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MEN DEBATERS FACE HEAVY SCHEDULE FOR COMING TWO MONTHS

FRESHMAN TEAM WILL MAKE EXTENSIVE TRIP.

TO INVADE OHIO

Home Discussions Include Penn State and Waynesburg.

A heavy schedule for the next two months is in store for the members of Allegheny's men's debate squad. A trip into Ohio, an invasion of the East, and debates with universities in the Pittsburgh district help to make up an interesting program. In addition, several home debates will be held in the near future.

Waynesburg College debaters will be met here on February 11, when George Thornton and Samuel Ziskind will represent Allegheny and uphold the negative side of the question, "Resolved: That Congress should be empowered to regulate minimum wages and maximum hours for industry." Charles Miller and Walter Jacobson will espouse the affirmative side of this question against Carnegie Institute of Technology here on February 12.

In another home debate on February 13, Herbert Rosen and Joseph Macedo will argue the negative side of the wages and hours question against students representing Penn State College. On February 18 Erskine College debaters will appear here, when Alfred Wellons and Rex Mamlquist will discuss the negative of the wages and hours problem. The affirmative side of this same question will be upheld by Seymour Smith and Joseph Macedo in a home debate on February 19 against Lemoyne College of Tennessee, a negro institution.

A debate with Oberlin College will be held at Titusville High School on March 4, with Walter Jacobson, Alfred Wellons, and Joseph Macedo representing Allegheny and discussing the question, "Resolved: That the United States should pursue a policy of economic internationalism."

Debates will also be held with Houghton College at Fredonia High School on March 15, and with Colgate University on March 16 or 18.

Rex Malmquist, Herbert Rosen, and

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SENIOR LIBRARIES TO RECEIVE PRIZES IN BOOK CONTEST

THREE PRIZES OFFERED

Third of Annual Exhibit to be Presented Here.

The annual student library competition will be held after the spring vacation when all seniors will have opportunity to enter the books they have collected during the four years of college in a display to be held in the Reis Library.

This is the third of these exhibits held at Allegheny College. The winners last year were Robert Smith, first prize; Charles Ferris, second prize; and David Taylor, third prize. Five other libraries were on display.

The prizes offered this year are $15.00, $10.00, and $5.00 in books for the three senior libraries judged best by a committee. The senior class is invited to enter this competition and to make the display as large as possible.

The following rules will apply to the entries:

1. The prize will be awarded to those students who, during their four years of college have collected the best persoonal libraries.
2. The books must contain a suitable personal book-plate or other ownership inscription.
3. Neither the total number of books nor their money value shall be a determining factor in the judging.
4. The books will be exhibited in the Library for two weeks beginning April 15 and be judged thereafter.
5. Five judges appointed by the Library staff will make the awards.
6. In order to determine the basis of choice of the books in any student

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FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS ARE CUT BY THE FACULTY

STUDENTS GIVEN MORE CHOICE IN SURVEY COURSES.

OTHER CHANGES

Credit to be Given for Extra-Curricular Work.

Reduction of the present language requirement was among those changes effected by the Faculty in its meeting on Monday, February 8. Curriculum revision was also made as to the distribution of required courses in the freshman and sophomore years, hours required for graduation, and the granting of credits for music and publications activity.

LANGUAGE CHANGE.

Culminating a long period of intensive study on the part of the curriculum committee of the Faculty, it was voted to reduce the present language requirement to two years. In the past, students have had to complete the second year courses in two languages or the third year course in one language.

The statement, as revised by the Faculty, states:

"The requirement in foreign language is the attainment of the level at the completion of French 2B, German 2B, Greek 2 or 3, Latin 2, or Spanish 2. Upon entering college each student is given a Foreign Language Placement Test and is assigned to the proper course on the basis of actual knowledge shown. Each candidate for a degree, however, is required to complete one year of foreign language in the freshman year above the level of his placement. The first year of a new language will not meet this requirement. If a student has completed four years in one entrance language and has passed the placement test with a superior grade, the Language Department concerned has the authority to release the student from further language study."

CHOICE OF COURSES.

It was also voted "that

English I, Introduction to Natural Science, Introduction to Social Science, History or Mathematics be taken in either freshman or sophomore year. The object of this is to provide

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The Junior Class will hold its annual banquet Thursday, February 18, in the Kepler Hotel at 6:30. The banquet will be formal. All class members not planning to be present should notify one of the members of the committee which includes Mary Lou Waha, John David, William Cappe, and Ben Raskin.

RUDOLF PRESENTS FIRST OF SUNDAY READING SERIES

QUILL ROOM CROWDED

Edna St. Vincents Millay's King's Henchman Interpreted.

Fifty people crowded into the Quill Club room in Reis Library last Sunday afternoon to hear Mr. Curtis Rudolf's interpretation of "The King's Henchman," a poetic drama by Edna St. Vincent Millay. This play, written in blank verse, deals, as Mr. Rudolf explained, with the "eternal triangle" just as the Arthur-Guinivere-Launcelot story does. And, in many respects, the Edgar-Elfrieda-Ethelwald story is similar to the Arthurian legend. Although the play has never been produced, it has been set to music by Deems Taylor and made into opera.

This was the first of a series of recitals to be given by Mr. Rudolf on Sunday afternoons. Next Sunday, Feb. 14, at 3 o'clock, he will read a short story by Ida M. Tarbell, "He Knew Lincoln". This reading, a character monologue, was chosen because of the

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THREE MEMBERS OF THE FACULTY RETURN TO RESUME TEACHING

CHEVRET ON LEAVE NOW

Darling Takes Extensive Tour of United States.

Three of Allegheny's faculty members, Dr. Chester A. Darling, Dr. Paul H. Giddens and Professor Horace T. Lavely who were on a leave of absence during the last semester have returned after varied experiences.

Dr. Darling of the Biology department left Meadville immediately after commencement last June on a very extensive tour of the United States, Mexico, and Alaska. After eight weeks of travelling he and his family reached Seattle, Washington. While on the trip they visited twelve national parks. Those they visited were the Rocky Mountain, Mesa Verde, Grand Canyon, Zion, Bryce, Grand Peton, Yellowstone, Glacier, Canadian Rockies, Mount Ranier, Crater Lake, Yosemite, Grant, Sequoia, and Carlsbad Caverns in Mexico. They they took a boat trip of two weeks to Alaska going as

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FRENCH FILM WILL BE PRESENTED AT A LOCAL THEATRE

INCLUDES TWO PLAYS

Phi Sigma Iota in Charge of Selling All Tickets.

On Tuesday, February 16, a French film will once again be presented to the student body and citizens of Meadville through the courtesy of the college and Phi Sigma Iota, honorary romance language fraternity. It will be shown at the Academy Theatre at 4:30 in the afternoon.

"Une Soiree a la Comedie-Francaise" is the title of the film which presents two complete French plays by master dramatists; and they are shown as they are actually presented on the stage of La Comedie-Francaise, the world-renown national theatre of France.

Moliere's "Les Precieuses Ridicules" and "Les Deux Couverts", a farce by Sachaguitry comprises the repetoire; and in order for the students to actually comprehend the plays, it is announced that there are many copies of Moliere's plays available in the Eng-

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COLLEGE AMATEURS TO OFFER TALENTS IN MEADVILLE SHOW

SPONSORED BY THEATRE GUILD

Many of Allegheny's Entertainers to Participate.

Tomorrow night marks the first invasion of the Allegheny college students into the vast unknown of the Meadville entertainment world. The event will be known as College Night and the site of the invasion will be the stage of the Park Theatre.

Under the guiding wing of the Meadville Civic Theatre Guild a group of hopefuls from the Hill will try their hand at "laying them in the aisles" via the song and dance route.

Through the medium of this event it is hoped that there will be a more closely knit feeling of cooperation and goodwill grow up between the students of the college and the towns people. If this evening of entertainment is a success, and there is every indication that it will be, the event of

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FESTIVAL OF PLAYS OFFERED TO CAMPUS AT LOWERED PRICES

WAR DRAMA, IBSEN PLAY AND TWO REVIVED OFFERINGS.

FOUR PLAYS

Season Ticket Plan to Prove Attractive Feature.

"Season tickets to four plays for one dollar" is the slogan of the newly-created Playshop policy as announced by Miss Alice H. Spalding, director. There are to be two performances of each of the four plays scheduled for production this semester.

Transferable season tickets for reserved seats at each of the four plays will soon be made available to the student body at half the price usually charged for such productions.

Eight performances of four full-length plays, two new and two presented here previously, comprise the ambitious schedule of the Playshop spring dramatic festival.

Beginning on March 6, the festival of plays will continue weekly until May 8, being interrupted only during the Easter recess. During this time each play will be presented twice.

An interesting variety of stage entertainment is provided by the four plays, each of which differs from the others in mood, period, costume, scenery, and general presentation.

"Libel", a court-room drama growing out of an incident that actually occurred during the World War, and Ibsen's "Enemy of the People", are the two new plays scheduled for production. "Fashion", and "The Bishop Misbehaves", both presented here recently, complete the schedule.

"Libel" was first produced in London two years ago, and then brought to this country last year, playing in New York with great success. It has not as yet even been published and is not generally available for production by college groups.

Ibsen's "Enemy of the People" is considered one of the best of his social problem plays. The only important commercial production in recent years of this play has been that of Walter Hamden, who considers his role of

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WOMEN TO DEBATE THURSDAY VERSUS WESLEYAN GROUP

TWO TRIPS TO BE TAKEN

Discussion Held With George Washington University Monday.

Tomorrow evening at 8:15 in the Playshop three Allegheny women debaters will take part in their only formal debate of the season. Elizabeth Brady, Marion Henry, and Aileen Rockenbach at that time will meet a team from Ohio Wesleyan.

Elizabeth Jordan, Margaret Beaner, juniors, and Katherine Marshall, senior, will represent Ohio Wesleyan and uphold the affirmative of the question, Resolved, That the United States should pursue a policy of economic internationalism."

The other question of the year, "Resolved: That Congress should be empowered to legislate on minimum wages and maximum hours for industry" was discussed last Monday afternoon when Martha Jane Beatty and Elizabeth Aldrich met a team from George Washington University. The Washington debators, Eleanor Farr and Selma Pickett, upheld the negative of the question.

Home debates with Penn State, Grove City, Westminster, American University, and Wooster are scheduled for the next two months as well as two trips. The Ohio trip, planned for the week of March 10, will include visits to Oberlin, Wooster, and Ohio Wesleyan.

Immediately after Easter, the women will leave for their Eastern trips. Debates with Penn State, Bucknell, Muhlenburg, and New York University are scheduled. The women will discuss both sides of both questions debated this season.

A FROSH IN THE BUTCHER SHOP

Scene: Gay Knee College.

Time: Registration day for new freshmen.

Place: Miss Wool's office.

New Frosh—Pardon me, but is this all I have to do to get into this school? I've stood here for an hour and a half to get a bill, then after trying to figure out a complicated schedule, was told that I had to get a card signed—a little bit more and I'll go back to High School.

Miss Wool—Heavens no, you aren't finished yet. You must go to Dr. Skinnem's office for your appendo-exam!

New Frosh—What's that?

Miss Wool—Never mind, you'll find out, it's the first door to the left.

Our scene changes to the office of Dr. Skinnem, school doctor.

Nurse—Please sit here until we call you. Don't be alarmed at any screams you might hear. We're getting a pretty good bunch today.

Nurse—Will you please take your clothes off and lie on this table? Now, have you ever had gas pains? Are you sick to your stomach? You are? Well, take these pink pills and I'll go consult Dr. Skinnem . . .

Dr. Skinnem—Well, well, looks as if we might get one more today . . . Now when I poke you, yell where it hurts . . . you say you don't hurt? Never mind, you will when I get through with you! How about here? and here? . . .

New Frosh—Ouch! Ouch! You're killing me!

Dr. Skinnem—Aha! I knew it . . . look here, nurse. I think we'd better go into conference . . . bzzz, bzzzzz. bzzzzz . . .

Nurse—We don't think it's serious, but just in case, we'd like to have your father's name and address and telephone number . . .

New Frosh—Say, there's nothing wrong with me . . . I'm feeling fine, now don't you go calling my parents. The only think wrong with me is hunger . . . do you realize that I have been standing and waiting ever since ten o'clock this morning, and I haven't had a bite of food?

Nurse—That's good, now you won't have gas pains . . .

Dr. Skinnem—I guess we had better take you down to the hospital for a blood count, just to be sure . . .

New Frosh—You won't get me inside that place—they call it the butcher shop, because once you get in, you come out more hole than whole!

The taxi arrives, and from now on, things move rapidly . . .

Dr. Skinnem—Here we are, Dr. Cutter, are you taking the count?

New Frosh—Say, if you don't get that needle out of my arm you'll be taking the count all right . . .

Nurse—Will you please come here, Dr. Skinnem? This affirms your suspicions . . .

Dr. Skinnem—Yes, will you ask the operator to get me this number?

Half an hour later . . .

New Frosh—Why are you undressing me again? I thought this was all over—oh, you say they're going to examine me again? Well, I'm getting a nice ride out of this anyway—I don't see why I can't walk up to the fourth floor . . .

Ouch! They're sticking things in my back . . . my legs seem to have fallen off, and they're tickling my stomach . . . I guess I had better tell them not to operate on me . . . I don't have any money . . .

Well, I'm moving again . . . I guess the examination is all over, now I can go up and finish registering . . .

What th— who in th— why Mother, and Dad—how did you get here? Why on earth did you come? I know it's pretty tough to register alone, but I was getting along all right . . . delirious? I'm not either, why should I be? . . . They what? . . . took my appen— oh ye gods! . . .

Mother—Help, nurse! He's fainted.

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WANTED: A SENSIBLE CHAPERONAGE SYSTEM!

Among the many disciplinary and social problems put upon the shoulders of fraternities here is that of securing chaperones.

Chaperones might be defined as: those faculty members who do not think fast enough to turn down the social chairman of the fraternity. We realize this definition is all too harsh and false, but there is the impression we get after watching the poor social chairman struggle to get a chaperone.

This problem child was bourne and conceived by the administration and faculty, for it is they who require the chaperones. But they have dodged the responsibility of creating a workable and adequate chaperonage system.

We realize faculty members are busy (ah! such excuses!) and that the administration may not really be aware of the problem; but the student body has become acutely aware of the fact that the chaperonage system is much too haphazard.

Might not this suggestion help? Have the Dean's Office register each faculty member for one of the four or five weekends each month (dividing the faculty equally). Then when a fraternity is to have a party a list is secured from the Dean's office and one of the faculty is requested to serve. If turned down, the social chairman goes to the next member—and when the notification card is turned into the office, have it list the requests that were refused and the reasons why. Thus there is not only a check on the faculty but also assurance of an equal distribution of this task which seems so distasteful.

We realize of course that it will be YEARS before any action is taken upon this subject but if the Dean's office is really interested in seeing social events more smoothly conducted, it will force a solution of the problem.

With hopes of an answer sometime . . .

YEEE GODS! REGISTRATION!

Still Allegheny does not have an adequate registration system.

The valient effort of Miss Cotton to relieve the usual three hour wait by scheduling the students alphabetically did not seem to be successful. Furthermore the wear and tear on the Registrar's Office was not reduced.

While the administration may believe that registration does not warrant attention, its inefficiency does in the end reflect upon those concerned. It also has become the habit of the students to let work cards be neglected, to change schedules, and in general assist in creating more confusion.

We believe registration could be conducted in one day.

In the morning, have all faculty members be present in the Gym or one of the other buildings and have students report there for registration. Re-issue the work cards and then any open to question can be immediately cleared up by reference to the proper faculty member. Have the card receive its necessary final okay and issue the bill. This step is one that gives rise to much confusion so there should be several persons to handle it.

Then have the student take his or her bill to the Treasurer's Office as is the present practice. And as the last step the student should go to the Registrar's Office and turn in the approved work card and the stamped treasurer's bill.

This would then give the Registrar's Office the afternoon, evening and following morning to write the class cards. These can then be listed alphabetically and issued rapidly on the afternoon of the second day.

We realize the many sections of certain courses and student indecision make it necessary to take two days but we believe they could be more effectively utilized.

If a question is raised as to the workability of the plan we might suggest that one college of our type, Oberlin, uses this system as well as such large schools as Pitt and Carnegie Tech.

WHEN IS YOUR PARTY?

"No parties after 11:30 on Friday evenings."

Thus one sentence keeps 13 fraternities and sororities from being able to set a date for their most important social function, the Spring Formals.

No group desires to cut the party short at 11:30, so every one petitioned for either Saturday, May 1, or Saturday, May 8. And we believe it most unfair for the faculty or the Dean's Office to ask one group to deprive itself of privileges while another group is allowed to enjoy them: the chief one being the 1 o'clock permission. And as Saturday, May 15, is occupied by May Day any chance for having formals, and hence relieving the pressure, is automatically cancelled.

We put the question up to the faculty: where are there six or seven suitable places around Meadville so that the same number of groups can hold their dance on the same night? None to our knowledge. We may be brusquely told to have the party at the fraternity house, but certainly we students have all too many "common" dances without being deprived of our one yearly opportunity to have a "real" time.

We realize that in the main the Friday night rule is fair and adequate. But we believe it should be relaxed for at least two or three possible Friday nights: April 30, May 6, and May 14. Should any faculty member stumble across this editorial, we hope he or she appreciates the fact that May 1 is too early for a Spring Formal and that May Day (why DO we have it?) has deprived us of another possible week-end.

"The Campus" is not given to gigantic editorial campaigns for we believe the faculty has almost always ruled fairly when a need for action has become apparent. So it is our deepest hope the faculty will assist the fraternities and sororities, as well as the AUC social calendar committee, by allowing Spring Formals until 1:00 o'clock on the above mentioned Friday nights.

LIBRARY MAGAZINES

Why not a "Readers' Digest" in the Library?

The theortetical comeback is that students should peruse all the magazines and uncover the good articles. But, we ask the all pervading and brilliantly illuminating intellect, "Where is the necessary time to come from?"

After all, a whole staff of well trained literary personages spend many hours looking over the many magazines, and who are we, the student body to compete with them?

So a "Letter to the Editor" justifying the absence of the "Readers' Digest" would be appreciated by many of the magazine reading students.

Social Calendar for Second Semester

FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL, 1937

FEBRUARY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11.
Women's Debate—Ohio Wesleyan.
Men's Debate—Waynesburg.
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12.
Sophomore Dance—Cochran Hall.
Men's Debate—Carnegie Tech.
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13.
Phi Delta Theta Fall Party.
Men's Debate—Penn State.
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16.
Basketball Game—Hiram.
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18.
Junior Class Banquet—Kepler Hotel.
Men's Debate—Erskine.
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19.
Men's Debate—LeMoyne, Playshop.
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20.
Basketball Game—Hobart.
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24.
Basketball Game—Thiel.
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26.
Formal Reception—Hulings Hall.
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27.
Basketball Game—Hamilton.

MARCH

SATURDAY, MARCH 6.
Pan-Hellenic Dance.
Playshop—*The Bishop Misbehaves.*
SUNDAY, MARCH 7.
Vesper Service, 4:30, Ford Chapel—Dr. Bruce Wright.
TUESDAY, MARCH 9.
Playshop—*Fashion.*
SATURDAY, MARCH 13.
Phi Gamma Delta—Chapter Party.
MONDAY, MARCH 15.
Women's Debate—American University.
TUESDAY, MARCH 16.
Women's Debate—Wooster.
THURSDAY, MARCH 18.
Women's Forum.
FRIDAY, MARCH 19.
Owen Dance.
SATURDAY, MARCH 20.
Playshop—*Libel.*
Delta Tau Delta Chapter Party.
Alpha Chi Rho Chapter Party.
SUNDAY, MARCH 21.
Vesper Service, 4:30, Ford Chapel—Bishop Wm. F. Anderson.
MONDAY, MARCH 22.
Community Lecture Concert—Earl Spicer, Baritone.
THURSDAY, MARCH 25.
Recitations Close.

SPRING RECESS.

APRIL

MONDAY, APRIL 5.
Recitations Resumed.
LEAP WEEK BEGINS.
SATURDAY, APRIL 10.
Leap Week Dance.
Playshop—*Fashion.*
MONDAY, APRIL 12.
Community Lecture Concert—Rockwell Kent.
TUESDAY, APRIL 13.
Philo-Franklin Banquet.
THURSDAY, APRIL 15.
Playshop—*Libel.*
FRIDAY, APRIL 16.
Tennis—Faculty.
SATURDAY, APRIL 17.
Independent Spring Party.
SATURDAY, APRIL 24.
Founders' Day.
Junior Prom.
Playshop—*Enemy of the People.*

The Calendar for May will appear in next week's issue of *The Campus.*

CLIP AND SAVE

ATTEND THE SOPHOMORE DANCE

OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Hereafter Mr. Curtis D. Rudolf will hold his Sunday readings in Cochran Lounge at 3:00 o'clock.

NYA time slips are due immediately after February 10. Please turn them in promptly to Miss Charlton at the Alumni Office.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12.
Chapel—Student Male Quartet.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15.
Chapel—Miss Alice H. Spalding.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17.
Chapel—Dr. Albert Marriott.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19.
Chapel—Allegheny Singers.

RUDOLF READING

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proximity to Lincoln's birthday. Maxwell Anderson's poetic drama, "Valley Forge", which ran two years ago on Broadway, will be interpreted Sunday afternoon, Feb. 21.

On the 28th Mr. Rudolf will read Robert Frost's poem, "Death of the Hired Man", and selections from Carl Sandburg's most recent volume, "The People, Yes". He has chosen several solioquies and speeches from Shakespeare to read Sunday, March 7. The next week, March 14, he will interpret "High Tor", one of Maxwell Anderson's three plays, all written in blank verse, now in production.

The last of the series will be given on March 21 when Mr. Rudolf will give a lecture recital on the poetry of Lew Sarett, well-known poet under whom he studied interpretation at Northwestern University.

Mr. Rudolf has had considerable experience in recital work in Chicago and on the West Coast. He has undertaken this group of one hour programs, sponsored by the Philo-Franklin Union, in order to revive a custom formerly carried on by the Quill Club.

Hereafter these programs will be held in Cochran Lounge at 3 o'clock, Sunday afternoon.

Generally Speaking

A bit of reminiscing . . . ask any of the famed Sophomore "Dupes" what gave them the biggest thrill during Christmas vacation and they would probably answer Emerson Gill playing Near the Vale at their luncheon in the Bill Penn . . . incidentally he was once initiated into Kappa Beta Phi at Allegheny, but then he IS a Phi Psi.

Probably one of the "butter" remarks of the season, Ely to Thomas while rehearsing "Fashion", listening to Sieberg muttering something about EGGS. "She always seems to get the dairy end of it."

Paging Philo Vance! What makes Rosie Latta inquire of every telephone call, "Is it long distance?" and when it is why does she refuse to answer? Maybe it's catching. Her roommate uses the same tactics . . . who is the brown-eyed young man who unfortunately finds Ollie "not home" when he telephones five times in one day?

"I'll never tell," say the Phi Gams, but still we'd like to know what five of them were doing on the soccer field at four o'clock the other morning armed with paddles.

We wish to announce Mary Elizabeth Sharps the winner of the Elongated Appendix Contest held at Allegheny last semester. Out of 21 entries, she topped her nearest opponent, Nancy Clowes, by a quarter of a test tube. By the way, have you read the hospital poem which they say you can't appreciate unless you have had an appendectomy.

Gay Gator posted the majority of the pin drapings but the ranks of the lovelorn have since been increased by Tommy Clark and Marion Tait, Erskine Meyers and Marian Miller, and Elvira and her banker . . . Congratulations to all of you.

Murphy day was celebrated by Cochranites during exams. Female lingerie hung conspicuously on a clothes line on the stairway reddened a lot of faces when the girls arrived with their dates that night. Imagine the poor girl's embarrassment who found her silk undies dangling from the chandelier and casting a pinkish glow about the hallway. Oh, what will they be doing next?

The prize "boner" of the week was pulled by Dr. Skinner in her new Applied Psychol. (by the way that is the proper abbreviation) Class. "We will make a study," she said, "of those students who have been placed on the prohibition list." Could she mean the probationers, or was this faculty topic just uppermost in her mind.

FOUR TEAMS END SEASON IN TIE FOR TOP PLACE

Bowling and Handball Take Spotlight in Current Sports Program.

With the start of the second semester the intramural program swings into a new phase. Basketball will be finished within the coming week with the Phi Gams, Delts, Phi Delts and Independents playing off a four way tie for the championship. Examinations depleted the ranks of the Independent team to the point that they will have little to say about the final champion. The fight for the crown must be decided between the Delts, Phi Gams and Phi Delts. Probably the final battle will see the Delts and Phi Delts deciding the tournament.

In the near future the handball and bowling tournaments will be under way, with record entries recorded in the handball tournament.

Handball has drawn more interest

Handball.

this year than ever before as is shown by the entry list which numbers over 100. The tournament is run on individual competition and not on a team basis. Werle, winner of last year's tourney, will find plenty of competition in the field this year and will be taxed to the limit if he expects to retain his championship.

Bowling.

Bowling will get under way the latter part of this week. The tournament will be run-off in two leagues this year so as to cut down the number of matches to be played. Last year the Sigs won the title by defeating the Phi Delts in the play-offs.

Boxing and Wrestling

The last of the month will see the boxers and wrestlers beginning their seige of training in preparation for the championship matches. After about three weeks of training the men will decide the various titles on March 18 and 19.

At first glance this would seem to be an extra heavy program to be carried out in such a short time but when the various events are considered separately it will be noted that the balance between team competition and individual play is almost perfect. The aim of the Physical Education department is to keep the intramural program moving along at an even pace without putting too much pressure on any of the participants. This they have done in fine style in the method used for scheduling the forthcoming events.

CAGERS TO MEET THIEL AND HIRAM TEAMS THIS WEEK

The 'Gator basketball team will enter its most extensive phase of the current season this week when they meet the cage teams of Thiel and Hiram.

On Saturday evening the Alligators will journey to Greenville to tangle with the Lutherans of Thiel. This will be the renewal of one of the traditional rivalries of the 'Gators. To date the Allegheny and Thiel teams have met 24 times with the 'Gators coming off with victory in 16 of these contests. In this series the 'Gators have scored a total of 736 points as against but 650 for the Lutherans.

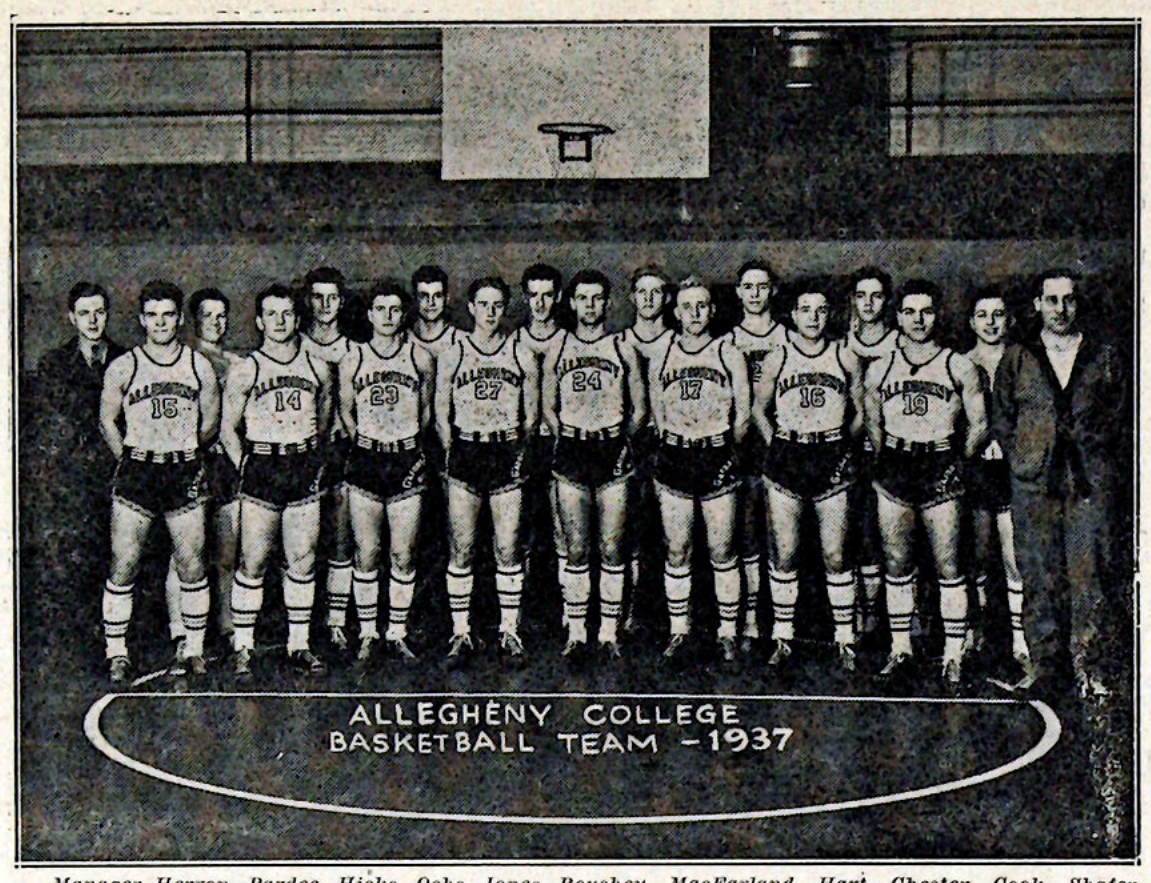
Last year the two teams met twice with an even break the outcome. In the first game played on the Meadville court th e'Gators eked out a 24-23 victory. Later in the season the 'Gators traveled to Greenville and were dropped 30-28.

The game this week should prove to be one of the usual games played between the two schools. Thiel is minus the services of Strimer and the two Snyders. The loss of these three men has weakened their line-up considerably even though they still have the use of Bierbach who proved to be a thorn in the sides of the Allegheny players last year.

The comparative records of the teams stack up fairly even but from the style of basketball the 'Gators have displayed in the past few games they should come home with their second victory of the season.

On Tuesday the 'Gators will play hosts to the Hiram Terriers. Hiram this year has a squad consisting mainly of freshmen and sophomores, only two lettermen are on the team. With a team such as this their actual strength is a matter of conjecture.

Two sophomores, Abbott and Greenwood, have been playing regularly at the guard positions this year and have been responsible for a majority of the Terriers points. Both men are consistent floor players and have been the main cogs in the improvement of the team.



Manager Herron, Pardee, Hicks, Ochs, Jones, Poushey, MacFarland, Hart, Chester, Cook, Shafer, White, Gratz, Irvin, Kursel, Robinson, Jacobus, Coach Lawrence.

OUTING CLUB AT BOUSSON FARM

"Another helping of stew," was the theme song of starving campers on the overnight outing held by the Outing Club in the new cabin on Bousson Farm. Considering the fact that 12 pounds of beef, 15 pounds of potatoes, in addition to onions, five bunches of carrots and a gallon of beans composed the stew, no wonder second helpings were in order. Over thirty members participated in the event.

Early Saturday afternoon the bedrolls, cooking utensils, ice-skates, hockey clubs, and various other pieces of outing equipment were loaded into the truck and automobiles, and the outing was officially started.

Most of Saturday afternoon was spent in cleaning the snow off of the ice on Lake Siple in order to permit ice-skating and hockey games. At the same time the kitchen detail were busying themselves with the preparation of the evening meal.

Following the evening meal, the members were divided into three groups. While one group washed dishes, another ice-skated, and the third went on a short hike. Later, the groups were assembled around a blazing fire in the fire place for singing, popcorn, toasted marshmallows, and a general good time. At the conclusion of the camp fire program, the boys hiked through the woods to the Phi Beta cabin and made up their beds for the night. The girls tried to make themselves as comfortable as possible in the Outing Club cabin.

Oatmeal was the main item on the menu for Sunday morning breakfast. Following the meal the girls cleaned up the cabin while the boys tried their abilities as lumberjacks. From the looks of the wood pile there is still much room for improvement.

Supervision of the activities was divided among the various officers of the club. Jim Werle was in charge of the boys' activities, Hazel Dixon was in charge of the girls' activities. Harold Calbert acted as work supervisor and chef, while Mary Lou Waha was in charge of the campfire program. Mr. Glaubach and Geo. Thornton obtained a considerable number of excellent moving and still pictures. Mr. Daniels and Miss Peffer, faculty advisors for the club, acted as chaperones.

SOPHOMORE DANCE

Sophomores will hold a class dance this Friday evening from 8:00 to 11:30 with music being supplied by the Town Club orchestra. According to the announcement issued, the place has not been definitely chosen, but is hoped to secure Cochran Hall.

"One of the couple in attendance must be a sophomore" was the rule issued by David Miller, chairman of the committee and it was also stated that a dollar a couple will be charged. Those assisting him are Horace Lavely and Jeannette Hirshman.

Cymaylo, one of the two lettermen, ranks with Abbott as a scorer. Playing forward he is a speedy man on the floor and a long shot artist.

At center the terriers are starting a six foot two inch freshman by the name of Crafts. With this height at center the 'Gators are going to experience difficulty controlling the tip-off.

The other forward position is filled by a sophomore, George.

Thus far this season Hiram has turned in two victories as against six defeats. Grove City defeated them last week and if comparative scores mean anything, and they don't, the 'Gators should number Hiram their third victim of the 1936-37 season.

SWIMMERS MEET SLIPPERY ROCK

Allegheny College swimming team will meet the Slippery Rock water men this week-end. The coming swimming meet promises to be one of the hardest meets on the 'Gator swimming schedule.

Allegheny has defeated the Slippery Rock swimmers in the past two dual meets held annually between these two rivals. In the past two years Allegheny College has defeated Slippery Rock only because the superiority of Allegheny's free stylers has excelled the general all round ability of the Slippery Rock swimmers. This year Slippery Rock has added new men to their team to increase the speed and strength of their free stylers. With this additional strength Slippery Rock hopes to defeat the 'Gators decisively.

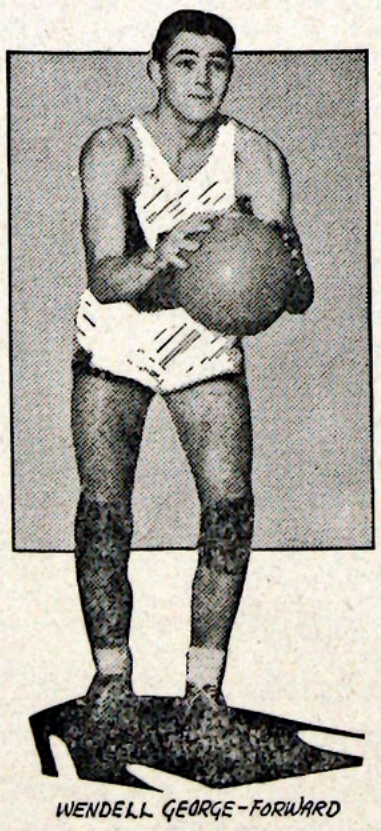
Even though the Rockets have a finely balanced team, Coach Arthur Daniels' men have every intention of fighting to their utmost.

Every man on Allegheny's swimming squad is in perfect condition and even though the comparative strengths are unequal, Allegheny will not be defeated easily.

GIRLS' SPORTS

Girls' sports for the second semester officially begin this week with the reorganization of the freshman and sophomore gym classes. Basketball and shuffleboard make up the major part of the program for the coming weeks.

The freshman girls will be given their first opportunity to make a trip to Bousson Farm this week-end from Saturday to Sunday, Feb. 14. Those girls desiring to go may sign up on the bulletin board in Hulings. It is possible to take only 17 this time. but Miss Peffer has plans for more Bousson week-ends for freshmen in the future.



Wendell George, six-foot forward from Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, is not only a skillful ball handler and an expert shot, but is also an important factor in Hiram's defense. "Wendy" was a star forward with the Cuyahoga Falls high school quintet, and is active in other college athletics including football and track.

Sports Chatter



By BOB LYONS

Allegheny made the grade in John Hix's Strange As 'It Seems column" the other week when he pointed out that in 1901 the Allegheny football team won one game and lost four games by the same score, 11-0. Apparently the losing complex is nothing new for Allegheny teams, in spite of what we are led to believe.

Virtue enters the field of intercollegiate athletics, if one takes to heart what the president of Yale stated in his annual report last week.

President Angill spoke out against subsidization of athletes with the statement that no Yale student could expect recognition of any kind "merely because he is an athlete."

The Yale head asserts that he is "obliged to believe" that practices of recruiting high school athletes for college teams and of paying college players for their services "are extremely common and extremely pernicios."

I realize that Yale would do nothing that is "common" but I wonder how he accounts for the fact that so many of Yale's players have their way paid not only through college but also through prep school.

Now that the second semester is well under way the 'Gator basketball team can get down to the serious business of playing its toughest series of games on the schedule. In the next month they must face eight opponents, among them their traditional foes Thiel and Grove City. In order to get an even break in the standings for the year they must defeat at least five of their seven opponents, which is quite an assignment. It looks as if another year will pass with the 'Gators on the short end of the percentages.

Basketball is taking the country by storm this year. All over the land promoters are following the example of Madison Square Garden and scheduling double-header games between outstanding teams. To support this demand the brand of college play is better this year than it has been in several seasons.

Among the outstanding teams of the country are Notre Dame which recently ended the undefeated seasons of both Penn and Syracuse in one week and then polished off Purdue, which is headed for the Big Ten championship with little in its way, Stanford, led by the high scoring Luisetti, turned the trick on Long Island University after the latter team had won 43 straight games and has continued to play first class ball all season. Long Island U. has started another winning streak since being defeated by the Trojans and has as yet to suffer its second defeat.

These are only a few of the A-1 teams that are campaigning across the country this year. With a season like the present one it will no longer be necessary for the basketball squads to rely on the money earned by the football team for their support. The crowds have proven that they like the court game and are willing to support first class competition.

CAGERS LOSE TOUGH BATTLE WITH ALFRED

Blue and Gold Lose Out to Strong Purple Team at Alfred.

The 'Gators travelled to lower New York state last Saturday night, and were handed their fourth defeat in five games by Alfred College. The game was fast and hard, with Allegheny stepping into the lead at the start, only to lose it about ten minutes later when the Alfred team put on a fine spurt.

The 'Gators were obviously "off", probably due to the long lay-off during the examination period. With the offense slowed down to a walk, Allegheny showed a remarkable defense in keeping the score down to 37-24. The team was on defense about three-fourths of the game, and that was the chief reason for their defeat.

Alfred presented a team of veterans, being practically the same team which defeated the 'Gators twice last year by twenty points. Coach Lawrence changed his starting lineup for the game by inserting Gratz at center in place of McFarland, but it was McFarland who came out as the bright light in the defeat. After replacing Gratz, he played a fine defensive game, and added six points for himself.

Schachter and Oberhanick had been the cause of Allegheny's trouble for the past two years and did not let up this time. Schachter accounted for 11 of Alfred's points with Oberhanick contributing nine to the cause. Brownell, the third senior in the lineup, proved to be a brilliant performer at the center position.

The 'Gators held their own in the first 10 minutes of the game, starting the scoring with a foul by Hart and a field goal by White on a spot shot. Alfred tied the score on a foul by Oberhanick and a field goal by Schachter, but Allegheny immediately returned to the lead on White's one-handed flip from the side. Brownell tied the score on a short shot and the tie remained as Hart scored two free throws and Schachter tallied from the field. Gratz and Pardee shoved the 'Gators ahead by scoring foul shots but Alfred broke into the lead for the first time as Oberhanick scored a field goal and two free shots.

Once in the lead, Alfred spurted to a comfortable advantage as Brownell lifted in a goal. Hart, interrupted with a foul, but Arkin scored from the field and Schachter tallied on a rebound. Shafer broke fast to score but the Purple rushed to score on Oberhanick's long shot, a foul by Shoemaker and a goal by Vance. The end of the period saw the 'Gators trailing by the score of 22-12.

The 'Gators tallied a few points at the beginning of the second half, scoring six points while Alfred was counting two in about eight minutes. This cut the score to 24-18.

Two quick goals for Alfred and they regained their 10 point lead as Buckley and Shoemaker scored long shots. Hart tallied a free throw and MacFarland rang the bell from the field. At this point Alfred cut loose again and widened their lead on field goals by Brownell and Schachter, a foul and another goal by Schachter before Shafer stopped proceedings with a foul. Brownell and White exchanged field goals as the final whistle blew.

Coach Lawrence promises harder practices this week, and the team is confident that it will defeat Thiel when the two teams meet on the latter's court Saturday evening.

Eleven players made the trip to Alfred. They were: Al White, Ray Shafer, Chet Pardee, Alex Hart, Jack McFarland, Art Gratz, Don Ervin, Gene Ochs, Don Jones, Bill Kursel, and Bill Cook.

Line-up:

ALFRED	fg	fp	ft	tp
Schachter, f.	5	1	1	11
Oberhanich, f.	3	3	6	9
Buckley, c.	3	0	2	6
Brownell, g.	2	0	1	4
Arkin, g.	1	0	0	2
Shoemaker, f.	1	1	1	3
Vance, g.	1	0	0	2
Keefe, g.	0	0	2	0
TOTALS	16	5	13	37

ALLEGHENY	fg	fp	ft	tp
Shafer, f.	1	1	1	3
White, f.	3	1	1	7
Gratz, c.	0	1	1	1
Hart, g.	1	4	6	6
Pardee, g.	0	1	1	1
McFarland, c.	3	0	1	6
Ervin, f.	0	0	0	0
Jones, g.	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	8	8	11	24

Score by Halves:

Alfred	22	15—37
Allegheny	12	12—24

SOCIETY

Phi Delt Initiation.

Phi Delta Theta announces the initiation of the following on Sunday, February 7: Charles Thompson, Robert Appleyard, Robert Wright, Harry McCurdy, Arthur James, Rogers Brownell, William Ervine, William Scarpitti, and Edward Wood. Alumni present for the occasion included Dr. Bruce Wright and Dr. Lloyd Swisher.

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S. A. E. Pledging.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon announces the pledging of the following new freshman men: Everett Wicker, Pittsburgh; John Skinner, Monaca; and Robert Bomer, Pittsburgh.

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Phi Delt Pledging.

Phi Delta Theta announces the pledging of William Todhunter, class of '39, from Johnstown.

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Phi Psi Formal.

Phi Kappa Psi entertained about forty couples at its annual mid-winter Formal, held in the chapter house last Saturday night. The Town Club Orchestra furnished the music for the occasion. The high spot of the evening was the unique method of distributing favors by means of a lottery.

Chaperones were Dr. and Mrs. Louis Long. Guests of the chapter included Jack Hickernell, Richard Shultz, Tom Else, Frank Allebaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Zigler, and Kenneth Fishel.

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Phi Gam Initiation.

Phi Gamma Delta announces the initiation of the following on Sunday, February 7: Llewellyn Davies, Charles Miller, William Barnhart, John Dale, Robert Geisinger, Fred Baldwin, John Meighan, and James Hickernell. Following initiation a banquet was held in the chapter house.

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S. A. E. Radio Party.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon entertained about twenty-five couples at a radio party held in the chapter house last Saturday night. The chaperones were Mr. John Hulburt and Miss Mildred Ludwig. Guests present included Everett Wicker, William McCotter, Walter Maloney, and William Todhunter. The committee in charge was headed by Milan Harvey.

FRENCH FILM

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lish and that mimeographed texts of Sachaquitry's play will soon be ready. It is recommended that the students read these texts which can be secured from one of the members of the French department.

Miss Alice H. Spalding will discuss La Comedie-Francaise in chapel next Monday in order to provide a suitable background for the proper appreciation of the film.

The tickets are twenty-five cents and may be obtained from any member of the French department or any member of Phi Sigma Iota, which is in charge of the sale.

DEBATE SCHEDULE

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Samuel Ziskind will make a three day trip into Ohio the first week in March, and they will discuss the adoption of a policy of economic internationalism. Western Reserve University will be met on March 3, Wooster College on March 4, and Ohio Wesleyan University on March 5.

In the middle of March, Walter Jacobson, Seymour Smith, and Alfred Wellons will travel into the East and appear at several collegiate institutions. These students will uphold the affirmative side of the wages and hours problem at Penn State College on March 15 and at Lehigh University on March 17 at noon. On the evening of March 17, Allegheny's representatives will argue the negative side of the economic internationalism question against Rutgers University debaters. Princeton University will be met on March 18, and on the nineteenth the negative of the wages and hours problem will be discussed with Nassau Arts College of New York University, and with New York University on the following day. The affirmative of the economic question will be upheld on March 22 at noon against debaters of Bard College of Columbia University. The last debate on the Eastern trip will be with Hobart College on March 23, when our representatives will argue the negative of the wages and hours question.

Charles Miller, George Thornton, and Samuel Ziskind will make a trip into the Pittsburgh district, meeting Carnegie Institute of Technology on March 16, University of Pittsburgh on March 17, and Washington and Jefferson College on March 18.

Four freshman men will leave on February 15 for their debate trip. Sam Hazlett, William Irvine, Charles Liggett and Neil MacKeighan are the debaters selected to make the trip.

They are to meet a Westminster team on February 15, Pitt on the 16th, Washington and Jefferson on the 17th, Waynesburg on the 18th, and Penn State on the 19th. This last debate will take the form of a parliamentary discussion.

Mishell George will accompany the freshmen. They are prepared to discuss either side of the question, "Resolved, That Congress should be empowered to legislate on minimum wages and maximum hours for industry."

COLLEGE NIGHT

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College Night will become an annual affair in the entertainment world of the city.

As is the style all over the country this season the Theatre Guild is giving college talent a chance to display its merit. Following the lead of several of the big radio sponsors in devoting time and effort to developing the possibilities of collegiate entertainment, the Guild is devoting much of its time and effort to make College Night one of the features of this season's presentations in Meadville. College Night will be presented in the form of a variety stage show with orchestras, singing and dancing. The music will be furnished by the Town Club band which made a great hit at the Phi Psi party last Saturday evening, the band has among its members several men from the Hill. The remainder of the program will be made up of members from several of the Greek letter organizations on the campus.

The Phi Kappa Psi quartet will vie for honors with the quartet representing Phi Gamma Delta, Phi Delta Theta will present their chorus; the women will be represented by the Kappa trio composed of Emma Robertson, Francis Wynne and Mary Lou Waha, Edith Heinz will do a routine of top dancing and represent the Thetas, to round out the program the Alpha Chis will present Phyllis Freeland and Dorothy Ely in a skit.

Heading the show and acting as Master of Ceremonies will be Phi Delta Theta's one and only Joe Philippbar.

21 NEW STUDENTS ENTER ALLEGHENY SECOND SEMESTER

NUMBER OF MEADVILLE RESIDENTS ENROLL NOW.

Second semester registration found sixteen new students and five ex-Alleghenians present on the campus.

Among the new students only one is a transfer, William Todhunter of Johnstown, a sophomore from Thiel. He attended Ferndale High School and is planning to major in Chemistry.

The list of new freshmen includes a number from Meadville. The alumni of Meadville High School are William John Bainbridge, who expects to do surgical chiropidy; Michelena Charlotte Kobylanski, a French major; Walter Hugh Maloney, who plans to work in the medical field; Clyde Malcolm Miller, science major; Harry Arthur Nichols, Chemistry major; and Mary Louise Williams, who will concentrate in French for teaching. Miriam Yvonne Coyle, also of Meadville, attended Villa Marie Academy in Erie.

Students coming from out of town are Vera Antoinette Goldman of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, who went to the Cleveland Heights High School; Ellen Claire Hoffman from the S. J. Tilden High School, Brooklyn, New York, an English major who plans to work in the field of journalism; Richard Caldwell Lantz, who attended the Carson Long Institute, and lives in Curwensville, Pa.; William Carl McCotter of Sharon High School, Sharon, Pa.; Mary Ellen Reilly from Mineola High School, Mineola, New York, who plans to do personnel work through majoring in psychology and social science; Phyllis Rhodes of Perry High School, Pittsburgh; John Rodger Skinner who attended Monaca High School, Ponaca, Pa., and who plans to be an engineer; and Everett Eugene Wicker from Peabody High School in Pittsburgh. He is interested in osteopathy.

PLAYSHOP PROGRAM

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Doctor Stockmann one of his finest.

"Fashion" an American comedy of 1845, stands out as one of the best on its kind and period. It will be done with the costumes, scenery, and manner of the time.

The second revival is "The Bishop Misbehaves", a modern comedy successfully produced this season by the Cleveland Playhouse and by Walter Connelly on the New York stage.

CURRICULUM CHANGES

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greater flexibility in lower level requirements for students who know at the beginning of their freshman year what their major fields will be."

CHANGE IN SURVEY.

Revision of the credits of the freshman natural science survey course re- in Introduction to Natural Science be sulted in the decision "that the course changed to a four hour course throughout the year. The second semester will absorb most of the present hygiene course, the remainder to be incorporated in freshman year Physical Education."

MORE HOURS.

More hours for graduation are required for it was resolved: "That the requirements for graduation be raised from 120 to 124 semester hours, and that as a part of this requirement all students shall take four semester hours of Physical Education. No grades will be given in Physical Education except passed and failed."

MUSIC DEPARTMENT.

Changes effected in regards to the music department are: "The courses in theory, appreciation, history of music and choir conducting are credited as regular college courses. Additional credit, not to exceed ten semester hours, may be earned for work in Organ, Piano, the Chapel Choir, the Allegheny Singers and the Instrumental groups. In the work of the Chapel Choir, the Allegheny Singers and the Instrumental groups no final grades will be given other than Passed or Failed. Credit for the Choir, the Singers and the Instrumental groups will be limited to one hour each semester for not more than four semesters. Credit for Organ and Piano will be given only on the recommendation of the Chairman of the Department and the Instructor concerned. Such credit will be based on the advancement and the quality of the student's performance and will not be given for elementary work. The department reserves the right to bar credit for practical work in the case of students not registered for courses in theory."

CREDITS FOR PUBLICATIONS.

And in line with the other actions, academic recognition for publication work was voted. The Faculty decreed "that the Department of English be authorized to give one hour of additional credit to those students in English 16 or 17 who are also members of the Campus, Kaldron or Literary Magazine staffs and who meet certain additional requirements."

CHANGES IN FACULTY

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far north as Sicka. On returning from Alaska they went to Berkley, California, where they lived for four months while Dr. Darling worked in the library of the University of California. Just before Christmas they journeyed to Los Angeles. On January 1, they saw the Tournament of Roses at Pasadena. On their return trip they motored through Arizona, Texas, New Orleans, and Cincinnati. The entire auto trip covered 17,000 miles which was in addition to the boat trip.

Dr. Giddens of the History and Political Science department started last June to help Miss Ida M. Tarbell collect information for a book on the oil industry. He first went to Titusville where he worked in the Drake Well Museum. There he collected material and studied newspapers and letters which pertained to the oil industry. After the middle of October he left Titusville and traveled back and forth between Oil City, Westfield, and Tionesta gathering more material. Dr. Giddens also spent much time in Reis Library studying and collecting information.

Miss Antoinette Chevret of the French department is on a leave of absence this semester. She has gone to Milwaukee, Wisconsin. During this semester she plans to visit several universities, including the University of Wisconsin and the University of Chicago, to investigate the problems in connection with the teaching of French.

SENIOR BOOK COMPETITION

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library presented for competition the judges may ask for an interview with the exhibitors to get additional information.

Entries should be made with the Librarian on or before March 25.

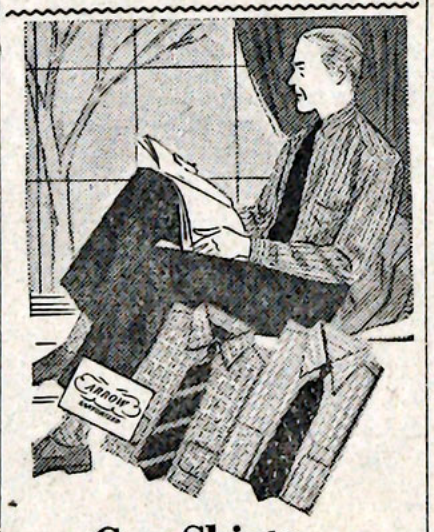
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