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AMERICAN PRIMA DONNA PLEASES LARGE AUDIENCE

MISS MAY PETERSON GIVES DELIGHTFUL PROGRAM LAST THURSDAY

May Peterson, American prima-donna soprano, scored a most brilliant triumph in Meadville last Thursday evening, when she was given repeated ovations by a large audience in Ford Memorial Chapel.

Miss Peterson's extraordinary singing, together with her wonderful personality, were responsible for her great success at Allegheny. The singer is a finished artist in every way, and she was forced to sing ten encores in response to the enthusiastic demands of the audience.

The program presented by the artist was a well-balanced one, consisting of four groups, composed of German, French and English songs. These songs included a variety of classical semi-popular numbers.

A few outstanding numbers were "Kom Kijra," a Norwegian song representing the calling of cattle, and which was sung by the world-famous Jennie Lind many years ago; the encores, "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia," and "The Rosary," which thrilled the entire audience; and "Le Coeur de M'amie" proved so popular that the artist was obliged to repeat it before continuing with her program.

Miss Peterson played her own accompaniment for two of her encores in a most pleasing manner. They were "Coming Through the Rye" and "The Rosary."

The program was further enhanced by the beautiful accompaniment rendered Miss Peterson by Miss Mary Douthitt, who, on several occasions, was given her share of the applause.

The audience left the chapel with all manner of praise for Miss Peterson. Following her recital, Miss Peterson declared, "I could sing all night, the audience seemed so receptive."

The program, with the encores which Miss Peterson sang, was as follows:

I
Beneath a Weeping Willow Tree.....Hopkinson
Oh, No, John.....Old English
Soft-footed Snow.....Lie
Kom Kijra.....Thrane
Encore—Mighty Lak a Rose.

II
Aria—Marietta's Lied, from "Die Tote Stadt".....Korngold
Hans and Grete.....Mahler
Memory.....Ganz
Children of the Moon.....Warren
Encore—From the Land of the Sky Blue Water.

III
Dors Mon Petit Amour.....Crovlez
Le Coeur de M'amie.....Dalcroze
The Night Wind.....Farley
Homage to Spring.....MacFadyen
Encores—Le Coeur de M'amie,
The Cuckoo Clock,
Carry Me Back to Old Virginia,
Coming Through the Rye.

IV
Songs My Mother Taught Me, Dvorak
The Long Blue Trail.....
.....Arr. by G. Schaeffer
Musieu Bainjo (Creole Dandy).....
.....Arr. by G. Schaeffer
May Magic.....Anne Stratton
Encores—De Ole Ark's a-Movin' (Negro Spiritual),
Little David, Play On Your Harp,
The Rosary.

NON-FRATERNITY TEAM WINS INDOOR CONTEST

JONES BREAKS RECORD FOR MILE RUN ON INDOOR TRACK LAST FRIDAY

A new Allegheny College record for the indoor mile run was established by A. A. Jones on Friday, Jan. 15, when he completed that distance on the oval in the gymnasium in four minutes 45 3-5 seconds. Jones bettered the old mark held by Bentley by two seconds. The winner showed consistent form throughout the race and did much to insure his success by virtue of his driving finish.

The race was the last event of the Inter-Fraternity All-Around Championships. Final scores showed the Non-Frats as the champions with 54 1/2 points, and Beta Epsilon, the former title holders, second, with 32 6-7. Alpha Chi Rho counted 18 5-14 points, Phi Alpha Kappa 13 6-7 and Phi Delta Theta 6-7.

Summary of the mile run—Jones (N. F.), Bentley (N. F.), Richards (B. U.), Ellis (B. U.), Shafter (P. A. K.). Time, four minutes, 45 3-5 seconds.

ALL ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR JUNIOR PROMENADE

Plans for the Junior Prom, to be held in the State Armory Friday evening, Jan. 29, are nearing the completed stage. The only thing uncertain about the affair is the number of couples that will be present, according to the committee.

Announcements and pictures concerning the orchestra, "The Seven Musical Magpies," have been posted in Bentley Hall. Tickets for the "Prom" are now on sale at \$5 per couple, and may be bought from any member of the committee. The committee is as follows: Richards, chairman; Stewart, Rhodes, Salberg, Faner, Leeper, Ingram and McWilliams.

The favors to be given are a secret as yet, but it is certain that the best that can be bought will be given. Punch, consisting of less than one-half of one per cent. will be on tap the entire evening.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED FOR ANNUAL SENIOR HOP

Preparations for the annual Senior Hop are now under way, with the appointment of the committee being made recently. Karl Riemer was made general chairman. The following were named on the general committee: J. V. Hanlon, C. C. Wolz, R. K. Evans, Marion Whieldon, Mary Alice Jackson, Mary Louise Murphy, J. H. Blower, G. A. Palmer, G. L. Graff, J. L. Anderson and R. O. Barber. The first six named, together with Karl Riemer, will constitute the executive committee.

April 9 has been selected as a tentative date for the Senior Hop.

LOCAL BUSINESS MAN ADDRESSES FRESHMEN

MR. HAMILTON TALKS ON "OPPORTUNITIES IN BUSINESS" LAST TUESDAY

Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 12, in Ford Memorial Chapel the freshmen held their final class in Introduction to College Life. Mr. G. E. Hamilton of the Keystone View Co. addressed the class on the subject of "Opportunity in Business."

"Business," as defined by Mr. Hamilton, "is the simple relation between the income and the outgo." In the present day the business of transferring goods from the producer to the consumer is very complicated. We are all business men to some extent.

The next topic which the speaker discussed was the problem of entering business. It is not a difficult thing for a man to enter a business career. Business exists in a great many forms. The business man has free and almost unlimited opportunities in a country like ours. Mr. Hamilton differentiated between the good and bad types of business.

"Can the business man give service to the people who pay him?" was the next topic which Mr. Hamilton discussed. In business this is possible. It is only in this that business becomes a profession. A man cannot succeed in business unless he feels that he is giving more service than he is exacting.

Mr. Hamilton recommended a college education for a man who is contemplating entering business. "We do not go to school merely to learn to use a saw and a hammer. It does not matter so much what we study as long as we do it well." The student, however, should set before him a course that will carry him ahead in his life after leaving school.

CLARENCE AVEY TAKES POSITION AS SUPERINTENDENT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Allegheny School of Practical Christianity held its regular meeting last Sunday morning, Jan. 17, in Ford Memorial Chapel. Clarence Avey, the new superintendent of the school, who was elected by the Sunday School cabinet to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of R. O. Barber, led the services. Edward Hudson will succeed Mr. Avey as assistant superintendent of the school. There will be as much reorganization made as seems necessary. All suggestions as to the betterment of the school are welcomed.

BLUE AND GOLD BEATS GENEVA IN FAST FLOOR BATTLE, 38-28

McMillan's Five Bows Before Baker - Coached Quintet In Rough Contest

Playing a hard and fast game of basketball, the Blue and Gold court team took a decisive 38-28 decision over the Geneva five, coached by "Bo" McMillan, on the home floor Friday, Jan. 15. The battle was rough and the fouling frequent, but the game was exceptionally fast throughout, action being written into every minute of the contest.

The Allegheny five was the master of the situation at all times and after the first quarter, pulled away to a substantial lead that they continued to hold throughout the remainder of the game. The offensive work of Allegheny's defense men, Rhodes and Cibula, stood out prominently at all times, and the smooth-working team play of the entire Blue and Gold outfit enabled them to take care of the Covenanters in a highly acceptable style. Allegheny's defense functioned nicely and forced McMillan's quintet to resort to long range shooting, with the result that they were not able to locate the hoop with any degree of consistency.

Geneva started the scoring shortly after the initial tip-off, Shupe counting from the foul line. McClurg followed this by taking a short pass under his own basket and tipping it in for Allegheny's first score, and immediately adding another point from the free-throw line. Lippe tied the count with a two-pointer and Shupe sent Geneva into the lead for the last time, when he made an open shot on an out-of-bounds play. Captain McClurg's foul point and Rhodes' field goal gave Allegheny the lead once more, not to

be lost again during the contest. The quarter ended with the score 9-11.

The second period started out roughly, but the Blue and Gold ran the score up to 16 before Geneva could tally. Rhodes ruffled the net for a two-point marker, making the score 18-11 as the half ended.

Play for the third stanza was just as rough and fast as in the two preceding quarters, with both teams going at it as hard as they knew how. On the tip-off Geneva worked the ball up to their own basket and made a two-pointer, but McClurg made two free throws, Cibula one and Thompson a field goal, giving the Blue and Gold a 10-point lead, 23-13. Lippe's pretty shot from the corner under the balcony was followed by Cibula and Rhodes annexing a field marker apiece. Hamilton and Danver each scored from the foul line, as did McClurg and Cibula and the period was concluded with a 28-19 score.

The final period opened with a two-point marker by McMillan's men, at which point Yengst was substituted for Thompson in Allegheny's line-up. Another field goal for Geneva brought them up within striking distance at 28-22, but Cibula and Slavin added two points each to keep Baker's five comfortably ahead. The game then

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PHI DELTA THETA WINS INTER-FRAT TANK MEET

WINNERS GET PERMANENT POSSESSION OF MASSON CUP IN EXCITING CONTEST

Winning the championship for the second time in succession and thus gaining permanent possession of the James S. Masson trophy, the swimming team of Phi Delta Theta came through the Inter-Fraternity meet at the college pool Saturday, Jan. 16, by beating out Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 47 to 41. Phi Alpha Kappa garnered four points and Beta Upsilon two. A good crowd was in attendance, and from all indications the new plan of running the swimming meets will work out well.

Not until the fancy diving event did the Phi Deltas gain the advantage over the Sigs, who had maintained a lead throughout the match until that point. With Sankey, a freshman, and Slocum winning first and second places, respectively, last year's champions were able to forge ahead and clinch the victory in the back stroke dash, in which event Hill, Slocum and Thompson placed. Curtis was the high individual scorer of the meet, taking first in the breast stroke, the 100-yard dash, the 160-yard dash, and tying with Hill in the 40-yard dash. Merrill's work in the plunge, he making the 60 feet in exactly 60 seconds, is also worthy of mention, as is Sankey's performance in the diving events.

Summary:
Eighty-yard relay, won by Sigs (Ingram, Miller, Hartman, Curtis); Phi Deltas (Merrill, Sankey, Slocum, Hill), second; Phi Alpha Kappa (Benton, W. Beyer, Brantlinger, Myers), third, 41 3-5 seconds.

Forty-yard breast stroke, won by Curtis (Sigs); Hill (Phi Deltas), second; Miller (Sigs), third; Slocum (Phi Deltas), fourth, 29 2-5 seconds.

Forty-yard dash, won by Hill (Phi Deltas) and Curtis (Sigs), tied; Ingram (Sigs), third; Hartman (Sigs), fourth, 22 6-10 seconds.

Plunge, won by Merrill (Phi Deltas); Hill (Phi Deltas), second; Harliff (Sigs), third; Shellenberger (Beta Upsilon), fourth, 60 feet in 60 seconds.

One hundred-yard swim, won by Curtis (Sigs); Hill (Phi Deltas), second; Miller (Sigs), third; Ellis (Beta Upsilon), fourth, 1 minute, 3 1-10 seconds.

Fancy diving, won by Sankey (Phi Deltas); Slocum (Phi Deltas), second; Miller (Sigs), third; Hartman (Sigs), fourth, 44 7-10 points.

Forty-yard back-stroke, won by Hill (Phi Deltas); Slocum (Phi Deltas), second; Miller (Sigs), third; Thompson ("Chi Deltas), fourth, 31 8-10 seconds.

One hundred sixty-yard swim, won by Curtis (Sigs); Hill (Phi Deltas), second; Merrill (Phi Deltas), third, One minute, 59 seconds.

BENTLEY MADE CAPTAIN OF CROSS COUNTRY TEAM

Announcement that Raymond Bentley of the class of 1928, a two-letter man in cross-country and dependable distance runner in track, had been elected track captain of the cross-country team for 1926, was made after a meeting of letter men held Friday afternoon, Jan. 15. Letter men voting were as follows: Captain Rea, Jones, Bentley, Ellis and Richards.

Bentley has been a cross-country star for two years, showing up exceedingly well his freshman year and placing in every meet but one during the past season. Next season's schedule has not been announced as yet, but several meets with strong teams are in prospect. Captain Bentley's outfit will face a hard proposition when its season gets under way next fall minus the services of Jones, who will be graduated in the spring.

LOCAL PASTOR SPEAKS BEFORE STUDENT BODY

During the regular chapel service on Saturday, Jan. 16, Dr. McIlvaine of the First Presbyterian church of Meadville spoke to the students on opportunities. Using Eccles. 9 for his text, he stated that the present time is the time of opportunity.

Doctor McIlvaine stated that college can only present the opportunity to the student; it cannot make the man. Opportunity cannot be trifled with, for it is constantly creating character and habits.

To conclude his talk, Doctor McIlvaine said an opportunity lost is not lost forever, for opportunity offers a second chance, but the best time for it is now.

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR TRUSTEES ISSUED

ALUMNI URGED TO SEND THEIR CHOICES BEFORE APRIL 1

In pursuance of the plan for the selection of Alumni trustees, a call is now issued for the nominations of candidates to be voted on at the election to be held June 14, 1926. Two trustees are to be elected.

One for four years from January, 1927, to succeed F. S. Breed, '98.

One for four years from January, 1927, to succeed W. S. Twining, '87.

Following are the regulations from the constitution in regard to the nomination and election of Alumni trustees:

"All graduates of Allegheny College shall be entitled to nominate and vote for Alumni trustees at any nomination. "No one shall be eligible to serve as Alumni trustee except a graduate of Allegheny College of not less than 15 years' standing.

"No member of the faculty shall be eligible to election as Alumni trustee.

"Nominations must be signed and forwarded to the secretary before the first day of April, on which day nominations shall cease. Only those who have been nominated by at least 10 graduates shall be candidates for positions on the board of trustees."

DOCTOR HOUGH, WELL-KNOWN PASTOR, TO TAKE UP CHARGE NEAR CHICAGO

On last Wednesday evening, Jan. 1, a large number of friends of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Hough gathered in the Thornburn Chapel of the Stone church to bid farewell to this popular couple, as Doctor Hough has given up his work in Meadville to take up new duties in Engelwood, a suburb of Chicago.

Besides the members of the congregation, a great many other friends were present, including nearly all the Protestant ministers of the city, and members of the Rotary, Kiwanis and Lions clubs. A program of musical numbers was given by the church choir. Dr. W. A. Elliott was the speaker for the evening.

Doctor Hough has always been held in high esteem by the students of Allegheny, who have attended his services, and his departure is greatly regretted. His son, Seth E. Hough, graduated from Allegheny College with the class of 1925.

Marjorie Rhodes, '19, and Norman P. Nelson, '21, of New Castle, visited Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Schultz recently.

MART KINNUNEN ELECTED 1926 FOOTBALL CAPTAIN

WELL-KNOWN JUNIOR RECEIVES HONOR AT ALL-COLLEGE SMOKER, FRIDAY

The smoker held in Cochran Hall last Friday evening, Jan. 15, reached its climax when J. Martin Kinnunen, '26, was chosen by his teammates as the leader of the 1926 football team. "Marty" deserved the honor as no other man on the team, because he is the only man now remaining since the loss of the seniors, who has won his varsity "A" for three years. In his freshman year Kinnunen made a varsity berth at guard, and ever since he has been a star on the line.

Kinnunen made a short speech, in which he expressed his gratitude to his teammates for reposing their confidence in him to lead them next season. Captain Hanlon, before introducing the new captain, thanked the students for the way in which they supported the team during the past season, even in defeat, and expressed the hope that they would continue to do so.

The cheer leaders led in cheering and singing in behalf of the squad, especially the seniors, Captain Hanlon, Dahl, Dolde, Humeston and Wolz, who have played their last game under the Blue and Gold.

An excellent program was arranged by the committee and music was furnished by Lee Reynold's Artists of Rhythm. Dave Behrhorst, '28, with his banjo and some comic songs was the first number on the program. Then some very pleasing vocal numbers were rendered by Lloyd Miller, '29, accompanied by Ross Carey, '29.

William McCormick, '28, gave an exhibition of clog dancing to the accompaniment of the orchestra. Following this a vaudeville act was put on by Phelps Sample, '27, and Charles Rugg, '27. The entertainment of the evening was concluded by the Chesterfield Trio, composed of Meadville boys of grade school age, who, in a very amusing way, managed to get some very good music out of a motley collection of tin pans, dippers, curtain hangers, wires, a ukelele and various other odds and ends.

Cigars, cigarettes and a lunch consisting of sandwiches, doughnuts, apples, olives and coffee were provided for the assemblage.

TOM DAVIES ACCEPTS JOB AS COACH AT ROCHESTER

Announcement that Tom Davies, All-American halfback and coach of Allegheny football teams for the last two years, had signed a three-year contract at the University of Rochester was made early last week. It was generally known here that several schools were dickering for Davies, for he has made an enviable record at Allegheny.

In his first year here, in 1924, Tom turned out a championship team and capably filled the shoes left vacant by Herb McCracken, who went to Lafayette. His second season was very successful from every standpoint also. He worked under big handicaps all year, injuries crippling the team throughout the schedule. But he surmounted this and other obstacles to bring the squad through as the runner-up for the championship of minor colleges of the Tri-State district. During his two years here Allegheny teams won recognition and respect from all over the east.

The resignation of Davies is viewed with great regret by the students and he is wished the greatest success in his new position.

A. L. Baldwin, 90, was recently elected president of the Newcomers Club of Washington, D. C., a local organization similar to the Kiwanis Club.

NOTICE TO STUDENTS

A copy of the registration rules which were published in The Campus of Jan. 13 will be found posted on the bulletin board of Bentley Hall. Each student should thoroughly acquaint himself with these rules in order that the process of registration may be carried through with as little confusion and difficulty as possible. The students by complying with these rules will aid the office force very much, which is already overtaxed with the uncommonly large enrollment.

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USE DISCRETION

The words "use discretion," as applied by those inimitable characters, Mutt and Jeff, in the comic supplement of the daily papers, convey a droll significance to us; yet, how many apply the term to its fullest extent in daily questions relating to ourselves and our fellow students? Every day we find cases where free choice of will or thought is not exercised on our campus. To be more careful, more observing, and more conscientious in our reasoning would tend to correct many of our faults.

As an example, let us note the actions of the average student from day to day. He is careless in a great many things he undertakes. His attitude towards classwork, keeping appointments, attending to duties on time—all show carelessness. If a correct attitude could be maintained towards these things by a little straight thinking, his gain would profit him in the end for the work necessitated in such a motive. In just such a way as this we may also tabulate our expenditures for the year. How much money have we spent foolishly? To be a miser is unnecessary, but to exercise some thrift is essential. It is all a matter of a constructive decision.

Another case which has been exemplified on numerous occasions is that of razzing underclassmen. Good natured banter is perfectly permissible, but it often happens that one is ridiculed beyond measure for some innocent act. When someone starts razzing he is usually followed by many, and shortly the razzing may become so prominent that it is offensive and disconcerting. If one deserves to be razzed by his fellows, let him have it, but if it is not necessary why persist in it to such an extent? By reasoning we can tell when a thing has gone too far, but do some of us reason?

Use discretion.

WHERE WERE YOU?

On last Wednesday evening at the Open Forum about twenty-five students were present for the discussion on chapel services. To the student who is continually harping about the necessity of a change in chapel exercises, it signifies that he is either a quitter or else that he wishes only to air his opinions among his own friends. The opportunity was given to everyone to express his opinion and to advance constructive ideas on the change of chapel services, but not over thirty took advantage of the occasion. How can you expect to meet the faculty on a 50-50 basis if no new ideas are put forth by the whole student body?

On the other hand, while the faculty may be in earnest to remedy the situation, has that body ever advanced any constructive ideas concerning a change of chapel services, either in chapel or at a meeting? But we can not lay the blame to the faculty for existing conditions if our own movements are not supported. Both parties have had opportunities to advance constructive ideas, and since both have failed to do so, it is only natural that present conditions continue.

TO FALL OR NOT TO FALL

We noticed an article appearing in a well known Pittsburgh newspaper the other day that was of extreme importance to those students of Allegheny College who risk their physical fitness every time they enter one of the numerous buildings on our campus during the winter months. The article told of a city ordinance which emphasized the necessity of residents cleaning their sidewalks of snow and ice, and was made stronger by the announcement of a fine that would be levied upon anyone failing to comply with the ordinance. It was reported that the Pittsburgh Police Department would strictly enforce this statute from now on.

It might be well if such a proclamation were issued here in connection with the sidewalks and steps leading to the various college buildings. During the past week we were witnesses to several accidents on these icy approaches. Fortunately none was of a real serious nature, but they were exceedingly inconvenient to those who experienced them. We shall not refrain from admitting that the writer fell once, too, and was utterly disgusted with the cause and result.

This is not the first time that mention has been made of this evil in these columns. An editorial of several weeks past, under the caption, "Those Treacherous Building Approaches," suggested that some remedy be employed, but it, as do the majority of our suggestions, was apparently allowed to pass unheeded. The student body found it necessary to take the initiative and financially support the occasion for the election of the 1926 football captain—is it also up to the same body to arm itself with snowshovels and make the campus safe for pedestrians?

COLLEGE BAND PLAYS AT CHAPEL YESTERDAY MORNING

Yesterday morning, instead of the regular chapel exercises, the student body and faculty were favored with a short band concert. About thirty members were present in the band, who, led by Robert Willison, gave an exhibition of the progress that the band has made at Allegheny within the last few years. The program this morning included, besides the marches and overtures, the playing of the "Alma Mater."

The program was as follows:
March—Radio Static.
Home Circle Overture.....Selection
Manhattan Beach Sousa
Empyrium Hall
Serenade—Cupid Charms.
El Capitan Sousa
Alma Mater Beatissima.
March—American Honor.

AMONG OUR FRIENDS AND ALLIES

Fraternities at Gettysburg College this year tried the deferred system of rushing. They were well pleased with the results and will, in all probability use the same system next year.

Freshmen at Washington and Jefferson College will have no cause for frost-bitten ears this winter. They are wearing bright green toboggans with bright red tassels.

All of the extras in the motion picture, "The Freshman" were students at the University of Southern California.

At the University of Kansas students who are caught riding on the sides of automobiles are fined five dollars.

The University of Pavia, in Italy, which claims to be the oldest university in Europe, recently celebrated its eleventh century.

EXAM RULES AND REGULATIONS

FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

All Exams, With Few Exceptions, to Be Held in Gym at 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

The final rules and regulations for examinations are as follows:

The official schedule will be posted today.

Conflicts should be satisfactorily arranged for the instructor.

No student shall be permitted to enter an examination more than ten minutes late except by authorization of the supervisor.

No student leaving the examination room may return unless he has been accompanied by a proctor.

No student may bring papers, blotters, or books into the examination.

All examinations will be held in the Gymnasium beginning at nine a. m. and 2 p. m. on the days scheduled, except as follows:

Bible I, Friday, January 22. Those whose names begin with A to F, inclusive, will report to the lecture room in Carnegie Hall.

Physical Education for Women, Friday, January 22. All members report to lecture room in Carnegie Hall.

English Language I, Tuesday, January 26. Those whose names begin with A to G, inclusive, will report to lecture room in Carnegie Hall.

French IV, Wednesday, January 27. All members of the class will report to lecture room in Carnegie Hall.

Students should read final schedule carefully.

KAMPUS KOMMENTS

Inasmuch as examinations begin tomorrow, the college and its contents have assumed a little more serious air. That mental frame of mind known as worried appears to obsess the great majority of the student body.

The usual question, "O, why didn't I study more during the year?" is making the rounds. It is a mystery to us that an upper-classman has not learned to do more work during the year. Lying down on classes throughout the term always leads to the inevitable cramming period at exam time. Even by the primitive trial and error method should the junior or senior have learned that it hardly pays to do a full year's work shortly before the exams.

Then there is the irony of the situation, too. How can a senior expect to make a decent swath in our little world when he is graduated, if he shows the mentality of an eight-year-old in his attitude toward exams?

The football smoker was a decided success, and showed more good interfraternity feeling than any other event of the year. It is a pity that there are not more affairs of this kind.

After attending the smoker we were convinced that there is more of an undercurrent of real Allegheny spirit than is actually conceded to the students. Mass psychology can probably explain it all. We are all Alleghenians while we are with men of other groups, but we soon forget all about it once we are alone again with our own fraternity brothers.

The interest shown toward the discussion of the chapel services at the open forum last Wednesday, is commented upon elsewhere in this issue, but we might add a thought or two of our own. The student who runs down such and such an abuse of the college in private and then fails to show up when an opportunity presents itself for really doing something about it, reminds us of the little yellow dog that barks and snaps at your heels in the most formidable manner, but who skulks away with his tail between his legs if you turn around and look at him threateningly.

Coach Hammett is in the midst of his good work that provides recreation and amusement for the students during the winter months. The interest he shows in the basketball and volleyball tournaments, the indoor meet, and the like, reflects his whole-hearted attempts to take care of our physical welfare at the time it would ordinarily be neglected.

The recent warm spell demonstrated the efficiency of the new heating system to perfection. Sitting in some of the class rooms was good training for a job before an open hearth furnace. We think that some effort should be made to take the weather into consideration when the buildings are being heated.

The appointment of an executive committee for the Senior Hop is a step forward. It means more cooperation and less fraternity, with the very probable result that the hop will profit by it.

Don't forget to go to the Junior Prom. It's going to be good.

TENTATIVE EXAMINATION SCHEDULE, JANUARY 21-29

Thursday, Jan. 21
A. M. P. M.
Chemistry VII Biology VII
Education V Economics I
Eng. Lang. VI Economics IV
Greek X Eng. Lit. XIV
History I Latin III
History II
Mathematics V

Friday, Jan. 22
A. M. P. M.
Bible I French III
Eng. Lit. VIII History IV
German II Philosophy VII
Physics VII Physics IV
Phy. Ed. Ist Year

Saturday, Jan. 23
A. M. P. M.
Chemistry I Art Appreciation
Eng. Lit. VII Chemistry III
History V Eng. Lit. I
Italian II
Mathematics III

Monday, Jan. 25
A. M. P. M.
German I Astronomy IA
Latin A Biology XI
Philosophy IV Chemistry IA
Spanish I Economics IX
Spanish II Education VI
Eng. Lit. XVI
French VIII
Greek I
Latin II
Mathematics II
Pol. Science VII

Tuesday, Jan. 26
A. M. P. M.
Chemistry II Biology IV
Eng. Lang. I Biology IX
Eng. Lang. V Eng. Lit. XII
French VI Italian I
Geology I Philosophy IX

Wednesday, Jan. 27
A. M. P. M.
French I Eng. Lan. II
French IA Latin V
French II Philosophy I
French IIA Pol. Science III
French IV Spanish III
History VII Surveying I

Thursday, Jan. 28
A. M. P. M.
Biology I Greek III
Biology V Philosophy III
Education II Physics I
French VII Pol. Science I
Greek VI
Latin I
Mathematics IV

Friday, Jan. 29
A. M. P. M.
Biology VI Biology II
Economics VII Education I
Mathematics I German III
Physics II

HULINGS HALL NOTES

The Y. W. C. A. held their weekly meeting Sunday evening in the living room. After the usual opening service, Mary Alice Jackson read a story entitled "The Two Margarets." This is to be the last meeting until after examinations.

The girls of Hulings Hall have been annoyed several times during the past week by the inefficiency of the electric light system. One entire evening the front part of the building was in total darkness. However, because of Dr. Ling's quick attention, the lights are again in perfect working order.

Miss Josephine Slocum of Erie was the guest of Jeannette McKee on Friday.

Mrs. Dorothy Davids McGahey and Miss Alice Dorworth were the guests of Alpha Chi Omega on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrow of Union City visited Florence Morrow on Friday.

Miss Charlotte Smith was the guest of Sigma Tau Sigma over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. McMullen of Franklin visited their daughter Helen on Friday.

ALUMNI NOTES

Mary Heydrick, '03, and her mother have taken up their new residence on North Main street in Meadville.

Flora A. Trenouth, '23, of Sheffield, Pa., visited Florence Bacon, '11, and Ethel Bacon, '14, in New York city recently.

Helen Grace Murray, '10, spoke at the Stone Church on last Wednesday evening. Miss Murray departed for Chicago on Monday, and after a short visit there she will go to Mexico City to resume her work as head of the School of Bible Training in that city.

Two freshman girls who were assigned to a room at the University of Michigan later discovered that their grandmothers were roommates there in 1870.

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PHI SIGMA IOTA HOLDS MEETING
AT THE HOME OF DR.
WOODRING

Phi Sigma Iota held its regular meeting Jan. 13 at the home of Dr. W. F. Woodring. The program consisted of two papers, one "The Mysticism of Joan of Arc," read by Miss Marion Bradford, and the other, "The Historical Problems Involved in a Study of Joan of Arc," was read by Doctor Woodring. Refreshments were served, after which the club adjourned until the second Wednesday in February, when it will hold its next regular meeting.

BOOK REVIEWS ARE GIVEN AT
MEETING OF CLASSICAL
CLUB

The Classical Club held its regular meeting Tuesday, Jan. 19, in the Classical Club room of the Library. Two book reports were given. Robert Kirkpatrick reported on "The Legacy of Rome," and Miss Doris Peoples reported on "Wonders of the Past."

MISS HELEN MURRAY, '10, SPEAKS
AT QUILL CLUB MEETING
LAST WEEK

"Latin-American Poetry" was the subject of a talk given by Miss Helen Murray, '10, at a meeting of the Quill Club held last Tuesday evening, Jan. 12, in the Quill Club room of the Library. Miss Murray read selections from several volumes of Latin-American poetry and described interesting incidents which have taken place in Central America.

HILL NOTES

H. R. Carleton, '25; H. L. Morrison, ex-'26, and J. F. Mills, of Erie, were visitors at the Alpha Chi Rho house over the week-end.

Prof. R. F. Mezzotero was a guest at the Phi Kappa Psi house last Thursday, Jan. 14. Mr. L. E. Peck, ex-'23, was a visitor at the Phi Kappa Psi house over the week-end.

Joseph P. Greenwood, ex-'28, was a week end guest at the Beta Upsilon house.

Visitors at the Phi Delta Theta house during the past week were Thomas A. Hughes, '12, of Erie; R. J. Burns, '15; C. H. Neeley, ex-'23; R. H. Ellsworth, '21; Mr. and Mrs.

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SEVERAL NEW VOLUMES

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DEPARTMENTS — VALUABLE
BOOKS ON WORLD COURT

Many new volumes have been added to the college library during the past month. The greatest number of these books are departmental works which will be placed on the shelves within the next few days for student reference work.

Twenty-six books were purchased for the Greek department. Nine of the volumes are "Plutarch Lives," translation on the opposite page. The History and Political Science department received 10 books; the Bible department, six; the Mathematics department, four, and five imported wall charts were purchased for the German department.

A set of four large volumes, "Wonders of the Past," by J. A. Hammerton, give the student of history a clear insight to many phases of past life which hitherto have been presented in meager form. Each volume contains several hundred illustrations.

The first authoritative and intimate story of the World Court to appear in the English language is found in a large volume, "The World Court," by Antonio S. de Bustamante, judge of the Permanent Court of International Justice, and member of the Hague Court of Arbitration. All the questions about the court which have been raised inside and outside the Senate during the past few years are answered in this work. Students will welcome this book because of the historical perspective given, and because of the many important questions relating to the subject that are answered. The book also shows that the World Court is not a new idea, but that it is the result of a long standing desire for an international tribunal.

"Radio Theory and Operating" is a valuable volume to anyone interested in radio, and especially the radio student and operator. The book is written by M. T. Loomis, president and lecturer on the "Theory of Radio," of the Loomis Radio College, Washington, D. C., and it is divided into the following sections: "Principles of Transmitting," "Principles of Receiving," "Vacuum Tubes and Continuous Waves," and "The Radio Operator." The work helps to explain that even though radio is a subject of the greatest popular interest, it is also based upon the profoundest scientific principles.

J. A. Thompson, Miss Mildred Taylor and Miss Josephine Slocum.

Guests at the Phi Gamma Delta house during the week were Mr. George Moreland, Pittsburgh; D. W. Frazier, '22, and L. S. Blackwell, '25. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kinsey, Meadville; Miss Mabert King and Miss Margaret Rankin.

John T. Gordon, '26, and T. H. Poister, '27, were in Pittsburgh over the week-end attending a convention of Section VI of Phi Gamma Delta.

MISS ALICE SPALDING'S SISTER
TO SPEND YEAR IN SICILY

Miss Grace Allan Spalding, who visited her sister, Miss Alice H. Spalding, last week, sails the latter part of the month for Sicily, where she will spend a year in painting. Miss Spalding was formerly head of the Art department at Northern Michigan State College at Marquette, Mich. She is an art lecturer and critic as well as a painter of note.

Miss Alice H. Spalding spoke before the Meadville Women's Club on Saturday, Jan. 16, on "European Stage Craft."

PHILO-FRANKLIN FORUM HOLDS
WEEKLY MEETING IN
BENTLEY

The Philo-Franklin Forum held its regular meeting last Friday afternoon, Jan. 15, in the Forum room of Bentley Hall. There was no new business except the reinstatement of a few old members.

The afternoon program consisted of readings and speeches by four of its members. The first was a reading by Joe Lopushansky on "Man With the Hoe." Robert Wilson then gave three recitations, "Readings by a Little Boy," "Tall-Tale Heart" and "The Character of Mr. Dooley." The third reader was Ted Averbach on "Sparticus to the Gladiators," and Robert Corbett finished the program by giving three speeches illustrating the character of Julius Caesar, from Shakespeare's play, "Julius Caesar."

The next meeting will be the first Friday afternoon, Feb. 5, after the beginning of the next semester, and the program will be exactly the same due to the small attendance at the last meeting.

Y. M. C. A. COLUMN

HELP FOR THE POOR

Christianity is a poor man's religion. The crowds that pressed upon Jesus, that ran after Him and sought Him out until He had scarcely enough time to eat and sleep, were not the rich and satisfied, but men and women who had gotten a raw deal out of this world's life. It is small wonder that, under a system that farmed out its taxes, when Rome was an emperor's palace surrounded by endless hovels of the poor, the beggar Syrian on his rocky hillside eking out a bare existence threw down his hoe and ran after the young prophet who spoke against the idle rich and cried down the formalists in religion who prevented the poor man from the full enjoyment of his religion.

While it is true today that the poor are still with us and in abundance, New York still has its East Side and children still toil long hours for a few pennies, yet the religion of Jesus cannot make the same appeal today that it did in the days of the Romans. Most of us have enough and some to spare, and the religion of the lame, the halt and the blind has lost one side of its appeal.

But there is one appeal that Christianity will never lose and that is its capacity to satisfy the needs of the spiritually poverty stricken.

There are no cases of actual want in Allegheny College. No man or woman is particularly "hard up." The days of adversity are far from us and so we build a wall of complacency, are a law unto ourselves, and allow the religious inspiration to go over our heads. We have no empty stomachs to fill, the wind over a hundred miles of snow does not bite into the marrow of our bones, so why should we pay any attention to a prophet who heralds a new age of righteousness and peace?

But there is an emptiness which Christianity is still able to satisfy and that is the emptiness of the mind and heart. A dog in the streets knows when he is hungry, but only a man can recognize his need for uplift of his mind and his emotions. Some feel the need and find the remedy. Some never do. Jesus still appeals to the spiritually barren. Christianity is a poor man's religion.

President-Emeritus W. H. Crawford and Mrs. Crawford are spending the winter at Keystone Heights, Fla. They are erecting a cottage there.

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GENEVA GAME

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slowed up a little, due to Allegheny's "freezing" tactics, and Geneva resorted to shooting from any angle in an effort to close the gap in the score; but Rhodes kept the marker at 34-25 and Cibula added two foul points. Cossman went in for Yengst in the Allegheny lineup, and after Geneva had annexed their final marker, Cossman ended the scoring with a field goal as the final whistle blew, the score standing 8-28 in favor of Baker's men.

As stated before, the stellar work of Rhodes and Cibula featured Allegheny's attack, with McClurg playing his usual good game, although he was hindered by close guarding. The work of the team caused much favorable comment and in beating the Covenanters, the Blue and Gold has surmounted one of the season's stiffest hurdles.

The score:

ALLEGHENY—38 GENEVA—28
Thompson F Lippe
McClugh F Shupe
Slavin C Merriman
Rhodes G Rubenstein
Cibula G Hamilton

Scoring: Field goals—McClurg 4, Rhodes 4, Cibula 2, Thompson, Slavin, Cossman; Lippe 4, Shupe 3, Clarke 2, Rubenstein. Fouls—Allegheny, 12 out of 19; Geneva, 8 out of 17. Substitutions—Allegheny, Yengst for Thompson, Cossman for Yengst; Geneva, Wilson for Merriman, Clarke for Rubenstein, Danver for Clarke, Rubenstein, Emerick for Hamilton. Referee, Graham.

SWIMMERS TO WORK DURING EXAMS.

Announcement that the varsity swimming team will practice during examinations was made by Captain Hill yesterday. The following men will report for daily practice from 4:30 to 5:30: Captain Hill, Curtis, Taft, Merrill, Slocum, Lloyd Miller, Ingraham, Myers, Hariff, Phillips, and Sankey. Any others who wish to try out at these hours may do so. The first meet has been arranged with Pitt for February 6, and will be followed by meets with Thiel and the Oil City Y. M. C. A. team. Manager Blower is working on the schedule now, and one or two additional meets will be announced soon.

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WEDNESDAYS

That Allegheny will have an Inter-Fraternity Volley Ball Series this year was the announcement made by Director of Athletics C. E. Hammett last week. The various fraternities have signified their intentions of entering teams, and with a different system than that of last year in operation, greater interest and better contests are expected.

The games will be played every Wednesday afternoon, the schedule being completed when each team has played every other team once. The teams will consist of six men each and the contests are to be played under regulation volley ball rules. Three games out of five will determine the winner of each contest, with 15 points deciding the winner of each game. The final championship is to be decided on a percentage basis. A regulation ball and net have been ordered and will be on hand for the first matches on the afternoon of Feb. 10. The schedule, as arranged for the first two rounds, is as follows:

Feb. 10, 2 p. m.—Phi Alpha Kappa vs. Delta Tau Delta.

2:45—Sigma Alpha Epsilon vs. Beta Upsilon.

3:30—Phi Gamma Delta vs. Alpha Chi Rho.

4:15—Phi Kappa Psi vs. Phi Delta Theta.

Feb. 17, 2 p. m.—Non-Fraternity vs. Phi Alpha Kappa.

2:45—Delta Tau Delta vs. Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

3:30—Phi Gamma Delta vs. Beta Upsilon.

4:15—Alpha Chi Rho vs. Phi Delta Theta.

FOUR MEETS ON SCHEDULE FOR 1926 TRACK SEASON

SEVEN MEN FORM NUCLEUS OF STRONG TEAM

Meeting four high-class opponents, two of which boast the leading track teams of this section, the Blue and Gold cindermen are confronted with one of the most impressive, and at the same time one of the hardest schedules which any Allegheny track team has ever had. W. and J., Thiel, Geneva and Rochester will be met on successive Saturdays, beginning with the W. and J. meet at Montgomery Field on May 1.

Despite the loss of Judd and Parnell, two of the greatest track athletes to ever wear the colors of an Allegheny team, it is expected that the squad this spring will develop into a winning outfit. Jones, Rea, Cibula, Tornatore, Sample, Danner, Slocum and Williams, all letter men from last year, will be on hand for the 1926 season, and with these men as a nucleus, Coach Hammett is looking forward to another successful season. Jones proved himself a record-breaking distance man last spring and Rea is a dependable half-miler who also makes good time in the 440. Cibula and Tornatore are expected to make up, in a large measure, for the absence of Judd and Parnell. Cibula holds the college record in the discus throw and is a promising entrant for the shot and discus. Tornatore showed much promise as a pole-vaulter last season and can be counted upon to place in the javelin throw, as well. Danner should be one of the best dash men in the district next season, and Slocum can always be depended upon to cop the hurdle events. Williams, a two-year man, is a dependable dash man, who runs the 440 as well. Several new men, who have had considerable track experience, are to be found in this year's Freshman class, and Coach Hammett expects to develop several real performers from among these candidates. The squad will begin preliminary training as soon as the second semester commences.

The announcement that W. and J. will send her track team to Allegheny on May 1 is causing considerable interest among local cindermen, and one of the greatest meets ever staged on Montgomery Field is expected to take place when the Blue and Gold clash with the Presidents. Thiel will be met on the following Saturday, May 7, probably at Greenville. The Lutherans showed several exceptionally fast dash men last season in the Allegheny meet, and may be expected to present a powerful squad next spring.

Geneva, boasting one of the greatest speed merchants of the country, Butler, will appear at Montgomery Field on May 15. Last season Butler ran the century dash under 10 seconds and the 220 in 22 flat. Besides the colored flash, the Covenanters have Skinny Hamilton, a versatile performer, and several good weight men. Allegheny will have to work

JUNIORS AND FRESHMEN

WIN FIRST FLOOR GAMES

ROUGH TACTICS AND LITTLE SCORING MARK OPENING OF INTER-CLASS SERIES

With the juniors and freshmen beating the sophomores and seniors in the first round, the annual Inter-Class Basketball Series got under way Saturday afternoon, Jan. 16. The third-year men inaugurated the series with a 13-10 victory over the sophs in a rough, fast game, with many fouls being called. The second game was slower, the frosh winning out by a 17-13 margin. The winners of this game showed plenty of reserve strength, substituting time after time.

Juniors 13, Sophomores 10

In the opening contest, the juniors started off with a rush, gaining a five-point lead, which was sufficient to win for them, when the sophomores came from behind in the last half. Vigrass and Stewart were the principal scorers for the juniors in the first half. After this period, which ended 10-2, the juniors accomplished but little, the sophs staging a comeback which netted eight points. The losers demonstrated excellent defensive ability and covered their men well, but each team lost innumerable opportunities to win the game on fouls. The sophs counted but six out of 26, while the juniors made five out of 16.

The Score:

JUNIORS—13 SOPHS—10

Vigrass F Lettingwell

Forgie F Fickinger

Kinnunen C Smucker

Fiscus G Behrhorst

Stewart G McGill

Substitutions—Juniors: Pyle for Forgie; Sophs: Reid for Behrhorst, Cossman for Smucker, Brace for McGill, Hill for Fickinger. Scoring—

Field goals, Lettingwell, Cossman, Vigrass 2, Stewart, Fiscus 2. Fouls—

Juniors, 5 out of 16; Sophomores, 6 out of 26. Referee—McClurg. Umpire—Hammett. Timer—Kerr.

Freshmen 17, Seniors 13

Handicapped by lack of size, but able to keep fresh men in the game at all times, the freshmen triumphed over the seniors in the second game by a 17-13 score. The seniors held a 7-5 lead at half-time, Hobough and Dolde coming through with field goals which helped materially. In the second half the plebes came back strong with a fresh team on the floor and ran their total to 17, holding the last-year men well at the same time.

The score:

FRESHMEN—17 SENIORS—13

Waleskie F Riemer

Kaelin F Dolde

Moon C Dahl

Hammett G Hobough

Davis G Hanlon

Scoring: Field goals—Moon, Corbin, Waleskie, Kaelin, Riemer 2, Dolde, Hobough. Fouls—Freshmen,

9 out of 33; Seniors, 3 out of 11. Substitutions: Freshmen—Corbin for Waleskie, Moon for Lewis, Bowen for Hammett, Carlson for Davis, Rheem for Carlson.

With much interest being displayed in the Inter-Class Basketball games, better crowds and faster games are looked for as the series gets under way again after examinations. The next contest will take place on Saturday, February 17, with the juniors and freshmen clashing in the opener at 2 p. m. and the seniors and sophomores playing at 3 p. m.

Fifty juniors and seniors at the University of North Carolina have been granted optional class attendance as a reward for having maintained an average grade of "B."

A new course leading to a degree in architecture will be instituted at Harvard University and the University of Virginia. The course will be conducted by the two schools and will be known as the Virginia-Harvard course in architecture.

hard to make a good showing against the Beaver Falls representatives, and a victory would be a great achievement for the Blue and Gold.

The last intercollegiate meet of the season will be with the University of Rochester, N. Y., on May 22. The New Yorkers always have a well-balanced track squad and will furnish a close battle for Allegheny. Good quarter-milers and dash men are in abundance at Rochester, her only weakness being in the field events. The annual interfraternity meet will close the season on May 29. This event has become a fixture at Allegheny and never fails to be a closely-contested affair. The non-fraternity men hold the championship now.

The schedule is as follows:

May 1—W. and J., at Montgomery Field.

May 8—Thiel, at Greenville.

May 15—Geneva, at Montgomery Field.

May 22—Rochester at ?

May 29—Annual Interfraternity meet.

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