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Eighty-Five Seniors To Graduate

"Farewell To Buildings" To Be Revived For Class Day

Class day for the graduating seniors will be held Monday, June 3.

Farewell to the buildings, a pre-war custom being inaugurated again this year, will be conducted by the senior class. At 10:00 a.m. the procession will begin at Brooks hall and continue to Reis library, Montgomery gymnasium, the alumni gardens, and Bentley hall. The following seniors will give short talks: Doris Larsen at Brooks hall, Mary Jane Keith at the library, Lee Donaldson at the gymnasium, in the alumni gardens Frances Wallace, and Jean Dearing at Bentley hall.

The program is not for seniors only. All students and the faculty are urged to join in the procession. Seniors are requested to wear caps and gowns. These may be secured in the book store by May 31.

The Singers will close the farewell to buildings with a concert in front of Bentley hall. Following this, the annual class day program will be held in Ford memorial chapel at 11:00 a.m.

John Hawes, president of the class of '46, has announced the following program:

- Invocation (Prayer for the College)
- President John Richie Schultz
- Phi Beta Kappa Awards
- Mr. Julian L. Ross
- Presentation of Class Gift
- John Hawes
- Presentation of Class Flag
- Marjorie Haslun
- Ladder Oration
- John Hawes
- Junior Response
- David Johnson
- Award of Prizes and Fellowships
- President Schultz
- Mr. Cuthbert C. Hurd
- Announcement of the Salutatorian
- Introduction of the Valedictorian
- Valedictory
- Alma Mater Beatissima

Raymond McCall Wins Freshman Speech Contest

Raymond McCall was awarded first prize of \$15 in the annual freshman speaking contest held on Thursday, May 23, in the Playshop. Mr. McCall spoke on the topic, "Have We an American School of Music?"

Second prize of \$10 went to James Isherwood for his talk on "Global Famine", and third, \$5, to Curtis Johnson who spoke on "Compulsory Sterilization".

The contest was sponsored by the department of speech and drama in cooperation with the Philo-Franklin Union. Judges for the event were Mr. Richard C. Baker, Miss Blair Hanson, and Mr. Charles S. Miller.

Other contestants, chosen from twenty-three sectional winners in elimination contests, and their topics were: Guy Brock, "Railway Unions and Industry"; Ralph Brugger, "The Cancer Problem"; Lee Hunt, "Setting Our Sights for Tomorrow"; Suzanne Jones, "Preparing for Successful Marriage"; and William Wagoner, "Basic English—Yes".

Maxine Taylor, of the Philo-Franklin Union, and a varsity debater, was chairman for the event.

Breadless Days Voted To Help In Food Conservation

A motion to have two breadless days a week was voted upon and carried at the meeting of A.U.C. on Sunday, May 26, following a report by Caroline Brampton, '46, of the food committee.

On these days, probably Tuesdays and Thursdays, bread will be served for breakfast, but not for the other two meals. The money saved will be sent to Europe through the American Friends committee. In addition to the money which will be saved, amounting to \$5 to \$10 weekly, the measure will also conserve grain.

Letters have been received stating that other colleges are carrying out the same program. This policy will be continued throughout summer school.

Kaldron To Be Distributed Soon

Kaldrons will be ready for distribution by the middle of June to all students who have activities cards, announced Helen Creeger, editor. Seniors will get theirs before graduation and other students will receive their copies by mail.

Forty pages have been printed and all others are ready for printing. Because of a limited supply of Kaldrons, faculty members and others can order their copies for three dollars from Marjorie Bosworth, '48, who will be here for the first six weeks of summer school.

NOTICE!

President J. Richie Schultz has announced that Thursday, May 31, Memorial day, will be a holiday. No classes will be held.

"TO BE OR NOT TO BE"

Faculty Meets To Discuss Sororities

President J. Richie Schultz announced last night that the petition by sorority women asking abolition of the sorority system on the campus is under study by a faculty-administration group which is expected to make a statement concerning its findings after "fair and impartial" consideration on all sides of the issue.

In a statement, President Schultz declared: "The petition presented by a group of sorority women advocating abolishment of sororities at Allegheny is being considered by a committee of faculty and administration personnel. This committee is gathering additional information and studying all factors involved and expects to make a statement on their findings."

"Since sororities came to the campus in 1881 and have since been an integral part of campus life, their abolishment, which would mean a major change in the social structure at the college, demands the fullest study. All sides of the question will be given full and impartial consideration."

Members of the faculty-administration committee are: President Schultz, Mr. Paul H. Younger, Mr. Cuthbert C. Hurd, Mr. Louis J. Long, Mr. Horace T. Lavelly, Miss Laila Skinner, Mr. Chester A. Darling, Mr. Lee D. McLean and Mr. Julian L. Ross.

President Schultz called attention to the approach of the examination period and voiced the hope that the sorority question would not affect students' attention to their studies.

May Day Takes Place Despite Rain

In spite of light rain, the coronation of Priscilla Greer, '46, as May queen took place last Saturday on the lawn in front of Bentley hall. A large crowd surrounded the green reserved for the coronation ceremony and dances.

Following the celebration, a formal dinner and dance were held in Brooks in honor of the queen and her court. May day activities ended with a tea in Brooks honoring Miss Greer and her ladies-in-waiting.

Enrollment To Reach High Of 1,000 In Fall

Enrollment for next fall has reached 1000 students. This is a 30 per cent increase over the normal pre-war enrollment, which was approximately 750 students.

It is estimated that there will be about 550 men and 450 women students.

Registration of new students from both out of town and in the vicinity of Meadville has been closed. There are waiting lists for both of these groups.

Commencement Program To Be Held June 14-17

A record crowd of parents, friends, and returning Alleghenians is anticipated for the annual commencement exercises to be held from Friday, June 14 through Monday, June 17. Approximately eighty-five members of the class of '46 will be awarded diplomas.

President J. Richie Schultz will hold a reception for alumni and visitors in Cochran hall on Friday, June 14, at 8:30 p.m.

An alumni college will highlight Saturday, June 15. Mr. Chester A. Darling will speak on "Personal Adjustment" in Alden hall, and Mr. Paul B. Cares on "A Lesson from History" in Arter at 10:00 a.m. "Utopia Limited" will be the subject of Mr. Julian L. Ross in Arter 26, and Mr. Philip M. Benjamin will talk on "Teaching with Books—the Library's Treasures and Resources" in the Craig room at 10:45 a.m.

An Alumni luncheon and the annual meeting of the Allegheny Alumni association will be held in Brooks hall at 12:00 noon.

Phi Beta Kappa will meet at 2:45 p.m. in the Treasure room.

A Salute to Veterans will be presented in Montgomery gymnasium at 3:45 p.m. The following talks will be delivered: President Schultz, "Welcome Home"; Mr. John R. McFarland, '38, director of Alumni relations, "Alleghenians in the War"; Mr. Robert B. Appleyard, '40, "In Memoriam"; Mr. Cuthbert C. Hurd, "Allegheny and Its Future".

Fraternity dinners will be held in the different fraternity houses at 6:00 p.m. The Independent dinner will be held at a place to be announced.

Valerie Simpson, '46, and Edward Hodgson, '48, will present a program of two-piano music in Ford Memorial chapel at 8:30 p.m.

Brooks hall will be the scene of the commencement dance at 9:00 p.m.

The baccalaureate service will be held on Sunday, June 16, in the Old Stone church at 10:45 a.m. Mr. Frederick G. Henke will deliver the sermon.

The Rev. Arthur Mead Crawford, '34, will conduct a vesper service on the campus at 4:30 p.m.

A concert by the Allegheny Singers will be presented in Montgomery gymnasium at 8:15 p.m.

An academic procession will begin the graduation exercises on Monday, June 17, at 9:45 a.m. Following this, the regular commencement program will take place in Montgomery gymnasium. Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam will deliver the address.

A buffet luncheon for parents, seniors, and faculty in Brooks hall will conclude the activities for the week-end.

Cwens Initiate Twelve Freshmen

Epsilon chapter of Cwens recently held the formal initiation ceremony for newly tapped students and alumnae.

Twelve freshman women became members in the candlelight ceremony in Brooks hall dining room. New officers were announced. They are: Mavis Clark, president; Martha Walthall, vice-president; Jeanne Dahlquist, secretary; and Hazel Lou McIntosh, treasurer.

Other new members are: Barbara Dunham, Joanne Eberle, Carolyn Horner, Marjorie Larson, Jacqueline Leggett, Carol Snell, Mary Taylor, and Nancy Zenn.

College Jackets To Be Shown At Bookstore

Allegheny jackets may be ordered at the bookstore for one week, beginning today.

Models are on display and the orders taken will be delivered this fall.

The women's jackets are navy blue with white piping and a white college seal. They will cost \$14.95.

The men's jackets are navy blue flannel with the white seal, and are priced at \$24.00.

Caroline Arentzen, '46, is chairman of the jacket committee. Margaret Aleson, '48, and Helen Creeger, '46, are members of the committee. This group worked in coordination with the sophomore committee consisting of Jewel Shaw and Helen Stenstrom.

Examination Permits

All college bills must be paid before final examinations. Examination permits certifying that all bills have been paid may be secured at the treasurer's office on May 31, June 1 and June 3. No student will be admitted to final examinations without a permit.



Mr. Henke To Speak At Baccalaureate

Frederick G. Henke, professor emeritus of Allegheny since 1942, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon Sunday, June 16, at 10:45 a.m. in the Old Stone Methodist church.

A resident of Charles City, Iowa, Mr. Henke received his A.B. at Northwestern college, his A.M. at Northwestern, and his Ph.D. from the University of Chicago. Ordained into the Methodist ministry, he served as pastor of the Methodist Episcopal mission in Kiang, China, from 1904 to 1907. After teaching at Northwestern, he taught at the University of Nanking and established the first psychology laboratory in China. He became a professor of philosophy and education at Allegheny in 1916 and continued in this post until 1942 when he retired.

A member of Phi Beta Kappa, he is the author of *The Psychology of Ritualism* and the translator of *The Philosophy of Wang Yang-Ming*. He is also a contributor of numerous articles to religious and philosophical journals.

Sophomore Class To Hold Picnic

Boating, swimming and amusements will be features of the sophomore class outing at Conneaut Lake, Saturday, June 1. Transportation costs will be 65 cents per person. The bus will leave Brooks hall at 2:00 p.m. and will return about 9:30 p.m. Miss Blager and Miss Margaret Kerfoot will chaperone the picnic.

There is room for a few more sophomore who wish to go and have not yet signed up.



MAY QUEEN AND HER COURT—Left to right, top row: Mary Shannon, Nancy Dwelle, Norma Fix, May Queen Priscilla Greer, Patricia Painter, Janet Zimmerman, and Marcia Bulger. In foreground: Janet Winkler and Ellen Wiggins.

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SITTING IN THE SUN

Robert Louis Stevenson in his *Apology for Idlers* has hit upon a philosophy that should appeal to most of us. He writes, "Many who have plied their book diligently, and know all about some one branch of accepted lore, come out of the study with an ancient and owl-like demeanor, and prove dry, stockish, and dyspeptic in all the better and brighter part of life . . . And you see the fine young men who work themselves into decline, and are driven off in a hearse with white plumes upon it."

We gather that Mr. Stevenson believes individuals who are too busy, who never have time to count clouds or watch firelight, are missing something vital in life.

This theory could be formulated into a good excuse for many of us here at Allegheny. Now, don't get excited—we're not going to lecture on wasting time, for, strangely enough, we agree with Mr. Stevenson.

This editorial is for those who are ever on the go, who never for a moment relax, and who can't bear to see others idle. The rest probably won't need much persuasion.

We are constantly being reprimanded for carelessly tossing away our time here at college, so much so that a few of us come close to developing anxiety neuroses when we feel that we've lost a few hours. We sit in the Grill; we gaze vacantly out of the window; we listen to the radio. But if, while we are sitting in the Grill, we are laughing, strengthening a friendship, exchanging views, and if staring out the window reminds us of a poem once learned and forgotten until we saw the sunlight on the grass, it is a moment gained. We are wasting time only if the moment is void of laughter, beauty, understanding, only if the experience is a fragment of time profiting us nothing.

We agree that we should balance our time at Allegheny. One can't expect to receive an education by watching the sunlight on the grass. But let's not feel that we are always wasting time if we have nothing to show for it afterwards—not a five-page paper, nor a list of facts, nor a 90% in Political Science.

The summer months are coming soon. Some of us shall play, some work, some count clouds. It would be ideal if we could allot certain percentages to each of the three pastimes. Since this is impossible, we sincerely hope that the human dynamos will find time to count clouds, and the rest of you will read a few good books while you're sitting in the sun.

NOW, VOYAGER

"They've gone out from their Alma Mater, way out in the wide, wide world."

Remember that song you used to sing in high school—"Where, oh where are grand, old seniors?" Sentimental and insipid, it, nevertheless, was sung with fervor and a tear or two as the seventeen-year-olds marched bravely out into the world.

Now at Allegheny another commencement time draws near. Eighty-five "grand, old seniors" are preparing to leave their Alma Mater. To borrow a trite phrase, it is, no doubt, with mingled feelings of joy and regret that you of the class of '46 watch the approach of graduation.

It means no more comprehensives, no more examinations, no more eight o'clocks. But it also means no more Grill, no more rustic bridge, no more fraternity serenades.

You'll be meeting new, interesting people; you'll be doing different, fascinating things. We like to think that the four years on this campus will make a big difference in how you meet those people and the way you do those things.

We might say, "Now voyager, sail thou forth to seek and find." But we know you too well to be pompous. We'd rather say simply—So long. It'll be strange without you. We'll miss you.

"Bloody, but Unbowed"

"Pass the pepper, please."

"I can't. There isn't any on the table."

"No pepper? What's going on here anyway?"

To put the matter bluntly, there is only about a pound of pepper in the house. All available pepper has been taken for use in the kitchen where the cooks are attempting to stretch out the meager supply as long as possible. Miss Gregory, the head dietitian, keeps her phone busy every day, but the simple fact remains as with so many foods—none can be found.

Indeed, the food shortage today is even worse than it was during the war, and Miss Gregory's headaches are growing all the while. Whereas she has a fairly good supply of most things today, the future outlook is rather gloomy. Some foods you just can't get, others, only in limited amounts. By careful planning and substitution, the menu has been continuously changed to balance the big question mark of supply with the needs of the students. All this takes place behind the counter.

Meanwhile, on the other side of the counter, John and Jane are standing in lunch line hashing over the typical questions. Why isn't there any mayonnaise? Why can we only have a half a pat of butter? Why don't we have more puddings? Why don't we have chops? Perhaps if we realized what was going on behind the counter we could understand the situation a little better.

The problems brought about by the food shortage today are enough to weaken the morale of the most cheerful optimist. No longer can a menu be planned ahead of time with the assumption that the foods needed will be available. Indeed, it is a matter of what foods you can get and when. It is impossible to get cornstarch so, with our supply of cornstarch exhausted, it has been impossible to make puddings. Moreover, a tomato salad dressing has had to be substituted for the mayonnaise which needs cornstarch for base. With frozen foods more difficult to obtain, canned peas have to be served instead of frozen peas. Each shipment of flour brings a different kind, which makes it difficult for the pastry cooks to put out the best products. When the present supply of flour is gone, no one knows where the next will come from. Gelatin is off the market. Rice and beans are still scarce as they were during the war. The limited butter and fats available have made it necessary to cut the amounts in half of what would ordinarily be used. Cocoa is another on the list of limited items. Here it becomes a matter of choice as to how it should be used—cocoa for breakfast or chocolate cake for supper, or a little of both. Sugar, of course, is still on the ration list and only a definite quota is allowed. As for meats, it is impossible to get choice cuts, and even though you get the meat, sometimes you can't get it cut into chops even if you wanted it thus.

The railroad strike last week brought

During the past week there have been many activities of importance and excitement, the symphony (clever play on words) May Day, dance tea, but there are some people who are never satisfied with the turn of events so to add to the abounding confusion and as a preview to the chaos of Commencement, the girls also had for discussion purposes, a petition, that petition resolving that sororities should be abolished. As usual, we had an objective view (sure we did) of the affair and instead of indulging in rabble-rousing of one kind or another, we stood at keyholes, peepholes, incinerators, and washbowls and listened. There were a variety of attitudes, all equally interesting from a scientific point of view. One instance is a girl who was considering signing the petition until she was awakened early one morning with the prod of a pencil and the rustle of parchment whereupon she immediately took a stand against such a move. On the other hand there was the feminine counterpart of Mr. Milquetoast who wasn't going to sign until she learned that nobody would ever know she had signed, so she attached her name with the feeling that never again would she be able to show her convictions with such discretion. Fortunately the men were not left out of the fracas because they well knew that should sororities leave, fraternities might be in the position of one stepping out of the slippery bathtub, so they became opinionated along with the less emotionally stable sex. It was well thought out however. Clubs would take the place of sororities or a spade is a shovel. That would be different because clubs have no selective basis and everyone could be a joiner. Minor details such as social organization and places for the men to live were overlooked in the dash for pencils and advisors. There are some of us who would like to add a codicil that Cwens, Junior Advisors and Phi Beta Kappa, not to mention Allegheny College should also be eliminated due to the fact that not everyone can get in and there are people who thus feel slighted. Of course maybe the boys still in the army would approve. After all they got in there through the selective service act and if everything selective would be done away with they could return to wearing white shirts (if they can find them) and pin striped suits (if they can find them).

Because we feel so strongly about this selective business we therefore are offering a modest proposal showing just

added difficulties. The produce companies reported that due to the strike several cars of vegetables had been waylaid. The price of potatoes would have gone up almost 75% if the strike had not ended. In fact, without the railroads to transport the food, the shortages would have soon become very serious.

Certainly you can see that the life of a dietitian today has become a hectic struggle to overcome the problems of the food shortage. Is it any wonder that we are asked to take only what we want, and to eat what we take? How about that?

HALLZAPOPPIN'

I thought George and I were contemporaries but somebody says that he has been around here for about fourteen years. Even so, I felt that we had much in common. We two knew the good old days, when men lived in Cafisch. I used to get up about five, leave Cafisch and wake up George from where he was sleeping on the Phi Gam lawn. Our early morning walks were the epitome of camaraderie—no lines of distinction drawn. Yet later in the day when the Fijis were up and he could find fitting company he would cut me dead on every occasion. Though I considered George something of a hypocrite I thought a lot of him, and still do, although he hasn't so much as wagged a tail at me for four years now.

Which is my argument against any mercy-killing talk.

This here now is a retraction of any loose talk I may have directed against Chuck Beisel. He's the bouncer in the Grill, you know, the evil-tempered character who locks the door at 10:15 p.m. and turns out the lights and throws everybody out at 10:30, all the while perfectly aware that the Grill clock is five minutes fast. Sometimes it almost seems that he doesn't care whether I get my milkshake nightcap or not. I had accused him (to his face and behind his back) of turning off the lights in order to clear the place of people before they could pick up their valuables. At 10:31, I alleged, he gathered up all the loot and took it to his particular fence—reaping a rich profit. He even admitted it; said he took it to some place on Terrace, a big old mansion where he passed off the loot to certain shady characters. That may be. However, I left my cigarette case, an expensive 79 creation, as a test. The next day it was returned to me promptly. I hereby apologize for my innuendoes or direct accusations.

The Symphony was something! Golly, I liked it! Very, very lovely, particularly the solo numbers by Tex and Babs Davies. It should be a yearly affair. Next year, though, they'd better serve a quart of water to every spectator. Never got so thirsty in my life as I did sitting there and watching and listening to those people in the pool splashing about. I tried wandering around in the dark during the phos-

phorescent number but it was no go—I didn't trip and nobody would push me in.

Huh! It just occurred to me that I have known and been known by the classes of 1938, '39, '40, '41, '42, '43, '44, '45, '46, '47, '48, '49. That's a long long time to be around here! That's a mighty lot of good people! I'm mighty proud of that and I'm happy about that!

Un-pop.

Announcements

If there is sufficient demand the English department will offer English I, (first semester) or Literature and Culture of the Middle West during the first term of the summer session.

The instructor for these courses will be Mr. Douglas. Anyone interested may obtain further information at the English department office or by consulting Mr. Douglas.

Activities tickets will be given to the wives of veterans next year, it was decided at the recent meeting of the A.U.C.

There will be no health service during the summer session. The infirmary will close following commencement.

Laurana Schultz, '47, and her group of junior advisees will give the A.W.S. open house this Friday afternoon in the Pine room from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. Everyone is invited.

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Philo-Franklin To Hold Last Meeting Today

There will be a meeting of Philo-Franklin Union today at 4:30 p.m. in the speech library in Arter hall.

Philo-Franklin held a banquet recently at Venango Inn. The five new members were present and spoke extemporaneously. They are Duff Hopper, '49, John Palmer, '49, Ray McCall, '49, Louise Church, '49, and Dorothy Bradow, '48. Mr. Theodore F. Nelson also spoke.

ARSENIC

why organizations which are founded on a selective basis should be abolished. This will include many organizations besides sororities, many organizations where people who are not selected become hurt every year.

I. The general result of the abolishing of selective organizations will be a general atmosphere of putting us all on a purely equal footing. No longer will girls or boys feel slighted when they aren't asked to join the social group they desire. No longer will people of intelligences of 115 and under feel slighted on Phi Beta Kappa day. No longer will people with sharp or flat voices feel crushed when they watch the Singers pull gayly away in a bus on their annual trip. Nobody will feel this because those organizations will no longer exist for anyone to feel that way about.

II. Once everything selective is abolished then we would have no fear for any kind of undesirable people like Nazis who, I hear tell, rise to power through such organizations. If you don't believe this just walk up to any sorority woman or fraternity man and give them a "heil." Sometimes during the day if you keep a close watch on them you will see their arms go up in an answering salutation even if it looks as if they were combing their hair back out of their eyes. Instead we will all be equal, we will be friends, we might, tch, tch even become comrades.

This then is our modest proposal. But we still can't get the selective idea out of our heads because it reminds us that just two years ago we were rather selected to write ARSENIC. I say rather because they are still trying to catch up with the person who did the selecting. This would be a good time to reminisce over the happy Sunday and Monday evenings we have spent lying under beds, standing in closets, listening to our private hook-up to the goings on on the Rustic Bridge. Ah, mes cheres, eet ees a tres, tres, unhappy day to sit for the last time in front of our trusty little Corona, to look up at the page and realize this is the finale for any more sheets of crumby paper with the words ARSENIC misspelled, generally, on the top of the page. We will not stop and analyze your feelings on this occasion because we are, we really are, intelligent enough to know that they are directly contrary to ours. Instead we will end with best wishes to our successor and ask someone to pass us the Kleenex. Carry on.

Social Whirl

"SIS and TIPPY"

Alpha Chi Omega held a social Monday night in honor of their new alumnae advisor Mrs. Edward Robinson and their past advisor Miss Suzanne Brewer. Other town alumnae were present.

Recent guests of the Alpha Chis were Mrs. Richard Patterson (nee Anna Mae Thompson, '45), Dorothy Bence, '42, and Rita Rogers, '44.

Alpha Gamma Delta held a party in their rooms after the dance Saturday night.

Recent guests of Alpha Gamma Delta were Jane Ann Fleming, '45, and Betty Crawford, '45.

Week-end guests of Alpha Xi Delta were Martha Tawney, '45, and Shirley Miller, '45.

Recent visitors of Kappa Alpha Theta were Betty Buckingham, '45, and Betty Lee, ex'46.

Francis Dallow, '47, will be the delegate to the first national convention of Kappa Kappa Gamma since the war at Mackinac Island, Michigan this July. Florence Sells, '41, will represent the town alumnae.

Virginia Bennett, '44, and Jean Griffith, '46, were recent guests of the Kappas. A social was held in the rooms following the dance Saturday night.

Theta Upsilon announces the marriage of Joan Vance, '47, to Lt. Robert McCullough, May 27 in Butler, Pa.

The Independent Women's Association held a picnic for the senior members in the ravine Monday evening.

Alpha Chi Rho announces the pledging of Harold Nearpass, '48.

Kappa Kappa Gamma Wins Silver Service For Highest Average

Kappa Kappa Gamma has been awarded the Pan-Hellenic council's silver service for the highest average among sororities for the fall term. The sorority average was 81.26.

Other sororities and their averages are as follows: Alpha Xi Delta, 80.93; Kappa Alpha Theta, 80.92; Theta Upsilon, 80.75; Alpha Chi Omega, 80.32; and Alpha Gamma Delta, 78.28.

The scholastic average for the non-sorority women was 79.81, and the freshman women's average was 80.22.

The total average of the women students was 80.17.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon placed first among the fraternities with a 77.05 average. Others in order of their rank were: Theta Chi, 76.00; Phi Gamma Delta, 74.28; Delta Tau Delta, 72.27; Phi Delta Theta, 71.82; and Phi Kappa Psi, 70.93. The non-fraternity men average was 72.48.

The scholastic average of all men was 73.52.

Final Examination Schedule

Art 1	June 6	2:00	Ruter
Art 3	June 11	9:00	Ruter
Art 5	June 5	9:00	Ruter
Art 7	June 4	9:00	Ruter
Aviation 2	June 8	9:00	Gymnasium
Biology A	June 11	9:00	Gymnasium
Biology 1	June 5	2:00	Gymnasium
Biology 2	June 6	9:00	Gymnasium
Biology 5	June 11	9:00	Gymnasium
Biology 7	June 8	9:00	Gymnasium
Biology 9	June 8	9:00	Gymnasium
Biology 12	June 8	2:00	Gymnasium
Biology 16	June 5	9:00	Gymnasium
Chemistry A	June 6	2:00	Carnegie
Chemistry 1	June 10	2:00	Carnegie
Chemistry 2	June 8	9:00	Carnegie
Chemistry 3	June 5	9:00	Carnegie
Chemistry 4	June 6	9:00	Carnegie
Chemistry 5	June 10	2:00	Carnegie
Chemistry 7	June 5	9:00	Carnegie
Drama 1	June 6	2:00	Arter
Drama 5	June 7	2:00	Gymnasium
Drama 7	June 12	9:00	Arter
Drawing 2	June 12	9:00	Carnegie
Economics 1, Sec. 1	June 5	2:00	Gymnasium
Economics 1, Sec. 2	June 11	9:00	Gymnasium
Economics 5	June 7	2:00	Bentley
Economics 6	June 4	9:00	Bentley
Economics 12	June 6	9:00	Gymnasium
Economics 13	June 8	9:00	Gymnasium
Economics 16	June 8	9:00	Bentley
Economics 17	June 6	2:00	Bentley
Education A	June 4	9:00	Ruter
Education 10	June 5	9:00	Gymnasium
English 1	June 4	2:00	Gymnasium
Sec. 1, 3, 4, 5			Alden
Sec. 2, 8			Ruter 203
Sec. 6, 7			
English 1A	June 4	2:00	Carnegie
Sec. 1, 3			Alden
Sec. 2			Gymnasium
English 2	June 6	9:00	Gymnasium
English 5	June 8	9:00	Gymnasium
English 7	June 7	2:00	Gymnasium
English 8	June 6	2:00	Gymnasium
English 11	June 4	2:00	Gymnasium
English 15	June 5	9:00	Gymnasium
French 1	June 11	2:00	Gymnasium
French 2B	June 11	2:00	Gymnasium
French 3	June 8	9:00	Gymnasium
French 10	June 7	2:00	Gymnasium
Geography 1	June 5	9:00	Gymnasium
Geology A	June 7	2:00	Gymnasium
German 1	June 12	2:00	Gymnasium
German 2B	June 12	2:00	Gymnasium
German 5	June 4	9:00	Gymnasium
History 1	June 7	9:00	Gymnasium
History 3	June 7	2:00	Gymnasium
History 5	June 4	9:00	Gymnasium
History 16	June 11	9:00	Gymnasium
Mathematics 1	June 7	9:00	Gymnasium
Mathematics 2	June 13	9:00	Gymnasium
Mathematics 4	June 13	9:00	Gymnasium
Mathematics 8	June 6	2:00	Gymnasium
Mathematics 10	June 5	9:00	Gymnasium
Mathematics 12	June 5	2:00	Gymnasium
Music 1	June 6	2:00	Oratory
Music 3	June 5	2:00	Oratory
Music 5	June 12	2:00	Oratory
Personal Adjustment	June 6	2:00	Gymnasium
Philosophy 3	June 7	2:00	Gymnasium
Physics 1	June 7	2:00	Wilcox
Physics 2	June 6	2:00	Carnegie
Political Science 1	June 5	9:00	Gymnasium
Political Science 4	June 5	9:00	Gymnasium
Political Science 5	June 7	2:00	Gymnasium
Political Science 11	June 6	9:00	Gymnasium
Psychology 1	June 7	2:00	Alden
Psychology 3	June 8	9:00	Gymnasium
Psychology 5	June 6	9:00	Gymnasium
Psychology 7	June 7	2:00	Gymnasium
Psychology 9	June 12	9:00	Bentley
Religion 1	June 10	9:00	Gymnasium
Religion 4	June 8	9:00	Gymnasium
Religion 5	June 5	9:00	Gymnasium
Religion 7	June 10	9:00	Gymnasium
Sec. Stud. 1	June 13	9:00	Ruter
Sec. Stud. 3, Sec. 1	June 4	9:00	Ruter
Sec. Stud. 3, Sec. 2	June 5	9:00	Ruter
Sociology 1	June 7	2:00	Gymnasium
Sociology 2	June 8	9:00	Gymnasium
Sociology 6	June 11	9:00	Gymnasium
Sociology 9	June 6	9:00	Bentley
Spanish 1	June 11	2:00	Gymnasium
Spanish 2	June 11	2:00	Gymnasium
Spanish 4	June 4	9:00	Gymnasium
Spanish 6	June 6	9:00	Gymnasium
Speech 1	June 8	2:00	Gymnasium
Sec. 1, 5, 9, 13, 16			Carnegie
All other sections			Gymnasium
Speech 1A	June 8	2:00	Alden
Speech 4	June 6	9:00	Gymnasium

THE WOMAN'S SIDE

—by Foster and Brewster—

Those bedraggled people you saw racing around in the rain all week-end were us, trying to keep up with the May day activities. Of course, we were determined not to let any mention of rain creep into our column this week, but here it is in the very first sentence.

The events of the week-end were many and varied and congratulations go to all the students, faculty and organizations that contributed so very much of their time, energy, and talent to making May day such a grand success.

We ask Miss Marjorie Kirk for a human-interest story on the Terrapin pageant—perhaps a few sidelights. Her very quotable answer was something like this, "Well, I don't know about that—we could use a few sidelights ourselves because two burned out last night!"

Were you inspired to higher and nobler things in the field of swimming by the Terrapin pageant? Do "kips", "dolphins", tandem swimming, and the like fascinate you? Have you always dreamed of soloing in a white bathing suit with purple flowers? Or do you merely love to "dog paddle"? Your opportunity awaits you every afternoon except Wednesday of this week from 4:00 p.m. to 5:15 p.m. in the Montgomery pool. The pool will also be open from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. this evening.

At the risk of becoming monotonous to both of our readers, we venture to say that the softball tournament has again been rained out save for one game, and this week's schedule will be posted on Brooks bulletin board.

In spite of the uncooperative attitude of the weatherman, we do have a bit of news on the tennis tournament: At the close of the first round of play, Jean Singley, June Singley, Elaine Nelson, Cathy Anderson, Louise Foster and Jean Foster are the remaining competitors for the Woman's Singles Championship.

As a last reminder, let's everyone plan to attend the Kiwanis horse show today and tomorrow at the Meadville Athletic park. The Boots and Saddles club is planning an exhibition for the event as their final activity of the year.

SOCIAL WHIRL

Recent guests of *Phi Kappa Psi* were: Harold August, '43, Herschel Davis, ex'46, James Jenkins ex'46, and William Walker, ex'47.

Bruce Harrison, '45, was a recent guest of *Phi Delta Theta*.

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Netmen Rebound In Geneva Victory

Coach H. P. Way's netmen bounded back into the victor's column Saturday with a whitewash victory over Geneva College. The match score was Allegheny 7, Geneva 0, with the last two doubles matches called because of rain.

After the first four men had finished one set each, the drizzle started and the teams retired for a half hour until the rain took a break. They then returned to the court but could not quite finish as a result of a real downpour.

Chuck Hileman played his usual steady game as the number one man but the results of the first four games alternated with the service. Jack York, Hileman's opponent, played a hard driving game both in his service and returns but Chuck's well placed shots eliminated his effectiveness. Barney Radov's service also proved very effective and in the only doubles event of the afternoon the combination of Hileman and Radov proved far superior to their Geneva opponents.

Frank Steinle's blasting backhand, Frank Pollard's smooth stroke, and Bill Reider's ability to hit them where they weren't, plus competitive experience enabled each of them to gain victories in two sets. Dick Shanor, appearing for the first time in a singles match, also played a good game.

There are but three matches left in the season, two of which will be played away from home. Next Saturday the team winds up the year by playing Rochester here at 2:15 p.m. This should be the best match of the season so tear yourself away from cramming for those finals and get a look at your 1946 tennis team.

The scores of the Geneva match were: Singles, Chuck Hileman, Allegheny, defeated Jack York 6-2, 6-1; Barney Radov, Allegheny defeated Reed, 6-0, 6-2; Frank Steinle, Allegheny, defeated McIssac, 6-1, 6-2; Frank Pollard, Allegheny, defeated Rocereo, 6-1, 6-3; Bill Reider, Allegheny, defeated Hardies 6-0, 6-2; and Dick Shanor, Allegheny defeated Hughes 6-0, 6-2.

In the lone doubles event the score was: Hileman and Radov defeated York and Reed 6-2 and 6-1.

Barco's Tigers Lead In Softball

The first round of the intramural softball tournament finds Sam Barco and his Tigers as champs. The Tigers and Kirkpatrick's Cubs came up against each other in the game that decided the first round winners. Each team had won three and lost one previous game. Going into the last inning the Cubs had a two run lead but the Tigers came through with five big runs, ending the game with an 11 to 8 victory.

Barco plays right field with Johnny Ruggiero in left and John Eskey roaming the central pasture. In the infield Dave Clark plays first base, Red Bowder at second, George (Papa) Allen, short-stop, and Ted Blakely holds down the hot corner. Fred Hanna does the catching and the pitching chores rest on the able arm of Bill Mays who has pitched 12 scoreless innings out of the last 14. Clark, Allen, and Blakely are the big guns of the batting line-up. Their booming bats have compiled a large number of hits and three fat batting averages.

The hitting and fielding of Duff Hopper and the home run clouts of Tom Wigton again make the Cubs the team to beat in the second round.

The second round started last Wednesday at which time the Yanks defeated the Phillies 11 to 5 and the Tigers pounced on the hapless Indians 22 to 5. On Thursday the Red Sox took their turn at the Indians and came away with a 22 to 1 victory while the Cubs played steady ball and attained an 11 to 6 decision over the Yankees. The last games of the week occurred on Friday when the Phillies snapped a four game losing streak and stopped the mighty Tigers 8 to 4. All the Phils runs were accounted for in one inning. Don Magil pitched all the way for the winners although his forefinger on his pitching arm was in a splint. The Cubs won again Friday this time clubbing the Red Sox 14 to 2.

The final standings of the first round are:

	Won	Lost	Per.
Tigers	4	1	.800
Cubs	3	2	.600
Red Sox	3	2	.600
Yankees	3	2	.600
Phillies	2	3	.400
Indians	0	5	.000

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Fraternity Policy

It would be difficult to find a finer statement of ideals for satisfactory living than is contained in the literature of the various college fraternities. The most serious charge against the fraternities and the fraternity system is that they do not live up to their own clearly stated ideals.

In planning for the reopening of the fraternity houses at Allegheny college, the college is anxious to assist the fraternities to make a more constructive effort to realize their ideals as well as those of the college. As we know the fraternity, it exists only in colleges, "is an integral part of the college, and therefore is responsible and accountable to it."

The college and the fraternities have a common interest in the total well-being of the student. They "re in agreement that fraternities are regarded as part of the educational program of the college; a program which includes encouragement of high levels of college work, and learning the privileges and the responsibilities of group social living, according to the accepted college and community standards".

To implement this program the college proposes to adopt the following policies:

- I Pledging
1. All pledging of Freshmen and transfer students shall be deferred until the students have been in residence one semester. Normal contacts will provide ample opportunity to get acquainted. Each fraternity will be permitted to invite new students to one party during their first semester in residence.

2. Pledging of students entering in June and September will be at the beginning of the 2nd semester. For the present, pledging of students entering in February will be at the beginning of the 1st semester. Pledge training and initiation must be completed within six weeks of the opening of the semester.

3. In order to be eligible to be pledged, a student must have passed, during the previous semester, 12 hours and have for the semester an average grade of 70 or more.

4. Arrangements for pledging shall be made by the Men's Undergraduate Council in conference with the Dean of Men.
- II Living Conditions
1. The Dean of Men in conference with the Director of Health will determine the maximum number of men who may live in each fraternity house.

2. The fraternities will be expected to maintain conditions of sanitation and cleanliness which will promote healthful living, to assist the fraternities in achieving this standard of living, the Director of Health and other college officers will visit the houses from time to time.

- III Financial Responsibility
1. At the request of any fraternity the college will collect bills from the members of that fraternity. This collection will be made at the beginning of each semester and will include charges regularly made to all members. No special

assessments will be included in this collection. The charge for this service will be on the following basis: a minimum yearly charge of \$40 for ten men or less; above ten men, a charge per man of \$3.50 for men living or eating in the houses, \$1.00 per man for town men. The maximum yearly charge for any fraternity shall be \$125.

2. Each fraternity shall present a monthly financial report to the College Treasurer. This report is to be a duplicate of the report sent to the national office of each fraternity. Each fraternity shall present to the Treasurer of the College a certified copy of an annual audit. If this annual audit is made before June 30th a supplemental audit as of June 30th shall be made showing Accounts Receivable, Accounts Payable, and a reconciliation of the bank statement.
3. On July 1 of each year the individual fraternity must not have more than \$200 in Accounts Receivable nor more than \$200 in Account Payable exclusive of money owed to house corporation. Any fraternity exceeding these amounts will be denied the privileges of opening for the Fall semester.

IV College Fraternity Regulations

1. With the return to more normal conditions in these fraternities, the college urges that the fraternities educate their officers in connection with the necessary contacts with the Dean of Men's office. For example, newly elected officers should be reported, a complete list of membership should be turned in at the beginning of each semester, a statement of eligibility for initiation should be secured before anyone is initiated.

2. The college expects the fraternities to cooperate in maintaining the established customs in the use made of the fraternity houses for social affairs.

3. The college will insist that rule forbidding hell week be strictly enforced. This is in line with the practice generally adopted on the campus before the war, and with the policy of the National Interfraternity Conference and of the various national fraternities.

Allegheny Sets Guidance Clinic For June 23-28

More significant than ever in light of the overwhelming demand for admission to colleges and universities is the annual Allegheny College Educational Guidance Clinic, scheduled on the campus June 23-28.

The clinic, entering its eighth year, provides high school juniors and seniors with a battery of inventory tests, analysis of test results, lectures and conferences with trained educational guidance counselors—all aimed at aiding these students in their preparations for college.

Offering impartial counsel, the clinic seeks to determine for each student: his fitness for and possibilities for success in college; the career for which he is best fitted and the colleges best equipped to help him toward such a career.

Commenting on this year's clinic, Mr. Cuthbert C. Hurd, director, declared: "Seniors enrolled for college entrance next fall will find the clinic experience helpful in planning for college. Juniors will particularly benefit by early planning for college a year hence in view of the crowded conditions which exist everywhere."

Clinic enrollment is open to high school juniors and seniors. Students attending enjoy a preview of college life since all facilities of the campus are thrown open to them.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Continued from page 2)

Marjorie Sweet, '47, has announced that there will be no more vocational talks this semester.

All students who might wish to take the full year of German 1 during summer school are asked to leave their names at the Registrar's office.

Awards for the senior library contest will be announced on Class day. An exhibit of the work done by this year's art students will be on display in the library and in the art department on the third floor of Ruter hall beginning Saturday, June 1. The collection will include oil paintings, drawings, crafts, costume designs and interior decorating. The exhibit will remain until after commencement.

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by Lucille Salitan, '48

The world in 1956 is like this—Europe with all its beautiful old cities is in ruins, the buildings, the farm lands, the forests, all the old familiar scenes are gone. Asia with its civilization dating back 5,000 years is smoldering in the ashes of a dying fire. Our own land is no longer busy and warm with humanity—there are merely a few spots of activity in the midst of ashes.

What has happened? Where are all the people? What caused this atrocity—this annihilation of our civilization? I am dazed and bewildered about it too. You might say I am lucky; I am one of the few who are left to tell the story.

That story is of inconceivable horror. Do you want to know what happened to the world, the only planet in the solar system that we know contains life?

The story is not long, but it contains facts that you will refuse to believe, objectives you will not listen to, and pictures on which you will close your eyes.

The people grew smug, conceited, and self-indulgent after the second world war. They lived for two years in a dream house, spending their inflated dollars on time-saving machines. That's how they were in the fortunate countries of the world.

In Europe and Asia it was very different. They were dying of starvation by the millions, but the prosperous Christian countries of the world could

not possibly offer them a little food or a bit of security. Why should they? They themselves had only two years to live.

And the two years passed with tiny voices trying to warn them that they must organize to control the destructive forces that our great and ingenious society had invented. Who would waste time listening to little voices?

The time passed and they went on with their selfish lives until, one day, there were no lives—there was nothing, absolutely nothing. I can't tell you what happened—I simply don't know.

It is eight years since that day. In one day the civilization and culture that it took man one million years to build was obliterated. Almost all the people are dead, and I am slowly dying of cancer from powerful rays. Yes, I'm one of the lucky ones who survived the atomic war.

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