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Enrollment Shows Large Increase

Many Veterans Return To Campus As Allegheny Nears Pre-War Standards

"The highest civilian enrollment in four years" reports the registrar, Miss Aileen Dain. The total number of enrolled students at the close of registration Tuesday afternoon was 723 students of whom 436 are women and 287 men. There are 189 veterans in school now, 38 of whom were at Allegheny last semester. Seventy-seven are former students returning to this campus while 73 are new students. One veteran, Mrs. Thomas Doyle, is a returned Wave who is finishing her senior year.

Miss Dain also stated, "We are virtually back to pre-war standards." The peak of enrollment was approximately 750 in the first semester of 1940-41. Almost 500 Allegheny students have left during the last five years.

Another 100 or more applicants were rejected for this second semester after the college closed registrations to all but former Alleghenians.

Enrollment figures for the last six years are listed below:

	Students	Men	Women
1940	684	392	292
1941	711	393	318
1943	733	350	373
1943	723	331	392
1944	522	124	398
1945	556	111	455

Miss Young To Talk On Social Work

Miss E. Louise Young, representing the American Friends Service committee, will be on campus this Friday, February 22, to talk to students interested in summer work in inter-racial work camps, settlement houses and international relations.

Students desiring appointments with Miss Young should sign up at the desk in Brooks. The place of conferences will be posted on the bulletin board.

Heelers Sponsor Dance and Outing

An all-college barn dance and a week-end outing at Bousson will be sponsored by the Heelers this week.

The barn dance will be held in Brooks gymnasium from 8:30 to 11:30 p. m. with free 12:00 permissions given to all girls who attend. Admission is 25c per person. Music will be provided by a barn dance orchestra. Heelers going on the Bousson outing will leave at 1:30 p. m. this Saturday and return Sunday at 9:00 a. m. The first 25 Heelers are asked to sign up on the bulletin board in Brooks.

Singers Need Men For Spring Concert

Mr. Morten J. Luvaas asks all new men students interested in trying out for the Allegheny Singers to see him next Monday or Tuesday, February 25 and 26, from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m.

As soon as enough male voices are found, rehearsals of songs for the commencement concert will begin. The Singers also will begin work soon on music for the coming spring reunion, among which will be songs used fifteen years ago and which will therefore be familiar to alumni.

Following this Sunday the music department will have a more active part in Sunday vesper services.

Manager Robert Johnson has announced that plans are nearing completion for the week's trip to be taken by the girls' choir sometime in April.

Freshman Party Has Jive and Punch

Brooks dining room was the scene of the freshmen "get acquainted" party attended by approximately 200 students last Saturday night.

Prizes were awarded to the winners of jive, jump-rope and rhumba contests and punch and cookies were served in the girls' gymnasium.

The program committee included Mavis Clark, Nancy Warren, and Ralph Bruger. Alice Evans was publicity chairman and Norma Miller was in charge of refreshments. All committee members are of the class of '49.

Chaperones were Miss Laila Skinner, Mr. John Hulbert and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kozelka.

Hartman Is Head of Next A. U. C. Carnival

Anne Hartman, '47, has been appointed by the A.U.C. as general chairman of the annual all-college carnival to be held at 7:30 p. m., March 9, in Montgomery gymnasium.

Each campus organization is asked to choose either an entertainment or a food concession for the occasion.

Suggestions for concessions include penny pitching, fortune-telling, and guessing games, hot dogs and pop corn booths.

Committees appointed are: entertainment, Mr. John Hulbert and John Hawes, '46; concessions, Miss Blair Hanson and Vera Lee Hampson, '47; finance, Mr. Herbert Rhinesmith and Sophie Morrow, '46; decorations, Miss Dorothy Deach and Charles Elliott, '47; publicity, Mr. Charles Miller and Mildred Ann Ditty, '46; construction and properties, Melvin Furman, '47, and Joseph Bentley, '47; and clean-up, Miss Laila Skinner. Anyone interested in working on one of these committees is asked to see these people or to sign up on the bulletin board in Brooks lobby.

Although the primary purpose of the carnival is to provide an all-college affair, any profits will go to the Consolidated Relief.

Schultz Collects Letters From Servicemen

More than 300 letters from some 150 Alleghenians in the service throughout World War II are already filed in the archives of the college. President Schultz has turned over his complete file as a beginning of a collection of such letters, and urges all faculty and undergraduates who have letters from Alleghenians in the war to add them to the file. Letters may be left with President Schultz or the college librarian.

A few letters in the archives give us account of Alleghenians who served in the Civil war, both on the Union and the Confederate side. The college has no formal record of participation in World War I, but every effort is being made to have as complete and varied a record of World War II as possible.

Seniors To Hold Open House

Senior women are holding open house for all incoming students, including the wives of veterans, this Sunday evening between 7:30 and 10:30 in the girls' gymnasium in Brooks hall. There will be dancing, ping pong, and bridge, and refreshments will be served.

Any incoming student who did not receive an invitation, due to the confusion of names and addresses at the beginning of the semester, is cordially invited.

Rushing To Close Friday Night

Fraternity rushing rules for second semester, 1946:

1. Rushing is to end Friday, February 22, at midnight.
2. There is to be no open rushing.
3. No full course meals are to be served to rushees.
4. Fraternity houses, excluding kitchens, may be used one night only for a rushing party by the fraternity concerned. On other nights, loitering in the fraternity houses is forbidden unless the members concerned live in the house.
5. Vehicles can be used for the transportation of rushees within a 15-mile radius of Meadville.
6. No faculty homes are to be used in rushing.
7. Quiet periods are from 12:00 midnight to 7:00 a. m. each day.
8. Freshmen will turn their preference into the library between 12:00 p. m. and 1:00 p. m.
9. The quota for this semester will be twelve.

Basketball To Celebrate Birthday

Allegheny's golden anniversary of basketball will be celebrated at the student assembly in Ford memorial chapel next Wednesday, February 27.

Mr. Roy L. Phillips, '10, chairman of the celebration committee, will speak commemorating the first game played against the Olympian club of Old Stone Methodist church, February 28, 1896. Allegheny was victor in this historic game with a score of 19-2.

A graduate of Allegheny college and a member of the basketball team in 1909 and 1910, Mr. Phillips is at present a city engineer of Meadville. He has been actively interested in Allegheny athletics.

Other members of the celebration committee from Allegheny's basketball roll of honor are: Mr. W. P. Beazelyl, 1896-1897; Mrs. W. S. Borland, 1896-1900; Mrs. S. C. Lampe, 1899-1903; Mr. R. N. Taylor, 1898-1902; Mr. A. G. Williams, 1901-1903; Mr. W. D. Lewis, 1903-1905; Mr. C. D. Baker, 1907-1910; Mr. R. E. Miller, 1908; Mr. L. L. Hawk, 1910-1913; Mr. R. A. Cox, 1913-1916; Mr. N. W. Kerr, 1917-1920; Mr. M. E. Kofford, 1920-1922; Mr. C. R. Yengst, 1925-1926; Mr. Frank C. Layng, 1928; Mr. R. M. Garbark, 1929-1932; Mr. Ray Shafer, 1936-1938; Mr. E. A. Robinson, 1938-1940.

Faculty members of the committee are: Mr. H. P. Way, Mr. P. H. Younger, Mr. P. M. Benjamin, and Mr. L. J. Long.

Philo-Franklin Will Sponsor Mr. Parker

Robert Parker, author, foreign and diplomatic correspondent, lecturer and commentator, will speak Monday, February 25, at 8:15 p. m. in Ford Memorial chapel. The lecture is an annual event sponsored by the Philo-Franklin Union.

Reporting on world developments in Europe, Asia, Africa, North and South America, Robert Parker has travelled over 145,000 miles during and since the war. For ten years, Mr. Parker was diplomatic correspondent in the capitals of Europe and the League of Nations.. He was special assistant to American ambassadors in Turkey and Egypt and knows intimately most of the statesmen and diplomats now featured in the news.

Former director of Associated Press in Eastern Europe, his knowledge and experience plus his excellent speaking ability make him well qualified to evaluate the meaning of today's news, and to make shrewd predictions of what lies ahead.

Model Rooms Are On Display At Reis Library

Model rooms built by the Art 9 interior decorating class are on display in Reis library this week. Designed and constructed by students, each model represents a room from the houses they designed. Furniture is of modern design to employ knowledge of decorating for functional purposes. In most cases, the scale used is one foot to one inch. Complete to cigarettes and magazines, the six rooms were made as realistic as possible. The exhibit will remain up this week in the main reading room. Members of the class are Patricia Blank, ' 47; Carolyn Brampton, '46; Martha Dundon, '47; Alice Lowry, '46; Esther McFayden, '48; Shirley Rouse, '47; and Virginia Wood, '47.

War cartoons are also on display in the library until March 1. These original drawings, created by outstanding British cartoonists and published during the war. They are now being circulated by the British information service in New York.

WANTED:

Men and women students interested in working on the **Campus.** Opportunities are now open for feature writers, cartoonists, sports writers, typists, circulation and make-up workers, and news reporters.

Members of the reporting staff and others interested in news writing are asked to meet tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 on the third floor of Bentley hall. Mr. Frederick Seeley, advisor for the **Campus** will give pointers on good news style at this time.

Those interested in jobs other than news writing are asked to sign up in the **Campus** office on the third floor of Bentley this afternoon at 5:00.

New Regulations Go Into Effect

Card Playing Is Restricted In Grill; Meal Tickets To Be Issued For Brooks

"Due to the capacity enrollment for this semester, several important regulations affecting both students and faculty will be made effective immediately," the administration announced today.

Only those persons who have been for their board for second semester will be allowed to eat in Brooks hall. Proctors of dormitories will also be admitted. Town students, however, and town faculty members will dine off campus until the Cochran dining hall, which is expected to be ready by Easter, is available. Any persons with unused meal tickets may receive refunds.

Tickets will soon be given to all students who have paid their second semester board bills. These must be presented for admittance into the dining room for each meal.

Card playing in the grill is prohibited except between the hours of 2:00 and 5:00 p. m. and from 7:00 until the grill closes each night.

This regulation is being put into effect in order that veterans and their wives may eat regular meals in the grill. Dinner will be served at 65c per person. Any veteran expecting to eat dinner in the grill must make a reservation by noon on that day.

Parking space in front of Brooks hall and Bentley hall is to be reserved for veterans who come each day to be tested by the Veterans' Administration. Space near the entrance of Bentley is reserved at all times for the unloading of trucks. Students and faculty are asked to park somewhere other than in those places.

Plans are being made to cope with these problems. As soon as possible an addition to the grill will be made in the basement of Cochran hall where bowling alleys are now located.

In addition, plans for the construction of a modern bookstore and post office in the Cochran basement are being made. Where the bookstore is now located, offices for the **Campus, Kaldron** and **Literary Magazine** will be built.

These changes will take place as soon as construction materials are available. In the meantime, the administration asks that students and faculty cooperate in coping with the crowded conditions.

Administration Appoints Two Faculty Assistants

Mrs. Kathryn Hill and the Reverend John Laws have been given temporary appointments as faculty assistants, announced President John Ritchie Schultz.

Mrs. Kathryn Hill, an Allegheny graduate of '42, did graduate work at this college and is now teaching three sections of Speech I. She graduated with **cum laude** honors and is a member of **Phi Beta Kappa** and **Kappa Kappa Gamma** social sorority.

In '42-'43 Mrs. Hill taught speech and biology at Franklin high school. The following year she taugh English and coached the debate team at North East high school.

Mrs. Hill is now working for her M.A. in education at Allegheny.

Mr. Laws is pastor of the Meadville Unitarian church and is assisting in the English department, teaching two sections of English I.

The reverend Mr. George Moessner, pastor of the Meadville Lutheran church, has been assisting in the modern language department since last fall.

Martha Miller To Discuss Nursing

Martha Miller, '42, daughter of Mr. Charles Miller, will lead the A.W.S. vocational discussion this afternoon at 4:30 in Cochran lounge. Miss Miller, a graduate of the Yale school of nursing will discuss opportunities in her field.

Merchandising will be discussed by Miss Elizabeth Osborne, buyer for William Hengere and Company in Buffalo, next Wednesday, February 27.

Editor of "Lincoln Lore" Talks Sunday

Dr. Louis A. Warren, director of the Lincoln Historical Research Foundation of the Lincoln National Life Insurance Company since 1928, will speak on Abraham Lincoln in the Craig room of Reis library this Sunday, February 24, at 2:30 p. m. Students and faculty are invited to attend this lecture, sponsored by the Crawford County Historical Society and the Reis library.

A noted author, lecturer and authority on Lincoln, as a young man Dr. Warren was encouraged in his research by Miss Ida Tarbell, whose collection of Lincoln material is an outstanding treasure of the college. Dr. Warren is the author of works on Lincoln and editor of the periodical **Lincoln Lore.**

Pan-Hell Dance Will Be Held Saturday Night

"After a one year omission due to the war, Pan-Hellenic council is again sponsoring its annual formal dance for freshmen women," announced Joyce Lidstone, '46, general chairman of the event.

Gene Parlette's orchestra will furnish music for the dancers this Saturday night from 9:00 to 12:00 p. m. in Ross house.

Tickets, at $2.25 per couple, can be secured in Brooks hall lobby at noon today, tomorrow, Friday and Saturday.

Heads of committees are as follows: Jane Bell, '47, program; Margaret McKay, '47, publicity; Helen Merseberg, '47, decorations; and Wanda Peairs, '47, band.

Staff Assistants Work

Six staff assistants from the college unit of the Red Cross worked 148 hours in the Meadville chapter office from October 1, 1945, to February 1, 1946.

The girls who worked are Marjorie Bosworth, '47; Shirley McDonald, '46; Patricia Perry, '47; Jean Sayres, '48; Verna Lou Simonson, '48, and Ellen Wiggins, '46.

Consolidated Relief Falls Short of Goal

Falling short of its goal by $1100 the Consolidated Relief Drive closed last month.

Jane Bell, '47, chairman of the committee announced that the total collected was $1363.75. This will be divided among five organizations in the following amounts:

World Student Service Fund	$544.70
United Nations Relief	217.43
Red Cross	214.43
Allegheny Scholarship Fund	176.51
Community Chest	210.68
Total	$1363.75

Sophmores To Hold Banquet Tomorrow Night

Mr. Armen Kalfayan will be guest speaker at the sophomore class banquet to be held at 6:00 p. m. tomorrow evening, February 21, in the dining room of Brooks hall.

Sophomores will descend the stairs first and be seated in the far end of the main dining room.

Due to the increased number in the class, officers were unable to find accommodations for the group off campus.

Scholarships To Oxford Are Again Available

Scholarships for graduate study at the University of Oxford are again available to applicants among men of the junior and senior classes at Allegheny. President Schultz has appointed Mr. Philip M. Benjamin, librarian, as representative for the Rhodes Scholarships at Allegheny. Men interested should confer with Mr. Benjamin concerning conditions of eligibility and basis of selection.

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A MAN'S WORLD

Cleaning out the **Campus** files the other night, we were reminded of how completely student affairs have rested in the hands of women these last few years.

But we were also reminded of how in former days— "the good old days"—the situation was reversed. Men wielded the power of the student body. The **Campus** files served as evidence. Tucked away in obscure corners collecting dust since 1942 were steel engraving of former editors, most of whom were men, and detailed financial reports penned with a masculine flourish, yes, we even found razor blades which seemed symbolic of the man's world that Allegheny once was.

To you, the returning ex-servicemen and new students, it may seem strange that the more important student organizations are top heavy with women. Indeed, we hope that you have noticed and that you are planning to do something about it.

Two years ago, after a heated campaign, Barbara Bender succeeded in breaking a well-established tradition and became president of the Undergraduate council. Again this year a woman presides over the student body.

For the past three years women have sat at the editor's desk in the **Campus** office, and the **Kaldron** has been staffed almost entirely by women.

The responsibility of keeping alive the various campus activities has been a heavy one for women during the war. Some organizations have been handicapped by lack of money, materials or transportation. Others, by inertia and lack of leadership. But all in all, Allegheny women have done a good job, always with the hope in mind that the men would soon be back to shoulder their share of the responsibility. At last that time has come.

If you, the Allegheny men, want to feel once more that you are a vital part of the college, rather than merely a diversion superimposed on a feminine world, it's time for you to take over.

Inherently women use methods different from the masculine ones in organizing and administering activities. If there are changes which you feel need to be brought about in student activities, the best way to begin is by voicing your constructive criticism. Voice it often enough and loud enough through your class officers, through letters to the editor of **Campus,** and through the Undergraduate Council. Your voice and your participation alone can restore Allegheny to its status as a cooperative co-educational institution.

Though we would argue endlessly for the single standard, for equal leadership rights for men and women students, to the men on the campus we say, "Welcome back, not only to the classroom, but to active participation in all organizations. Welcome back to the positions which you should rightfully fulfill."

POST MORTEM

Attention should be called to results of the Consolidated Relief Drive on pgae one. We missed our goal by 44 per cent! Until another drive begins next fall, let's turn this over in our conseciences. We missed our goal!

ARSENIC

What Have you done for the newcomer to Allegheny?

There is one thing that the ex-serviceman needs even more than the firm handclasp of a friend, more than the helpful boot of the professors, more than the womanly understanding of a woman— and that one thing is CLOTHES. (I say this while graciously ignoring the frayed cuffs of my date.)

Dear Veteran, (God bless you and keep you and bring a lot more of you to Allegheny.) Are you shirtless, coatless, etc.? Is there something about your outfits that Mr. Esquire wouldn't approve of? Are your clothes a cross between a P.X. and Brooks Brothers? They are? Well, we, the writers of Arsenic who have been the authors of so many daring exposes (as you will find out if you follow this column weekly—plug) are about to unearth the mystery of the missing shirt and jacket.

Let it be known that many a man's shirt and jacket which should be hanging waiting for you within the stores of the famous tailors, Brooks Bros., are now within another Brooks— namely, they are within the wall of Brooks hall or within the walls of Brooks halls. You men, when worrying about the shirt problem, keep in mind this little rhyme:

Behind the secret of the missing shirt,
There stands enclosed in one, a skirt.*

(*Author's note— the word 'skirt' is American slang and denotes a woman. It is considered very collegiate.)

Within the hall or halls of Brooks hall or halls you men could pick up about three hundred shirts and one hundred jackets at least. (Information has just come in that there are some pants, ties, and socks too, only not in such quantities.) Isn't this tempting? For instance, one raid on Shelia Malton would yield six shirts, four of which are white, one of which is French (meaning it has detachable collars and cuffs). Why, a raid on the writers' (that's us) *room* would yield five shirts including a beautiful pink one which would look lovely on anyone with blue eyes.

This is just a sample of what is being wasted in the girls' dormitory. The question is how to go about getting this clothing from the girls' hands into yours. The thought that is now passing through all your minds had better pass right through since the rules are definitely against it. The charge of the infantry, although pleasant to speculate about, is now passe.

The girls are all very interested and willing to cooperate, provided it is in such a way that they know where their mannish attire is going —in other words, it is a small case of blackmail. The best solution we, the uninterested writers, of course, can dream up is a situation corresponding somewhat to caveman techniques. The idea is for the boys and/or men to rent Brooks dining room for a night. You will arrange for a dance but take no dates. In order for a girl to get into this dance she must present an article of clothing (men's) to the cashier. This will enable her to the first and last dance also. For every dance in between she must produce one more article of clothing (men's). This will make for an all around pleasant situation.

First, although you may not dance with all the beauties of the campus (you will probably determine your partner by the quality of her men's clothing) you will go home with an armful of scarce clothing which may not be as satisfying as an armful of something else but which is needed badly. Secondly, the girls, who have been sitting around for the most part rather woefully for three years, will have their egoes inflated and besides, of getting rid of all those long shirts, etc., will look more feminine for you.

If this idea interests you and you would like more details, we will give (unwillingly) our names and telephone numbers. In fact, this idea is so appealing to us now that we must rush off and collect all the mannish attire we can find.

Impressions

by Paul McGrew, ex-'46

So I stumble into Brooks, tripping on every memory of my freshman year, temporarily humbled and scared by the wall of strange faces. I search for the feaures of some old friend; any girl from my freshman class— now a senior. Little do I realize that some of these old friends are to be my very nemeses.

"Here comes a girl I know! What's her name?" Tactlessly I ask. She informs me while she stares. I nod, following through with a stream of explanations. She's bored with my story; I'm lost for lack of something better about which to talk. Small talk ensues, and eventually she begs off with, "I must see Jeannie."

A veteran approaches, and I embrace him, clinging to him. Maybe he's someone I knew only by sight before the war, but our conversation runs smoothly. We have something in common, and we don't scrutinize one another looking for changes. Each new meeting with the weaker sex is the same. Every grimace is imprinted in bold type with the old question, "How much has the war changed you?" I trip over a girl who sits reading **Psychos and Their Return.** Now I understand the feminine scrutiny! Should I make like a psycho? They're looking for one.

In the Grill the next morning, I become involved in a student bull session. There I learn that a post-graduate course is being offered entitled **Grill 15**— extra credit offered for the male or female having the highest number of bridge games to his or her credit. My topics of discussions are labor strikes, the difficulty of getting clothes and the outside world generally. "Yes, it's a shame." Period. That was the usual comment. My approach is wrong, I guess, so I decide to listen. "There goes Noblesse Oblige; she's a Lambda Pu and oh sooo smooth!" or "I heard that Hank Hilarious was running around with a town girl last night. I won't date him again!" Golly, but it's a small world, this Allegheny world.

Prof. Doe came to my rescue only to back me up to a wall and inform me that Jack has changed. But I had been out with Jack only the previous week-end, tapping the brass rail with the right heel. Jack hadn't changed! But Jack had done an excellent job of . . . . **Let It Snow** blares the nickleodion, putting it in better words than I could.

At this point Doc Johns intervenes with two students in tow. Looking about the Grill, I see other profs sipping coffee along with various students. Strange, I hadn't noticed this amicable faculty-student relationship as a freshman! Or could it be that this relationship has improved?

Later, I am to find out that sororities are omnipotent on the campus. Academic work comes second. Fraternities are preparing for the new semester and rush week. More sham and back-slapping. Same old pattern; same old story.

But still the fraternity was my savior. Coming back, ill at ease and strange, there are still pins worn on sweaters to reassure me; still brothers who are that, in the literal sense of the word, to whom I can turn for introductions, explanations, for the easing back into college life.

Hallzapoppin'

Well, girls, this is it!

Last semester I was a lonely veteran, fresh back in school. This semester I'm a civilian welcoming the veterans back, makes me really feel like a civilian at last. It's difficult not to step up to the Grill fountain and say "Root beer for every young man with a ruptured duck*. Nothing is too good for those boys!" I am quite circumspect in my conversation, too; if a vet wants to talk about his combat experience, I display interest but don't ask questions. In fact, it doesn't occur to me to ask questions as I suddenly recall that I, too, was once in the service and can't wait until the vet is through before I start snowing him with my flak-talk. The ground-force men, though, still can open my eyes when they mention their hand-to-hand business. Rough stuff!

Take it from one who has been around (been around here since August)— this place has changed! It used to be that a man couldn't walk downstairs to dinner in the crush without feeling he had a dozen arms, each ten feet long and a foot in girth. The only way a man could keep his self-respect was to hold his hands above his head— and that looked silly. Now, instead of a falsetto "Oh, pardon me!" or a catty "The days of chilvalry are over!" when you bump somebody, you can expect a vigorous, "Watch yaself,, you slanky F.O.! Ya wancher mug mussed?" While I'm wistful to surrender the great mass of neglected women to the 150 newcomers (male-type) it is, all in all, a great relief. As someone said, "D'ya hear that Allegheny is going to be a co-ed school? Yeh, they're letting men in now."

That would let me out.

* discharge button

Kilroy Was Here

Once upon a time in the year of our Lord 1945, there came to this previously barren "no-man's land" one Lester J. Kilroy. Kilroy had spent two and a half years in the Pacific theater, fighting his way through steaming jungle and up blazing beaches. But now he was a proud civilian, a wearer of the "ruptured duck". All he wanted was to get away from the regulation and regimentation of army life, to go quietly on his own way learning all he could about such harmless subjects as chemistry, calculus, and classics, and forgetting all he had learned about convoys, colonels and camouflage. After much deliberation he chose "fair Allegheny" as the scene of rehabilitation and settled down to the peaceful life he had fought for.

Having survived the ordeals of registration, three eight o'clocks, and several K-rations at Brooks, Kilroy began to feel like a real student. Everyone was being so helpful and friendly. The boys introduced him to the smoothest co-eds, and offered him anything from cigarettes eo egg in his beer. Yes, he had come to the right school.

Sunday morning dawned clear and sunny, just like every other morning, and the house was so quiet he decided to sleep till dinnertime. But his dreams were disturbing. He was back in a fox-hole on Luzon, surrounded by malicious grinning Japs who lunged at him with shining bayonets. Suddenly he was awakened by loud masculine screams. Cautiously opening one eye, he soon realized that the horrible nightmare was a reality. He was actually surrounded by several evil-looking specimens who pointed shining fountain pens at him and thrust little white cards under his ex-G.I. nose. He looked hopelessly over at his room-mate Roger Wilco, but Roger, who was cowering in a corner, was in no position to come to his rescue. There was nothing for him to do but sweat it out.

Then one wicked creature began to take the situation into his own hands. Chanting the motto of his beloved Greek letter society, he took the picture of "Whistler's Mother" from the wall and hurled it at one of the opposition. The battle was on! Books, pillows, tables and mattresses began to fly through the air. Kilroy, now awake, got out of bed and struggled through the seething mass of humanity to the door. There he found Roger, bruised and bleeding, but smiling bravely through his tears. They slid unobtrusively through a hole in the wall, which had been made by a crazed classmate in his eagerness to get away from it all, stopping only to gather up the remaining fragments of "Whistler's Mother". Once outside they were safe as long as they remained under the house.

The next day was spent in smoking, drinking, and twisting of arms. But on D.Day plus three, something snapped in Kilroy's mind. His eyes became glassy, his muscles twitched, and he began to see Greek letters all over the walls of his room. He was examined by several physicians, declared unfit for collegiate service, and sent home. Two weeks later he re-enlisted in the army and by now is probably happily serving his turn on K. P. somewhere in the wilds of India.

Perhaps Kilroy's choice may seem a bit rash to undergraduates, but in a final statement to **The Campus** he was quoted as saying, "in the army I am independent and happy. There is no one to tell me who I can dance with or what kind of cigarettes I should smoke. Whatever the consequence, I did it and I'M GLAD!"

Social Whirl

Alpha Chi Omega and town alumnae held a banquet at the Beacon Inn on January 29, celebrating the founding of the Delta Chapter. Mrs. Manley O. Brown, charter member told the story of the founding and later in the evening presented the chapter with a diamond crested pin which will be used as a president pin.

Thursday evening the junior class members of **Alpha Chi** and the town alumnae were entertained at a tureen dinner in the home of Miss Maud Miller.

Recent guests of **Alpha Chi** were Dedra Marshall, '43, and Mrs. Robert Thomas, (nee Louise Parsons, '43.)

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A recent guest of **Alpha Xi Delta** was Mrs. Howard Faulkner of the University of Kentucky.

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Mr. Paul Cares and Mr. Armen Kalfayan spoke at the meeting of **Kappa Kappa Gamma** Monday night at a social observing the 58th anniversary of the founding of Gamma Rho chapter. Alumnae were guests. Mrs. Lawrence Larson (nee Wilmah Beck, '43) was a recent visitor.

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Delta Tau Delta initiated the following members on Wednesday evening, February 13: Cloyd Bartholomew, James Ells, James Litvin, Neil Mould, Jack Nixon, John Ruggerio. Veterans of the chapter who have recently returned to school are: James Dougherty, Charles Ritter and Edward Erb.

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Phi Delta Theta announces the marriage of Gene Smoot to the former Eugenia Grimshaw, **Alpha Xi Delta.** Recent guests of the chapter were Wally Hanson, '43, and Robert Thomas, '43. Eight veterans of the chapter have returned to school this semester.

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Phi Kappa Psi recently initiated the following pledges: Robert Wagner, Harold Woods, William Muir, George Ely, Kenneth Heasley, David McKinley, and Kenneth Smith.

Returned **Phi Psi** veterans back on the campus are: Paul Dain, William Willson, Elmer Bander, Richard Matdis, and William Weaver.

THE WOMAN'S SIDE

by Jean Foster

In contrast to the individual dances given last year by Orchesis, a series of dances carrying out a central theme is being planned for the all-college carnival.

New members of Orchesis are: Jane K. Miller, '48; Patricia Perry, '47; Marjorie Stone, '49; Barbara Webb, '48; Phoebe Nelms, '48; June Hage, '49; Constance Carmen, '48; Barbara Dunham, '49; Margaret Bailey, 48; Helen Baumbach, '48; and Joan Sherman, '48.

Minor Terrapin tests for girls who were unable to take them last semester will be given today. Initiation for members of Minor and Major teams will be held in the gymnasium tomorrow night. The time for the initiation will be posted on the bulletin board in Brooks gymnasium. Basketball schedules will also be posted.

GOLF

by Ruth Schreiber

The game of golf is one of America's most popular sports. At least that is what the first sentence in a well-known "how to play golf" book claims. And so, I, who heretofore had been nothing but a rather disinterested spectator, decided that it would be to my betterment to discover why this game was so popular. In order to test the veracity of this statement I felt that I must learn to play. It certainly looked simple enough. One takes a little ball and places it upon a little wooden tee. Then one takes a club, gives a good healthy swing and the game is on. I also decided that now was my opportunity, if ever, to learn since I was waiting tables at a country club and was surrounded by acres of grass with eighteen little flags gently swaying in the breeze. The privilege of using the course was mine, and the Pro of the club was a friend of mine since I gave him two pieces of pie for dessert in-

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These ratings appeared respectively in the **Pittsburgh Press** and the **Altoona Tribune.**

Crowd Sees Gators Defeat Grove City

After dropping one to Oberlin on Tuesday, the revamped Gator quintet bounced back to defeat their traditional rivals from Grove City last Thursday by a 47-42 score. The game was played before packed galleries in the Montgomery gymnasium.

The Allegheny team, with a game and another practice session under their belts, played improved ball over their showing on Tuesday. However, judging from the Grovers record and from ther exhibition against Fenn college the previous Saturday, the locals should have been on top by a wider margin.

Although the issue was never seriously in doubt the Wolverines always managed to keep within three to eight points of the Alleghenians who were kept in front, at least in the second half, largely through the efforts of Joe McMillan who was dead on his long shots to the tune of 17 points.

The last quarter saw some anxious moments for Coach Garbark and Co. as the visitors climbed within 3 points but John Levinsky, playing better ball than ever before, tossed in a nice bucket with seconds to go to put the game on ice.

Tom Wigton and Dick Andres each kicked in with seven markers while McMillan and May had four. Kirkpatrick and Johnson, with three and two points respectfully, were the only others to break into the scoring column.

Individual scoring laurels went to fleet-footed Joe McMillan whose seven baskets and three foul shots were good for 17 points. Runners up were Kirkpatrick and Andres with and eight and seven, respectively. Ed Gonet, who scored 11 tallies, was high for the losers.

The game, and especially the last quarter, was unique in the number

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Oberlin Five Defeats Allegheny

A bus load of players and two cars filled with local rooters made the long trek out to Oberlin Tuesday, February 12, only to have the local heroes defeated at the hands of a navy packed Oberlin five, 48-40, for the fourth loss of the year.

Up to game time the Gators were somewhat an unknown quantity, just as at the start of the season. Regular guards Frank Fuhrer and Eugene McClure both having left school for a sojourn with the armed forces, the lineup contained two new men, Tom Wigton and Dick Andres, both of whom had been out of action for some time.

Wigton is a returned Alleghenian who had played on the freshman team in 1940-41 and on the varsity team of 1942-43. Andres, while new to college competition was an outstanding ball player for Mt. Lebanon several years back. Both were recently released by the Army Air Corps after over two years of service in this country and overseas.

Although neither one of them had played much in several years they both stepped right into standing position, Andres at forward and Wigton at guard. The other three regulars of last semester, McMillan, Donaldson and Kirkpatrick, were on hand as usual although Joe was dropped back to the other guard slot, enabling Andres to play where he is most effective.

As far as the game itself was concerned, the Gators got off to a good start and held what looked like a commanding 21-13 lead at the half. However, the third and fourth quarters proved a different story from the first two. Oberlin's coach must have been really effective in the locker room at the half-time as their club starting clicking soon after the third quarter jump which was disasterous for the fast firing Blue and Gold quintet. Oberlin took over the lead midway in the third quarter and was never caught again. The loss of Kirkpatrick and McMillan on personal fouls also contributed to the loss as the squad is acknowledged as weak on reserves.

High point man for the Garbarkmen was captain and center Lee "Speedo" Donaldson who tossed in three buckets and seven out of seven free throws for 13 points.

The Allegheny box score:

Andres	3	1	7
Johnson	1	0	2
Kirkpatrick	1	1	3
Donaldson	3	7	13
Wigton	1	5	7
McMillan	1	2	4
May	2	0	4
Levinsky	0	0	0
James	0	0	0
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Kirkpatrick, Donaldson Hold Scoring Honors

Individual basketball totals computed for last semester show William Kirkpatrick holding top scoring honors in the present campaign, tallying 86 points. Playing forward, the former Butler, Pennsylvania, high school star swished the cards 34 times from the field and hooped in 18 out of 30 tries for his 86 point total. "Kirk" is back on campus for his last season, having picked enough credits in the Navy V-5 program to register as a senior. He starred for the Bethany, West Virginia, passers last year, and on returning to Allegheny earned his block "A" in soccer this fall. Bill is a member of Phi Gamma Delta and plans to enter law school after graduation.

Captain Lee 'Speedo" Donaldson, who holds down the pivot position on the Gator five, was runner-up in the individual scoring race with a total of 75 points. Lee, now a senior at Allegheny, has chalked up 29 field goals and 17 out of 33 tries for his 75-point total.

Tall, bespectacled, and a varsity veteran of the past two seasons, Donaldson was top scorer for Allegheny last season and received Tri-State honorable mention last spring.

Speedo, who learned his court game at Etna high school near Pittsburgh, is also a reputable soft ball hurler. He is majoring in Economics and is a member of Phi Gamma Delta social fraternity.

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Allegheny Loses To Tech By Three Points

Allegheny's basketeers dropped a hard fought ball game to the Tartans from Carnegie Tech last Saturday by a score of 51-48. The game, played on the Tech court in Pittsburgh was witnessed by a huge crowd, many of whom were Alleghenians of both the past and the present.

Coach Garbark started Andres, Kirkpatrick, Donaldson, McMillan, and Wigton as in the two previous games of the week. However, Jack Beck, Butler high ace some five years ago who had enrolled in school only two days before, broke into the lineup before the game was very old and thereafter saw a good bit of action.

The game was lost by the Alleghenians soon after it got under way as the Tartans, led by their sharpshooting guard George Marck, ran up a 10-1 lead before their visitors could get an offensive under way. The Gators managed to shorten the gap to six points at quartertime and to either tie or exceed the engineers in the other three frames, but this wasn't good enough as the Tartans still held a three-point margin at the end.

Jack Beck, playing his first game for the Blue and Gold after but one practice session, was high point man for the locals with 12, on five field goals and two fouls. Besides showing a shap eye, Jack played a generally fine game and should be a valuable addition to the team. Dick Andres tallied 10 points on five baskets to come in second in the individual scoring, while Donaldson was third with nine, all in the first half.

Bob Larsen, another veteran who returned at semesters, looked good for the little while he was in even though he failed to score.

The box score:

	G	F	T
Andres, f	5	0	10
May	0	0	0
Kirkpatrick, f	1	2	4
Beck	5	2	12
Donaldson, c	3	3	9
Wigton, g	1	6	8
Levinsky	0	0	0
McMillan, g	2	2	5
Larsen	0	0	0
Totals	17	14	48

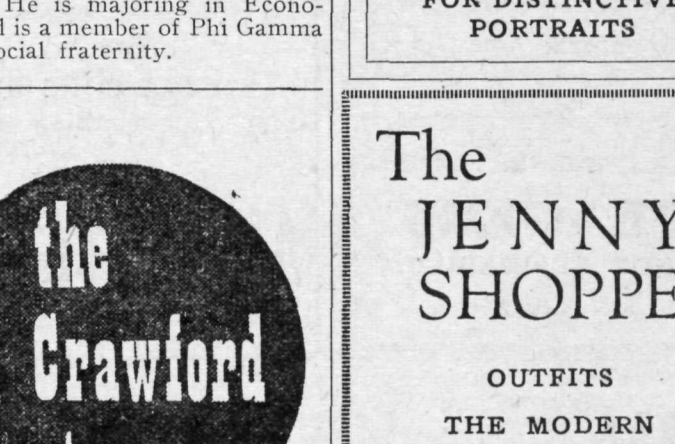
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GOLF

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stead of the customary one. Everything seemed to be in my favor. That alone should have warned me, but I went stubbornly onward in my pursuit to learn the game of golf.

And so it was that the next morning at nine o'clock I found myself on hole #1. The first thing one does is to tee off, or in simpler terms hit the ball. It was then I found out that a good healthy swing has nothing at all to do with hitting the ball. First, there is the matter of how to hold the club. One puts one's hand gently around the club with the little finger of the right hand overlapping the forefinger of the left hand. Now that the club is in the correct place, the player must consider his position in relation to the ball. It must not be too far away or too close but just right. Feet are spread about one yard apart. This much I thought was easy, and I then prepared to hit the ball.

"But not yet," said Art; "we are just beginning."

Right then, I began having qualms as to my determination to find out why golf was one of America's most popular sports. Perhaps I should leave the scientific method for others and just take the book's word for the popularity of the game. But I was already started and, besides, I needed someone to tell me how to get out of the position I found myself in. I decided to just wait and see what happened.

"Now," my teacher directed, "swing your club around remembering to keep your eye on the ball, your head down, your right arm stiff, your left arm relaxed, your wrist flexible, your right heel slightly off the ground, your right knee slightly bent, and your left leg straight. After you hit the ball, follow through."

I was speechless. Nothing was left now but to close my eyes, breathe deeply, keep my eye on the ball, my right arm stiff, ad infinitum. I started off fine but midway my reflexes jumped the gun and all too soon my left side was doing what my right side should have been doing, and vice versa. The sum total was that I missed the ball by a very great margin and acquired a slightly sprained back.

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President John Richie Schultz will attend a meeting of the executive committee of the Association of Pennsylvania colleges to be held in Lancaster Pennsylvania the latter part of this week.

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Each organization receiving money from A.U.C. is requested to turn in monthly budgets listing all expenditures to Gerald Liebman, '48, treasurer. If not turned in, funds for the organization will be frozen.

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Allegheny Christian Council will hold its first meeting of the new semester this Sunday afternoon in Cochran lounge at 2:15. All new freshmen, returned students, and interested upper-classmen are invited to attend.

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Sunday, February 24, at 4:30 p.m. Reverend Mr. John Laws of the Meadville Unitarian church will speak at vespers service in the chapel. Several musical selections will also be given.

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An A.W.S. open house will be held this Friday afternoon in the pine room at Brooks hall. New students are especially invited to come. There will be dancing, bridge, and refreshments from 3:30 to 5:00. These informal gatherings are sponsored weekly by the A.W.S.

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There will be a Chemii club meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday, February 20, in Carnegie.

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Crowd Sees Gators Defeat Grove City

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of foul shots taken. The Grovers stepped up to the free throw line no less than 38 times while the Alleghenians, themselves, took over 20. Before the final whistle, Kirkpatrick and Andres were on the bench via the foul route as were Keefer, Gonet and Sinclair for the visitors. Sinclair had only one personal charged against him but he was banished by the referee for rather unethical remarks concerning one of the game's many hectic incidents.

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Wigton, g	2	1	5
Johnson	0	0	0
McMillan, g	7	3	17
May	0	0	0
	17	13	47

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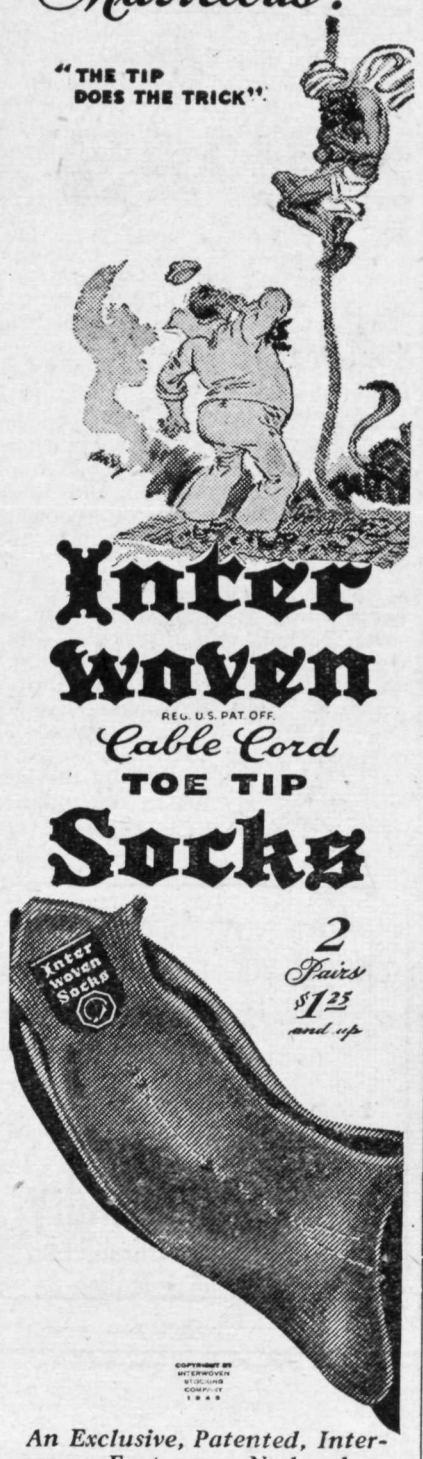
Because many veterans have returned to Allegheny, the majority of whom prefer to graduate as soon as possible, the summer school curriculum will be changed.

Questionnaires concerning the summer school curriculum will soon be sent to all students.

These questionnaires will consist of the following questions: 1. Do you intend to come to summer school. 2. First term, second or both. 3. What would you like to take? 4. When do you expect to graduate? 5. What is your field of concentration?

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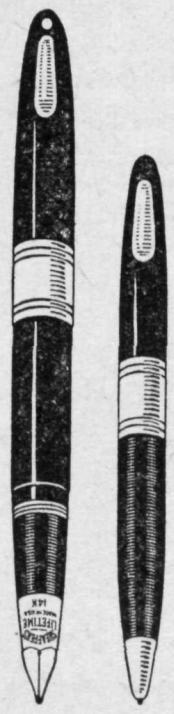
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