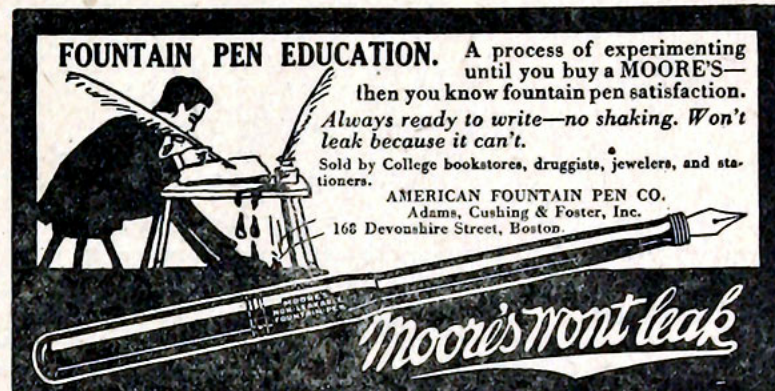
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Brothers Filer, Stewart, Morrow, Carnahan, Jenkins, Kamerer, E. K. Baldwin, Krebs, N. Chapin, M. Chapin, Hanna, Mumaw, and Ware spent the mid-term vacation at their homes.

Brother J. S. Baldwin spent the vacation with Brother Filer in Greenville.

Brother Baum visited at Mt. Union and at the Phi Psi Chapter at Ohio Wesleyan.

Lieut. N. D. Mathews was a guest at the House during the past week.

"Jimmie" reports having spent several enjoyable evenings, lately.

Ensign H. B. Patterson, ex-'20, gave us a pleasant surprise by an unexpected visit.

Lieut. Fox was a visitor at the House during the holidays.

Penna. Beta Chapter, Phi Kappa Psi, wishes to announce the pledging of Morrissey, '22.

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PHI GAMMA DELTA.

The dinner guests at the House last Sunday were: Miss Lelia Bonzo, of Beaver; Misses Gladys Raymond, Dorothy Peas, Vivian and Henrietta Schlappe, of Meadville.

Lieut. Allen Hutcheon, ex-'19, has returned to England for further service with his detachment.

Lieut. L. J. Dundon, '16, and Lieut. M. A. Dotterer, '15, visited the House during the past week. Each of the brothers has been discharged from the service.

Glenn Barr, '19, spent the week-end at his home in Marienville.

Brother J. G. Megirt, ex-'19, is now with the Army of Occupation after seeing extensive service at Chateau Thierry and Argonne Forest.

Word has been received from Brother C. A. Meade that he is convalescing in a hospital near Paris.

Francis H. Dickson, '21, having been discharged from the Marine Corps, has resumed his collegiate work.

Brother C. M. Miller, '17, has written that he is now stationed in Metz.

The Phi Gamma Delta Freshmen entertained their lady friends last Tuesday evening at Saegertown Inn. After the dinner, which was served in the Rookwood room, the evening was enjoyably spent in games and dancing. The young people were chaperoned by J. A. M. Stewart, '12.

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DELTA TAU DELTA.

With the beginning of the second semester our number has been increased by the return of Brothers F. E. Kirkpatrick, '19; Jack Scannel, '20; and Dale Painter, '20.

Brother Charles Flick, '15, visited the House between terms. He is one of the three national representatives of the Firestone Steel Products Company.

Brother Loren Kahle, '20, has left to tour the West. He intends to enter Leland Stanford, where he was enrolled last year, at the beginning of the spring term.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold were guests at dinner last Friday, after attending the memorial services in the Chapel. Their son, Floyd Arnold, '15, was one of the men of this college who were killed in France.

Brothers McCreary, '21, and Leaf, '21, visited Cambridge last week.

We learn that not one of the active chapters of the Fraternity has been lost during the trying times of the last year and a half.

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PHI DELTA THETA.

Brother Dudley Zuber visited us this week. He is at present at the head of the Science Department at Duquesne University.

Brother Reverdy Clothier has returned to school for the second semester. He was recently discharged from the Tank Service.

Mucky McClelland and Laurie Smith have been released from Great Lakes. They expect to be able to finish the second semester.

Mutt Judd is back in school.

Gus Engstrom, former professor of French and Spanish at Corry, expects to visit us this week.

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SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON.

E. P. Booth and R. L. Faulkner attended the Centenary Movement at Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, last week.

Mr. Hibbard, missionary to Sumatra, was the guest at the House Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday.

"Chick" Downing has departed from the bachelor association and is now married.

The Sigs had their usual limberger feed after the game Saturday night.

F. E. Colley and D. J. Van Devander attended the convention of the Pittsburgh Area on Monday and Tuesday at Pittsburgh, Pa.

The House is again in the usual condition, after numerous improvements and we all feel at home.

Malcolm Shreve, '22, has left for his home in Erie, from whence he will enter the University of Michigan in time for the second semester.

Casey Catherman, '18, has been appointed Chief Boiler-Water Chemist for a large corporation in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Brother O. Z. Beatty, '19, is again with us.

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ALPHA CHI RHO.

Brother Durward Brown, '20, of Wheeling, West Virginia, has returned to college to resume his studies after a period of training in the Signal Corps Officer's Training School at Yale University.

Brother H. M. Wiltsee, '19, of Detroit, Michigan, has returned to Allegheny to complete his college work.

Brother G. A. Benson, '20, was a delegate from Allegheny College to the Intercollegiate Conference, which was held at Ohio Wesleyan, Delaware, O.

Word has been received of the institution of a chapter of Alpha Chi Rho at Dartmouth College. The local, Epsilon Kappa Alpha, was instituted on Friday, January 31, and Saturday, February 1, as the Phi Nu Chapter of Alpha Chi Rho.

Brothers A. R. Hurst, '20, and P. S. Dwyer, '21, attended the Pitt-Allegheny basketball game held in Pittsburgh Friday, January 31.

Miss Thelma E. Armagost was a guest of her brother, Leo A. Armagost, '20, at the Grove City basketball game, Saturday night.

Sunday dinner guests at the House included Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Schultz, Miss Helen Gold, '21, and Miss Eloise Fink, '22.

Miss Ruth Dwyer was the guest of her brother, Paul S. Dwyer, '21, at the basketball game on Saturday evening.

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COLLEGE REIMBURSES FRATERNITIES.

The rental charges for lodging of the men of the Students Army Training Corps and a satisfactory proportion of the expenses incurred by the fraternities in alterations and repairs have been paid to the respective chapters by Allegheny College. Although the college has received no money from the Government as yet to cover these expenses, the college authorities have been in communication with Government officials and have settled with the fraternities on a basis which it is understood will be used by the Government in its financial settlement with the college.

For instance, each fraternity was guaranteed a certain number of men to lodge at a rental of so much per man. Although the number of men placed in each house did not number as many as were guaranteed, the college has paid the fraternities the rental for the full number up to December 31. This is the basis upon which it is understood the Government will settle with the college.

Last fall each fraternity house had to be altered to meet the demands of the S. A. T. C. An inspection of each house was made and specific requirements for alteration were given to the fraternities. Additional expense has recently been incurred by each chapter in repairing damages and getting the houses in shape to resume the former manner of living. For the above expenses the fraternities have been reimbursed in a very satisfactory proportion. This matter has been a source of anxiety to the college and fraternities alike and such a quick and so satisfactory a settlement puts both college and fraternities on a firm footing again.

CLASSICAL CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Classical Club was held in the Library on Tuesday, January 21, at 7 o'clock. Mr. L. H. Hoover, '20, was elected chairman and conducted the meeting. The principal topic of the evening was Roman Architecture, which was ably discussed by Professor C. F. Ross. The talk was illustrated and emphasized by the use of lantern slides.

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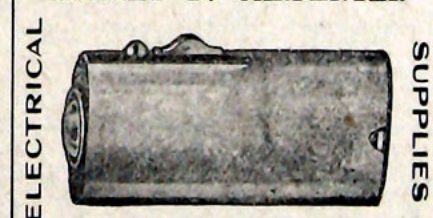
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