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New "Campus" Staff Appointed

Priscilla Greer Heads Advertising; Staff Members Advance In Positions

The annual spring reorganization of the **Campus** staff in preparation for the coming year takes place with the publication of this issue. Mildred Ann Ditty, '46, will continue as editor, while Priscilla Greer, '46, will succeed Harry Conroy, '44, as business manager.

Joan Risser, '46, is the new assistant editor, succeeding James Jenkins, '44, and Jean Merrill, '44, while Janice Hanley, '46, will advance to the position of news editor. Her assistants are Martha Dundon, '47, Marjean Moore, '46, and Sophie Morrow, '47.

Helen Creeger, '46, succeeds Jean Merrill, '44, as feature editor, while Jeanette Pyle, '45, will continue her position as technical editor. Joan Reilly, '46, and Joyce Lidstone, '46, are make-up editors, filling the position left vacant by Betsy Pfeeger, '45. Shirley McDonald, '46, will take over the job of copy editor, succeeding Virginia Bennett, '44, while Donald Ludwig, '47, is the successor of James Weber, '47, as sports editor.

Janet Bland, '46, will continue as circulation manager, and Marguerite Kift as service circulation manager.

Geraldine Wallace, '46, will be in charge of the **Stars and Stripes** for letters from service men. She replaces Catherine White, '44.

Priscilla Greer has worked on the **Campus** staff for two years, serving as circulation manager this year. She is a Cwen, treasurer of her class and a member of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Joan Risser has written for the **Campus** staff for two years and has been news editor this semester. She is a Cwen, member of A. W. S. Senate, W. A. A., and is president of Kappa Kappa Gamma social fraternity. Janice Hanley is a two-year staff member, and is recording secretary of A. C. C., member of Outing club and Alpha Xi Delta.

Helen Creeger was chairman of all A. W. S. formal dinners this year and will be social chairman next year. She is on the **Kaldron** staff, was formerly a member of the French club, and was a **Campus** reporter preceding her appointment.

Jeanette Pyle has worked for three years on the staff and is a member of Outing club, Boots and Saddle, History and Political Science club, Activities board, and the Independent women. Elinor Slutz has held her position for three years and was also a cheerleader. Shirley McDonald, a new staff member this year, is activities chairman of A. C. C. and a Heeler.

Joan Reilly has acted as make-up editor this semester for the **Campus**. She is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Joyce Lidstone was a reporter before her promotion to the position of make-up editor. She is secretary of the Outing club, a member of Pan-Hellenic council, the A. W. S. social committee, and Alpha Gamma Delta.

Ludwig, a freshman, has reported for the **Campus** this year, and had been active in Playshop production.

Janet Bland has served as circulation manager in co-operation with Priscilla Greer this year. She is vice-president of Spanish club and a member of Alpha Chi Omega.

Marguerite Kift has been acting as service circulation manager since last spring. She is a member of the **Kaldron** staff, W. A. A. board, A. W. S. social committee and Kappa Kappa Gamma.

Allegheny Challenges Grove City Debaters

Affirmative and negative teams from Grove City College will debate Allegheny in two simultaneous debates in Arter 14 and 15, Thursday, at 8:00 p.m.

The topic of the debate is resolved: That the United States should co-operate in establishing and maintaining an international police force upon defeat of the Axis. Allegheny will have on the affirmative side, Melvin Furman, '47, and Rae Marsteller, '47. The negative team will be John Yockey, '47, and Mildred Ann Ditty, '46.

Festival To Honor May Queen

Allegheny's traditional May Day celebration will be in the form of a Spring Festival to be held April 28, 29 and 30 as an all-college weekend. Beginning Friday evening with the Orchesis program and ending Sunday afternoon with a tea in honor of the Queen and her Court, the program is sponsored by the Women's Athletic Association, aided by committees from the Associated Women Students and Allegheny Advertising Agency.

The following is the general order of events for the affair:

April 28:
8:00 p.m. "On With the Dance"
Orchesis ----- Playshop
April 29
3:00 p.m. All-college sing ----- Bentley
4:00 p.m. Presentation of the May Court ----- Alumni gardens
Crowning of the May Queen ----- Alumni gardens
6:00 p.m. Formal dinner in honor of the Queen and her Court ----- Brooks hall dining room
8:00 p.m. Intersorority sing ----- Brooks hall dining room
9:00 p.m. Formal dance ----- Brooks hall dining room
April 30
3:30-5:00 p.m. Tea in honor of the Queen and her Court ----- Green room, Brooks hall

THIS WEEK

Thursday, April 20
* W. A. A. banquet, Brooks hall, 6:00 p.m.
Friday, April 21
A. A. U. P. dinner, Brooks hall, 6:00 p.m.
Phi Gamma Delta chapter party, P. G. D. house, 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, April 22
Phi Delta Theta chapter party, P. D. T. house, 8:00 p.m.
Sunday, April 23
Allegheny Christian Council, Oratory, 3:30 p.m.
Tuesday, April 25
Chapel, Founders' day, Mr. Benjamin, 12:00 noon.
Spanish club, Arter hall, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, April 26
Freshman speaking contest, Playshop, 8:00 p.m.
Thursday, April 27
Chapel, group singing, 12:00 noon.

"Rehearsal" For All-College Sing To Be Held in Chapel

Among the festivities and highlights of the Spring Festival celebration this year, an all-college sing, a new feature this year, will be held at 3:00 p.m., Saturday.

The songs will consist of a variety of camp, college and fraternity favorites, led by Roger Albright, '44. The chapel program of Thursday, April 27, will be a preview of the sing, since it will provide an opportunity to practice for Saturday.

The A. U. C. urges all students to turn out promptly and help make the all-college sing a success. All guests are welcome.

High School Day Planned For April 29

The annual High School day for guests will take place on Saturday, April 29. All members of the high school graduating classes from the surrounding territory have been invited to attend and remain for the buffet luncheon at the college.

Among the events scheduled for the day are athletic contests, music, inspection of the college, the crowning of the May Queen and competitive tests for prize scholarships.

Part of the day's program is: 10:00 a.m. Scholarship competition, Reis library
12:00 M. Buffet luncheon, Brooks hall

1:00 p.m. Greetings by Professor Philip M. Benjamin; Allegheny Singers, Ford chapel

2:00 p.m. Campus tours (leaving from Ford chapel)
Faculty-student tennis matches

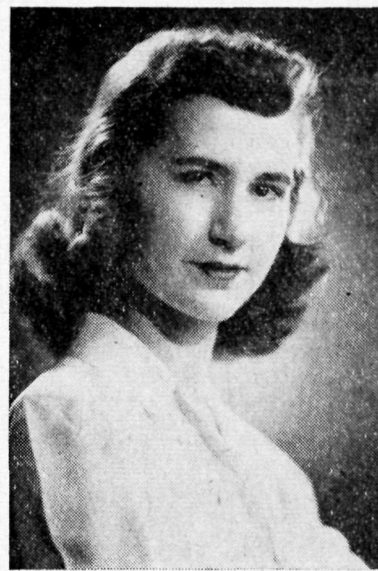
All visiting students are cordially invited to all the events of the spring festival which will be held the weekend of April 28-30.

A. W. S. Installs Officers Friday

Sterett Is Head Of Senior Court; McGary Is President Of A. W. S.

The newly-elected officers of the Associated Women Students, the Senior Court and the Senate will be installed tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 in the chapel by Caroline Emerson, '44, retiring president of A. W. S.

Head of Senior Court



Marjorie Sterett

New A. U. C. Elects Officers and Plans For New Semester

New officers were elected Sunday evening at the first meeting of the new A. U. C., conducted by Barbara Bender, its recently elected president.

William Dickey, '45, was chosen vice-president; Mildred Ann Ditty, '46, secretary; and Gaile Chorpennig, '45, treasurer.

A report on the progress of the **Kaldron** was made by Nancy Sutton, '44, including the fact that the book will not be out until the end of June. The A. U. C. granted the editor an extension of time to finish the material for the book.

President Bender emphasized the fact that organizations must get approval from Dean Skinner or President Schultz before using college property, in order that necessary arrangements can be made.

Plans for High School day on April 29 were discussed, and the all-college sing to be held in front of Bentley hall at 3:00 p.m. was stressed.

History Club Holds Final Meeting of Year

Mr. Armen Kalfayan was the guest speaker at the banquet and final meeting of the history and political science club, held Tuesday evening at the Kepler hotel. He spoke on "Recollections of France".

At the business meeting which followed, officers for the ensuing year were elected.

Jane Adams, '45, was re-elected as president; Barbara Bender, '45, succeeds Marjorie Jenkins, '44, as vice-president; Elizabeth Crawford, '45, replaces Barbara Keebler, '44, as secretary; Sara Axelsson, '45, is the new-elected treasurer, succeeding Barbara Bender; and Jean Dearing, '46, fills the new position of social chairman.

Mr. Paul Giddens gave a brief resume of the club's activities for the year, stating that it was a very successful one in spite of the fact that it was the first time that all offices were filled by women.

Several new members were present.

Thomas L. Thomas Presented Program

Thomas L. Thomas, noted young baritone, was presented by the Meadville Civic Music Association at the Meadville high school auditorium, last night at 8:15. Jacob Hanneman accompanied Mr. Thomas at this performance.

New officers of A. W. S. are June McGary, '45, president; Marjorie Sterett, '45, vice-president; Janet Zimmerman, '46, recording secretary; Martha Cahill, '46, treasurer; and Anne Hartman, '47, corresponding secretary.

Marjorie Sterett, as vice-president of A. W. S., will head the new Senior Court. The members are Betty Buckingham, '45, Gaile Chorpennig, '45, Catherine Carothers, '45, Laura Greenebaum, '45, and Patricia Pittenger, '45.

The Senate members to be installed tomorrow are Catherine Carothers, '45, Gaile Chorpennig, '45, Mary Ann McCurdy, '45, Jean Dearing, '46, Mildred Ann Ditty, '46, Joan Risser, '46, Carolyn Black, '47, Janet Crossman, '47, and Marjorie Sweet, '47. Freshman Senate members will be elected in the fall.

The retiring officers of A. W. S. are Caroline Emerson, '44, president; Emily Jane Gould, '44, vice-president; Louise Schweitzer, '44, recording secretary; Caroline Arentzen, '46, corresponding secretary; and Barbara Bender, '45, treasurer.

The members of the retiring Senior Court are Emily Jane Gould, '44, president; Ellen Boyd, Jane McIntyre, Nancy Sutton, Anne Rinehart and Joan Bliss, all of the class of '44.

The members of Senate this year were Ruth Hammon, '44, Marjorie Jenkins, '44, Barbara Keebler, '44, Joan Hexter, '45, Francis Smith, '45, Marjorie Sterett, '45, Carol Blake, '46, Patricia Painter, '46, Janet Zimmerman, '46, and Wanda Ronneberg, Margaret McKay, Margaret Auty, Glenna Miller, Betty Ervin, Marjorie Keast, Patricia Reichard, Helen Cavanaugh, Marilyn Uhlinger, Martha Sector, Portia Gott and Julia St. Clair, all of the class of '47.

A. C. C. Plans Year At Bousson Retreat

Plans for religious activities for the summer session and next fall were made by the Allegheny Christian Council during Retreat at Bousson last weekend.

In their round-the-campfire discussion plans were made for a Cathedral of Living Trees (an outdoor chapel) to be established in the near future. Sunday evening programs are tentatively scheduled and include discussion groups, a social program and vesper services. Proposals for morning watch to be held outdoors each Wednesday and a social program in the evening were also discussed.

For the fall schedule the Council proposed regular Sunday morning worship services and Campus Forums on Thursday evenings.

Reverend Walter Warner and Miss Mildred Ludwig were chosen as advisers for the coming year.

John V. Gilmore Prize For Psychology Essay Given On Class Day

Mr. Guy E. Buckingham, head of the department of psychology at Allegheny college, announces that the John V. Gilmore prize of \$25 will be awarded for the best paper written by a senior in the psychological department on some psychological subject. Seniors who have taken a relatively large number of psychology courses are also eligible. The papers must be turned in to some member of the department by May 1.

Mr. Gilmore, an alumni of Allegheny college, is educational director of the Association School on informal adult education in Boston. He was graduated from Allegheny in 1930 and is now finishing his doctorate in psychology at Harvard.

The prize, offered by Mr. Gilmore in the interest of furthering research in the field of psychology, will be awarded on Class day, during the first week of May.

NOTICE

All applications for student aid for the summer of 1944, and the year 1944-45, must be completed and handed in to the Deans by April 22, 1944. Those students who intend to apply for jobs, loans, renewals of scholarships, etc., should see Dean Skinner or Dr. Lavelly as soon as possible to obtain an application.

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The Social Whirl

By PEGGY OWENS

Alpha Chi Omega announces the recent engagement of Jean Levine, '43, to Harry Smith, '43.

Mr. Paul Cares and Mr. Paul H. Giddens were speakers when Alpha Gamma Delta held a social Monday evening. Their topics were "India" and "Russia". The Thetas were guests. The Alpha Gams announce the engagement of Doris Depp, ex '45, to Lieutenant Ray Zareker of the Army Air Corps.

Members of Alpha Xi Delta were entertained by their town alumnae at a bridge party for their Founder's day. Alpha Rho chapter is contributing to the Red Cross this year by contributing to the fund to buy a mobile canteen unit for ski troops.

Jean Swan, '43, Louise Brossman, ex '43, Ann Thoburn Fauver, '44, Mary McConnell, ex '45, and Carol Robinson, ex '45, were recent guests of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Theta Upsilon announces the marriage of Caroline Snell, ex '45, to Robert Brampton on April 15.

Weekend visitors on campus included the following: George Loomis, ex '47, Joe Backus, ex '46, Roland Levine, ex '46, Bud Cannon, ex '45, Bob Sleighter, ex '46, Bill Kirkpatrick, ex '47, Ray Bieber, '43, Barney Frick, ex '46, Arnie Shanbrom, '43, and Harry Herlinger, ex '46.

FAMOUS ALLEGHENIANS YOU SHOULD KNOW

By Marian Stanger, '47

WILLIAM BOYD ALLISON
1829-1908

Perry, Ohio - Washington, D. C.

Many of you are acquainted with the Bland-Allison Act, but did you know that one of its authors, William Boyd Allison, was an Alleghenian? He left college for an interlude of teaching and finally finished his studies at Western Reserve. He set up a law practice in his home town, but when he failed to be elected district attorney, he moved to Dubuque, Iowa. Here he was active in organizing and supporting the Republican party, was on the governor's staff, raised four regiments of troops in the Civil war, and was elected for the first of three successive terms in Congress in 1862.

When Allison became well known in Congress as a moderate, he aspired to the Senate. Thwarted in this ambition, he journeyed to Europe, and returned to ride into the Senate on a sudden wave of popularity. He wisely chose the two most powerful committees, Finance and Appropriations, and allied himself with the nationwide expansive business urge of the time. The Bland-Allison Act shows his ability in conciliation; in it he substituted limited silver purchases and a bi-metallic conference for remonetization.

Allison declined positions in the cabinets of Garfield, Harrison and McKinley. He much preferred his control of the political affairs of his young country through the Senate.

Letter to Editor

April 17, 1944

Dear Editor:

In the issue of the *Campus* on April 6th, there appeared an editorial on "How to Get to Bousson." It called attention to the recent ruling of no hitch-hiking by women students and deplored the fact that because of no transportation, trips to Bousson would be a thing of the past.

It is true that seven miles is a good hike, but should not those who are really interested in outdoor living be willing and able to walk to Bousson? For those groups who want to plan just an evening around the fireplace or cooking out-of-doors, there are many ways of getting there. Wouldn't a hay-ride or a sleigh-ride with cocoa and sandwiches in front of the fire be fun; or how about a bicycle ride for those privileged few; or a ride out on Rusty, Queen and Mocho? There are a number of interested faculty members, who with ingenious students, could plan together ways and means of enjoying Bousson and all that it has to offer.

Bousson should be the recreation spot of the campus. For the duration, the numbers going out at any one time should, no doubt, be limited. However, there should be ample opportunity during the school year for all those who wish to take part in such an out-door program.

Such a program would take a great deal of planning. Where there is a willingness and desire, a way will be found to overcome what may seem to be a transportation difficulty. DOROTHY DEACH.

ODE TO ALLEGHENY

By JOE BACKUS, '47

HAYFOOT, STRAWFOOT, READ THIS HERE
AN ODE TO ALLEGHENY, CHILDREN DEAR

I had no sooner set foot inside Brooks when some girl stepped out from behind a chair and slugged me square in the mouth with a large economy size bottle of leg makeup. It was a redhead I had gotten on the Cochran phone once when I was after Bonnie Thomas.

"What's that for?" I asked, picking myself up and prying loose the little chunks of linoleum that had embedded themselves in me.

"For never putting my name in any of those things you write—that's what, youse lousy so-and-sol!" she said.

So this thing that follows includes all the people still at Old Allegheny with whom I've had any sort of contact at all—like girls who have held open doors for me and faculty members I've pushed into the ravine. It's dedicated to the people who are stringing themselves up from rafters because they either entered a service or commencement before it was written; and the people here who are unintentionally left out.

Feedle de dee for the top of the hill,
Ginny Farkley, and Jim at the Grill,
For Queenie the dean, and Marty Howes,
Jim Jenkins, and blemish-free Betsy Strouse,
Harry Conroy, the A. U. C.,
Helen Houghton's "Meet the Faculty",
Dorothy Schuchman, the *Literary Mag*,
Mary Jane Keith, and a crying jag,
Mary Anne Whitehouse, Dr. Seely,
Mrs. Lavelly and Dean Horace Tly,
For George Stewart, and Sally Garver,
And "Once there was a rat named Arver",
Kappa Alpha Theta, Mary Lou Sweet,
And the food Miss Gregory makes us eat,
For Dr. Cavelti and Mrs. Cavelti,
And Alden hall though pretty smelly,
For Nancy Sutton 'imported champagne,
A mickey finn for Emmie Jane.

For Benjie, Miss Painter, the library staff,
And the lady janitor there,
And the place where Margaret Webster sat,
A leather blue Craig room chair.

Abacadabra for the Sigs,
And senior court with robes and wigs,
Margie Byers, and Luvy's singers,
The A. C. C., and Susie Stringers,
And for the May Queen (?) come the May,
Kappa Gamma, and H. P. Way,
Doctors Ogilvie, Beiler and Darling,
Jimmy Walker gently snarling,
The chapters of Alpha Chi and Gam,
Schottie, and Janet Zimmerman,
Caffisch hall and Eugene Dewald,
Bob Lacy from Shade Gap—by gald,
For Martha, Nancy Reed, and Ed Ward,
For Hut. Hut. Hut, doo, dtree, fourd,
Speedo, Jim Hurst, and Alpha Chi Rho,
Joe Mull, Joe Gadd, and also John Joe.

Huzza, huzza for George's, and Ralph's,
And Frank's, and Sherry's too,
And all the other dairy barsh,
Here ish looking at you!
Eldred's, and Frisk's, and Wirt's, and Gray's,
The Kepler dining room,
And Wolie's, and Drake's, and Al's Clothes Shop,
And the women who use perfume!

Hurraye, hurrah for the nice Playshop,
There goes Priskie—hippety-hop!

Jack Robinson. But let's do the Playshop in this air:
Essie Ebenhoe's Ghost. You mean like in that new thing by Moliere?

Jack. Well yes, Garnished with orchids and calla lilies
for John Hulburt and costume crew sillies.

Essie's Ghost. For Cremer.

Jack. For Kitten.
Edna McMullin. Heggledy peggledy!

Essie's Ghost. For Mary Jane Chiles, and Alfie Feggledy.

Jack: For lights, flats, and Max Factor's grease.
Essie's Ghost. And "The Camel with the Wrinkled Knees".

Jack. For Jack Yockey, Rita Rogers, John Hanby.

Essie's Ghost. (Whisper) That can't be rhymed.
Jack. Oh yes, it can be.

Betty North. Barbara Grund as Virgie the vamp.

Jack. Tom Johnson's coming out of the lamp.

Jim Weber. Mustn't forget Steve Hart.

Jack. And Mr. Spanalzo.

Essie's Ghost. And (laughs) Elinor Slutz as Pirate Charlzo—

Janet Anne's Handwriting on the wall—

For dialect left from "Papa Is All".

Jack. Mumbledy pumbledy for Joe Bentley.

Entire Cast and Organ. Say Playshop always, always quite gently!

A pair of nylons, a bobby pin,
A convertible coupe for necking in
For when Cochran was a women's dorm,
And everything was back at norm:

Joanie Risser and Carol Blake,
And Norma Fix and Ruthie,
Rosebud with a birthday cake,
And I've mentioned Bonnie forsoothie.

Carol Waechter, Marie Hill,

Sally Jenkins, and Jonesy,

Marjean Moore, and Rachel Zwill,

And also Joyce Lidstonesy.

A lovely fragrant pre-war corsage

For Mary Pierce, and Pat Karnage,

Betty Roberts, Merle Bedford, Hans Olsa,

Barbara Bender, and Georgie Kohlsa,

The back of the balcony in the chapel,

And Donald Ludwig's adam's apple,

Marianne Kocher, and Dr. Cares,

Sam Rossiter under Ruter's stairs,

For Frank Fuhrer, and Shirley Straitiff.

And for the bridge where we are creatiff,

For Jerry Albright and Jeanie Merrill,

Ginny Black, and Rae Marsterrill,

Chick Miller, the Phi Delts, George Lick,

Cloheey, Coon, and Billy Dick,

Dottie Edwards, Keppie, and Kiftie,

Joan Rothrock, and something nitfie,

Kay White, and Ruth Alexander's ring,

The moon, and the worms that come up in the spring.

For all the people and places which will not rhyme like Carrie
Emerson, Beebe house, Middy Ann Ditty, Third Walker, Jimmy
Valone and Martha, Joe the Plumber, Arter hall, Willy Davidson, Sandy
and Loadstone La Toole

Boop-boop-a-doop and Boola bool,
And all the people and things which won't scan like Carrie

Arentzen, Tarbell, Bunny Caldwell, Billy Walker, Jim Brooks and
his Social Whirl, George and the Phi Gamns, Barbara Brooker,

the observatory steps, Al Lammert, the army day room,
The A. W. S., the greenroom or playroom.

Booble de boo for Bentley hall,

Marty Cah'll and Delta Taull,

Mr. Ballinger, Brooks hall lobby,

Jane Blue, Who's Who's Rapid Bobby,

Ann Shilling, the C. T. D.,

Practically every Alpha Xi,

Donald Mogg and Phi Kappa Psi,

Edgar C. Ferguson—Theta Chi,

Betty Raymond, and Clifford Smoot,

Chappy Brubaker, Theta Yoot,

For the Cwens, and Spooks and his flashlight,

For little brown pills, and Patty Wright,

Alberta Marriott, and Margaret McKay,

For Ginny Douglass, and Connie McGay,

For Franny Wallace, Elaine Coates,

Charlie Geisler, and Marzie Doates,

For President Schultz, Eilanna Bent,

And goody goody for the Ent.

WE AREN'T THAT HUNGRY!

The Allegheny student body appeared at its height of rudeness last Thursday noon at the end of the chapel program.

After wildly applauding Mr. Jarret's singing, the students in the back of the chapel dashed out just as the singer appeared for an encore. On Tuesday, the same thing happened in milder form. At the conclusion of the speech, the back rows of the chapel were again hastily evacuated before the concluding song.

Such actions as these certainly reflect on each of us individually. The faculty, as well as many students who feel the humiliation caused, have been put in embarrassing positions trying to apologize to our guests. If such performances look bad to Alleghenians, consider how they appear to outsiders.

It is only an act of common respect for the students to wait, at the most, five minutes longer for their lunch and thus make the chapel speaker feel that he is appreciated.

There has been complaint at times from the students about chapel programs. The chapel committee has worked hard to bring good programs and accomplished men to campus. Those of last week were an example. Yet, if we do not appreciate them, if we do not accord them their due respect, we cannot expect to have good people here.

Chapel programs are scheduled to last from 12 to 12:30 p.m. Few, if any, have extended overtime. If we go to chapel, let's plan to stay for the entire program. We'll still get our lunch, and we'll certainly give a much better welcome to a speaker.

Let's remember we're adults, not high school freshmen!
J. R., '46.

"MEET THE FACULTY"

Last Sunday a new idea was inaugurated on campus at the suggestion of one of the sophomores—informal open house by various faculty members.

The plan was tried and was indeed a success. The students thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon, whether they went to one or four homes, and the faculty seemed to enjoy it too.

Here is an opportunity for Alleghenians to get to know one another better personally, as well as gaining an enriched knowledge. It's one no one should allow to slip by.

We feel that a project so successfully begun this year should find even greater response next fall. It is our suggestion that the plan be worked out to be more inclusive than this year, and that it go into effect at the very beginning of the year.

P. S. Freshmen are just as welcome as upperclassmen. It's really fun to "meet the faculty"!

Moliere's "School" Playshop Success

That classics can be fun was proved by the successful production of Moliere's "School for Husbands" given in the Playshop April 13 through 18. Sganarelle in his foreword invited the audience to "enjoy our play". The faces of the people pouring from the doors of the Playshop showed fully that they had accepted this invitation.

This play, the last of the season, was one of the most ambitious productions given by the Playshop; it was superbly acted and magnificently costumed.

Flights 9 and 10 Hold Farewell Party

On April 13, 1944, a party was held in Cochran hall for Flights 9 and 10, which left on April 17. A buffet supper and a dance with music by the "Red Notes of Rhythm" filled the program. Dr. J. R. Schultz and his wife were guests of the Air Crew members.

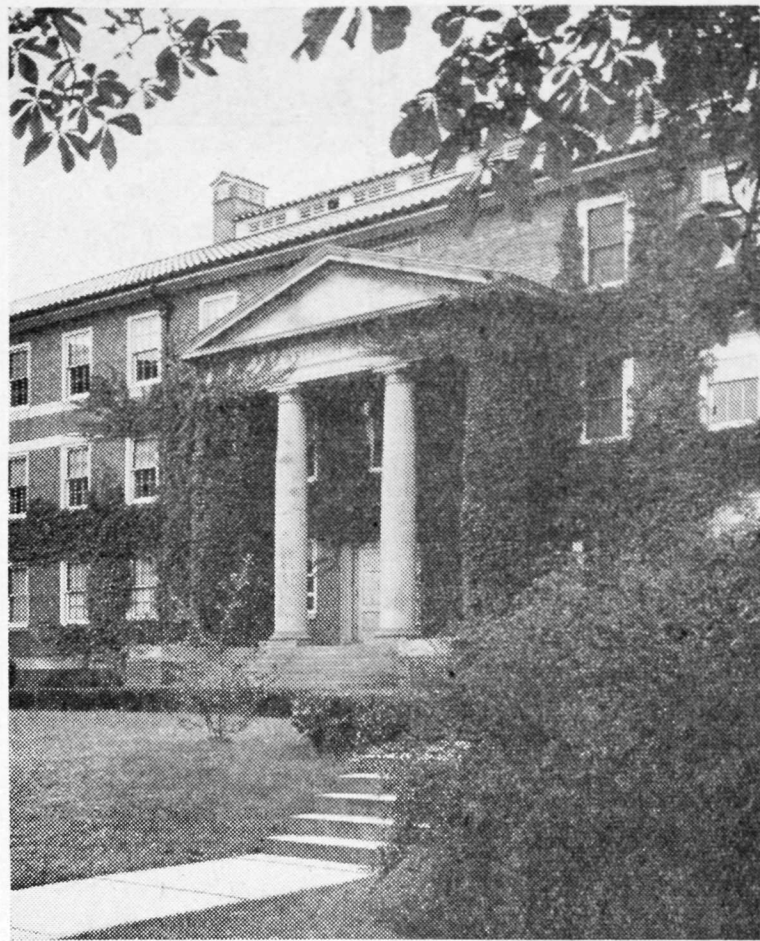
The men who left went to Altus, Oklahoma, for "on the Line" pre-flight training. This group, the first to be classified before arrival at Allegheny, is the first to be sent to Altus. Also two personnel men, Corporal Floyd Buford and Sergeant James Cunnion, left for San Antonio.

PRELIMINARY FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE
Second Semester 1943-44

MAY 5		
8:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	2:00 p.m.
Biology 7	Biology 1	Economics 5
Biology 9	French 1B	English 2
Chemistry 2	Religion 7	History 3
Economics 8	Sec. Stud. 4, Sec. 1	Mathematics 1
Education 6	Social Science	Philosophy 3
Education 10		Physics 1
French 3		Psychology 1
History 13		Psychology 7
Psychology 3		Sec. Stud. 1, Sec. 3
Religion 4		Sociology 8
Sec. Stud. 4, Sec. 2		
Sociology 2		
MAY 6		
French 1A	Biology 2	English 1
German 1	Classics 1	English 1A
German 2	History 16	English 11
German 5	Mathematics 4	
Music 3	Music 6	
Sec. Stud. 3, Sec. 2	Physics 2	
	Psychology 5	
MAY 8		
History 1	Art 6	French 2B
	Chemistry 1	Spanish 1
	Chemistry 4	Spanish 2
	Chemistry 6	
	Drama 2	
	Sec. Stud. 3, Sec. 1	
MAY 9		
History 5	Drama 7	Biological Science
Mathematics 2	Hygiene	Chemistry 1A
Sec. Stud. 1, Sec. 3	Psychology 9	Chemistry 3
	Sec. Stud. 2, Sec. 2	Chemistry 8
	Sociology 9	Economics 2
		English 5
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Please report all conflicts in this schedule to Aileen Dain, Bentley hall, before the end of this week.

NEAR THE VALE : : :



Caffisch Hall, first the home of freshmen men, then of C. T. D.

Outstanding
Air Student

This week brings Aviation Student Marion B. Neely to the forefront. Lt. Chandler selected him because of his position as group adjutant.

A/S Neely was born in Columbia, South Carolina, on February 24, 1923. It is in this town that Marion has spent most of his life, going through school there and being graduated from the Columbia High school. Neely was not very active in extracurricular activities due to the fact that he was working part time through most of his high school career.

Upon the completion of high school he went to work for a real estate firm in Columbia. To this work Marion was more or less indifferent, doing it more for something to do than anything else. A short time later he went to work for an advertising company in Chicago. With this company he worked also in Macon, Georgia, and Columbus, Georgia. This work also faded out after a rather short time.

A little over a year ago Neely became connected with the Columbia Army Air base. This large base at that time had virtually no civilian employees, Neely being about the third employed. Within a year he had been promoted three times and was holding down the position of Supervisor of the Supply Department. Marion took this job because he could not enlist in the Air Corps at the time and wanted a position in some essential work. In lieu of his desire to be in the armed forces he did not apply for a deferment when called up via the Selective Service.

Inducted on February 2, 1943, he took his basic training at Miami Beach, Florida, going immediately to the Air Corps. From here he was sent to an Armament School in Denver, Colorado, and then to Indianapolis, Indiana, to study pilot turrets. In addition to studying turrets here he began to study women and soon found his ideal, whom he hopes to marry in the not-too-distant future—a student nurse right now.

Greensboro was his next stop, with Allegheny the post after this. Arriving on the campus on December 13, 1943, Marion was soon promoted to flight sergeant, from which he rose to group adjutant, his present post. One of the most appealing things about Allegheny is the beauty of the campus, he says. A/S Neely's ambition is to become a pursuit pilot.

Potpourri . . .

The notice concerning Kaldron group pictures to be taken tonight is posted on the Brooks bulletin board. Organizations listed are requested to have all members who have been active during the past year present.

Phi Delta Theta is holding an informal chapter party Saturday night at 8:30 p.m. in the Phi Delta house on the Terrace. All former Alleghenians back on furlough are cordially invited to come.

Five students were recently elected members of Boots and Saddle club. They are Helen Houghton, '46, Barbara Moran, '46, Valorie Simpson, '46, Ellen Wiggins, '46, and Joan Weiler, '46.

Plans of the club for the remaining weeks of school include an overnight ride to Bousson this Friday.

The members of Boots and Saddle held a supper ride last Friday night. Because of rain the supper was cooked in the kitchen of Ridge house.

The women's physical education department announces that there will be no intra-mural softball tournament this spring because of weather conditions.

A picnic was held by Chemii at the Arboretum last Tuesday night when new officers were elected.

The following officers were chosen: Henry Lavelly, '45, president, replacing James Bleasdale, '44; Martha Cahill, '46, vice-president, replacing James Brooks, '44; Mildred Ann Ditty, '46, secretary-treasurer, replacing Anne Rinehart, '44.

Faculty guests at the picnic were Mr. John E. Cavelti and Mr. James N. Snyder.

A.A.U.P. Dinner Is
In Brooks Tomorrow

The American Association of University Professors will hold its annual dinner at 6:00 p.m. in Brooks hall tomorrow evening, Friday, April 21, 1944.

Following the dinner there will be a discussion in the faculty room in Bentley hall. The program, which is in charge of Mr. A. E. D. Ogilvie, will consist of individual reports by the different departments on "Curricular and Extracurricular Plans for Next Year". The election of officers for 1944-45 will also be held.

All members of the faculty are invited to attend the meeting.

Freshmen Speak In
Contest On April 26

The annual Freshman Speaking contest will be held in the Playshop, 8:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 26.

The speeches are to be persuasive in type. They are limited to ten minutes in length, and may be on a topic of the student's own choice.

Prizes will be awarded to winners in the first, second and third places.

Faculty, students and friends are urged to attend.

Betty Buckingham
Elected President
Of Education Sorority

Officers for next year have been elected by Kappa Delta Epsilon, national honorary educational sorority. They are as follows: president, Betty Buckingham, '45; vice-president, Frances Smith, '45; secretary, Gaile Chorpennig, '45; treasurer, Laura Greenbaum, '45.

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CATHERINE WHITE and GERALDINE WALLACE

A change of address for me— from OTS-8, Cherry Point, to M. O. T. G. -81, Edinton, N. C.

I'm wondering if any other Alleghenians have gotten those Christmas presents from the Meadville "Victory Volunteers." They certainly picked the right combination of useful things to send—and best of all included a sprig of evergreen. Shades of Bousson, and memories starred on the long run.

So far, in the Marine Corps, I've met a few Alleghenians—but the only one I met outside of the states was a graduate from way back when.

I do know Fred "Red" Davidson, Larry McCluskey (who was best man at my wedding), Ray Weller, Phil Depp, Stan Johnson, and Cassius McGrew are in the Corps.

On the feminine side of the ledger I've met a Wave Ensign (who's now in Jacksonville) and Jean Beighley and Elaine McLeod—both in the Marine Corps at Cherry Point.

I got back last week from a couple of months tour of the "Grapefruit League" area. T'was a nice warm, almost pleasant way to spend two months.

Have you got Fred Davidson's address? If so, I'd like to get it. I lost track of him when he left carrier flight training.

And most of all—Thanks for the Campus. It is really a boost to receive it.

Sincerely,
John B. Harney.

I miss dear old Allegheny a good bit, but do not regret that I joined the army, that is, volunteered for immediate induction. My interest in med school is greater, and of course a civilian hasn't a chance anyway.

Ah yes! the infantry. I don't know how I got here for my basic training, but I guess that is one of the mysteries of the army. Medical Basic, which I should be taking, lasts only 8 weeks, whereas, this basic will last 17 weeks. After that period, I am assured of being sent to my proper place.

How has the snow been there? Here in the sunny south, center of Georgia, 8 miles from Macon, we have hot days and cold nights. My sunburn is peeling already. The peach and pear trees are in bloom. Sand, sand, and sand; pine and red cedar; and red clay like Scarlet O'Hara loved so much! I don't.

Sincerely,
Ralph Waldo
Co. B. 4th Plat. 10th Tng. Bn.
Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Dear Editors:

After reading all those swell letters of appreciation to the Campus, my conscience bothered me to no end until I had offered mine. Maybe you remember, but anyway, I'm the last of the Millers to tread the halls of old Allegheny, and as one goes, so go the rest. (A good example would be Phi Gamma Delta, another would be the U. S. Army.) Seriously though, it is good to get your issues as they help to bring back a pleasant summer, and also, four good years yet to come. I'm in the Air Corps now, at a college here in South Carolina, and it compares in no way

to Allegheny. Maybe I'm prejudiced in my opinion. Anyway, I'm sure one would be after spending a few hours there. The home-coming back there is one of the more tender dreams that is tucked in the back of my mind.

I ran into Chic Matthews, ex-'47, down here in Spartansburg, and we celebrated a little reunion as only two Phi Gams could. It was good to see him because it was actually the first person I had seen from school since I left and the days seem to add up all the more. The sooner it all ends and we take hooks again, the better it will be because I, for one, would much rather have a class under Dr. Ross and to grab the coke between bells than to go around singing, "I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy," until my lungs seem to collapse with exhaustion. Funny thing about the South, they don't seem to realize the Civil War has ended. They have a saying which goes something like this—"It's going to take ten years to end this war; 2 years to beat the Germans, 3 years to beat the Japs, and 5 years to drive the Yankees back up north." The sooner they drive me back, the better, because those hills of Pennsylvania would look mighty good right now.

Best regards to you all and fond appreciation to the Campus.

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