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SEE THE MOVIE "LAURA" IN S-12 FRIDAY

# The Ursinus Theekly Come to the queen of hearts Dance FRIDAY

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# DANCE FRIDAY

Price, Ten Cents

### Mrs. Pancoast To be Speaker At Color Day

Mrs. Muriel B. Pancoast will speak about What Ursinus Means to Me As a Graduate at the annual Color Day exercises this Thursday at 4:00 in Bomberger Chapel. Freshman women will receive the Ursinus colors and their represente Ursinus colors and their representa-tives to the WSGA, the WAA and the YWCA will be installed.

Now alumni secretary, Mrs. Pancoast was extremely active as a dent of the WSGA, vice-president of Phi Alpha Psi, president of the English club, chairman of Soph rules and vice-president of -her class. A B-lister, she was honored by Who's Who, active in the May pageant, debating, the Weekly and the Curtain club.

Mrs. Pancoast will emphasize in her talk what seems important to student years at Ursinus. The vice-president of the WSGA, Jen Price '54, will explain the meaning of the Ursinus colors.

Freshman representatives will Freshman representatives will receive their charges of office. Jane Gulick will present the WSGA charge to Nancy Lewis; Joan Ka-cik, the YWCA charge to Margaret Kramer; Ellie Unger, the WAA charge to Nesta Lewis; Janet Haines, the class charge to Barbara Koch, secretary of the class of 1956. Members of the Junior Advis-ory committee will present the Haines, the class charge to Barbara Koch, secretary of the class of 1956. Members of the Junior Advis-ory committee will present the shreiner colors to the freshman women. Nancy Lewis, a psychology ma-jor from Chatham, N. J., played on all sport teams during her four

all sport teams during her four years of high school. She was secretary of the girls' athletic associ-(Continued on page 6)



WAA SHOW CHARACTERS-1. to r., Joan Hitchner as Adolph Hipflicker, her now, as a graduate, from her Rosa Rapp as Sunday Brynthrop, Sara Parent as Jake, Edna Seifert as Edgar Plunger, and Ellie Unger as Albert Brynthrop.

## **WAA Gives Show Tonite**

The Women's Athletic association starts off the new year with a bang tonight in the T-G gym when they present their annual show, a mix-

tees in charge of the show: general chairman, Rosa Rapp '53; tickets, Sara Parent '53 and Rosa Rapp, and dorm representatives; gym, Marge Merrifield '53; publicity, Bev Syvertsen '54 and Pat Garrow '54; door prizes, Joan Leet '54 and Pat

## **Reveals New Raise System Y** Invites New

Curtain Club Picks Play;

**Members** to Dinner Feb. 11

Chief among the many Y activi-ties is the annual "get-acquainted" dinner. Spaghetti cooked by Mary Johnson will be featured at the afshould try to attend and enjoy the unusual entertainment scheduled after the dinner by Marilyn Engel- The two ladies are interested primman '54 and Ed Dawkins '54, co-

chairmen of membership. Beginning next Monday evening the Y will be sponsor of an Interthe Y will be sponsor of an Inter-faith Seminar, a series of three discussions on each of the three major faiths—Protestant, Roman Catholic, and Jewish—by a min-ister, priest, and rabbi, respectively. These three discussions will be held in Bomberger on Mondays, February 16, 23 and March 2. Also in connection with the Interfaith Seminar, a movie, **One God**, will be shown on March 8. **Religious Em-phasis Day** will be February 25 to phasis Day will be February 25 to make students conscious of the effect of college on religion.

At commission meetings last Wednesday the Student Worship commission made plans for the shows, dancing and movies, and several laugh-filled surprises. Two cakes will be given away as door prizes. The show promises to be one of the highlights of the year and the T-G gym. door prizes, Joan Leet '54 and Pat Garrow; freshmen, Teddy Rapp; sophomores, Bobbie Harris; and juniors, Alberta Barnhart. Proceeds for the show will go toward an electric scoreboard for the T-G gym. door prizes, Joan Leet '54 and Pat commission made plans for the morning watch services on Wed-nesdays during Lent. The theme of the services will be **The Meaning** of the Crucifixion to Those Who Witnessed It. The vespers service last night.

The vespers service last night was led by Dan Kratz '54. Lois Glessner '54 was the speaker. A (Continued on page 6) Staiger Receives

### The Stars and Players of the Curtain club held a meeting last Thursday night at Superhouse. At this meeting it was announced that Two Blind Mice by Samuel Spewack will be presented as the spring production on May 7, 8 and 9,

Thursday, Friday and Saturday of May day week-end. The plot of the play is concern-ed with the efforts of two nice old Johnson will be featured at the af-fair to be held in Trinity church on Wednesday night. All prospec-tive members of the YM-YWCA should try to attend and enjoy the ished for four years, no official steps have been taken to close it. arily, in helping people, and they are in constant fear that their good works will be discontinued by an official closing of the Office. For

ing a new science of herbal war-fare. Love interest is provided by the reporter, his ex-wife and her new fiance. As a satire on bureaucracy, and government red-tape the play affords much amusing and caustic dialogue.

The cast consists of eleven men and seven women's parts. An announcement will be made over the loudspeaker when the playbooks arrive in the library and all those (Continued on page 6)

# **Doctor's Degree**

On Saturday, February 7, at the Winter Convocation of the Univer-seity of Pennsylvania, Mr. Roger P. Staiger, Assistant Professor of Chemistry at Ursinus college re-ceived the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy. Dr. Staiger is an alumnus of Ursinus, class of 1943, and received the M.S. Degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1948, During the war he served in 1948. During the war he served in the navy as a technical radar officer holding the rank of Lt. (jg). At the present time he is faculty advisor for the Beardwood Chem-ical society, a member of the American Chemical society, Faculty Representative to the Executive Committee of the Ursinus Alumni association, and Secretary for the Executive Committee of the Penn-sylvania Conference of College

### Frosh to Give Dance Feb. 13

of the decorations, designed by Connie Thomas and Anne Edgar, Of the total seventeen, th the co-chairmen of the decorations committee. Publicity is being handled by Gwenn Bream and Ernie Ito; tickets are in charge of chology major, one mathematics Ray Drum and Ben Settles; and major, and one person doing gradu-

Sororities Schedule

valentine's day will be the theme ester. Composing this group are Of the total seventeen, there are

Ray Drum and Ben Settles; and Ann Wertz and Marlette Allen are purchasing the refreshments which will be sold at the dance. The freshmen women elected their representatives to Women's Student Government association, Women's Athletic Association coun-cil, and the cabinet of the Y on February 4. Those elected are Nancy Lewis to WSGA, Nesta Lewis to WAA, and Midge Kramer to the Y cabinet. C \_\_\_\_\_\_

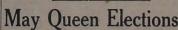
**Thespians to Give** 

The crowning of a queen will be the highlight of the "Queen of Hearts" dance which will be pre-sented this Friday night in the T-G gym from 8:30 to 11:30. Fred Benner and his band will supply the music. Tickets are \$1.00 a couple. The spring Fraternity rushing season starts tonight with Delta Pi Sigma's party at the VFW hall. On Tuesday Sigma Rho will be at Green Gables, and on Thursday Alpha Phi Epsilon will hold their

hall.

Looking ahead to spring, more dinner dance dates have been dinner dance dates have been chosen. Sig Rhos have definitely decided on May 1 and will hold their dance at the Phoenixville Country club. Beta Sigs have chos-en May 24, at the Reading Country club, and Apes have set May 29 as their tentative date. Delta Pi has chosen Beading Country club and chosen Reading Country club and the dance is to be early in May. Twelve Sig Rhos enjoyed a week-

rweive sig Rhos enjoyed a week-end at the Poconos immediately following the exams. In spite of the lack of snow for skiing, they enjoyed ice skating and hiking.



17 New Students, Frats Enter Yost, Jones Begin **TV** Lectures on University of Air

Green Gables, and on Thursday Alpha Phi Epsilon will hold their rushing party. During the follow-ing week Demas will have theirs on Monday; Zeta Chi, on Thurs-day, at the Sicilian club; and Beta Sig, on Wednesday at the Legion WFIL T-V this spring. The series way beau may be seen every Tuesday at 11:15 a.m. from February 3 until May 12. The topics for discussion will be limited to modern American poets and their works. However, the programs will not be a survey since the allotted time is not sufficient. the allotted time is not sufficient. Dr. Yost and Mr. Jones have not chosen their material for import-ance alone. The most popular poets of today as well as some of the most difficult to understand will be included. There are many modern poets who are experiment-ing with form and punctuation, such as E. E. Cummings, whose style requires explanation to be ap-preciated. The best poets of form.

preciated. The best poets of form, technique, and spirit will be pre-Vearbook Snapshots Due Wed.

### Dinner Dance Dates

The following sororities have set the dates for their dinner dances: Alpha Sigma Nu, May 15 or 16; Alpha Sigma Nu, May 15 of 16; Kappa Delta Kappa, May 15 (ten-tative); Phi Alpha Psi, May 29; Tau Sigma Gamma, May 29. Sigma Nu is planning a Saint Patrick's party for March 14, while Kappa Delta Kappa is making ar-responses for a theator party

rangements for a theater party sometime in March. Phi Psi will sponsor an Easter party at the Christ Home for Children at a date to be decided later.

### **Alumni Office Hours Posted**

The new hours for the use of machines in the Alumni office, ef-fective immediately, are as follows: Monday through Friday mornings, 10-12; Monday and Wednesday afternoons, 2-5.

13. If necessary, machines may be used by appointment between 4 and 5 Tuesday and Thursday af-ternoons by contacting Jean Aus-

### Two Plays, Feb. 24 Group II of the Curtain club will

be two very short one-act plays on February 24, at 7:30 in the T-G gym. Jane Hopple '53 and Milo Zimmerman '54 are leaders of this group. The first of the plays is **For Old Time's Sake**, with Marna Feldt '52 and Sarthe Kelt Marna Feldt '53 and Sandy Kabel 55. The other is Red Carnations, starring Ila Jane Lynn '53, Joe Schuck '53 and Milo Zimmerman. The committees for both plays are headed by the following people; properties, Maxine Walker '54; make-up, Carol Lucas '53; pub-licity, Mary Lou Williams '54; cos-CHOSEN TO PLAY AT LORELEI tumes, Irene Schweitzer '53; pro-gram, Mary Jane Allen '54; and

staging, Hamilton Priday '53.

#### BUS. ADS TO HEAR CO. PRES.

Mr. Dunlop, President of the Sun several colleges in this area. All students must sign up in the book hanging on the door of room Oil company, will present a talk sponsored by the Business Admin- boy affair, will be held at Sunny-

### To be Held Next Mon.

Elections for May queen and manager will be held next Mon-day at 12:30 and 6:30 in room 7. Petitions to nominate candidates were completed this afternoon at 5 p.m. and posters will publicize each candidate this week. Elec-tions for all class attendants except the seniors will be conducted this week by the Central Nominating committee.

Larry Miller's orchestra has been chosen to play at the Lorelei dance, February 27. The leader of this 10piece combo does his own vocal-izing. The orchestra has played for Interfraternity councils.

#### sented.

On Tuesday, Feb. 10, Mr. Jones wilil read poems by Carl Sandburg, Edwin A. Robinson, and Rachel Lindsay about Abraham Lincoln in observation of Lincoln's birthday on Feb. 12. These poets rank high as the foremost poets of the first half of the twentieth century.

### Sixth Annual Foreign Policy Institute to be Held Feb. 27

World Affairs council of Philadelphia, invites the students of Ursinus to attend the Sixth Annual Foreign Policy institute on February 27, to be held at the University ary 27, to be held at the University of Pennsylvania. The topic for this year's discussion will be "Aid or Trade" and speakers will include such men as Senator Alexander Wiley (R, Wis.), Senator A. W. Monroney (D, Okla.), and Mrs. John J. McCloy, President of the Chase National bank

Dean's office.

The 1953 Ruby will sponsor series of movies on the following dates: February 14, Winter Carni-val; February 28, Last of the Mo-hicans; March 7, It Happened on Fifth Avenue; March 14, Bridge of San Luis Pear, April 11, Mar in the San Luis Rey; April 11, Man in the Iron Mask; April 18, Babe Ruth Story. All movies will begin at 2 p.m. in S-12 and the admission will be 25 cents per person. Snapshots for the **Ruby** must be

The International Relations club of Ursinus, in cooperation with the giving the identification. Do not write on the pictures as any marks on the print will show up in the finished copy.

is invited.

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EDITORIALS
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### THE IDEA BEHIND THE RULE

The new administrative regulation requiring men students to wear jackets to the evening meal has excited such a vehement outburst of comment, criticism and qualified approval, that it seems advisable to Back Home". This gives the overpresent the objectives of the administration in adopting this ruling. According to Dean Pancoast, the most important reason for the regulation is a desire to improve manners on the Ursinus college campus. He feels that if people are correctly dressed for dinner a more polite be-havior at the table will result, and that this attitude will extend to other phases of student activity, both social and academic. Slovenliness all my studies in two years, Right in dress carries over into careless study habits and a lack of those wellknown modes of behavior known as common courtesy.

The Dean of Men pointed out that this regulation is not a new innovation. Since we have been at Ursinus there have been periodic before. It is great fun to be work-efforts to define what is "proper apparel" for the evening meal. Previous ing in the hospitals again, alinnovation. Since we have been at Ursinus there have been periodic attempts on the part of the administration to enforce the requirement have been either ignored or allowed to lapse in a few days. With the great improvement in meals which has recently been made by the kitchen staff it is reasonable to expect an improvement on the part great improvement in meals which has recently been made by the leaf as much of as notice as you kitchen staff it is reasonable to expect an improvement on the part want here in Europe. Classes are of the students. Much food is wasted by being thrown and by otherwise not compulsory and there are no rendering it unfit for any use. It is felt that proper dress will tend to alleviate many of these bad manners and expensive amusements in which some students indulge at mealtime. Which has that this exploration of the new regulation will clarify since every student has times

We hope that this explanation of the new regulation will clarify its meaning and the reasons for its adoption. The purpose behind it is to improve the attitude of the students and to promote a better appearance on campus. We trust that the regulation already made will prove sufficient and that the administration will not find it necessary to take any more drastic measures. —M.J.A.

## The Innocent at Large

### by William Lukens '53

#### WHICH WAY'S IT GOING? -- FORWARD

There was a definite sigh of "at last" throughout the country last week when the new cars were unveiled. The sigh of thanks and admiration was to Studebaker (bless them) for coming out with the sportiest car since the '36 Cord. Not only the stalwart sports car lovers (who-insist on "classic lines" and a minimum of "that hideous chromium brightwork"), but also the large buying—public of America who is tired of trying to park a chrome-plated swimming pool in a five-by-seven bathroom—were pleased by this Indiana product. We congratulate Studebaker on its boldness in answering the large

demand for an American-made car which combines the good features of European sports cars. Detroit has long ((too long, in fact) realized that Europe has been stealing much of their business ("Can't we raise the tariffs on these impudent foreign cars," they say), and every com-pany in Detroit has been afraid to put their children on a diet and reduce some of the tail modeling.

reduce some of the tail-padding. Detroit has known for years that the rear-engined car is definitely the car of the future—the Germans and the French have had succeessful rear-engined cars for years and the round them to be the cheapest to build and to run—but has refused to change and gamble on this proved design (besides, "Don't you realize that we made three million dollars on drive-shafts last year? And those rear-engined cars are just too easy to work on!")

### THE NAME IS GERMAN TOO

Although Studebaker has modeled their new car (copied, if you want to be harsh) from that silent slip of a sports car, the German Porsche, they have not followed through enough to use the rear engine. This is too bad; but this can be overlooked somewhat since their new

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

January 26, 1953 Dear Ursinus Students:

I left during vacation time, in September, and missed my chance to say goodbye to many of you. This I want to do now and I want to thank you all that have helped to make my year at Ursinus college such an outstanding one. You have been wonderful friends and you helped to make me feel at home in your great country. Those of you who remember me can imagine how much I miss Ursinus college life and — American drug stores!

Back in Munich it did not take me long to become readjusted, especially since there are several Ursinus people here among them-Ilse Helfferich-Munzinger and Ann Knauer. I also met my old friends and found they had not changed, but they thought I had.

.Munich is practically rebuilt. However, there is still a great need for apartments as refugees keep coming in from the East Zone of Germany. We also have many people from abroad-mainly from grown provincial city of Muenchen a nice international air.

Back in Medical School I discannot see how I shall be now I able to get everything from the books in this head of mine. But I guess other people have done it though I find school very different from American colleges. You can learn as much or as little as you since every student has times when he just does not feel like working.

I also carry a parttime job work-ing with the American Friends Service committee. This organiza-tion has a student center here where students meet for discussion, for reading, playing of records or I work as a semitea parties. librarian, -secretary and -hostess." This is fun too!

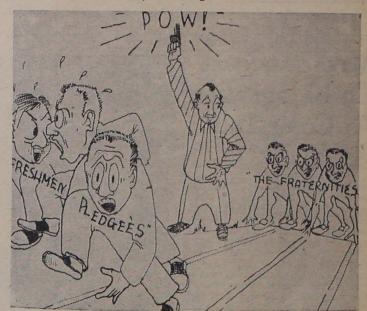
I also joined the Columbus society. This is a club built from ciety. This is a club built from students and professional people who have been in the United States. This is not just to keep memories alive but to put into practice somehow what I have learned and experienced during my stay in Pennsylvania.

eral friends for a short vacation to the famous winter wonderland in Garmisch up in the Bavarian mountains. It certainly is beauti-ful there with all the activities that come with winter resorts. The only trouble is that vacations like this always seem to be too short and very soon you find yourself back at work in the city.

Here in Munich we are in the midst of carnival time, the "Fasch- Lantern Deadline Feb. 15; ing". Parties are going on all over the place—everybody dressed in fancy clothes, This continues for The deadline for the sprin approximately one month. I heard

### WHITEY'S WIT

by Bill Wright '55



THE RACE IS ON !

By the Way

by Evelyn Scharf '53

Well, here it is spring semester and we're off to a rousing start — complete with new regulations.

Frankly, we sympathize with the plight of the male segment of the student body. Certainly, jackets at dinner look nice enough, but... there's always the problem of the cleaning bill, and, oh, those warm spring days in the not too distant future! We're of the opinion that a nice sports shirt or shirt and sweater look as well as a jacket, and far better than some ludicrous combination like dungarees with a inclusit. After call its the amin't of the cardiding method the the lutit jacket. After all, it's the spirit of the regulation rather than the letter that's important.

Furthermore, since there are no Saturday classes, it seems to us rather arbitrary to enforce dress regulations of any sort on Saturday.

Speaking of regulations, we've heard rumors to the effect that no hand-holding will be permitted. Shades of high school days! Of course, any excessive display of affection in public is in poor taste, but, in our opinion, it is more properly a matter for student censorship than for administrative regulation. Well, spring will be the acid test!

We noticed quite a few stags at the dances last week, but there was an absolute dearth of coeds. Here's a chance to break the "system," girls. (And to augment various treasuries.)

Well, "Scotty" Gillespie has achieved quite some distinction. It seems that four of the fellows working in the kitchen and dining room voted her the girl they would most like to have as Dorm Mother and presented her with an appropriate certificate, complete with seal.

And, just in passing, we wonder about the identity of the muscle-bound wrestler that's causing such a female flutter?

### This Week Off Campus

### by Helen Gardner '54

MOVIES-Norristown-Norris-tonight and tomorrow, April in Paris starring Doris Day and Ray Bolger; Wed., Thurs., Fri. and Sat., Million Dollar Mermaid, with Esther Williams, Victor Mature and Walter Pidgeon. Grand-tonight, My Cousin Rachel, starring Olivia De Havilland, Fri. and Sat., No Holds Barred, with Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall and the Bowrey Boys. Philadelphia—Studio— last few days, The Promoter, starring Alec Guinness.

Over New Year's I went with sev- DANCING-Sunnybrook, Sat. evening, George Sommers and his orchestra.

MUSIC—Academy of Music, Sat. at 8:30 p.m. Eugene Ormandy con-ducting the **Philadelphia Orchestra**; Mahler Symphony No. 2 with chorus and soloists. Academy of Music, tonight and tomorrow at 8:30 p.m. Slavenska-Franklin Ballet; Thurs., Phila. LaScala Opera Co. presents La Boheme, with Evengelista, Petrak, Donatelli, and Torigi,

ART—Philadelphia Museum of Art, free lecture at 3:30, Sunday, on Drawing by the Old and Modern Masters.

### **Applications for Marine Corps Summer Training Due**

The deadline for the spring issue

Students who wish to apply for

nis is too baby is a refreshing break from overpowered Slushmobiles, mistakenly called sports cars: El Dorados, Skylarks, Caribbeans, Hollywoods, Miami Beaches, and other such heavyweight contenders. Our salute is a short, snappy one to the only American company today who has done what every other automobile company is afraid to do. In short, we feel Studebaker has aced them all.

### Bridge Tournament to be Held In Day Study, Feb. 19

Ursinus is one of the 110 colleges which will compete in the 1953 Intercollegiate Bridge National tournament. Between February 19 and 21,

more than 3,000 men and women undergraduates throughout the The play, under direction of Olin United States will play on their Evans '54, is a three act comedy own campuses the hands which which will be presented in the T-G have been prepared and mailed to gym sometime during April. them. These hands will then scored by Mr. Geoffrey Mott-Smith, author and a leading authority on contract bridge, who will determine campus, regional and national winner

Directing the tournament here on the campus is Dr. F. L. Dennis. Play will be held on February 19 in Day study.

The French club is to have a meeting this week, but the day and time will be announced by the possible. president, Diana Handy '53, later All the best to you for the year in the week At the manual time 1953.

FRENCH CLUB WORKS ON PLAY

in the week. At the present time, the club is working on a French play, Preney Garde a la Peinture.

### CANTERBURY CLUB TO MEET

There will be a meeting of the Canterbury club tonight at 7:00 o'clock in the faculty room of the library. The advisor, the Rev. Mr. Edward Platts, and the president, Andre Blanzaco '55, urge members to attend the meeting.

in S-12 on Saturday morning.

All the best to you for the year 1953. Sincerely, Inge Rudloff SCOUTS TO PRESENT MOVIE A movie for a juvenile audience will be shown by the Boy Scouts in S-12 Saturday morning, Febru-ary 14, to secure contributions for damission will be one piece of old clothing per child. If any sororities, fraternities or other campus or

ganizations wish to aid the Boy Girls interested in selling used The movie "Laura", starring Scouts in their project, they may evening gowns for two dollars to Gene Tierney and Clifton Webb, leave their donations of clothing a seamstress can see Fred Mras will be shown in S-12 Friday night about details. at 6:10.

tancy choiles, This control is for the Lantern is this Sunday, Feb. the Marine Corps Platoon Leaders class are urged to get their appli-cations in as soon as possible if the urgent of the Lantern is this Sunday, Feb. the Marine Corps Platoon Leaders class are urged to get their appli-cations in as soon as possible if they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their they want to be assured of attend-ing the training session of their the position of business manager training sessions this summer, one from June 15th to July 25th, the second from July 27th to September 5th. However, it is anticipated that

### Feb. 12, 22 -- Famous Birthdays Changes in School 'Special' Day Presents Itself **Still Celebrated on Campus**

### by Cheryl Mirgain '55

12 and 22 after the birth of Lincoln and Washington there appear-ed on the landscapes of Philadel-phia, Pennsylvania, Nesquehon-ning, Pennsylvania, Akron, Ohio, ed on the fandscapes of Finadel-phia, Pennsylvania, Nesquehon-ning, Pennsylvania, Akron, Ohio, and Albany, New York, six jolly bouncing baby boys and girls who were fondly called Bernie, Nick, Tom, Nan, George, and Dolores.

### **Birthdays Now Forgotten**

All of them especially felt hon-

three of the now distinguished gentlemen, Bernie, Nick, and Tom, after entering school, became fa-miliar with—Shakespeare—

- 1. Much Ado About Nothing-'Why I love to wear a jacket to dinner!"
- 2. As You Like It—"Wine, Wom-en, and Work?"
- 3. All's Well That Ends Well—"I got out of the infirmary with-out a pill!"
- 4. Blind Love—"My that meal was delicious!"
- 5. Winter's Tale-"Biology is a snap!'

Aesop's Fables—The three darl-ings watched "Junior Frolics" and Uncle Fred each night on televis-

Robinson Crusoe-They got lost while walking to class.

Pilgrim's Progress-They went out with girls religiously.

A History of the United States-They found there were states like New Jersey.

### **Potential Lincolns**

As Lincoln developed great phy-sical strength, so did his constituents. Bernie followed in the footsteps of our twelfth president by becoming a powerful wrestler. Lin-coln was also known for his run-ning and lifting of weights. Lincoln grew to be six feet four inches tall, but, of course, that was the time before wheaties and grape nuts

Once upon a time on February were discovered - ask Bob, he knows. Our great Civil War presically what Bernie, Tom, and Nick also got to know-minus the backwoods, of course.

The three other cherubs Nan, George, and Dolores were born on these holidays continued until-Ursinus College Days. From then on no one honored them. They were forgotten. They could not even celebrate their birthdays-Armstrong said "no" to a day off. In the true tradition of Lincoln three of the now distinguished after entering said the same date as our first president who was also acquainted with the wilderness and its inhabitants. Washington, unlike the three above, biology, history, psychology, and business administration which their six descendants took up, they would have had a more liberal him. education.

While at school, Washington's course.

### Happy Birthday

great moral strength. Little did these two great men know that in the future there would be six ladies and gentlemen carrying on great deal of slackness regarding the tradition of their birthday. As Washington was first in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen, let us be the first to wish Bernie Orsini, Tom Tar-michael, and Nick Chapis a very Happy Birthday on the 12th of February and Nan Bergman, George Pauff, and Dolores DeSola the same on February 22.

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### Policy Revealed in On Feb. 14 for Ig and Oog **Recent Interview** by Helen Yost '53

### by Jean Austen '54

Armstrong, our new Dean, Dr. and the faculty have made several

in cases of extreme emergency or hardship for the students. Written notes are necessary for absences when students have been sick at home, for all day students, in cases of medical appointments, My faith in mathematics alone were within school representatives to confer-reach of Washington—he had short wise, students are to sign up in the excuse book in the Dean's office, and if Dr. Armstrong wishes to question anyone in particular about the absence, he will send for

#### **Cuts Discussed**

Dr. Armstrong stressed that stureputation for truth and judgement was so well known that all of his friends came to him with their cuts have been used, a student may dimuts (if a solution of the subject) was solution of the subject of the subject course) on the subject. Back in the Neolithic age there lived a young caveboy named Oog, who loved to go hunting with his disputes—"do we have to wear jackets to dinner?"—which he sel-dom failed to solve . . . Yes, here dom failed to solve . . Yes, here comes Pancoast!" Washington's main interest was in surveying— he just missed the Ursinus-Univer-sity of Pennsylvania engineering neuroscience of the solve surveying structure of the solve surveying the solve surveying structure of the solve survey survey survey surveying structure of the solve survey surve the course, or asked to make up the work plus paying \$5 for taking the examination, depending upon the professor's decision.

Washington and Lincoln were both noted for their leadership and great moral strength. Little did decided upon at the last faculty students keeping up to date in their capturing his heart and had gone assignments and required work. To try to alleviate this problem, the in education. On the first day of faculty voted to abolish the grade school Oog trudged sulkingly to of I, except in certain cases of hospitalization or emergencies. In these cases, the Dean's office will issue the grade until the work is completed. If students do not complete their work, the grade will in a newly modernized cave, he now be F.

### **Rules Benefit Students**

The Dean's office feels that enforcing this rule will not be a hardship on the students, but rather will train them to be prompt and accurate in their work. On nearly (Continued on page 6) pen began drawing a circle to represent a round red berry. Un-

sometimes suspect that it was heart! He loved her! originally conceived by an avaricious merchant with the intent of further increasing the bulge in his

ness of mankind forbids me to take such a pessimistic view of the origin of Valentine's day, however. How did Valentine's day really originate? A few minutes' research in the library would undoubtedly answer this, but if the reader would bear with me I should like to expound my own theory (fictitious, of course) on the subject

father more than anything else in the world (the known world). More than anything else, that is, except picking wild berries from wild berry bushes—and eating them, of course. So when his mother told him he would have to go to school he did not exactly relish the idea. It so happened that his school teacher was a young wench called Ig, an old playmate of his. Ig had always been madly in love with Oog, but she could not compete with hunting or eating berries, and so she had given up any notion of ever away to college where she majored school munching on his favorite wild berries. He had an extra bunch of red berries hidden under his winter suit of bear fur. When he got to school, which was being held 460 Main St. ph. 2371 Collegeville was pleased when Ig told him and the other cave boys and girls to draw the object they loved best in the world. This was easy for Oog. He chose a piece of red construc-tion paper and with his Parker 51

Soon after Christmas, and a fortunately Oog was not artistic-month and a half before Valen- ally inclined, and his finished protine's day, the holly wreaths, Santa duct resembled more what we call Clauses, the tinsel and the Christ- a heart than a circle. Oog did not and the faculty have made several changes in rules and regulations concerning class cuts and incom-plete grades, which were disclosed in a recent interview. First of all, the Dean wished the students to be acutely aware that attendance rules will be strictly en-forced. He will only issue excuses in cases of extreme emergency or

> The rest of the story is anticli-matical. Ig rushed Oog right off to the justice of the peace, before Oog realized what was going on. My faith in the essential good-| The story spread far and wide that a heart was the magical symbol of true love. All the cave-folk hur-riedly made red hearts and sent them to the persons they loved the best. Thus the custom continued through the ages. Somewhere along the line a fellow known as St. Valentine became mixed up with the heart idea, and somehow February 14, of all the days of the year, was picked out as a special Valentine's day. Possibly there were too many hearts being passed around, and some efficiency-minded statesman had a bill passed limiting the use of the custom to one day

> > Here's hoping everyone gets a Valentine this year!

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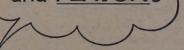
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# Looking 'Em Over

### Ted Wenner '53

The basketball world has been recently stunned by reports from a isstent enough to worry the rest of the league, but the fact that to be added to the long list of the Bears can floor a squad with three men who can and have had not correct. Clarence Francis to work nights promises to yield a structure to the league, but the structure to the league of aging 50 points per game. The NCAA has wrangled and many members will not accept this new scoring record as official. Even though the game of basketball to-day is producing more offensive stars than any previous phase of the sports history the feat of an Dukos method aff core 30 method af

dents leads us to believe that the type of competition that 6' 9" Mr. Bevo encounters is not of the best and would approach standards not much better than class A high schools of the midwest, which, by the way, produce excellent high school teams.

While taking nothing away from Bevo, who must be a very talented and agile courtster, some would rather reserve judgment until the new headliner engages in real solid competition.

\* \*

Now that the second semester has started, it is also well to note that the Bear's five now faces the stretch drive. Seven league games are left remaining on the sched-ule, all of which will be completed within the next month and if the Bruins hope to stir up trouble they are going to have to play at

a torrid pace. The inability to shake off the well-established habit of being unable to win on foreign courts is hurting as it has done in the past

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the sports history, the feat of an individual constantly scoring more than 50 points a game must be looked at with a very critical eye. Coming from a college with an enrollment of less than 100 stu-dents leads us to believe that the opponents sleeping with an occasional follow-up in crucial spots.

and can stir up trouble among league opponents.

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### **Steward Reveals Kitchen Statistics**

### by Dot Griffith '54

to Joe Lynch, the able steward here at Ursinus, you might begin to think about food statistics. Let's has been rebounding, a most im-portant phase of the game. The consider a few interesting statistics

No! No! Don't turn away from that dried beef gravy in disgust. Dried beef will be elevated quite a bit in your estimation if you will consider that it now costs \$1.45 per pound at wholesale prices. Perhaps you approve of ham-

burgers and frankfurters. Certainly a great many people do, for the students here consume 250 pounds of ground beef or 1500 frankfurters at one meal. Coffee is another com-pith the people do, for the students here consume 250 pounds baffling floating defense against pivot-man Bob Swett, Drexel forced The Bears possess the potential and can stir up trouble among eague opponents. and about twenty are consumed by those rugged people who rise early enough to eat breakfast.

Horrors! Listen to that crash. A waiter has just dropped a tray loaded with dishes. Let's see now-dinner plates cost 47c a piece; cups cost 23c; casserole dishes cost \$1.90; and butter plates and sauc-ers each cost 23c. The reason that we don't dine from English bone of hunger certainly are costly.

rousing romp of Haverford, found it very difficult to fire decent shots as the Philadelphians completely dominated every phase of the game, except for the first two minutes of

In this brief spell, the Bears hit on three of five tosses from the floor and added a foul to gain a quick 7-2 advantage, but Dan Promido's four field goals and a foul sparked the Dragons as they the Bears to fire from outside and a semi-press caused these shots to be taken in too hurried a fashion.

A stubborn Ursinus defense slowed the Dragons down in the second period as the two teams matched each other point for point and Drexel left the floor at intermission with a 30-22 advantage. Only Ralph Schumacher's shooting enabled the Bears to kaop within a dial Bears to keep within striking distance.

Displaying a well-balanced scor-ing effort, Drexel continued to enchina or Spode china is becoming obvious. Even paper cups are ex-pensive and \$207 is spent upon them in one month. Those pangs of human a 47-33 lead as the final period got under way. With the Bears' shots still falling

short, it was no strain for the

**Bears Crushed by Drexel** 

In League Game, 74-50

sinus; Ted was graduated in Janu-

Pacing all scorers was Drexel's Dan Promislo who netted 20 and the Bear's Ralph Schumacher with

	19			
	Ursinus	F.G.	F.	Tot.
	Knull, forward	3	. 1	
	C. Smith, forward	0	0	0
	Carter, forward	1	0	2
	Eddy, forward	2	3	7
	Chantler, forward			- 4
	Swett, center			
	Harris, center			
	Schumacher, guard			19
	Burger, guard	3	0	6
		-	-	-
	Totals	18	14	50
1	Drexel 2	0 10	17 27	-74
	Ursinus 1	1 11	11 17	

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# Harris Sparks Bears to 78-75 Win Over P.M.C.

### Ursinus Applies Pressure on Leaders **Of Middle Atlantic Conference**

### by Dick Bowman '55

**78-75** victory over a powerful Pennsylvania Military college. The star, Gene Harris, playing his first full game for the Bears after a long session of bench duty, showed The Bears employed a zone press some of the most hounding de- on defense, with the boys staging fensive efforts seen by this report- a full court press until the opposier in some time. His efforts spark-tion brought the ball into Ursinus ed a victory that knocked the Cadets from a tie for first place. His constant hustle and alertness, not to mention his 19-point contribution, kept the Keydets from Chester on the run throughout the game. High man point-wise for the Grizzlies was Herb Knull, the flashy record-breaker, who when spotlight with the aggressive sophomore Harris. Knull hit on six field goals and converted on 14 of 20 foul tries. His driving and jump shots were so well mixed that the de-metantly thrown off fenders were constantly thrown off balance and fouled him repeatedly. Third high for the victors was pivot man Bob Swett with 16.

The whole show for the Keydets was Earl Wentzel whose 47 points staggered Ursinus players and fans alike. The five-foot eleven-inch burrhead wearing number 5 connected mostly on a dribble-stopand-jump combination from the right corner. The PMC ace, who has been one of the Philadelphia area standouts for several years, repeatedly dribbled to his magic spot before popping with uncanny precision. He also showed driving ability and a running push shot from the foul line. His speed and deceptiveness earned him the respect of many a local defender who jumped high into the air only to come down and watch the Miracle-

### **Belles** Split **Drexel Games**

The Ursinus second and third and losing the other at Drexel Wednesday afternoon, 43-31 and 22-16. Jen Price was the leading scorer of the afternoon with 17 points. teams split two games, winning on

The first game found Jen Price Polly Taylor, Ricky Bauser and Lois Leonard lined up as forwards MIDDLE ATLANTIC CONFERENCE and the second string guards from the varsity opposing the Drexel shooters.

At the first quarter whistle Ursinus was leading 17-8. Jen Price had hit for four field goals, Polly Taylor for three and Ricky Bauser for one and a foul shot. Drexel had profited by the Ursinus fouling and made good on four free tosses besides their two baskets from the field.

Only Polly Taylor and Ricky Bauser could hit from the floor in the second period and Polly added Price ....

ing the Drexel forwards to six Abrahamson ....

A new star was born in College-ville Saturday night, and his birth proved a big factor in the Ursinus

Bears to hold them to a 15-15 deadlock in the first frame, and to pull ahead 30-27 at the half.

In the third frame the Bears jumped to a 40-31 lead on three goals by Harris, a bucket by Swett and two fouls by Knull. However, 6 counters provided the margin of victory, despite 14 notches by Went-zel. Tension mounted greatly in the final minute as PMC pulled up from a 75-68 deficit to a 77-75 count, the last goal being a zipping running push shot from the foul line by Wentzel-the-wonder-boy. However, a foul shot by Harris with nine seconds remaining gave the Bears the three points that they needed to seal the verdict.

In the excitement of the heavy scoring it is easy to overlook the low-scoring defensive stars. Over-aggressiveness and ball-stealing cost Ralph Schumacher three first quarter personals and kept his play to a minimum, Andy Carter and Will Burger took turns pulling off defensive gems. Carter also added

	a timely points to the	Gr.	IZZIY	SCO.
	ing column.			
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	Carter, forward	2	4	
	Knull, forward	6	14	
	Harris, forward	8	3	
ł	Swett, center	3	10	-
2	Eddy, center			
1	Burger, guard			
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League Standings	Won	L
Delaware	. 3	
P. M. C	3	
Ursinus	. 2	
Haverford	. 0	
Swarthmore	. 0	

er seconds in a nightcap. The first home game is February 19 with Immaculata.

Second Team Lineup Pts

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### F. 1 Ursinus F.G. a charity shot to her total as the half ended, 22-18. While Eddie Seifert, Ellie Unger, and Marge Abrahamson were hold-Seifert ...... 0

### **Grapplers Lose Lehigh Romps Over Bears** To Lafayette In Very Fast Game, 97-52

Despite three pins, the Ursinus grapplers fell prey to visiting Lafayette College, 21-15, in the first home match of the season two weeks ago.

brilliant Eddy Dawkins The waited thi 5:14 before applying a then fourth sectoric against six but could not break loss from the access from the sector and send the Bears out in front 5-0. The way the hosts started the visitors did shoot, the ball was off the score was quickly tied when, in a crucial match, Paul Mc Leary, the final outcome would be. The hindered the Ursinus point produc-The score was quickly tied when, in a crucial match, Paul Mc Leary, losing only by a 4-2 count was pinned only 47 seconds before the end of his match. In the 137 lb. class, Scrappy Al Paolone was decisioned by the up-staters' Snyder as Lafay-ette regained the lead 8-5. In the next period to take a com-manding lead, 53-24 at halftime. Andy Carter started the scoring

licated Dawkins' feat by using an effective cradle hold to show his opponent the lights after 4:20 and score with two foul tosses. Jump

The Maroon's Fred Brawn, in the 177 lb. class, decided the match by decisioning game George Aucott 8-3. Heavyweight "Rocky" Davis then continued his brilliant pin-ning record by finishing off Mc-Adams in 5:22 with a body press half-nelson.

by Bill Burger '54

moved into high gear last week as

nine games were played. In League

II, Derr II has proven the class of

the league. Last week Derr won its

fifth game in as many starts, by virtue of a forfeit, when Stine failed to appear. The leader in League I is Curtis I with a record

of 4 wins and no losses. Last week

Curtis I coasted to a 92-26 victory over Freeland II as three Curtis players scored over 20 points. Jack Popowich had 21, Al John 22, and

Bill Stout had the season high of

37 points. Tied for first place in League I is Off-Campus I with an

took the measure of Freeland II,

60-50, led by Jaffe's 17 points and the following night-edged Brodback

The intramural basketball league

**Derr Paces** 

Intramurals

# by Roland Dedekind '55

Engineers made good in 12 of 21 shots taken in the opening quarter from the floor and 12 of 26 attempts

Andy Carter started the scoring Howard D. Roberts then sent the crowd into a frenzy when he dup-a short-lived 2-0 lead. Slaff countopponent the lights after 4:20 and the Bears led for the last time, 10-8. Then came Lafayette's famous Downing twins who both applied pinning holds to garner 10 visiting tody press at 4:34 to defeat Fred Body press at 4:34 to defeat Fred Godshall and captain Dick Gell-man fell prey to Bill Downing's half-nelson at 2:07. The Maroon's Fred Brawn in the to win by 45 markers.

It was a very fast game as both

### Girls Play Intramural Games

Last Monday night four girls' Nancy Moore was high scorer for 944 who beat Fircroft 16-2. Kit Stewart scored thirteen points as Glenwood beat Clamer 17-8. South-Bairds inched out Maples 20-19 with Nancy Evans as the high scorer. Bancroft joined the ranks of the victorious by beating Shreiner 28-19.

Tomorrow night two girls' intra-mural games are scheduled. First Lynnewood meets Duryea and then the Day Study takes on Hobson. Let's really see most of you girls participate in order to make the victors really earn their laurels.

victors and "Ollie" Allebach had 22 for the Delta's.

There will be no games this week because of the fraternity rushing parties.

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Last Thursday night the Ursinus teams showed the partial Lehigh Bears ran into a fast-moving, free- audience a running contest. The shooting Lehigh five and suffered Bears handled the ball very well waited till 5:14 before applying a their fourth setback against six but could not break loose from the tion, but the main cause of defeat was the height of the Lehigh squad. The Engineers controlled both backboards both offensively and defensively, and used their height advantage to good use in close shots. The accuracy of the Lehigh shooting was just short of phenomenal. The Engineers had a shooting aver-age of 43.8% from the floor, while the Bears could do no better than

PAGE FIVE

24.6%.	1000		
Ursinus	F.G	. F.	Pts.
Knull, forward	1	3	5
Kiefaber, forward	1	0	2
Carter, forward			9
Eddy, center	1	3	5
Swett, center	7	3	17
Burger, guard	2	2	6
Neborak, guard	0	2	2
Shumacher, guard .	0	2	2
Harris, guard	1	0	2
C. Smith, forward	0	2	2
Totals			
Ursinus	9 15	13 15	-52
Lehigh	27 26	17 97	07

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oints in the third stanza, Lois Leonard was dipping two field goals and Jen did likewise. Polly added a two-pointer and a foul shot to bring the Ursinus total to 33.

Ursinus hit for ten points in the finale via Jen's two field goals and a foul, Polly's two-pointer and Lois' three points. The final score was 43-31.

In the second game Nesta Lewis and Sue Holmes did all the Ursinus scoring as the Belles dropped the encounter, 22-16. The score was 4-0 at the close of the first period as Drexel scored on two shots. The Philadelphia team added nine points in the second stanza as Nesta and Sue hit for three and one points respectively. With the score at 13-4 at the

start of the second half, the Ur-sinus guards, Agnes Murphy, Janet Haines, and Marilyn Freeman buckled down and held Drexel to four and five points respectively in

the last two quarters as the Belles outscored them, 12-9. The varsity meets Beaver on the opponents' court in the first big game of the season Wednesday, and the jayvees will take on the Beav-

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#### **CURTAIN CLUB** (Continued from page 1)

interested in trying out for a part are urged to read the play before 7:00doing so

### New Systems of Raises

At this same meeting, a' new system of raises was passed. The new plan will make it possible to grant raises on a point system and thereby enable members of the club to gain points in proportion to the amount of work contributed. Under the old system of pluses and pips, it was found that the raises could not be broken down enough so that fair credit could be awarded to those who deserved it| The present ranks of extra, understudy, player and star, and the intervening pluses and pips will be retained but will have a point value. The point scale has been graded so that as a member rises higher in the organization more work is required for further raises. Several rules were adopted at

the same time so that the points the same time so that the points for certain work will be standard-ized; invariable, in some cases, or limited to a definite range of points, in others. No more than twenty points may be gained by work on a group production; nor more than forty points for a major production. The new procedure will be explained in full at the general meeting of the Curtain club which will be held Tuesday, February 10, at 6:30 in Bomberger February 10, at 6:30 in Bomberger chapel. This is an important meeting and all members are requested to attend.

### CHEM SOCIETY TO SEE FILMS

The Beardwood Chemical society will present two films at the meet-ing which will be held on Monday, February 9, at 7:30 in S-12. The films are entitled **Neoprene** and **Oil** films are entitled Neoprene and Oil special service is planned for this of visitation of churches by at-for Aladdin's Lamp. All members Sunday on World Prayer day. Yes-are urged to attend. Schwenkfelder church.

### CALENDAR

7:00-Business Adm., Freeland

7:00—Canterbury club Beardwood Chem., S-12 7:30—WAA show, T-G gym 9:00—Eng. club, Dr. McClure 10:30—Beta Sig, Freeland Recep-

tion room Tuesday-

- 6:30-Curtain club, Bomb.
- 7:00—Chess club, S-3 7:00—IRC, lib. 7:30—Pre-Med, S-12
- 7:30-French club, lib. 10:30-ZX, Freeland Recep. rm.
- Wednesday-
- 3:30-Girls' basketball, away, Beaver 5:00—Senate, Shreiner
- 5:30-Y dinner, Trinity church, 5:30 p.m. 8:30—Wrestling, Muhlenberg,
- home
- 8:30-Basketball, Swarthmore, away, JV and varsity
- Thursday-
- 4:30-Color day
- 6:30—Demas, 5 6:30—Sororities
- 7:00-Music org.
- Friday-
- 6:15—Movie, S-12, Laura 9:00-12:00—Freshman dance,
- gym
- Saturday— 1:30—Wrestling, Delaware, away 2:00—Movie, Ruby matinee, S-12, Winter Carnival
- 7:30-Basketball, Delaware, away, JV and varsity
- Sunday-6:05-Vespers, Bomb.
- 8:30-Y cabinet, lib.
  - Y INVITES (Continued from page 1)

#### SCHOOL POLICY (Continued from page 3)

all the requests for transcripts of graduates, this is one main ques-tion—Are the students prompt in their work and duties? College stucents should be able to learn this attribute, says Dean Armstrong, Another change made in the last

faculty meeting concerning grades is that beginning in June all grades of E must be made up within one month of the new term. If this is not done, their grade automatic-ally becomes F. This is to alleviate the problem of students putting off making up these subjects until off making up these subjects until the next year and thus complicat-ing their schedules and final exams. Summing up the changes, Dean Armstrong felt sure that these changes were for the student's benefit alone, and once adhered to, would not prove a hardship, but a new achievement in our academic new achievement in our academic standing.

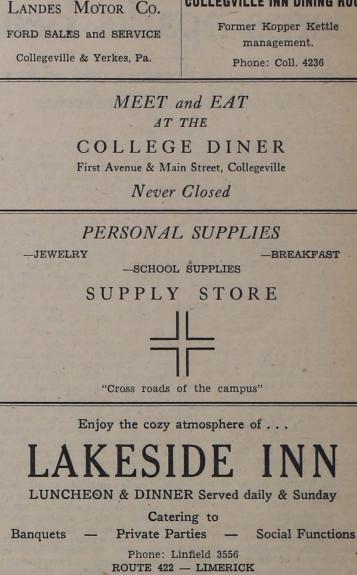
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ation and sang in the choir and girls' choruses

Nesta Lewis, a physical education major from Chatham, N. J., was also active in all sports during high school. President of the girls' athletic association, she was also sports editor of the yearbook.

Margaret Kramer, an English major from Mahanoy, Pa., was an officer of the student congress, editor of the yearbook, associate editor of the newspaper and president of her class. She was active in musical organizations, the operetta and the senior play.

All women students are welcome to attend Color day. Big sisters particularly are urged to come.





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