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# Over $1,600 Given To Relief Chest

## Crawford Expects Goal Of $2,000 To Be Reached December 15, Deadline Set

To date the total amount of pledged and cash contributions to the Consolidated Relief Chest exceeds $1,600, announced Aubrey Crawford, '45, chairman of the drive, early this week. Not all the contributions from the faculty and campus organizations are included in this sum. All donations are expected to be in by December 15, at which time Crawford expects the final total to reach the goal of $2,000.

Students individually have donated $960.30, of which $578.05 has been received in cash. Faculty cash contributions amounted to $529.50. The faculty pledge slips have not yet been totaled.

From the special events conducted during the first week of the drive, $65.70 was taken in. $58.10 of this amount was received in the form of contributions at the all-college dance October 23; the rest resulted from admissions charges at the play-off soccer game at Eberhardt field October 22.

This money, which will be used for lump contributions from Allegheny college to worthwhile organizations, will be distributed in the following approximate sums:

$400.00—World Student Service Fund.

$400.00—Scholarship fund.

$275.00—Red Cross.

$100.00—United Nations War Relief (this sum will be increased by donations from Meadville.)

$529.50 — Meadville Community Chest.

# Departing Air Corps Men Feted

The Air Corps party held on Friday evening, November 7, proved a complete success. All of the departing men and the officers of the Thirty-First Training Detachment were in attendance at the celebration at the Meadville Country club. Special guests of the men were Dr. and Mrs. John Richie Schultz, Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Long, and Mr. John Hulburt and Miss Mary Jane Chiles. The program consisted of a dance from 8:00 to 10:15 p. m., followed by a buffet dinner.

Because of the great enthusiasm over the party, there are now tentative plans to have such an affair for those leaving every month.

The group which left Saturday has been sent to San Antonio for classification for training as pilot, bombardier or navigator. Praise and great enthusiasm for Allegheny college and its program was prevalent among all of the men upon leaving.

Pvt. Warbritton, Wing Commander, was one of the outstanding men who left the past weekend. Having come here because of a hand injury which prevented him from seeing action sooner, Pvt. Warbritton was in training here for eight months and had the highest rank among the members of section A and B and group 1.

# *Parlette Plays For Panhellenic Formal Saturday*

The Intersorority ball, sponsored by the Panhellenic Council, will be held Saturday evening, November 20, in Brooks hall from 9:00 to 12:00 p. m. This dance, which takes the place of separate fall formals for the sororities, will be semi-formal in attire. Music will be furnished by Gene Parlette and his orchestra.

The guests for the evening will be Miss Laila Skinner and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Harris, while Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Cares and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Younger will act as chaperones.

The committee, which is composed of members of the Panhellenic Council, will be headed by Jane Sinclair, '44, Alpha Xi Delta, president of the council. Elizabeth Hart, '44, Kappa Alpha Theta, is in charge of decorations, assisted by representatives from the sororities; Betsy Pfleeger, '45, Kappa Kappa Gamma, programs; Shirley Miller, '45, Alpha Xi Delta, publicity; and Mary Pierce, '44, Theta Upsilon, musical arrangements.

# *A. W. S. Gives Thanksgiving Meal Tonight*

Brooks hall dining room at 6:00 p. m. this evening will be the scene of the second holiday dinner of the year, sponsored by the A. W. S. The dinner is not Allegheny's Thanksgiving dinner for there will be no turkey, but men and women will nevertheless feast amid a holiday atmosphere.

The decoration committee, consisting of fifteen freshmen and upperclassmen with Helen Creeger, '46, as its chairman, has worked to carry out the Thanksgiving motive with turkeys, Pilgrims, autumn leaves and cornucopiae.

Girls are asked to wear street-length dressy dresses instead of formals, while the men are required to wear suits.

The final seating chart, listing the names of all those planning to attend and the location of the tables, is posted on the bulletin board in Brooks.

GLAMOUR GUARANTEED

# *J. A. Salon To Open Nov. 20*

**By Shirley Clothier, '46**

What they won't think of next! But, seriously, you'll all agree it's a good idea, for just by looking in the mirror, you can get a fairly clear picture of what I mean. All this parley leads up to the fact that the J.A.'s (short for Junior Advisors are establishing their very own beauty parlor up on Third Walker in the lounge.

They aren't insinuating, girls, or anything like that, but if you **do** have a washed-out complexion, stringy hair and your nails are at loose ends, these ambitious women will practically guarantee to overhaul you. They are planning to wash hair, set it, give facials and do manicures, by appointments which may be phoned in to Pat Pittenger or Dot Colley.

This worthy **and** needed enterprise begins Saturday gals, so if you want to look your best for the "big moment" and the coming vacation, why don't you dash to the phone now and ask for an appointment? The hours will be from 2:00 to 4:00 on Saturdays. You'll be amazed how quickly you can be transformed into a ravishing beauty.

It isn't only for the benefit of the school (having us beautiful, I mean) but the profits are to be used for the Consolidated Relief Chest fund. It's really a swell idea and to make it a success let's all let somebody else worry about the results of a bottle of Halo and a box of bobby pins.

# Bond Drive Is Progressing

**SOLICITING FOR DRIVE WAS STARTED THIS WEEK**

Hopes for the new War Bond drive were high this week, as the solicitors started their energetic campaigns among the faculty and the student body, excluding those students who will graduate in January. However, Joan Hexter, head of the drive, said that no definite announcement as to the progress of the drive can be made until next week. The Sigs helped give the campaign a big send-off when they gave a check for a $1,000 bond last week.

An innovation in the method of campaigning on the campus was made when the freshman class, headed by Sammy Knappenberger, class president, took complete charge of soliciting the members of their class and agreed to make sure the individual freshmen monthly payments of $2.68 each are in by the first week of every month. Those who have already started to fill stamp books may be included in the drive and their money will be refunded in stamps at the end of May. Everyone is urged to dig down deep into their pockets and help make this campaign a 100% success by purchasing a bond by May.

# *Two-Week Deadline Set By Ad Agency*

Orders for posters from the Allegheny Advertising Agency must be in two Wednesdays before the posters are needed, it was announced by Betsy Pfleeger, '45, chairman. This deadline will be shortened when new workers have been added to the production staff.

Forms have been sent out to all organizations on campus by which posters or publicity campaigns may be ordered. These orders or requests for order blanks are to be sent to Betsy Pfleeger, Brooks hall.

Any questions concerning the agency may be taken to the administrative staff of the A.A.A. This staff consists of Betsy Pfleeger, Doris Anne Larsen, '46, Virginia Douglass, '46, and Elizabeth Ann Mills, '46.

All art students interested in working with the Allegheny Advertising Agency are requested to come to Ruter hall at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening.

# *Artist Of Known Ability With Air Corps*

An artist of note is at present among the men of the Thirty-First Training Detachment. Pvt. R. Z. Chamlee, whose home town is Atlanta, Georgia, is noted chiefly for his portrait of Dr. Willis A. Sutton, and for his entries in the American Youth Forum.

Chamlee did the portrait of Dr. Sutton, superintendent of the Atlanta school system, last summer. The portrait is to be unveiled in the near future at ceremonies held in honor of the superintendent, who is retiring. Pvt. Chamlee is hoping to get a furlough to be present at the program.

His most outstanding work was for the American Youth Forum "Artists for Victory" contest. He won a $500 prize for his work depicting negro education. This painting is now being shown on tour throughout the nation. One of the judges for the contest was Dean Yakes of Yale, through whose encouragement Chamlee took a year's work at Yale, majoring in art. Pvt. Chamlee has also done professional work in wood sculpturing. Right now doing his best to bring the war to a successful conclusion, he plans on a vocation of painting in a peaceful world.

There will be a meeting of the freshman class tomorrow noon, in the chapel.

# November Events For Music Lovers

## Spanish Dances By Argentinita Presented Nov. 29

On Monday, November 29, at 8:15 p. m. in the Meadville high school auditorium the Meadville Civic Music association will present Argentinita and her Spanish dancers.

The program promises to be one of the best of the year, with a full selection of Spanish and gypsy dances, old and new, and done in authentic costume. Argentinita's company is composed of Pilar Lopez, who along with Argentinita



creates her own numbers, Jose Greco, Manolo Vargas, Carlos Montoya, guitarist, and Ines Gomez Carillo. Costumes are executed by Federico Rey.

The dances are typical of the different sections of Spain, and Argentinita has made a true effort to capture the real feeling of Spanish dance. A pure-blooded Castilian, she has studied the dance since she was seven years old, traveling all over Spain to observe the various folk dances and even living with the gypsies to learn their exacting and finely-styled dances. She feels that the gypsies are the truest artists of all, for they dance solely for their own pleasure and satisfaction. In some of her dances she has tried to capture this feeling for us.

The program is as follows:

I

From the opera, "Goyescas"—Granados. Los Embozados; Fandango.

Dance from the opera, "La Vida Breve"—De Falla.

Zorongo Gitano—Garcia Lorca.

Farruca (Flamenco Dance) — Popular.

Two Popular Spanish Dances: Dance from Mallorca — Albeniz; Aires de Castilla—Gombao.

Jota—Granados.

Jota Aragonesa.

Jota Valenciana.

Guitar Solo—Flamenco Melodies.

Amor Gitano, Dance No. 11—Granados.

Miller's Dance, from "The Three-Cornered Hat"—De Falla.

Song: "Sierra Granada" and "Fiesta"—Garcia Lorca.

Intermission.

II

Two South American Dances: Venezuela: Joropo—Popular; Cuba: Habanera—Ravel.

El Puerto—Albeniz.

Zambrilla Gitana: Cubita and Cadiz (Comic Tango)—Popular.

Bolero—Ravel.

## The Buccaneer Is To Be Shown In Playshop Sunday

On Sunday, November 21, the third Sunday evening movie, "The Buccaneer," will be shown in the Playshop at 6:45 p. m. instead of the former 7:00 p. m.

In this picture with its historic background of the War of 1812, Frederic March, as the gentleman pirate Jean LaFitte, and Akim Tamiroff have the leading roles. The aid given to General Andrew Jackson by the Gentleman Pirate of Baratorie in the battle of New Orleans in 1815 is the theme of the story. Films packed with action and adventure are usually the rule when Cecil B. DeMille directs. "The Buccaneer" is no exception.

## Students Play With Orchestra In Program Tonight

The Meadville Symphony orchestra will present its first concert of the year tonight at 8:20 p. m. in the Meadville high school auditorium.

The program as announced by Maurice M. Lord, conductor, is as follows:

Overture, Fingal's Cave—Mendelssohn.

Peer Gynt Suite No. 2—Grieg. (1) Abduction of the Bride (Ingrid's Lament) (2) Arabian Dance; (3) Peer Gynt's Home-coming; (4) Solvejg's Song.

Symphonic Poem, Danse Macabre—Saint-Saens.

Violin solo—Bruce Fye, concertmaster.

Intermission.

Concert Waltz, Vienna Life—Strauss. (a) Air for the G String (for string orchestra)—Bach; (b) Hungarian Dance No. 1—Brahms.

Symphony No. 4 in F Minor—Tschaikowsky. (1) Second Movement Andantino; (2) Fourth Movement Finale.

Several Allegheny college students will be among the players when the orchestra gives its first concert tonight. They are: Iona Caldwell, '46, playing the flute; Josephine Kennedy, '46, double bass; James Brown, '45, second violin; and Mary Jane Elwood, '47, French horn.

# *Administrative Offices Changed In Bentley Hall*

Students seeking administrative offices in Bentley hall of late have had good reason for becoming confused. While carpenters and masons have been laboring to build a rear entrance to the old hall, many varied changes have been taking place in the interior.

Now moving is complete, and new locations settled. L. J. Long, comptroller, who in the past had his office on the second floor, is now situated in the former admissions office on the first floor, just across from Miss Beatrice Cotton's registration windows. Meanwhile, Charles Miller, director of alumni relations, has moved from the third floor to the second floor offices vacated by Mr. Long.

As the final change, J. W. McMahan of the economics department has moved his quarters from the second story to the former alumni office on the third floor.

These changes have all taken place since late this summer, when Hurst R. Anderson, former registrar, left Allegheny to become president of Centenary college in New Jersey, and his office was taken over by Paul H. Younger, former director of admsisions.

**THIS WEEK**

Thursday, November 18
- Brooks hall—6:00—A. W. S. Thanksgiving Dinner.
- Meadville high school—8:15—Civic Music, Meadville Orchestral Society.

Friday, November 19
- Women's gym — 7:30-10:00 — Outing club Square Dance.

Saturday, November 20
- Brooks hall—9:00—Intersorority Dance.

Sunday, November 21
- Chapel — 11:00 — Annual Thanksgiving Service.
- Oratory — 2:30 — Chapel Discussion Series, Dr. Cavelti, "Reconstruction of Liberated and Conquered Nations."
- Playshop — 6:45 — Playshop Film Program, "The Buccaneers."

Tuesday, November 23
- Playshop — 8:00 — Chemii club.

Wednesday, November 24
- Classes close at noon.
- Thanksgiving Recess: 24th through 28th.

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## "GOOD" ISN'T GOOD ENOUGH

Classroom standards don't hold good on the battlefield. Former college men now stationed at remote Army posts are learning that there is no "coasting through" this war. A soldier on a South Pacific island won't get by a Jap sniper with only 65% alertness. A torpedoed sailor won't survive on a life raft with only 70% of the necessary endurance. In those tests of war there is no middle ground. A man excels or fails.

We who still enjoy the security of the campus are being tested, too. We are up for exams in faith, understanding, and effort in the war program. A 65% belief in democracy is not enough. A fair understanding of our war economy won't do. We can't crib through this war by leaving it up to our fellow students to do the saving and economizing necessary to prevent inflation.

We who have so much to gain in a sound post-war world cannot be satisfied with less than excellent in these crucial tests. We must give complete support to the War Savings Program.

Every War Stamp or Bond we buy raises the average of general welfare. Every cent we spend on non-essentials puts victory further away. We must be 100 percenters—we cannot maintain the standards of our currency, we cannot provide vital military equipment, we cannot win the peace with less.

## LET'S ALL GIVE THANKS TOGETHER

When the organ swells to a crescendo and eager young voices take up the melody "We gather together to ask the Lord's blessing"—many of us will be thinking that this Thanksgiving is not one of gratitude for a bounty or overflow, but a humble thankfulness for the simple things of life. The chance to "love and to work and to play and to look up at the stars" seems a dearer privilege now to us who know that those we love are living in zones of hatred and danger, where the stars look murky through the smoke of exploding shells.

The annual Thanksgiving service of Allegheny Christian Council will be held this Sunday at 11 a. m. in Ford Memorial chapel. In a brief period of worship through music, poetry, and meditation you can join your fellow students in giving thanks for what we are enjoying here and asking the Lord's blessing for those who are gone away.

Come to the chapel when the chimes ring on Sunday morning.

J. H., '44

## A. U. C. MEETINGS ARE OPEN

One definite thing which the speeches in last Tuesday's chapel program proved is the fact that not Allegheny's student government, but rather her student participation in campus affairs needs to be improved.

The main reason which was given for this lack of interest was lack of knowledge concerning the discussions and decisions of Allegheny Undergraduate Council. It was stated by one speaker that if students could have an opportunity to sit in on the meetings, they would know better how their interests were being represented and just what problems confronted them.

Through the editorial columns of the **Campus,** we would like to make known the fact that A. U. C. meetings are open to any students who desire to attend and listen in. Regular weekly meetings are held every Sunday evening at 6:15 p. m. in the faculty room in Bentley hall.

M. D., '46

There will be no issue of the **Campus** Thanksgiving Day, November 25.

## *The Social Whirl*

By PEGGY OWENS

A freshman tea, a Bousson outing, and an all-college dance were the highlights of this week's social activities.

Monday evening town alumnae of **Alpha Chi Omega** gave a supper for members in the chapter rooms. After the supper they presented the chapter with gifts for the rooms. Tomorrow evening the **Alpha Chis** will initiate Janet Bland, Marjorie Byers, Shirley Clothier, Elaine Coates, Mildred Ann Ditty, Virginia Douglass, Mary Ellen Pagaroll, Carol Waechter, Geraldine Wallace, and Frances Wallace.

A surprise birthday party was held for Phyllis Campbell in the **Alpha Gam** rooms Monday evening.

On November 20, **Alpha Xi Delta** will install a new chapter at Culver-Stockton College in Canton, Missouri. The new chapter is **Beta Nu.**

On Monday evening **Kappa Kappa Gamma** initiated Carol Blake, Lois Bliss, Norma Fix, Marjorie Fortin, Marie Hill, Marguerite Kift, Georgia Kohl, Julia Larson, Joan Reilly, Joan Risser, Ruth Schreiber, Mary Lou Sweet, Bonnie Gene Thomas, Janet Zimmerman, and Rachel Zwilling.

The pledges of **Kappa Alpha Theta** gave a dinner for the actives Monday evening in the home of Alberta Mariott. Jane McClean, Betty Buckingham, and Yvette Kalfayan will be hostesses at a tea held in the home of Jane McClean Sunday afternoon. Saturday the **Thetas** will initiate Elaine Alexander, Caroline Arentzen, Eilanna Bent, Iona Caldwell, Lois Comrie, Priscilla Greer, Elinor Jones, Patricia Karnosh, Betty Lee, Alberta Mariott, Jane Miller, Martha Mitchell and Carol Schott.

Naomi Lutz was pledged to **Theta Upsilon** Monday evening.

Miss Blair Hanson and Miss Miriam Brubaker poured when the girls at Tarbell house entertained members of the freshman class Sunday afternoon at a tea. More than 80 guests signed the guest book. Barbara Dietterick was chairman for the event.

Joe Backus was a week-end guest of **Sigma Alpha Epsilon.**

## November 24-28 Set For Vacation; Cutting Interpreted

Thanksgiving vacation will begin at noon, November 24, and end Monday morning, November 29.

Miss Beatrice Cotton of the registrar's office has announced that students will lose credit hours if they cut more than one of the days immediately preceding or following the Thanksgiving, Christmas or Easter vacations. Thus, only one vacation cut may be taken during the year. One credit hour will be forfeited for each additional day's absence.

# NEW BOOKS

by Jean Merrill

At some time or other all of you have picked up a thin volume of verse in the library bearing a bookplate inscribed **The Annette Miller Swartley Memorial Fund.** All of you will not remember Mrs. Swartley, but Dr. Swartley is a dear and familiar figure on our campus. In memory of Mrs. Swartley he has endowed the library with a poetry fund. Much of the finest verse we have in the Reis collection has been purchased in this way.

It seems appropriate to pause a moment in appreciation, since we have twenty-eight new poetry books displayed this week in the library. The books are in charming slim editions put out by the New Directions Press, each one being bound in a different color. They are pretty books to look at and pleasant to hold in your hand. It has always seemed to me that the first requisite of poetry books is that they be attractively bound—these are.

The writers here represented are of the finest calibre. Some of the volumes are translations and reprints from classical material, while other of the material has been gleaned from the finest of contemporary writing. The titles are too many to mention but I would suggest that anyone who is at all fond of poetry should stop at the library and glance over the new exhibit.

## Allegheny Alumna Assists In African Red Cross Center

Martha Jean Keefe, who received her B.A. degree from Allegheny in 1939, is one of four staff assistants at the huge new Enlisted Men's Red Cross club at the First Replacement Depot, North Africa.

This club, which was formally opened on September 23, 1943, is one of the largest and most comfortable of its kind in North Africa. Especially at replacement depot such as this one morale is low, because of the uncertainties of tim and outfit attending reassignment; consequently, acute need for the es tablishment of larger and more permanent recreational facililties was felt. Built by the Army, staffed and operated by the Red Cross, it is the first large-scale Red Cross camp club, as distinguished from leave centers in the larger cities, to come into its own.

Within the impressive building are an enormous lounge, a library corner, a theater, a snack bar, kitchen, various offices and an assortment of spacious porches. Members of the Army played a prominent part in designing and building furniture, painting murals, and planning and lighting the theater's very professional stage.

As one of four staff assistants, Miss Keefe is superseded in rank only by the supervisor of the entire club and his assistant.

Anyone wishing to apply for a loan from the Methodist Student Loan Fund is asked to see H. T. Lavely, dean of men, before this Saturday.

# ARSENIC AND OLD LACE

By ROBERTA WAITE

Introducing Joe Backus, ex-'46, former feature writer for the **Campus,** as this week's guest columnist. Joe is back soaking up a little Allegheny atmosphere and the following take-off is his reaction to our current campus life. (Any opinions expressed by Mr. Backus are not necessarily those of this column or the **Campus.** We've got to live with the freshmen.)

### Barecheeked Boy with Feet or Vive Le Freshmen

After we had poked around under the Bridge with an old stick for awhile, my friend set down his basket of gleanings and laid a warm, wet hand on my tiny shoulder.

"Old fellow," he said, his eyes moist with melting snow, "doesn't it seem good to be back looking through things you shouldn't again? What would you like to find most down here?"

I thoughtfully picked from our hair some yellow nail peelings which had just fluttered down from above us. "Libby Hart in her Aladdin costume," I said at length, blushing.

So with a new vengeance we overturned picture magazines, movie magazines, confession magazines and numerous other unmentionable things.

"Oh, can you read poetry?" asked a little four-foot girl wearing a dink vaguely complimentary to an apple green coat she had fastened about her with string and bobby pins.

"Sure, I can read! What kinda dope you think I am?" answered a fifteen-year-old boy an inch taller in a burlap sport coat over which he wore two pairs of multi-colored suspenders. We had obviously uncovered a pair of freshmen.

"Oh, I mean can you read poems and feeling them at the same time," she said, as her lips snapped open and stuck shut again when she opened and shut her mouth.

"Hey, Louella Mae! What do you think makes your mouth do THAT?" the boy asked, moving several yards closer to her.

"Oh, I met a girl that used to go with this boy that asked me to one of the dances and she said if I would wear nail polish over my lipstick I would be more a la mode, meaning in style. It does LOOK nice, doesn't it?"

"Yeah, sure, it looks swell, except for the crumbs and leaves and things stuck in it," he reassured her.

"Oh, Bud, we can go to the college restaurant for a drink—of coke!" she said, giggling until she bit her tongue. "If you pick up the dimes and nickels I set on the ground when we came. I can't provably do it with these heavy, warm mittens on."

"I should think she would have thought of taking at least one of her heavy, warm mittens off," my friend and I said to each other, as though in a single voice.

"Oh! Bud, did you hear what they

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# *MAKE MINE WITH ONIONS . . . .*

By Caroline Emerson, '44

The rattle of dishes and scraping of chairs, voices, and laughter blended into a steady monotone in the college grill. All the tables were covered with the beginnings and remains of everything the counter had to offer.

"Shove the debris aside, let's have a game of bridge."

A glass, shoved too far aside, shattered and punctuated the steady hum.

"Who threw that?"
"Some Phi Delt."
"Quiet, you Fiji!"
"Deal me a good one."
"Whatta hand!"
"Re-deal!"
"Nothing doin'. Two spades."
"Bye."
"Three hearts."
"Bye."
"Four hearts."
"Bye."
"Bye."
"Bye."
"Let's see the dummy."
"Hully smokes, what a powerhouse!"
"Grossly underbid!"
"Grossly bid!"

The juke box made clicking sounds and a nickel's worth of "Mood Indigo" filled the smoky atmosphere.

"You ain't been blue . . ."
"Something ail you?"
"Huh uh, I'm singin'!"
"Oh . . ."

A tray full of cokes, hamburgs, and things caloric was lifted from the counter by a dark-haired fellow in a white coat.

"Oh boy, we eat!"
"Mine's with onions."
"Chocolate-shake here."
"How about some ketchup . . . where's that Mexican . . . without ice . . . gimme a spoon . . . toasted . . . who belongs to the coke . . . salt . . . pink center in this hamburg; I getta free one! . . . napkins . . . I said black . . . sling me the sugar . . . another coke . . . what are you charging for this?"

"Hamburg and milkshake, thirty-five."

"But I only got a milkshake. The hamburg is his."

"Twenty-five, then."
"Milkshakes are twenty."
"I mean twenty."
"Here's for the hamburg."
"I need another nickel."
"What for?"
"The coffee."
"I didn't order coffee . . . She did."
"O. K. then, fifteen. Now a nickel for the coffee and ten for the doughnuts."
"I can't eat three doughnuts. How about two for a nickel?"
"Three for a dime, luvva mike!"
"But three's too many."
"One for a nickel then."
"One's not enough."
"Can't help it. Gimme a dime and feed the extra one to George Phi Gam."
"How much for a hamburg, coffee, and pie?"
"Forty cents."
"Geez, take the pie back and bring me some Nabs."
"Quick, gimme a wall. I want to pound my head! Why don't you joes eat in Brooks?"
"It's Friday, bub."

Smoke rings rose from the faculty corner.

"I'm glad percentages are in vogue again."

"Really? '1,2,3,4' is much simpler, I think. Just mark them 1,2,3,4, according to how many cheese-on-ryes you had the night before."

"But I do think the big butts should be retrieved from the sand jugs in Arter."

"As a matter of fact, I believe the war is definitely on. Unmarried fathers will undoubtedly have to go."

"And furthermore, I think the lawn in front of the library is just the place for a Greek theatre."

"But we can't extend the stacks any further. We'll run into somebody's plumbing."

"Well, now that we've decided that a new wing, called Walker Hall, shall be added to the dormitory, let's adjourn to our classes. It's 11:15 already."

The juke box clicked again and "Pistol Packin' Mamma" rattled the cups in their saucers.

"See that rug? Let's cut it."
"Love to."
"Shove over, pledge. Let me out."
"You dance divinely, it says here."
"Thanks. Never had a lesson in my life. Do you like to twirl?"
"I'll sa . . . Hey! I can't hang up here on this light all morning!"

Hup, ta, thra, fur, hurch, hurch, hurch, and in came the army.

"Girls, I think I'm going to faint."

"Not now, stoop. Wait 'til a better looking one comes in."

"I think I'll go up to the counter for a glass of water."

"Wait for me. I'm thirsty, too."

"Excuse us, corporal, we just want to get ourselves a glass of water."

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# Exhibit Of Photo Art At Library

Twenty prize-winning photographs comprise the second exhibit of the season in Reis Library of Allegheny college, Philip M. Benjamin, librarian, announced today. They are the work of Mr. Alfred Watson of Franklin, an engineer with the Hall Laboratories and one of the most distinguished amateur photographers in western Pennsylvania.

"The exhibit of photography by Alfred Watson on view in the Reis Library," stated Julius Miller, head of Allegheny's art department, "is a good example of the artistic possibilities of what straightforward photography can accomplish as a medium of expression.

"Ever since the daguerreotype process was first imported to this country from France in 1839, the concern with brilliant detail can be found in the Civil War photographs of Brady and Gardner, as well as in the photographs of the Frontier taken in the 1870's.

"When, toward the end of the last century, the invention of dry plate and film processes made photography a democratic medium, the majority of artistically inclined photographers forsook the traditionally straightforward approach. By the use of soft-focus lenses and other tricks they tried to make the photograph resemble the painter's canvas or the etcher's proof, and so destroyed the camera's natural image.

"The prize-winning pictures of Alfred Watson show a marked reaction against so-called "pictorial" or manipulated photographs. And he has produced, by the direct use of fundamentally photographic possibilities, some remarkable results."

The exhibit will continue until December 1. Residents of Meadville are cordially invited to visit the exhibit, to see not only Mr. Watson's photographs, but also those by Brady and others of the Civil War, mentioned by Dr. Miller and to be seen in the Tarbell Lin-

## Seven Initiated By KDE, National Education Sorority

Five seniors and two juniors were taken into Kappa Delta Epsilon, women's national honorary educational sorority, Wednesday November 16. The women who were initiated are: Elverta Turk, '44, Louise Schweitzer, '44, Barbara Keebler, '44, Virginia Chester, '44, Jane Sinclair, '44, Betty Buckingham, '45, and Anna Dowling, '45. The initiation ceremonies were followed by a business meeting and refreshments, served by Jane Hahne, '44, and Shirley Stormer, '44.

**Christian Council Calendar**

Monday, November 22
Oratory—Morning Watch
7:00—Music
7:15—Janet Crossman
"Thanksgiving"
Thursday, December 2
Oratory—Morning Watch
7:00—Music
7:15—Rev. Warner.

# AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



The invasion of Sicily was beginning. We needed a bridgehead at Gela. Twice we drove the Germans from the town. Twice they thrust us back to the beaches. General Patton leaped into the surf to take personal command of the desperate struggle. The Germans were forced back. Fresh troops swept landward. The bridgehead was ours. It's everybody's war. General and Private alike press the attack, oblivious to danger. At home all alike must back that attack with extra Third War Loan Bonds.

*U. S. Treasury Department*

# THE WOMAN'S SIDE

By SHIRLEY McDONALD

Are you in tip-top physical condition? Does the thought of walking to Bousson make you weak? Were you all fagged out after one run up and down the hockey field in that tournament game? Would you like to remedy this situation? You will have an opportunity to do so starting Monday night, November 22. At 7:00 p. m. all freshmen women who are interested in an evening of physical fitness will meet in Brooks gym with Miss Dorothy Deach, of the physical education department. Upperclass women will meet at 8:15. To make it worth while for Miss Deach to continue this program, there must be at least twenty girls in each group. Why not build up those flabby muscles?

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The first volley ball practice got under way Tuesday night at 7:00 in Montgomery gym. Other practices follow, same time, same place, tonight and next Tuesday. There are no requirements for eligibility. Just come to two of the three scheduled practices and then show up for the games when they start on Tuesday, November 30.

That each team may play at least two tournament games, two tournaments will be conducted. After the first play-offs, winners will play winners as usual, and losers will play losers.

The schedule for the first games is: November 30—Beebe vs. Phi Gam house at 7:00; **Thetas** vs. **Alpha Xis** at 7:45; and **Alpha Gams** vs. Independents at 8:30. On December 2, at 7:00 Brooks A will play Tarbell; at 7:45, Sig house will play Phi Psi; and **Kappas** will play **Alpha Chis** at 8:30. Brooks B will battle the **T.U's** at 7:00, thus ending the first play-offs. If a team is ing the first play-offs.

If a team is not ready to play five minutes after the scheduled time, the game will be forfeited. Come on, kids, let's not play volley ball with part teams like we did in the hockey tournament.

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Last Thursday in the hockey semi-finals, the **Alpha Chis** bowed to the **Kappas**, 4-0, and **Alpha Gams** lost to the **Thetas** by a score of 4-0. Friday afternoon found the **Thetas** conquering the **Kappas**, 1-0, thus ending the much prolonged hockey tournament.

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During the past week, athletic chairmen have been chosen to represent each women's athletic team. If you want information concerning your team or its schedule, consult your representative or Jody Risser '46, who is in charge of the volley ball tournaments.

Your representatives are: **Alpha Chis**, Ruth Dahl, '45, (room 303); **Alpha Xis**, Marie Greenleaf, '45, (town); **Alpha Gams**, Phyllis Campbell, '45, (room 271); **Thetas**, Pat Pittenger, '45, (room 273); **Kappas**, Kay White, '45, (room 369); **T.U.'s**, Mary Lou Burhans, '45, (room 174); Independents, Millie Shurtleff, '45 (room 241); Beebe, Winona Brown, '47; Phi Gam house, Winifred Sutter, '47; Phi Psi house, Sheila Malton, '47; Sig house, Margaret Lehman, '47; Tarbell, Jane Bell, '47; Brooks A, Helen McCauley, '47 (room 412); and Brooks B, Edna McMullan, '47, (room 414).

## Davison Wins First Place In Speaking Contest

Willard Davison, '44, representing **Phi Delta Theta**, emphasized the importance of students' support of their government in his speech which won first place in the annual men's speaking contest, held Tuesday in chapel.

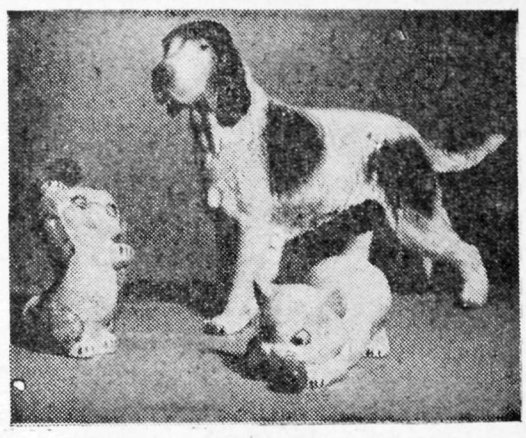
The topic under discussion was "How to Improve the Student Government of Allegheny College." A tie for second place resulted between Richard Coon, '47, representing **Phi Kappa Psi**, and George Hartung, '47, representing **Theta Chi**. The other contestants were Ralph Miller, '46, Alden Men, and A. J. Scolio, '47, Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

## *Outers Square Dance*

Square dancing for Heelers and Outers will be held by the Outing club this Friday, November 19, from 7:30 to 10:00 p. m. in the Women's gym. Music will be supplied by fiddlers from the neighboring town of Pettis.

Dances such as the "Sugar Bowl," "Virginia Reel," and "Shoo Fly" are being planned. Valerie Simpson, '46, is in charge of arrangements.

Twenty-five Outers and Heelers chaperoned by Miss Mary Morison attended the outing at Bousson last weekend. As a special treat chicken roasted on spits was the main item on the menu. Tobogganing and skiing provided recreation for the evening.

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# STARS and STRIPES



By JOAN HEXTER

Well, here I am writing from what used to be a lovely lounge on a transport. It certainly is a mess now, but it's all there is. These full length mirrors look so out of place with field packs hanging from everything that will support them. There are two men assigned to each bunk and the bunks are stacked five and six high. Each man spends 12 hours on deck and the other 12 in his bunk. I spend from 12:00 p. m. to noon the next day and it is really freezing there at night. We all wear life jackets and gosh are they clumsy.

There is a commissary on board where, if you wait long enough, you can obtain candy, smokes, and cokes, but after you have eaten so much of that stuff you can't eat any more and then you are up a creek.

Pvt. Don Wells
Somewhere in Ireland

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I wish so much that I could have stayed at least one more year at school and remained on the A.U.C. Just in the short time I was a member, I enjoyed being a part of the organization. I hope it won't be too long till I'm back there for good, for there isn't a better place in the world than Allegheny.

William Miller, USNR
Hobart College
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It sure was grand to get the **Campus** in the daily mail call a week ago. The news of life on a college campus is quite different from life on an "Air Station." The news of special interest to me and all the other Alleghenians here at Cherry Point was that concerning Dr. Schultz' inauguration as president. He's always been "a good joe" to every Alleghenian in his wide circle of friends, and one of the worthiest of the title "President."

Next important was news of Kappa chapter of Alpha Gamma Delta. When I was home on furlough at Labor Day I met the president of our chapter, a sister of one of the girls I rushed when I was an undergrad. Yes, sir, it's no lie when someone said, "half of your college life lies around sorority and fraternity life."

It's an odd coincidence that Clair McLeod, an Allegheny grad of '42 is working in the same location side by side with me in the A. & R. Technical Engineering Library. While on active duty down in New River, N. C. this summer I was very surprised to see Lt. Bob Appleyard '40, at a wedding of one of my Marine friends. He was there for only a short time. One of our steadiest patrons here is Lt. John Harvey, '42, who is stationed here as Assistant Gunnery Officer, in Ordnance. So, it is quite a reunion we have every time he comes into our library.

We all commented how swell it was to get the paper, each one of us intended to write to thank you and I'm sorry I haven't done it sooner. It's really swell—thanks.

Pfc. Jean M. Beighby
W. R. Barracks No. 225-4
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**A/C GREENBAUM DEFENDS HIMSELF**

I read with interest the articles in this column, and they amused me very much. It seems that other Alleghenians that have been stationed in Texas at one time or another differ violently with me as far as the females are concerned. To prove my point I went to one of the bi-weekly cadet dances and looked over the situation and as a result of my investigation I find that there are quite a few gals who are knockouts, but they are worldly and wise and they are not a pleasure to talk to. Agreed, they are in the minority. However, please don't misunderstand me when I mention the girls. One reader of the **Campus** has the impression that the people in Texas aren't cordial and he got that impression from my letter. I have been stationed in various parts of the States, and everywhere the natives have gone out of their way to make us feel at home. However, in Texas there are so very many soldiers that the people here can't entertain us all the time. So to Cadet Ramsey and Aviation Student Petroni I say keep your eyes and ears open and if you find any females here as nice and as friendly as the ones at Allegheny you have proved your point. Good hunting.

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**MAKE MINE WITH ONIONS**

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"Go right ahead."

"Nothing like water for quenching the thirst, is there, corporal?"

"We1111 . . ."

". . . Although I've tasted better water than this."

"Didn't know water had any taste."

"Ha, ha, ho, that's a good one. Say, the girls are giving a dance on Saturday. Would you like to go?"

"Uh . . ."

"Let's sit down and talk it over."

"O.K."

"Well, as I was saying it's formal for the girls and G.I. for the boys, of course."

"Uh huh."

"Do you like to dance? I just love to. It's such wonderful exercise."

"Exercise?"

"What's the matter, corporal? Oh, my goodness. Why are you lying on the floor?"

Chairs scraped, the juke box vibrated, dishes rattled, voices, voices, smoke, haze, dinks, hamburgs, cokes, nickels, swing, olive drabs and saddle shoes.

"C'mon, let's blow this place and get in the lunch line early or we'll get the shaft again."

**ARSENIC and OLD LACE**

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said? Do you know what they ARE? They said take off my mitten! We'll go right over to that college restaurant now, where it's safe!" she exclaimed, running into one tree and then another.

Entranced, we dropped what carefully we had gleaned and stole after them—from tree to tree, building to building, Marianne Kocher to Barbara Grund—until we slipped unnoticed under their table in the grill.

"Old fellow," my friend said, his eyes moist with lemon phosphate, "doesn't it seem good to be back under a table again?"

I gazed thoughtfully at the "Can You? Yes, You Can. Will You? $2.68" painted on the under side of the table top. "Yes," I answered at length, dodging one of Louella Mae's shoes as it came down.

"Oh, weren't they AWFUL!" Louella Mae said as she slushed about in her coke. Bud didn't say anything because he was choking, so she went on. "Did you hear what they SAID?"

"Yeah, I heard what they said, all right. That's why I think we shouldn't oughta have to wear dinks. With a dink on people like that can tell a freshman girl right away—and take advantage of her like them—them draft dodgers. Even though her dink IS almost obliviated by a veneer of sofistication."

Slightly infuriated by what Bud had called us, we immediately set fire to his socks. But he kept repeating his last words over and over and didn't notice.

Soft music flowed from the juke box. It was "Pistol Packin' Mamma" with Frankie and his Swooners. The babble of gay, careless, almost happy conversation rose and fell from the other tables; Louella Mae's other shoe came off. A playful cockroach took a nip out of another cockroach, and Nancy Sutton tipped over a table and a waiter in getting up. The bell in Bentley began to ring; an influx of dinked girls came in, shrinking from the cigarette machine.

"Old fellow," my friend said, his eyes moist with real emotion. "This is College."

I shaped the lower part of my face into something of a smile, myself too touched to speak.

Joe Backus

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**Orchesis,** a modern dance club, will soon be a part of our school activities. If you are interested, please see Miss Mary Morison, of the physical education department, before Friday noon. No previous dancing experience or training is needed.


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