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Reserves Urged to Remain in School

Chances Good for Completion Of Fall Term, Says Schultz

"All members of the Army Enlisted Reserve corps, other reserve corps, and those uncertain of their draft status should register for the second semester and continue their schooling as long as possible," according to Dr. John Richie Schultz, acting president of the college, in an interview Monday.

Dr. Schultz went on to explain that military and manpower authorities still recommend that college students remain in school until called. He added that every bit of learning we can acquire while still in college will be of benefit wherever we may end up in the war program.

"Men in the Army Enlisted Reserve corps are assured they won't be called until two weeks after the closing of the first semester. They have a good chance of getting through one-half of the next semester, which will give them credit for a full semester's work if grades are satisfactory to that point," the president continued, "and they have a sporting chance to finish the entire semester."

A system of rebates for tuition according to the number of weeks completed has been worked out to provide for students leaving before the end of the coming semester. Students may pay either full or part tuition and board, if eating in college dining halls, at the beginning of the semester and if they leave at any time after that, will be refunded the unused portion of their payments.

Registration for the second semester for all classes will be held Monday, January 25.

Civic Musicians Present Concert January 21

The Meadville Orchestral society, sponsored by the Civic Music association, will present a concert Thursday evening, January 21, at the high school auditorium. All students will be admitted on presentation of activities tickets.

The program will be as follows:
Overture-Egmont.....Beethoven
Fifth Symphony (first movement).....Beethoven
Dreams.....Wagner
Suite from the South (Provençe).....Nicode
Intermission

Procession of Sirdar (from "Caucasian Sketches").....Ippolitov-Ivanov

On the Bayou.....Bloom
Norwegian Dances (Numbers 1 and 2).....Grieg
Capriccio Italiane.....Tschaiowsky
On Tuesday, January 26, the day after graduation, Dr. Tongue will give a piano concert in chapel, including in his selections Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue."

On Tuesday, February 23, "The Salzedo Ensemble," sponsored by the Civic Music association will give a concert in the high school auditorium. This ensemble consists of two harps, flute and a cello.

V-1 Enlistments Close March 15

Limited opportunities for enlistment in the Army and Navy reserves are still open to college men, according to the latest information received by acting Dean Dr. Horace T. Lavelly.

The Navy V-1 program will be open to underclassmen, under 18 years of age, until March 15. Thereafter new navy personnel is to be obtained through regular selective service procedures.

Students in the Army Reserve corps are eligible to transfer to the meteorology division, leading to commissions in the army air corps ground crew. It is also possible for civilian students to enlist in this class. Army reservists may still transfer to the air corps. Applications and information for transfer to meteorology or the air corps may be obtained at the Dean's office.

Allegheny will give credit for many of the 445 correspondence courses offered by the Army institute, said Lavelly. These courses are in all fields, including most of the courses offered at Allegheny.

ACC Sponsors

Scranton Pastor, Alumnus, Lead Religious Week

Dr. Harold Case, pastor of the Elm Park church in Scranton, Pa., and Mr. Seymour Smith, an Allegheny alumnus at Washington and Lee university, will feature Religious Emphasis week to be held on our campus during the week of February 22.

Dr. Case, who led the religious observance on the campus two years ago is well remembered by the students for the interesting programs that he presented. With the assistance of Mr. Smith, '38, he will present talks in chapel and hold informal discussions and conferences. During this week, sponsored by the Allegheny Christian council, it is the custom to put aside other social events to make room for the religious program which promises to be of value and interest to all the students this year.

More information will be made public later by the officers of the Allegheny Christian council: William Lavelly, Harry Conroy, Louise Schweitzer, and Aubrey Crawford.

REGISTRATION

Registration for the second semester will be held Monday, January 25, in Montgomery gymnasium.

Hours for registration are as follows:

Freshmen—8:30 to 10:30 a.m.
Sophomores—10:30 to 12:30 a.m.

Juniors—1:30 to 3:30 p.m.
Seniors—3:30 to 5:00 p.m.

Pre-registration must be completed by 5:00 this afternoon.

Marjorie Casanova Presents Organ Recital Sunday

Miss Marjorie Casanova will present an organ recital in Ford Memorial chapel on Sunday, January 17, at four o'clock, the third in the current series of vesper programs.

Miss Casanova, '39, appeared as recitalist in the Heinz Memorial chapel, University of Pittsburgh, and will appear soon in a return engagement in Carnegie hall, Pittsburgh.

Miss Casanova began her study of the organ at Allegheny college and since her graduation has continued her study under Dr. Casper Kock at Carnegie Tech.

Miss Casanova was a member of the Singers and is a member of Alpha Gamma Delta and Registrar of the Western Pennsylvania chapter, American Guild of Organists.

Program

Prelude and Fugue in G major.....J. S. Bach
Air from Overture in D major.....J. S. Bach
Soeur Monique Francois Couperin Introduction and Passacaglia.....Max Reger
Two Pastels.....Alfred Johnson
a. Glimmering Tapers
b. Sculptured Clouds
Theme and Variations in A Flat major.....Louis Thiele
Abendlied (Evensong).....Robert Schumann
Finale from the 1st Symphony.....Louis Vierne

No Ceremonies For Mid-Year Graduates

Although some twelve or fourteen Allegheny men will graduate at the end of this semester, the college has not planned any special ceremonies or exercises to mark the occasion. This decision was made chiefly because of the lack of time and because of the unnecessary inconveniences which would have been encountered.

Allegheny men who have left school for the armed services recently are: Donald Turk, Navy V-5; Stanley Johnson, Philip Depp, and Lawrence McClusky, Marine Corps. The following are the available names of those leaving at the end of this semester: Charles Gibbs, William Pierce, and Hamilton Smith, Navy V-5; Walter Klingensmith, Navy Medical Reserve; Richard Percival, John Petre, and Wilbur Warner, Army Medical Reserve.

Reserve Corps Include 184 Men

Dean's Office Releases Results Of Questionnaire; 52 Deferred

More than half of the Allegheny men are now reservists, in the Army, Navy, or Marine corps, according to figures released at the first of the week from the office of Dean of Men. In addition to these 184 students, fifty-two Allegheny men have been deferred by draft boards.

Esther Lee Wins Women's Speech Contest

Esther Lee, '44, representing Alpha Xi Delta, was awarded first prize in Tuesday's Philo-Franklin union-sponsored Women's Extemporaneous Speaking contest. Second and third places went to Rita Rogers, '45, Alpha Chi Omega, and Janet Anne Smith, '43, Independent women, respectively.

Miss Lee, in approaching the general subject "Women in World War II," told of the efforts of three prominent women in the war and urged Allegheny girls to follow their example.

Other contestants were Beverly Rogers, '45, Theta Upsilon, Joan Bristow, '43, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Pat Pittinger, '45, Kappa Alpha Theta, and Patty Wright, '44, Alpha Gamma Delta.

Donald Mogg, '45, served as chairman. Judges were Miss Harriet Graham Belcher, Julian Ross, and Miss Blair Hanson of the faculty.

RED CROSS KNITTING

All women students having Red Cross yarn and unfinished articles are urgently requested to report to Marilyn Braniger, Brooks hall, by the end of this week, so that the articles may be reassigned if necessary. The Red Cross chapter in Meadville has refused to issue any more yarn until all present work is turned in.

In connection with this work, all women students wishing to learn to knit may attend a class under the direction of Ruth Ann Alexander. The first meeting will take place Monday, January 18, at 4:00 p.m., in the Pine room of Brooks hall. The only requirement is that these students promise to knit three six-inch afghan squares for the Red Cross.

Norman Thomas Will Appear Soon

Norman Thomas, several-time candidate for President and world-famous speaker and lecturer, will appear here February 8 in one of the regular Philo-Franklin union-sponsored lecture programs, it was announced Tuesday.

Word of Mr. Thomas' acceptance of the invitation to speak was received here shortly before Christmas vacation.

Although the topic of Mr. Thomas' speech is not yet definitely known at this time, it was expected that he would deal with the problem of averting the next war.

Generally regarded as one of the ablest speakers of his time, Mr. Thomas has been a candidate for the Presidency several times on the Socialist platform, most recently in the election of 1940, and has represented the liberal American viewpoint for a number of years.

This is not Mr. Thomas' first visit to the Allegheny campus. He spoke here five years ago and was very well received.

Kaldron To Be Released In March

Jane Patterson, editor of the Kaldron, announced recently that if the printing goes ahead as scheduled the Kaldron will appear sometime in March instead of at the end of the school year as has been the custom previously. The Kaldron is being released early so that students having to leave school prior to spring graduation may obtain their copies before they go.

The preponderance of students have enlisted in Army reserves, with the Navy's V-1 program, the Army Air corps, and the Navy V-7 program ranking enlisted numbers in that order.

Below are the names of Allegheny reservists and the armed forces in which they will serve.

U. S. Marine Corps Reserve: H. Allen, P. Depp, R. Frey, W. Gottshall, B. Hartman, P. Jones, S. Kinney, P. Krantz, P. Long, L. McCluskey, P. Meyer, H. Newson, C. O'Brien, C. Roemer, J. Sherrod, R. Snyder, S. Johnson. Total—17.

Army Enlisted Reserve Corps: Pre-Medical: D. Beiler, J. Davis, F. Ferraraccio, D. Forbeck, B. Frick, R. Hendry, H. Herlinger, J. Piccoli, J. Reetz, R. Seidel, L. Strong, R. Todd, C. Torrey. Pre-Dental: S. Watson. Pre-Engineering: T. Grow, D. Wedekind. Other: B. Sokolov, D. Spitzer, W. Thornton, R. Thorpe, R. Trace, R. Wells, O. Belt, H. Gardner, G. Hill, H. Jones, E. McKay, J. Moffitt, D. Sklarsky, T. Beiler, A. Blomquist, R. Bossler, W. Brill, F. Bullock, N. Carnick, A. Cohen, P. Coulter, T. Dearing, S. DeSantis, W. Donaldson, E. Donner, C. Foye, M. Gerseny, D. Henderson, J. Heymann, H. Hoffenberg, J. Houserman, P. Jacobus, W. Keim, F. Keister, R. Levine, M. Levinsky, E. Logan, D. Longanecker, E. Lukasik, E. McConnell, J. Mason, D. Matteson, F. May, R. Meikle, W. Owen, L. Paul, J. Present, W. Present, W. Price, G. Pulakos, B. Radov, W. Reider, M. Rosenberg, P. Schanzenbach, W. Seidel, P. Silberblatt, G. Smith. Total—76.

Navy V-1 Program: I. Breslauer, A. Cannon, G. Cole, J. Conover, J. Hallenburgh, D. Hodge, P. Lauderback, P. McGrew, E. McPhee, K. O'Hare, B. Purinton, E. Shanbrom, R. Shryock, C. Sleighter, C. Stride, F. Zagar, D. Aichner, C. Gallup, W. Miller, A. Reece, O. Thompson, M. Anderson, R. Beighel, G. Black, M. Harp, C. Knierman, G. Winkler, R. Leech, George Wittbold, W. Barnes, D. Dunbar, S. Foulz, W. Massie, H. Miller, G. Patterson, W. Cramer, W. Ash. Total—37.

Navy V-5 Program: C. Gibbs, W. Pierce, H. Smith. Total—3.

Navy V-7 Program: M. Gray, P. Allen, R. Carper, A. Currie, H. Witter, F. Ferguson, J. McClimans, R. Green, W. Hanson, W. Klein, L. Larson, R. Leuthner, E. McElrath, R. Morris, B. Neiner, R. Nichols, R. Peterson, R. Ramsey, K. Stern, R. Thomas, W. Winkler. Total—21.

Army Air Corps Reserve: D. Blyth, M. Buckingham, W. Cousins, D. Crawford, L. Dundon, B. Dusenberry, H. Falck, W. Goodnough, R. Greenbaum, C. Hardenburg, F. Hunter, P. Jenkins, F. Murphy, R. Ramsey, W. Robertson, G. Robinson, R. Schaefer, G. Smoot, H. Troop, K. Wells, F. Wigton, H. Yocum. Total—22.

Medical Reserves: Army: H. August, J. Foster, J. Hampson, R. Minick, R. Percival, J. Petre, G. Shore, A. Shriver, H. Smith, W. Warner. Navy: W. Klingensmith. Total—11.

This Week

Jan. 14, Thurs.—
Classes end.
Jan. 15, Fri.—
Exams begin.
Jan. 17, Sun.—
Sunday Vesper recital — Miss Casanova, Ford chapel, 4:00 p.m.
Jan. 20, Wed.—
Mr. Gervasi, foreign correspondent, Chapel, 8:15 p.m.
Jan. 21, Thurs.—
Civic Music assn., Meadville Symphony.
First semester closes—last day of exams.
Jan. 25, Mon.—
Registration for second semester.
Jan. 26, Tues.—
Second semester classes begin.

Hoffenberg Wins Wakefield Oration Contest

"It is up to the backbone of the middle class to learn the true facts about labor so they can arbitrate the differences between extreme social groups. If this happens, democracy need have no fear of internal dissension," stated Haskell Hoffenberg, '43, winner of the first prize in the annual Wakefield Oration contest held Wednesday, Jan. 6, for his speech "Labor Today."

Winner of second prize in the contest was William Robertson, '43, for his speech "How Strong is Our Link?", and third prize winner was Walter Morris for his speech "War and Peace."

Esther Lee, '44, served as chairman of the event, which was held in the Playshop theater. Judges were faculty members Louis J. Long and Hurst R. Anderson, and Gerald D. Prather, Meadville attorney.

Other speakers in the contest, sponsored by the Philo-Franklin union, were August Blomquist, '45, Verla McDuffy, '43, and Donald Mogg, '45.

A BOOK OR A BUCK!

Praise the Lord and pass the new editions!

THE 1943 VICTORY BOOK CAMPAIGN

Come on, Alleghenians! Let's do it again! Last time it was bonds; this time it is good books for the fellows in the service to read.

You know what they like to read: best sellers and popular non-fiction; adventure; westerns; mysteries; new technical books; historical novels; biography; travel.

The book you'd like to keep is a good one to give! Bring it into the library; or keep it and give us a dollar to send another good book to the armed forces!

A book or a buck from every student! Let's go! Our goal is 700!

75 Students Give Blood to Bank

Seventy-five Allegheny students now wear the pin which is the token of the donation of a pint of blood to the American Red Cross. Also, approximately sixty townspeople were donors when the mobile Blood Bank unit from Buffalo, New York, made its stop in Meadville on January 5. Headquarters for the donations were in Alden hall, where biology students assisted in the process.

One of the student donors afterwards said of the so-called ordeal: "We felt no pain at all and suffered very little from after-effects. They gave us two sandwiches and a glass of milk afterwards."

For those students who did not have the opportunity to contribute the first time, the mobile unit will return in two months, according to Dr. A. E. D. Ogilvie, member of the biology department.

LIBRARY NOTICES

Library book fines must be paid before a student will be admitted to his final examinations.

All books must be returned to the library on or before Thursday, January 21, 1943.

The library will be closed between semesters on Friday evening, January 22; on Saturday afternoon, January 23; and on Sunday, January 24.

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FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

FIRST SEMESTER, 1942-43

8:00 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

2:00 p.m.

JANUARY 15

Biology 2
Economics 15—Bentley
Education 8
English 9
German Sci. 2
History 4
Mathematics 2E
Music 6—Oratory
Physics 4—Wilcox
Psychology 4
Spanish 6
Speech 4

History 1
Religion 2A

Drama 6—Arter
Mathematics 1A
Sec. Stud. 2, Sec. 1—
Ruter

JANUARY 16

English 1—Sec. 1, 3, 7
in Alden
English 2

Biology 13
Latin 3
Religion 1

Biology 6
Chemistry 2—Carnegie
Economics 8
Education 1
Education 7
French 2B
French 3
German 3—Arter
Greek 1
History 10
Mathematics 7 & Spec.
Religion 6
Sec. Stud. 4, Sec. 1—
Ruter

JANUARY 18

Biology 1
Classics 3
Economics 7
French 1A
French 1B
Physics 1, Sec. 2
Religion 7

Art 4—Ruter
Biological Science—
Alden
Chemistry 3—Carnegie
Economics 2
English 5
French 4A
French 10
Geology 6
German 2
Mathematics 4
Music 4—Oratory
Physical Science—
Carnegie
Political Science 1
Political Science 9
Psychology 2
Sec. Stud. 1, Sec. 1—
Ruter

Drama 2—Arter
Economics 6, Sec. 1—
Bentley
Physics 7—Wilcox
Sec. Stud. 3—Ruter

JANUARY 19

French 2A
German 1
German Sci. 1
Spanish 1
Spanish 2—Alden

Art 2—Ruter
Biology 5
Chemistry 4—Carnegie
Comparative
Literature 2
Economics 12
Education 4
History 11
Music 8—Oratory
Sec. Stud. 2, Sec. 2—
Ruter

Art 1—Ruter
Biology 8
Chemistry 1, Sec. 1—
Carnegie
Chemistry 6—Carnegie
Chemistry 7—Carnegie
Drama 1—Playshop
Economics 4
Education 2
Education 11
English 8
Mathematics 3
Music 1—Oratory
Political Science 3
Sec. Stud. 4, Sec. 2—
Ruter

JANUARY 20

Chemistry 5—Carnegie
Drama 7
Psychology 8
Spanish 5
Speech 1—Sec. 11 in
Arter 16, Sec. 5, 12
in Alden

Social Science
Sociology 1

Economics 1
Sec. Stud. 5—Ruter

JANUARY 21

Economics 6, Sec. 2—
Bentley
Hygiene
Sec. Stud. 1, Sec. 3—
Ruter

Chemistry 1, Sec. 2—
Carnegie
Drama 4—Arter
Economics 3—Bentley
French 5
Geology 1
History 3
Music 7—Oratory
Philosophy 2
Physics 1, Sec. 1
Physics 2
Psychology 1—Alden
Sec. Stud. 1, Sec. 2—
Ruter
Spanish 3

Biology 16
Latin 2
Mathematics 2
Music 2—Oratory
Speech 2

Examinations are held in the Gymnasium unless otherwise indicated on the schedule. All college and bookstore bills must be paid before examinations may be taken.

::: Letters :::

Dear Campus Staff:

Thanks a million for sending me the **Campus** every week—and congrats on the fine job you're doing! Always interested in what goes on at school—and have been very pleased to read of all the war work you're doing.

Stick with it—and best of luck!
As ever—

Johnny.
(Sgt. John W. Donahey
Hq. Co., 1st Bn., 399th Inf.
Fort Jackson, S. C.
APO No. 100)

Dear Sirs:

I hardly know who to drop this note to, but I imagine it will get into the proper hands. I wish to extend my thanks to the college for sending its publication to me. It certainly helps a lot to know that the college is still carrying on. I would appreciate hearing from anyone who would like to write (especially girls). This course involves quite a bit of studying so I won't promise to write more than a card.

Sincerely yours,
William Mays, ex-42.
(Cadet William G. Mays
Co. G, 3rd Platoon
CWS-OCS
Edgewood Arsenal, Md.)

THE CAMPUS:
Gentlemen:

Since the originators of the rather pleasant communication entitled the Ivory Tower which arrived here re-

cently neglected or didn't want to state their address or identity, may I make your office the clearing house for this letter of appreciation and information for the benefit of said Ivory Tower and your pleasantly-remembered **Campus** informer also.

Perhaps some of your number remember my humble self who left the handsome and gracious institution which at present is your source of shelter and instruction, in June of 1942, along with certain worthy and better known individuals like Dave Robertson, Kip Miller, Bruce Martin (whom I discovered to be in the same organization as I, not so long ago; he has since been transferred) et al, as they say in legal spheres.

The Ivory Tower is a production of merit; it recalled to me the pleasant experiences of my two years and one summer at Allegheny; there is even mentioned the recent merger of my own fraternity, and individuals and institutions very familiar to me, such as Dr. Schultz and obstacle courses, the latter one of my lesser ennui during my so-called training in the service.

The idea of sending the **Campus** to the Service Men who have come from Allegheny naturally meets with my appreciation and favor: may I ask to be one of the lucky recipients if the practice continues. I'm presently running a message center in the Headquarters of Camp Tanforan, San Bruno, California.

Anesthesia...

By RAY BIEBER
and
MITCH DANIELS

The time has once again rolled around when we must lay aside our cap pistols and Dick Tracy books. Let Prune Face get along by himself for a while. For two weeks Hitler will yield his place as head bogeyman to the exam in that impossible-to-pass course. Let us pray! When the smoke of the battle clears may your dead bodies not be found together with ours.

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To the Faculty: Praise the Lord and Pass us; never mind the ammunition for a few days.

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Notes on the exam schedule: Physics 19 has been dropped from the schedule because of a conflict with Grill 4, and Bridge 7 (Rustic) has been dropped because of the good sledding weather.

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Orchids to General Eisenhower: This week he's trying something new in North Africa; instead of rocking the Axis back on their heels, he's knocking the heels back on their Axis. And the new theme song of the Yanks in Africa is: "I'll Never Let a Day Go By!"

* * *

Newest and best German Song:

Blues in Berlin

My fuehrer done tol' me,
When I was in Munich,
My fuehrer done tol' me,
Hans—

A Russian will fall back, and give
you the east front,
But when the winter snows come,
A Russian's a two-face,
A worrisome thing, who leaves you
to sing
The blues in Berlin.

See the bombs a-fallin'
Hear the blitzes callin'
Goering! Oh, where is the luftwaffe?
We ain't got no booties,
All we got is cooties.
Goebbels! Oh, typhus and black
plague.
Die wehrmacht! Die wehrmacht!
A clickity-clack, and soon we'll be
back,
With the blues in Berlin.

From Smolensk to Mozhaik,
From Kiev to Lubin,
Wherever the panzers go,
I've taken some big towns,
And made me some big talk,
But there is one thing I know,
A Russian's a two-face,
A worrisome thing, who leaves you
to sing
The blues in Berlin.

—Chicago Tempo.

My first activity in the Army Air Forces, of which I am a member, was attendance at the Scott Field Radio school. How I would love to come back to Allegheny and teach the morse code classes mentioned in the 'subject communication' as they say in military letters.

Brooks hall, the snow on the rhododendrons, the Playshop, the library, the Grill, all have a most refreshing effect on me as I read about them. (You see I have specifically omitted mention of the obstacle course).

Please continue with the good work, to express a good wish in trite fashion.

Yours truly,
Richard C. Anderson

Pvt. AC.
Message Center, Camp Tanforan,
San Bruno, California.

January 11, 1943

Dear Editor:

It's perfectly harmless for Coffin Corner to drag out skeletons from the closet and line them up and count their bones. It keeps him amused and fills up a column. But I think he should keep hands off a fine, vibrant organization like the Allegheny Singers.

I resent his blanket statement that the students want boogie-woogie instead of Brahms. Unless he has taken a galloping poll (and if he did, I didn't get a vote), he should say that he and people of like mind want it.

Of course, I know that Coffin Corner, himself, doesn't harbor such uncouth ideas about the kind of music the Singers should present. He just says those things to arouse us to an appreciation of what we have—a fine choral group who can through Bach and Luvaas, lift our thoughts to beauty above the Smoke that Gets in our Eyes, Night and Day, from too much boogie-woogie. As I say, I'm aware of his high motives, but I do think he might put a note of explanation at the end, because I, for one, would be ashamed to have my friends from home esee his first item in the December 17th issue of the **Campus**.

O, Editor, give Coffin Corner a few cadavers to play with if he runs out of well-picked bones, but spare the good and beautiful from his undertaker's hands!

Gravely yours,
Jane Hahne, '44.

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A New Meaning of Freedom

Every once in a while we run across a good example of original student thought which is worth repeating. Such an example was heard at the Wakefield contest in Donald Mogg's speech on "A New Meaning of Freedom." A condensation of that speech takes up the following editorial space.

"History is full of bitter wars and bloody revolutions that have been fought over the issue of freedom.

"Throughout all these years of struggle freedom simply meant a lack of restraint and the ability of the individual to live without unfair interference. But today freedom is taking on a new meaning which promises to be of the utmost importance after the war.

"Just two years ago President Roosevelt, in his annual address to Congress, mentioned four basic freedoms which he believes should be the goal of all civilized countries in the world. These freedoms are freedom of speech, freedom of religion, freedom from fear, and freedom from want. The first three freedoms are nothing new, but freedom from want represents an entirely new concept in the whole idea of freedom.

"Freedom from want promises to be one of the biggest issues in the post-war era. Already men like Wallace, Beveridge and Roosevelt are spearheading a discussion in which before long all of us will be taking part.

"Not long ago it would have been pointless to talk about freedom from want; there just were not enough goods to go around. Now, however, we possess for the first time in history the technical ability to produce in abundance all of the necessities of life. We can no longer pass over the problem of poverty as we have in the past by saying that it is due to causes beyond our control.

"There is one extremely important fact about freedom from want, and that is that it is the only one of the four freedoms that Hitler has promised his people. By suppressing freedom and regimenting industry he was able to provide a fairly decent standard of living in Germany before the outbreak of the war. After this war is over we will have answered Hitler's military challenge, but we will have yet to answer the economic challenge of his way of life. It is up to us to prove that all four freedoms can exist at once. If we can show the world that democracy and prosperity can walk hand in hand we will never need to fear a re-birth of Hitlerism or any similar doctrine.

"The freedoms which we have enjoyed are seldom disputed today, but in the past each has been a hotly contested issue.

"Just as these great truths have been accepted because of their basic soundness I believe that another truth will soon be accepted; the problem of poverty is one that should concern all of us. Persons who are really willing to work should not have to go without the material necessities of life.

"Today we are willing to give up a certain amount of freedom if by so doing we can gain additional freedom. Perhaps some day we will be willing to make economic sacrifices in order to achieve additional prosperity. Some day the American people will be willing to work as hard for freedom from want as we did in the achievement of the other freedoms.

"When America shows that it is possible to eliminate poverty in a nation of free men other nations will follow her footsteps along the path to a better world. When this day comes, as it surely must, we will then be able to look back on the war and say: "This was worth fighting for."



Since we have arrived at one of those times when we are forced to think of studies first and recreation second or not at all, there is nothing cooking on the intramural front. However, the handball entries are in and the tournament will get under way with the start of the second semester. Pre-tournament favorite is Ellis McKay, who was a semi-finalist last year. Each fraternity has entered eight men. Basketball will also start right after the completion of semester finals. We see Phi Delta Theta as the team to beat in basketball. The Phi Deltas have Pierce, Klein, and Peterson from last year's championship team and also Dick Anderson, a veteran of the freshman five of '41-'42.

Army Promotes Three Alleghenians

Word has been recently received of the promotions of George F. Dennison, '41, from second lieutenant to first lieutenant at Turner Field, Georgia; of Clarence E. Spitzer, '42, to the rank of corporal at Fort Benning, Georgia; and of the graduation as bombardier and commission as second lieutenant of Hadley Luse, ex-'44, from the Victorville Army Flying school in California.

Caughey Has Narrow Escape In Recent Flood

"The stream was higher than I've ever seen it," John Caughey, Allegheny college junior and track star, said of the Slippery Rock creek which runs past his home in Wurtzburg, and in which he almost drowned and his companion met his death during the threatening high water two weeks ago.

Caughey and his friend, Fitzwilliam Wooster, who drowned, were out canoeing in Slippery Rock creek, "just for fun" when the canoe capsize. The two boys clung to the canoe while the swollen stream carried them along about 20 miles an hour for a half mile or more. Many times, Caughey said, they were about as near as ten feet to the shore.

"Once," the track letterman continued, "I caught onto a tree which was jutting out perpendicularly to the bank, but the bank was so steep that I could not make it." It was at this time that Caughey saw Wooster for the last time. Wooster was trying to get a hold on the canoe, and Caughey said he thought

NIP GROVERS					
ALLEGHENY					
Wigton, f	1	0	0	2	
Present, f	6	4	4	16	
Todd, c	7	6	8	20	
Nichols, g	1	0	1	2	
Kahl, g	2	0	0	4	
May, f	2	2	4	6	
Conroy, f	1	1	1	3	
Miller, c	0	0	2	0	
Svec, g	1	1	1	3	
Totals	21	14	21	56	

GROVE CITY					
Steck, f	4	2	2	10	
McClelland, f	4	2	6	10	
Sackett, c	2	0	0	4	
Hutchison, g	1	0	2	2	
Easton, g	1	0	0	2	
Nelson, f	2	2	4	6	
Smock, f	1	0	0	2	
Ellison, c	4	0	0	8	
Keefer, g	0	1	1	1	
Johnston, g	3	1	1	7	
Totals	22	8	16	52	

Score by halves:
Allegheny 25 31-56
Grove City 18 34-52

he had succeeded. Caughey was then carried along by the racing stream until he came to a large clump of bushes in the water, which saved his life.

Gator Quintet Edges Grove City

Repel Crimson Threat, 56-52;
Todd Leads Allegheny Scoring

A four-year victory famine came to a happy end on Tuesday night when Coach Al Werner's all-winning Gators roared over their ancient and time-honored Grove City rivals to the tune of 56-52. Allegheny invaded the hostile Crimson camp sporting a four-game winning streak and boasting of their finest quintet in four years. They knew they were going to "take" this one, and proceeded to do it in a very businesslike manner.

Sackett of Grove City started the scoring by pushing a two-pointer in from the pivot position, but big Bob Todd evened the count with a beautiful heave from way out and also countered with two fouls to give his hard-working mates a lead they never relinquished. Grove City challenged throughout, they came within a hair of overtaking the Wernermen, but the Blue and Gold always had "it" in the pinch, and repelled every Grover challenge.

Announcement

Junior class physical exams will be held Wednesday, January 27. Boys are scheduled from 1:30-3:00 p.m. and girls from 3:00-4:30 p.m.

WAAC women dominate this week's sports page. See page 4.

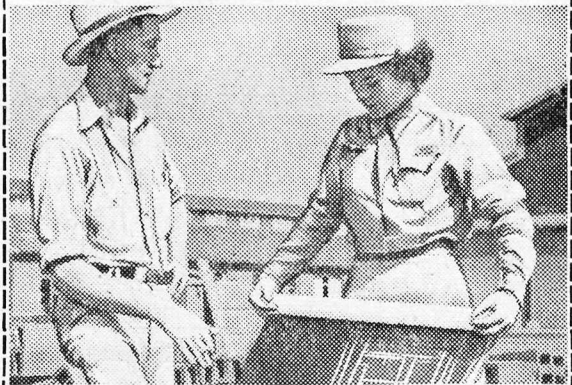
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U. S. Army Announcement

To College Women in their Senior Year



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WOMEN'S ARMY AUXILIARY CORPS

THE COFFIN CORNER

Active duty, as it must to all men, will come to Allegheny army reservists during the second semester of the present academic year. When the men will go is still uncertain, but calls will begin to reach them sometime after February 14. The "boys" received the blow of approaching active service the day before Christmas when they were surprised with small greeting cards for a merry Noel from Dr. Lavelly.

Reactions to the new order were many and variegated. Some of the men settled down to spend the holidays with their parents, some of the men settled down to get quietly drunk and some proceeded to do the same not so quietly. Chief consolation for all was the fact that men from Grove City and Thiel would have to leave for active duty, and rumor had it that even football-famed Earlham had patched together seven four-f's to make the voyage into the great unknown.

In a pompous but nevertheless informative and helpful speech, Allegheny's dynamic registrar, Hurst Robins Anderson, told students to come back to school, to study hard, and to make the most of still available opportunities.

Majority of student opinion runs thus:

"I will come back next semester and stay until I'm called. I'll take some good interesting courses and I won't work too hard, just sort of put in the time until that day comes for me to get the trunk down. And I may even make an effort to have a little fun next semester."

The most important thing for all of Allegheny's males to remember is that they are college men. All pleasure as expressed by soldiers usually takes the form of "wine, women and song." That definitely is the wrong course of action. If you're working on a novel that you have been keeping secret from your friends, bring it out in the open and work on it and have some fun. If there are some experiments that you would like to try at Alden or Carnegie Halls, go down and try them. If you would like to work in a few plays before you are called, go over to the Arter basement and make some inquiries.

Don't worry about the army. Don't try to figure out what it is going to be like. You'll have time to learn that sort of thing when you are an active member. And that can hardly be called having a good time.

It would be a shame if Allegheny's men became the ordinary beer-drinking, hell-raising soldier. We shouldn't be the boys who go to town every night and stand in front of the corner drug store. We shouldn't forget that novel or those experiments. College men shouldn't be ordinary, and standing in front of the drug store is being ordinary.

Allegheny's extra curricular activities should flourish next semester. We should have a better Lit Mag, some good playshop productions, and a better Campus. And who knows? Maybe there will be some new Phi Betes.

(Author's note—No, chaps, I am not a member of the A.C.C., but that might not be such a bad idea either.)



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BASKETBALL

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Todd played a sensational game as he scored eight of the first ten Gator points, and finally emerged as the scoring leader with 20 markers. Lanky Bill Present, hook shot artist, also maintained his great scoring pace as he meshed the cords for a 16-point total. When the Grove City quintet was close on the Gator's heels and the going got tough, Captain Dick Nichols and Dick Kahl proved to be bastions of defense on the Allegheny backboard. They were indispensable. The losers were forced to rely on set shots throughout most of the first half, which ended with Allegheny holding a 25-18 advantage.

The Crimson five, led by McClelland and Steck, who each had 10-point totals, scored five straight markers to pull within one basket of the Gators as the second half opened, but Todd rose to the occasion and matched them point for point on beautiful one-handed push shots.

Through the rest of the struggle the scoring see-sawed, but Allegheny always held the upper hand. And, as time was running out, "Bud" May contributed three timely shots to insure the Blue and Gold of their long awaited and richly earned triumph. Tommy Wigton also starred as a floorman, intercepting numerous Grover passes and setting up play after play.

Beat Coast Guard

Last Friday night in old Montgomery gym the Wernermen ran roughshod over the Erie Coast Guard quintet by the lopsided score of 71-23.

This engagement, scheduled very hastily after both Thiel and Slippery Rock gave the Gators "short notice" that they were cancelling all cage activity for the duration, was Allegheny's first contest with a service team in any sport and definitely will not be the last. In fact, the Blue and Gold are already looking for a return battle with the Guardsmen on January 29 in Erie.

The Allegheny five dispelled all doubt that might have existed in the minds of the apathetic spectators as to the final outcome when they got off to a flying 13-0 lead at the outset. Captain Dick Nichols' successful foul throw started the evening's scoring, which came only eight points short of tying the all-time Allegheny high set by "Cagy" Lawrence's 1939-40 aggregation, against Buffalo State, 79-26.

The starting combination of Nichols, Kahl, Todd, Present, and Wigton shot and passed with clock-like precision and when they finally turned over the reins to the "seconds" the count was an astounding 19-2. During this stretch Bob Todd and sharpshooting Bill Present, game scoring leaders with 14 and 15 points respectively, led the basket parade. They couldn't miss. Five of Todd's first six shots found the hoop and Present was equally effective. In fact, the Gator shooting was phenomenal throughout the first half when they sank fifteen of their 35 attempts.

The Gator reserves, led by "Bud" May, who hit the cords for eleven markers, continued to "pour it on" the Coast Guards for the remainder of the first half, which ended with Allegheny in the van, 33-12. Chief Petty Officer Scott Gill, visiting coach and captain and high man for the losers with ten points, gave his mates some consolation as he meshed seven points in this half.

As the second half got underway the varsity once again got "hot," this time pushing in twenty points from all angles in a few short minutes. When the score was 53-17, Coach Werner cleared the bench and the second reserves went on to romp in with the final eighteen markers.

LETTERS

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The Writer of the "Coffin Corner": In the Campus of December 17 in your criticism of the Singers' Christmas concert, it was called a "beautiful and unintelligible affair."

I think it almost axiomatic that with the Allegheny Singers as good a singing group as it is, the degree of unintelligibility is primarily a direct function of the listener. It is only necessary to attend a few Singers' rehearsals at which all interested spectators are welcome and which are held very frequently, enabling nearly all to attend, or spend a short time reading in our chapel hymn book to achieve an acquaintance with at least a goodly number of the songs sung at the concert mentioned; the program for concerts is posted in advance. You mention also that "knowledge of the classics is deficient (at Allegheny)." It seems highly illogical that the knowledge of the classics will be increasing their number in the Singers' repertoire.

When you ask us to "think of a Singers' rendition of 'Smoke Gets in Your Eyes' or 'Night and Day,' done in a style mixing Fred Waring, Phil Spitalny, and Morten Luvaas," my closing thought is that the Allegheny Singers is a group organized to provide enjoyment of enduringly great and beautiful music, not for the creation and dissemination of musical bastardy.

Gilbert Michel.

Sink the Navy

ALLEGHENY	fg	fp	ft	tp
Wigton, f	1	0	0	2
Present, f	7	1	2	15
Todd, c	7	0	2	14
Nichols, g	2	2	4	6
Kahl, g	1	0	0	2
Conroy, f	2	0	0	4
May, f	3	5	5	11
D. Miller, c	4	0	0	8
Smoot, g	1	0	0	2
Blythe, f	0	0	1	0
McVay, f	2	0	0	4
Frey, g	1	0	1	2
Hileman, c	0	1	1	1
Totals	31	4	16	71

COAST GUARD	fg	fp	ft	tp
Flash, f	1	0	1	2
Gill, f	3	4	4	10
McCord, c	1	1	1	3
M. Miller, g	0	0	0	0
Welch, g	2	1	1	5
Blazo, f	1	0	0	2
Gagnon, f	0	0	1	0
Curcillo, g	0	0	1	0
Frailly, c	0	1	2	1
Totals	8	7	11	23

Score by halves: Allegheny 33 38-71 Coast Guard 12 11-23 Referee: Dunlavy.

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