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IN CHAPEL TOMORROW

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CAMPUS STAFF TO CONDUCT PRESIDENTIAL STRAW VOTE

Students and Faculty to Receive Ballots at Chapel
Service Tomorrow Morning

Cooperating with the Intercollegiate Newspaper Association of the Middle Atlantic States, the Campus will conduct a presidential straw vote in Chapel tomorrow morning, October 16. Ballots will be passed to all members of the faculty and student body who will be asked to make their selection for president from the candidates entered in the coming election.

The Haverford News, of Haverford College, is conducting the ballot in the twenty-one colleges and universities which are members of the Association. It has undertaken to collect and compile the results which will then be forwarded to the various other colleges for publication. The summary will include the outcome by colleges, states, and districts.

The Campus desires that as many

students as possible take part in the vote in order that the ballot may be truly representative of Allegheny College.

The results of the entire vote will be published not later than the issue of October 29.

Romance Language Fraternity Initiates Ten New Members

Seven students and three faculty members were taken into membership by Phi Sigma Iota, the honorary Romance language fraternity, at a meeting held at the home of Dr. H. W. Church, last Thursday evening, October 9.

Miss Violet Gardiner, Miss Doris H. Potter, and Prof. Richard Mezzotero, instructors in the Department of Romance Languages, were initiated with the following students: The Misses Marian Spangler, Dorothy Hughes, Ruth Mumford, Frances Anderson, and Gertrude Curry, of the class of '25, and Miss Elizabeth Charlton and Mr. E. J. Schruers, of the class of '26.

Miss Violet Gardiner read a paper on the "Theory of the Fable in French Literature," after which refreshments were served.

Phi Sigma Iota was founded at Allegheny in the fall of 1922 as an honorary society devoted to research and advanced study in the Romance Languages, and admits to membership each year a small number of advanced students in that department.

Opera Stars' Presentation of "Marriage of Figaro" Is Ar- ranged for Thursday, Oct. 30

All indications point to a program of exceptional merit for the first number of the Allegheny College Concert Series, "The Marriage of Figaro," which is to be presented the evening of October 30 in the high school auditorium downtown. In addition to this opera of Mozart's, the management has arranged to have Mr. Pavel Ludikar give his highly acclaimed impersonations of various opera characters.

William Wade Henshaw, the producer of "The Marriage of Figaro," has had exceptional success in presenting opera in English throughout this country. Mr. Henshaw has engaged as musical director Mr. Ernest Knoch, who for some time was leading director of the Wagnerian Opera Company. Another recruit from the Wagnerian Company is Editha Fleischer, who has taken leading parts in "Rigoletto," "La Boheme," "Mignon," and many others. Her voice is one of great beauty, purity, and flexibility, and she is known as a skilled actress. Other stars in Mr. Henshaw's company are Clytie Hine, who has had wide experience in operatic work, and Cella Turrill, who has gained much favorable comment among critics for her singing in "Faust," "Mignon," and "Carmen."

Paul Ludikar, with his operatic impersonations, will provide an exceptional feature of the program. He is a creative tragedian and has established himself as a singing actor of rare intelligence and dramatic power.

Announcement concerning the sale of tickets for this and other numbers of the series will be made within a short time. Leaflets with further details about the various numbers are to be procured at the registrar's office.

Students Must Have Kaldron Pictures Taken by November 1

Work on the 1924 Kaldron is rapidly advancing. The feature staff is working hard, and results are very satisfying. Pictures of the student body, fraternities, and individual pictures must be in by November first. This is very important since work on the book will be held up if this is not observed. Snapshots should also be in as soon as possible. These will be paid for by the Publications Board.

The competition, which is still running high, is a favorable sign for an exceptionally good annual.

UPPER CLASSES ELECT OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

SENIORS, JUNIORS AND SOPHOMORES CHOOSE LEADERS—
FRESHMEN TO ELECT SOON

During the past week the officers of the three upper classes were elected and the freshmen will elect their officers within the week.

At a meeting of the Senior Class held in Room 16 of Bentley Hall on Wednesday, October 8, the following officers were elected: Robert Piper, president; John Pratt, vice president; Marion Howe, secretary; and Glenn Jones, treasurer.

The Junior Class met Friday afternoon, October 10, in Bentley 16, to elect their officers. Harold Miliken was chosen president; Marian Wheldon, vice president; Edgar Dehne, treasurer, and Virginia Hatch, secretary. Annabel Mosher was chosen as historian.

The Sophomore elections were also held Friday afternoon in Alden Hall. After the ballots had been counted the following were found to have received the various offices: Cyril Hartman, president; Margaret Rankin, vice president; Mildred Lose, secretary; Willis McClelland, treasurer; and William Rhodes, historian.

Preliminary Debate Plans Now Under Consideration

Arrangements are now being made for Allegheny's debating schedule for the current year.

On Saturday, October 4, the third annual meeting of the Debating Association of Colleges of the State of Pennsylvania was held at the Penn-Harris Hotel, Harrisburg, Pa.

Following a general discussion of ten or twelve different subjects for debates, a committee was named to bring in a list of definite wordings of those topics favored by the members of the committee. Six topics were suggested, but only one received a majority of votes. It was as follows: "Congress should have the power, by a two-thirds vote, to declare effective a law which has been pronounced unconstitutional by the United States Supreme Court."

Dr. S. S. Swartley left unexpectedly last Friday to attend a conference in Cleveland to select several subjects of debate for the coming season.

Five colleges were represented at the conference: Allegheny, Oberlin, Ohio Wesleyan, Wooster, and Western Reserve.

Three subjects were considered, and a fourth is to be submitted by the Delta Sigma Rho Fraternity this coming Thursday. Ohio Wesleyan will act as teller for the decisions of the various debate committees of the aforementioned five schools. The decision will be made Saturday. The three subjects already chosen are: The Japanese exclusion; the Arbitral Protocol of the League of Nations; and the recognition of Russia.

FIFTY FRESHMAN GIRLS WEAR PLEDGE PINS OF SORORITIES

National and Local Sororities End Strenuous Rushing Season of Four Weeks

Three weeks of closed rushing terminated last Saturday evening in the pledging of fifty freshman girls by the five national and one local sororities of the College. Following the custom of previous years, the members and pledges of the various organizations wore flowers the following morning to announce the event. Following is a list of the pledges:

Mu chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta announces the pledging of Lois Ann Alter, Parnassus, Pa.; Frances Band, Erie, Pa.; Florence Clark, Delaware, Ohio; Ruth Hunter, Rochester, Pa.; Phyllis Miller, Tarentum, Pa.; Elizabeth Humeston, Helen Knight, Leona Rupp, and Laurene Wyatt, of Meadville, Pa.

Gamma Rho chapter of Kappa Kappa Gamma announces the pledging of Catherine Betts, Meadville, Pa.; Ruth Graham, Mercer, Pa.; Ruth Hannon,

MISSING FRESHMAN IS FOUND IN KANSAS CITY

ARTHUR JAMES, MISSING FOR
WEEK, IS VICTIM OF
AMNESIA

After giving Allegheny much negative publicity and causing the college authorities much concern, the problem of the mysterious disappearance of Arthur James, a freshman, on October 1, was solved by his discovery in a hospital at Kansas City, Missouri, on October 7.

James disappeared from his rooming house about noon on Wednesday, October 1. He left to go to Cochran Hall but never arrived there. As soon as the disappearance was discovered, his guardian was notified, and all suspicious circumstances were immediately investigated. Very little headway was made, and last Wednesday little more was known about his whereabouts than was the day that he was reported missing.

Wednesday evening the Student Senate convened to discuss the matter, and steps were taken to secure the aid of the general student body in searching for him. While this meeting was in session, word was received that a person answering James' description had been found wandering about the streets of Kansas City in a dazed condition, apparently suffering from amnesia. His guardian left immediately to take charge of the boy.

LOYALTY IS SUBJECT

AT Y. M. C. A. MEETING

VIOLIN SOLO OPENS MEETING OF
CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION ON
WEDNESDAY EVENING

Lively informal discussion, a violin solo, and an excellent address by Dr. W. A. Elliott, drew a large attendance at the Y. M. C. A. meeting in Cochran Hall, Wednesday, October 8, at seven o'clock.

After the prolonged applause which had greeted the violin rendition of "At Dawning," by David Behrhorst, Doctor Elliott began his talk on "College Loyalty." Showing how everyone was loyal to something, the speaker outlined the evolution of loyalty from the small boy to the grown man. Children's loyalty expresses itself in bragging and is characterized as loyalty to self, but as a person grows older he develops a loyalty to his gang, his school, and his team.

Continuing, Dr. Elliott said, "The highest loyalty is the loyalty to ideals. The ideals that we bring to college must be expressed in order to maintain them. In the face of our routine of duties we can forget those ideals too easily. Betting was attacked by the speaker as a menace to loyalty. The bet becomes the main factor rather than the loyal support of the athletic team. Doctor Elliott closed his address by paying a tribute to the Y. M. C. A., saying, "There is one institution in the college to help men keep true to their high loyalties. That is the Y. M. C. A."

Over twenty-five new men tried out in addition to a large percentage of the members of last year's club. Final tryouts were held yesterday afternoon under the supervision of Prof. Lee H. Barnes, of the Pennsylvania College of Music, a report of which will be published later.

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Prof. A. S. Emig spoke to the twenty-five men present on the need of trained speakers in politics, and the value of forensic training in school as well as in after life.

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Y. M. C. A. LAUNCHES GREAT MEMBERSHIP DRIVE TODAY

Dollar Student Membership Cards to Be Honored
at City Associations

"Every Man a Member" is the slogan of the Allegheny College Y. M. C. A. as it launches its annual membership campaign this morning. Representatives of the Association will attempt to interview every man in college some time today in an effort to secure a one hundred per cent enrollment in the shortest possible time.

In order to secure the greatest number of members, the Cabinet has placed the price of memberships at the low cost of one dollar. Although

Mercer County Alumni Plan Allegheny Dinner November 1 After the Grove City Game

In order to properly celebrate Allegheny's expected victory over Grove City, the Mercer County Alumni Association has planned an Allegheny dinner to be held in the new Penn Grove Hotel, Grove City, the evening of the game, November 1. A cordial invitation is extended by the Association to all alumni and students who are planning to attend the game.

A program for the dinner has been arranged which will get everyone acquainted, and a good after-dinner speech by Dr. Darling is also expected.

The Penn Grove Hotel has offered an excellent menu at \$1.50 per plate. This will be the price charged to students, while the alumni will be asked to pay \$1.75 in order to defray the expenses of the banquet. There are accommodations for two hundred guests other than those in the Mercer County Association.

The Association requests that those who are planning to attend the dinner will fill out and mail the blank form printed elsewhere in this issue, in order that they may know how many guests to plan for.

GLEE CLUB HOLDS FINAL TRY- OUTS YESTERDAY AFTER- NOON

Judging from the number of students who turned out for Glee Club tryouts last week, Allegheny is going to have a club that will compare favorably with any of previous years.

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England is sending two debating teams to the United States this fall. In past years we have sent one team to Europe and Oxford has visited us. Cambridge is sending a team this year along with that of Oxford.

In previous years no definite price has been set, it has been thought wise to establish a uniform rate this year.

Membership cards will be issued, which will not only entitle the holder to full privileges in the local organization, but which will be honored by all city Associations as well. This additional feature adds greatly to the value of the membership as it will entitle the holder to reduced rates wherever he may be. A saving of many times the original cost of the membership card may result.

The treasury of the organization is facing a serious deficit this year, which, together with the extensive program for the year, necessitates the support of the entire male student body in order that the proposed budget may be met. The activities of the Y. are carried on under considerable expense and require a large financial backing. Among other things, the publication of the Student Manual, the annual reception, state fees, and convention expenses demand rather large sums.

This is the first direct appeal which the Association has made in several years. Last year the entertainment course provided the necessary funds and eliminated the necessity of a membership drive.

PHILO FRANKLIN FORUM RECEIVES GENEROUS GIFT

DR. H. K. STONER ADDS TWO HUN-
DRED DOLLARS TO PERMA-
NENT FUND

A gift of two hundred dollars has been added to the permanent fund of the Philo-Franklin Forum, by Dr. Harry K. Stoner, Berlin, Pa., class of '82. Dr. Stoner was later graduated from the Jefferson Medical School, Philadelphia, Pa., with the class of 1885.

At the present time he is in the coal business. He has always taken a keen interest in Allegheny College, watching its progress from the time he graduated, and helping to promote its interests whenever he has been able. Dr. Stoner returns every year for the commencement exercises and the alumni banquets.

Last year he made a gift of ten dollars to be added to the first prize of the Philo-Franklin Forum Contest. The permanent fund now amounts to eight hundred dollars including Dr. Stoner's gift. The fund was started by five men who each donated one hundred dollars. The interest acquired from the fund is used to pay the prizes offered by the society in its contest. Dr. Stoner was a member of Philo-Franklin when a student at Allegheny.

COMPETITORS ASSIGNED ADVERTISING DUTIES

FRESHMEN AND SOPHOMORES
WORKING FOR MANAGERSHIPS
OF COLLEGE PUBLICATIONS

At a meeting of the managerial staff of the College publications, held Friday afternoon in Room 14, of Bentley Hall, eleven competitors were assigned their work for the ensuing year.

Of the eleven competitors six were freshmen and five were sophomores. Securing contracts for advertising in Allegheny's several publications and distributing copies of The Campus to the advertisers are principal duties of the competitors. The general manager of publications, manager of the Literary Monthly, and Manager of the Campus will be selected from these competing men a year hence.

The next meeting of the managerial staff will be Friday, October 17, at 1:00 p. m.

BIBLE CLASS SECURES

DR. DARLING AS LEADER

"THE COLLEGE" DISCUSSED BY
WELL ATTENDED MEETING
LAST SUNDAY

At last Sunday's meeting of the College Men's Bible Class in Ford Memorial Chapel, Dr. Chester A. Darling conducted an interesting round table discussion on "The College, Its Purpose, and Its Relation to Life and to Religion."

The first college founded in this country was primarily for the purpose of giving a higher education in law and ministry. The college of today strives more for the betterment of the conditions relating to life in general.

The question, "Why do we come to college?" was brought up, and from the various reasons given it was decided that we come to college to gain understanding and leadership along with knowledge. A college man should be expected to possess leadership and great sympathy, for at college he learns religious chivalry, how to understand, and how to be a leader among men.

Dr. Darling has accepted the responsibility of becoming the permanent teacher of the class.

COLLEGE BAND ARRANGES BETTER ORGANIZATION

MUSICIANS TO PARADE IN GREEN-
VILLE BEFORE THIEL FOOT-
BALL GAME

At the regular meeting of the College Band held last Wednesday in the Oratory of Ford Memorial Chapel, at 3:45, Wallace L. Davis was elected assistant manager for this year. He will succeed S. Hugh Parker, the present student manager, next fall.

In order to give the band a more definite form of organization leaders were elected for the various sections as follows: Cornet, W. E. Pratt; bass, W. L. Davis; trombone, Robert Williams; Clarinet, Datus Berlin; and drums, G. P. Archbold.

The music folders have arrived, and the sweaters, for which each member agreed to pay half the cost, have been ordered.

Arrangements are being made to transport the band by trucks to Greenville, Pa., on October 18, where they will parade through the business section of the city before the Thiel game.

Regular rehearsals are now held every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 3:45 in the Oratory of Ford Chapel. In preparation for the Thiel game, march practice will be held this week at Montgomery Field.

The student manager of the College Band requests that students do not disturb the instruments which are left in the Oratory of Ford Chapel. These instruments are very valuable, and any damage done to them will seriously impair the work of the band.

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WE EXPECT THE WHOLE ALLEGHENY FAMILY FOR
HOMECOMING DAY, NOVEMBER 8

EVERY MAN A MEMBER

Today, the Allegheny College Y. M. C. A. is making its annual membership drive. Every man in the College will be approached by a representative of the Y. and will be asked to become a member. It costs only one dollar to join. What will YOUR answer be?

The Y. is attempting to fill a big place on the campus. It aims to have a high and clean influence in the life of every man in college. Its activities extend into many fields, and the scope of its work is wide. This year the cabinet is planning a program which will be greater than ever before, and one which will affect all students. But no program can be carried out without sufficient financial backing. The organization is therefore asking the united support of the entire male student body. The price of the membership is lower than ever before so that everyone can afford to join. In addition, the memberships will be honored by all city Associations, a fact which will save the cost of the membership many times over if advantage is taken of it.

Have your dollar ready!

VOTE IN CHAPEL TOMORROW

Tomorrow morning, at Chapel, the Campus will hold a presidential straw vote. Every student and faculty member will be given an opportunity to express his preference. If the student body will enter into it with a spirit of cooperation and will vote seriously and intelligently, such a ballot will be indicative of College political sentiment.

Similar ballots are being taken in twenty-one of the leading colleges and universities of the East by the Intercollegiate Newspaper Association, and the result from all votes will be collected and tabulated by states, colleges, and sections. A summary of the outcome will be published in a later issue of the Campus.

ACCOUNTS OF THE PUBLICATIONS BOARD OF ALLEGHENY COLLEGE FOR THE YEAR 1923-1924

Balance in Bank Nov. 1, 1923.....	\$ 599.46	
RECEIPTS		
Student Fees from College Treasurer	\$ 1,437.25	
From College for Alumni and Faculty Copies.....	2,401.41	
Subscriptions	212.00	
Clubs and Fraternities for Cuts, 1922-1923.....	225.00	
Clubs and Fraternities for Cuts, 1923-1924.....	315.95	
Advertising, 1922-1923	14.00	
Advertising, 1923-1924	1,458.15	
Miscellaneous	24.19	
Total Receipts	6,687.41	

EXPENDITURES		
Kaldron:		
Printing and Binding.....	\$ 1,423.50	
Engraving	1,714.60	
Pictures	113.00	
Manager and General	92.00	\$ 3,343.10

Campus:		
Printing	\$ 2,472.90	
Manager and General	171.56	2,644.46
Literary Monthly:		
Printing	\$ 480.00	480.00
General	\$ 188.56	188.56
Total Expenditures	\$ 6,656.12	

Balance on Hand Sept. 15, 1924..... \$ 31.29
Respectfully submitted,

C. B. COLEMAN
This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Publications Board of Allegheny College for the year 1923-1924 and found them correct.
(Signed) LEE D. McCLEAN,
RALPH H. DEMMLER,
Auditing Committee.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF ALLEGHENY COLLEGE ORATORICAL ASSOCIATION, 1923-24.

	Debit	Credit
Balance on hand, July 1, 1923.....	\$ 57.95	
Receipts		566.50
Refunds		140.84
Books and Supplies	\$ 23.25	
Traveling Expenses	619.63	
Judges Expenses	48.56	
Prizes and Fees	5.00	
Miscellaneous	31.58	
Balance on hand May 20, 1924.....	37.27	
Total	\$ 765.29	\$ 765.29

This report respectfully submitted by
RALPH H. DEMMLER, Treasurer.
Audited and found to be correct.

LEE D. McCLEAN,
J. W. MORRISSEY,
Auditing Committee.

COLLEGE SONG BOOK WILL BE READY FOR DISTRIBUTION WITHIN SHORT TIME

Mr. Chase R. Gage announces that the College Song Book will be ready for delivery within a few days. The delay in getting the Song Book was caused by failure on the part of the publishers to deliver the books within the specified time.

The mail orders already received will be filled as soon as possible. The Song Book will also be on sale at Bentley Hall within a few days. The cost of the book is one dollar and fifty cents, by mail one dollar and sixty-five cents. Make all mail orders payable to Mr. Chase R. Gage.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION OPEN COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION

An examination for junior physicist will be held throughout the country on November 19. It is to fill vacancies in the Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce, at an entrance salary of \$1,860 a year. Advancement in pay may be made without change in assignment up to \$2,400 a year.

Applicants must have been graduated with a degree from a college of recognized standing, such course to have included as a minimum mathematics through elementary differential equations and at least 18 semester hours of physics, or they must be senior students in such an institution and furnish proof of actual graduation within three months from the date of the examination.

Examination will be given in the following optional subjects: Electricity, heat, mechanics, optics, physical metallurgy, and radio.

Competitors will be rated on general physics, mathematics through calculus, practical questions on each optional subject chosen, and education, training and experience.

Full information and application blanks may be obtained from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. or the secretary of the board of U. S. civil-service examiners at the postoffice or custom-house in any city.

AMONG OUR CONTEMPORARIES

"Lots of night shirts, a whale of a big snake dance, a giant bonfire, tons of good things to eat, and some really good speeches" were the features of the twentieth annual night shirt parade at the University of Kansas at the opening of school this year.

Complete self government in regard to conducting examinations has been given to the Medical students of Ann Arbor. The students have signed a pledge to abide by the honor system. The plan was approved by the Board of Regents.

Park College in Parkville, Missouri, has adopted a green tam with a long green tassel to be worn by the freshman girls. The new girls are to pull the tassel and give the prescribed salute of "Toot, toot" when they meet an upperclassman. The freshman men of the college wear green caps with a large yellow button.

Freshmen at Washington and Lee University manifested real enthusiasm at a pajama parade arranged by the upperclassmen; so much interest was shown that another parade is looked forward to in the near future.

The Minnesota Daily, the largest college newspaper published, is the only daily publication to carry only college news and to be written and published entirely by students of the University. The paper has sixteen pages each issue, many cuts and cartoons, and a circulation of 15,000.

Oxford and Michigan debaters will meet October 8 at the University of Michigan. This will be Michigan's first debate with an European team. The prohibition question will be the subject of the debate, and since the United States is dry and England is wet, an interesting debate should result.

An employment bureau at the University of Minnesota secured over 3000 odd jobs for students last year. Already this year more than 1000 students have made application for such positions.

Freshmen at the Colorado State College repainted a large A on the mountain side a number of miles from the school. The Aggies have the Frosh paint the letter once a year so that it is visible for many miles.

KALDRON NOTICE

The Kaldron Board urges all students to have their individual pictures taken at either the Pratt or Wetherby Studios before November 1.

OLD ALLEGHENY

THE CORNER STONE OF BENTLEY HALL WAS LAID IN 1820.

Allegheny College, Timothy Alden's dream, was rapidly assuming substantial proportions when Thomas Lord presented it with five acres of land, in the month of June, 1920. Beside the grant of land, Mr. Lord allowed the College Board to use his brickyard nine months, in order to make material for Allegheny's first building.

Less than a month later, July 5, 1820, the corner stone of Bentley Hall was laid with proper ceremony. County, state, and national officers, visitors of distinction, townspeople, soldiers, and students marched in a parade which started from the old log court house and ended at the College site. The Court House was significant as a starting point because College classes had been held there up to that time. The students could be distinguished by the pieces of laurel worn on their hats. When all had gathered on the site, President Alden sprinkled the stone with oil, wine, and corn, in accordance with ancient custom, and after declaring it to be "well laid and sure," he closed the ceremony by kneeling down with the Junior and Senior Wardens and invoking God's blessing upon the College and upon those who made the institution possible.

Beneath the stone were placed many oddities, including marble from the Temple of Dido at Carthage, a piece of brick from the Tower of Babel, mortar from the tomb of Vergil, a piece of Plymouth Rock, and rolls of parchment, bearing the names of Allegheny's trustees and benefactors. Beside this collection there was a silver plate on which was inscribed in Latin, a recital of the day's events. The corner stone bears the following inscription: "Timotheus Alden Praes. Pri. Coll. All. Lap. Angu. Huj. Aulae Bentliensis posuit 5 Jul 1820."

The Fourth Commencement Exercises were also held at this time and were featured by students' orations in Hebrew, Greek, Latin, and German.

An address in English was made by a student who praised the generosity and enthusiasm of William Bentley, who aided in founding the institution and for whom the first building was named.

Next week—Bentley Hall a Reality

BAPTIST CHURCH TO HOLD STUDENT SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY

On Sunday morning, October 19th, at 10:45, there will be a service in the First Baptist Church, Diamond Park and Chestnut Street, at which students will be the guests of honor. While the service is primarily for the Baptist college and high school students, all students are welcome. Dr. Morton Walker will preach a sermon appropriate to student life, and the music will be by Prof. Chase Gage and Allegheny students. It is interesting to note that in the church there are 70 high school and 20 college and normal students, as well as other Baptist students from out of town, while college students of all denominations from time to time worship at the Friendly Church.

AROUND THE WORLD

Because of the recent forest fire hazard in California, the government has been requested to strengthen the fire prevention departments in numerous places. When the menace was greatest, state funds were hastily appropriated, but it is a general opinion that the best way to fight forest fires is to prevent them.

La Follette has a vigorous drive set for Chicago. When La Follette arrived in Chicago last Saturday he was given a hearty welcome; many people turned out to parade with him through the city. From Chicago the presidential candidate intends to campaign the corn belt and the Mississippi valley.

In the annual freshman-sophomore scrap at Columbia one of the participants, a Japanese, had his leg fractured while a number of others escaped with bruises and cuts of a less serious nature.

Please reserve..... plates

at..... per plate (students, \$1.50; alumni, \$1.75) at the Allegheny Dinner to be held at the Penn Grove Hotel, Grove City, Pa., on Nov. 1, at 6 p. m.

Name.....

Class.....

(Mail to Helen D. Norton, Sharpsville, Pa., before Oct. 25.)

ATTENTION, STUDENTS!

The Reuter Repair Shop, now located at 935 Market Street, has removed to the Reuter Block, cor. North and North Main Sts., at which place we will be able to take care of all your shoe wants. Also carry a complete line of the Famous Jung Arch Braces. These braces absolutely guaranteed to relieve weak ankles which cause all other foot ailments
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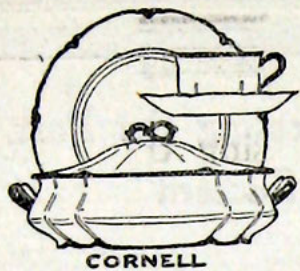
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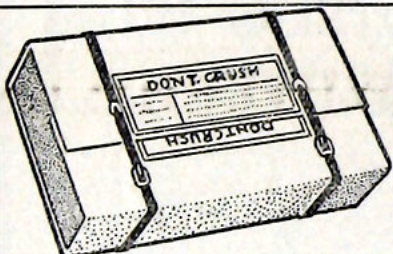
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Society News

FACULTY HOLDS INFORMAL DINNER

An informal dinner for all members of the faculty was held last Saturday at six o'clock in the private dining room of Cochran Hall.

Alumnae present at the pledging ceremonies of Kappa Alpha Theta were Mrs. R. W. Thomas, Mrs. W. R. Murphy, Mrs. Charles Stokes, Mrs. Paul Johnston, Mrs. C. L. Webb, Martha Brown, Lillian Davis, Agnes McMahon, and Elizabeth Carew.

Kappa Kappa Gamma held its pledge dinner at Saegertown Inn on Saturday evening. The alumnae present were Mrs. Walton, Mrs. Carpenter, Mrs. Prather, Miss Heydrick, Miss McKintock, of Meadville; Mrs. Peters of Oil City; and Mrs. C. L. Howe of Mercer.

Alumnae present at the pledging ceremonies of Alpha Chi Omega were Mrs. Bruce Gamble, Margaret Quinlon, Elizabeth Laffer, Mary Rankin, Ruth Carroll, Marian Minch, Katharine Simmons, Marjorie Abbott Frazier, Eloise Fink, Lucille Leffingwell, Betty King, Ruth Anderson, Marian Thomas Sheman, Mrs. Thomas Smith, Helen Holton, Anna Larr, Mary Lord, Marguerite Beatty Logan, Mrs. A. I. Eldred, Mary Gibson Brock, Mrs. M. O. Brown, Elinor McKay, Mrs. Day, Mrs. B. F. Miller, Mrs. George Davenport, Lucille Lippitt, Mary Thorpe Graham, Gertrude Thomas, Mary Henderson, Mrs. C. C. Laffer, Edith Birchard, Marjorie Brown, Ruth Pierson, and Cora McMullen.

Alumnae present at the pledging ceremonies of Alpha Gamma Delta were Marjorie Rhodes, Dorothy Curry Iserwood, Mable Dean Holland, Mrs. Edith Kapp, Eve English, Marion Schmid Zern, Mrs. H. E. Reynolds, Olive Hammerton, Nellie Ellison, Lotie Smith Schermerhorn, Anita Phillips, Nellie McQuiston, Josette Dennis, Edith Rowley, Ada Thompson Hill, and Elsie Reynolds.

Eta chapter of Theta Upsilon entertained its pledges at an informal tea given on Saturday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Lee D. McClean.

Alumnae present at the Pledging ceremonies of Sigma Tau Sigma were Varenne Collins, Clara Weller, Ruth Wood, Josephine Perkins, Janet Beedy, Dorothy Schanck, Edith Briggs, Isabelle Gilmore, Sylvia Barnes, and Belle Bollinger.

Mr. William C. Deming, '90, who received the degree of Doctor of Laws from the College, was a dinner guest of Delta Tau Delta on last Tuesday evening.

Mr. Wallis Smith, of the Associated Press, and Coach Davies were dinner guests of Delta Tau Delta last Thursday evening.

Visitors at the Phi Delta house during the past week were: Dr. J. A. Hazen, J. E. Moffat, '24, Mrs. F. Slocum and Mrs. Blinn of Erie, and Mrs. Bard, Mrs. Carson and Mrs. Stitzinger of New Castle.

E. A. Humeston, '99, was a Sunday visitor at the Sigma Alpha Epsilon house.

Mr. Wallis Smith, of the Associated Press, and Dan J. Murphy, '20, were guests of Sigma Alpha Epsilon during the past week.

Among the guests at the Phi Kappa Psi house during the past week were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Severn and Miss Marion Severn of Renton, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Wells, Miss Mildred Wells, Mrs. J. R. Richards and Mr. William Rugh, all of Indiana, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cain of Sheffield.

Visitors at the Phi Gamma Delta house during the past week were: William Phillips of Penn.; G. B. McKay of Penn State; and Mr. C. E. Behrhorst and Mr. Charles Kearns of Avalon, Pa.

SIX FRATERNITIES HOLD PAR- TIES DURING PAST WEEK

A five couple party was held at the Phi Kappa Psi house on Thursday evening, October 9. Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Hill were chaperones for the dance.

Phi Gamma Delta held its annual old clothes party Friday evening at the chapter house. The Kress Orchestra furnished the music for this novel party. Chaperones for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Chase R. Gage and Mr. and Mrs. John Bird.

On Friday evening, October 10, Phi Delta Theta held a five couple party at the house. Chaperones were Dr. and Mrs. Hawkey. Refreshments were served.

A full chapter party was given at the Sigma Alpha Epsilon house Friday evening, October 10th. The Greenville Collegians provided the music. Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Thomas, and Dean Wren Staley were chaperones. Visitors were: Mr. D. J. Murphy of Erie, and Richard Davis of Meadville. The fall decorations used gave attractive atmosphere to the occasion. Refreshments were served at nine thirty.

Last Friday evening Alpha Chi Rho gave a full chapter party at the house. The house was decorated with autumn leaves and hallowe'en novelties. The chaperones were Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee. The Allegheny Serenaders played. Guests at the party were: The Misses Hurch and Felsler of Erie, the Misses Cunningham and Haworth of Edinboro, and Messrs. F. H. Schutte, ex-'27, and Herbert Slattery of Erie.

Phi Alpha Kappa held a full chapter party last Friday evening at the Episcopal Parish House. Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Church chaperoned. The room was decorated in the fraternity colors, purple and green. The Elite Novelty Orchestra of Erie furnished the music.

HISTORY AND POLITICAL SCIENCE CLUB MEETS TO MAKE PLANS FOR YEAR

The History and Political Science Club, at a meeting held in the Library last night, discussed general business relative to the club's activities for the year and made tentative plans for the initiation of new members.

W. C. Stewart, of Franklin, and Lieut. A. G. Hutcheon, ex-'19, were Sunday visitors at the Phi Gamma Delta house.

Visitors at the Phi Alpha Kappa house last week included Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Thompson and Dudley Schaaf of Erie.

Mr. and Mrs. Rathburn of Sugar Grove spent Sunday with their daughter, Ruth Miller.

Miss Elizabeth King of Ashtabula, Ohio, was a week-end guest of Theta Upsilon.

Cecil Tracey spent the week-end at her home in Erie.

Jean McCrum has returned to school after having spent a week at her home in Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Evans of Youngstown spent Sunday with their daughter Isabelle.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Peoples of North Braddock spent Sunday and Monday with their daughter Doris.

Alma Winton spent the week-end at her home in Townville.

Mildred Anderson spent the week-end at her home in Tidouete.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Jeannerat of Clarion spent Sunday with their daughter Reba.

Dinner guests at the Beta Upsilon house on Sunday were Dr. W. F. Woodring and Don Marsh, '23.

Beta Upsilon announces the pledging of Charles Service, '26, Glenn Eisenberg, '28, and Louis Shellenberger, '28.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean E. Gray of Verona visited their daughter Marie on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake of Erie visited their daughter Marion on Sunday. Miss Elsie Reynolds visited friends at Hulings Hall on Sunday.

LE PETIT SALON ELECTS NEW MEMBERS

At a short meeting of Le Petit Salon held after Chapel Friday morning, the following were elected to membership: Oliver Gill, Dorothy Hughes, Mary Alite Jackson, Lucille Langworthy, Inez Miller, Agnes Nicklin, Alfred Palmer, Edwin Schruers, Florence Sheehan, Mildred Steele, and Marian Wheldon.

Membership in this organization is limited to those students and faculty members who are especially interested in the French language, literature and art.

On Monday, October 13, Dr. C. A. Darling spoke before the Kiwanis Club on "Fakes and Fakery in Medicine."

Alpha Chi Rho announces the pledging of Donald Hauck, '27, of Fairview, Pa.

Alumni

Charles E. Tefft, '24, is teaching high school at Irwin, Pa.

James Reno Farrell, ex-'25, is working in a chemistry laboratory in Corry.

Mrs. Levi C. Howland (Mabel E. Deane, '06), of Honolulu who has been spending three weeks in the United States visiting relatives, spent the week-end in Meadville on her way to the Pacific coast. Mrs. Howland was accompanied by her daughter, Rachel. She has visited her sister, Mrs. Charles Evans (Barbara Deane, '12), at Mountrose, N. Y., her father, Dr. C. W. Deane, '84, formerly Superintendent of Schools at Bridgeport, Connecticut, but now residing at Stepney, Connecticut, and relatives in Estes Park, Colorado, and in Springboro, Pennsylvania. Mrs. Howland is a member of Phi Beta Kappa. She taught in California previous to her marriage to Mr. Howland who is connected with Oahu College in Honolulu.

Lieut. Allan G. Hutcheon, ex-'19, who has been serving in the British Army for the past five years, has been in America on leave of absence for the past three months. He spent a week in Meadville. Lieutenant Hutcheon has been transferred from Gibraltar to Portsmouth, England. He sails for his new post today.

Miss Ida Preston, '11, represented Allegheny College at the inauguration of President R. E. Vinson at Western Reserve University, in Cleveland.

Miss Anna M. Tarr, '09, assistant Librarian of the Youngstown Public Library, attended the State Library Meeting of Ohio last week. Miss Tarr is a frequent visitor over the week-end at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. P. Akers.

Professor Robert C. Ward, formerly acting head of the Romance Language Department of Allegheny College, spent the summer traveling in the West. He visited Professor and Mrs. William Vance McCay, former members of the faculty, in California.

Mrs. James Iserwood (Dorothy M. Curry, '21), of Waynesburg, has been spending a month in Meadville visiting her parents.

C. C. Laffer, '20, of Cleveland, spent a part of his vacation in Meadville during the past week.

Dr. Lloyd L. Darrow, '05, head of the Science Department of the Polytechnic Preparatory Country Day School of Dyker Heights, Brooklyn, N. Y., is on leave of absence and is spending the year at Ashville, N. Y. Mr. Darrow is the author of several school books and is now under contract to write a second book for Silver, Burdett and Company, to be a School Reader entitled "Uncle Sam." Mr. Darrow will spend a month in Washington, D. C., this winter to collect material for this book. He spent part of the past summer in the anthracite coal fields at Scranton, Pa., obtaining material for a new book.

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HARD BATTLE EXPECTED FROM THIEL ELEVEN THIS SATURDAY

Allegheny Gridders Journey to Greenville to Meet
Lutherans in Annual Tilt

After a rest of two weeks the Allegheny gridiron machine will swing into action again on Saturday against Thiel at Greenville, in what is expected to be one of the toughest games of the season.

Last year Thiel was met in the opening game, and was beaten after a terrific struggle by a 14-0 score. This season Coach Holleran has been priming his men for the Allegheny tilt, and with Greenville fans demanding nothing less than a victory, Thiel will be a determined, fighting team when it faces the Blue and Gold this week.

The record of the Lutherans this season has been none too impressive, but this cannot be used as "dope" for Saturday's game. The rivalry between Thiel and Allegheny has become almost as intense as the well-known Allegheny-Grove City feeling, and the Thiel gridders will be at their best against Allegheny. Baldwin-Wallace College was the first opponent for Holleran's team this season and Thiel barely escaped a tie game. One lone touchdown in the final period was all the scoring Thiel could do. The Tech Bowl at Pittsburgh was the scene of Thiel's second game, and Carnegie

Tech won by a score of 22-0. The Lutherans fought gamely, however, and Tech worked hard for her three touchdowns. Last Saturday the Tartans ran up a score of 54-0 against Toledo University, supposedly a strong team. Consequently Thiel's feat of holding Tech to three touchdowns indicates that the Lutherans have a fairly formidable machine. Last week Thiel met the fighting Westminster eleven at New Wilmington, and emerged with a 14-9 victory. The Greenville outfit showed a strong attack in this game, but Westminster fought doggedly and held Thiel on practically even terms.

In the Thiel backfield are Dauds and Raub, speedy halfbacks, Patterson, former Greenville High School star, at quarter, and McCoy, a line-plunger of no mean ability, at fullback. This quartet, with Zundel, Mateer, Olander, and Metz held in reserve, will probably give Allegheny something to worry about. Thiel's line is reported as being the team's weak spot. Several promising men were injured in the Tech game, and capable second-string men are lacking.

Coach Davies does not hold the coming battle lightly, and is pointing his team for a hard struggle. The lay-off last week was a welcome one for the cripples on the squad, and it is very likely that Dolde and Smith will be in good shape for the game Saturday. Dahl and Fuller, who were battered up considerably in the first two games, are in excellent condition now, Dahl, according to reports, is greatly feared by Holleran's men, and it is probable that the Greenville defense will be centered on the big fullback.

SORORITY PLEDGING

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rona; Edith Spangler, Bradford; and Harriet Hearn, Erie.

Sigma Tau Sigma announces the pledging of Hazel Gleason, Ashville, N. Y.; Helen Briggs, McKeesport; Betty Couse, North East; Winona Love, Vandergrift; Clare Minium, Meadville; Beth Smiley, Union City; and Alice Southworth, New Castle.

Eta Chapter of Theta Upsilon announces the pledging of Gladys McDaniel, Sharon; Jane Anne Sober, Tarentum; Wynona Swift, Franklin; Ruth Miller, Sugar Grove; Carol Moody, Paynesville, Ohio; Mildred Rupert, Meadville; and Betty Jean Smith, Vandergrift.

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Starting Monday, the Allegheny College cross country runners began the first of two weeks of intensified practice in preparation for the tryouts which are scheduled to take place on October 25 and for the dual meet with Carnegie Tech at Pittsburgh a week later. Previous to Monday the workouts were light, but now that the opening of the season is near, Athletic Director C. E. Hammett has ordered Acting Captain John Rea to make the practice runs more strenuous.

The tryouts will determine which six men will go to Pittsburgh for the race with the Tartans. At the present time no man is sure of his place on the squad, but the most promising of the dozen runners now competing are Acting Captain Rea, Bogardus, and Beyer, all veterans, and Jones, Devereaux, Tornatore, and Potter, new candidates.

The schedule for the season is not yet complete as only two meets have been booked. One is the opener with Tech while the other is a dual run with Westminster College here on November 8. A second meet at Pittsburgh, with the University of Pittsburgh, is pending.

FOOTBALL NOTES

By remaining idle last Saturday, the Allegheny gridiron team should be in excellent physical condition for the coming game with Thiel College at Greenville on Saturday. The open date on the schedule came at the proper time as the Blue and Gold team was in need of a good rest after the strenuous West Virginia contest.

West Virginia's defeat at the hands of Pitt was a distinct surprise to the many football fans who witnessed the West Virginia-Allegheny tilt of the previous week. The Mountaineer eleven, which played almost perfect ball against Allegheny at Morgantown, was careless and erratic in the contest with Pitt. Costly fumbles and a mediocre defense paved the way for their 14-7 defeat.

Westminster held Thiel to a 14-9 score in an evenly contested game played at New Wilmington. Several members of the Allegheny squad witnessed the game. All were of the opinion that Westminster should give Allegheny a much harder fight than they did last year.

The decisive manner in which Bethany was defeated by Geneva was a surprise to many. Although greatly outweighed, the Covenanters outclassed their rivals at all stages of the game.

The strong Washington and Jefferson eleven had little difficulty in defeating Grove City 25-0. Had the W. & J. team not been without the service of four of their regulars, the score would probably have been even larger.

Early season results tend to indicate that the remaining portion of Allegheny's schedule will be comparatively easy with one or two exceptions. Boston College is the only team yet to be met whose ability is of an uncertain quality.

Among the upsets in Saturday's games, Cornell's defeat by Williams was one of the most outstanding. Williams' victory broke Cornell's winning streak of 26 consecutive games.

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