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Directors Meet; Make Hartzell Associate Prof.

Principal items of business at the Saturday morning meeting of the Board of Directors of the College, eighteen in attendance, were reports of the officers and standing committees. President of the Board Harry E. Paisley presided.

President of the College Norman E. McClure reported that in the last four years the College had received \$110,000 in small contributions for several purposes: for the purchase of Price Field; for the purchase, remodeling, and furnishing of 612 Main; to reduce the funded debt; to increase permanent endowment and scholarships funds; and to increase funds set aside for the erection of women's halls.

The late Dr. Matthew Beardwood has bequeathed approximately \$50,000 to the College for the erection of a women's hall in memory of his mother. The money is in a trust fund, the income of which goes to a brother and sister of Dr. Beardwood during their lifetimes, and hence will not be available to Ursinus at present.

Upon recommendation of the Committee on Instruction, Mrs. Martha Atwood Baker was re-elected professor of music for the year 1940-41, and Dr. George W. Hartzell was advanced from assistant professor to an associate professor. All members of the faculty holding one year appointments were reappointed for the coming academic year.

Officers were re-elected; committees were reappointed; and Messrs. Alspach, Fogel, Fretz, Pfahler, and Yost were re-elected for five year terms. The Rev. W. Sherman Kerschner, D.D., pastor of Heidelberg Evangelical and Reformed Church, Philadelphia, was elected to fill the vacancy resulting from the death of Dr. James W. Meminger, the oldest member of the Board.

Eighteen From Ursinus Will Go to Eaglesmere

The annual Student - Faculty Conference of the Student Christian Movement will be held the week of June 9-16 at Eaglesmere, Pa., in the Poconos.

The theme of the Conference will be "Christian Living in a World of Conflict". Dr. Harold A. Bosley of Baltimore, Maryland, former director of Student Activities at Iowa State Teachers College, will deliver a series of platform addresses each morning on this general theme. Discussion groups, program clinics, and evening sessions will all center around this theme.

Among the other outstanding speakers of the Conference will be: Rev. Luther Tucker, Far Eastern Secretary of the World Student Christian Federation, who has just returned from eighteen months of study in China and Japan; and Dean Frank Wilson, of Lincoln University.

There will be recreational opportunities in swimming, boating, tennis, baseball, golf, bicycling, horseback riding, music and art.

Representatives from all Middle Atlantic Colleges will attend. Eighteen students from Ursinus are expected to go. Rev. and Mrs. F. I. Sheeder, Miss Camilla B. Stahr, Rev. John Lentz, and Miss Lyndell Reber will act as chaperons for the group.

FALL OPENING

College will open for the seventy-first academic year on Tuesday, September 24. The opening address will be heard September 26 at 9:00 a. m.

Reifsnnyder Takes Graduation Honors

Dorothy Reifsnnyder, petite, blonde student from Norristown, Pennsylvania, walked away with the two highest Commencement honors. She has both the valedictory honor and is the sole member of her class to be graduated magna cum laude. Kathryn Keeler, also of Norristown, is salutatorian of the graduating class.

A member of the Business Administration Group, Miss Reifsnnyder supplemented her A's with a variety of extra-curricular activities. She was president of the Young Women's Christian Association, and a member of the Ursinus Forum Committee, the Council on Student Activities, the Ruby staff, and the IRC. She served on the Class of '40's Sophomore Ring Committee, Junior Prom Committee, and Senior Ball Committee.



CLASS OF 1940's REIFSNYDER

Ursinus Crashes Life! Rev. Dallus Krebs '02 Elected Alumni Head

As patience and virtue are finally rewarded in every good novel, so Ursinus College, after toiling long in the shadows of obscurity, has finally received nation-wide publicity.

Although the College was mentioned in a humble connection, it was nevertheless gratifying to all lovers of the Red, Old Gold, and Black to know that, in all of the best homes of the nation, a picture of the climax of Ursinus' academic year is to be found.

For on page 66 of the June 3rd issue of *Life* magazine, a jeweler's advertisement featured a photograph of the Commencement procession.

Initiations and Banquet Mark 15th Anniversary of T. K. A.

The fifteenth anniversary of the Ursinus chapter of Tau Kappa Alpha, national honorary debating fraternity, was held Saturday, June 1. Immediately following the informal initiation of the new members, officers for next year were elected. Joseph Dubuque '41, has been chosen president; Harry Showalter '41, vice-president; and Shirley Staples '41, secretary-treasurer.

After a brief business session, the meeting was adjourned from the Y room of the library to the Spring Mountain House where the annual banquet was staged. Upon the conclusion of the dinner, Charles Barnes '40, retiring president, acted as toastmaster and called upon several alumni and faculty speakers to make a few remarks.

William T. Hade, national secretary of the fraternity, explained its national organization and details of its work. Mr. Hade then made the presentation of certificates and pins to the newly admitted members. They are: Shirley Staples '41, Jane Hartman '41, Harry Showalter '41, and Denton Herber '42.

At the annual meeting of the Ursinus Alumni Association, the following officers were elected: president, Rev. Dallus R. Krebs '02, vice-president, H. King Heiges '37, secretary-treasurer, Calvin D. Yost, Jr. '30, historian (elected for a five year term), Rev. John S. Tomlinson '00, and alumni director, Dr. Francis T. Krusen '09, father of Dorothy Krusen '42.

The Class of 1915 held its 25th reunion in the upper dining room at 1:00 p. m. at which time Dr. Norman E. McClure, a member of the class, spoke. The Class of 1920 had a luncheon in the lower dining room while the Class of 1935 met at the Bungalow Inn. After meeting informally at the Kopper Kettle for lunch, the Class of 1930 attended the alumni banquet in a body. The Class of 1925 held no formal meeting, but a class-book was presented to each member.

At the banquet held later in Freeland Hall, Harold D. Steward '07, retiring president of the Alumni (Continued on page 4)

Encore for "Outward Bound" To Be Staged at Royersford

"Outward Bound" will be presented this evening by the Curtain Club in the Royersford High School under the sponsorship of the Lions Club there. Prior to the presentation of the play, the entire cast will be entertained by their hosts at dinner.

The same cast of players who made the play a success during Junior Week-End will play their roles tonight.

Results of Curtain Club balloting during the past week put John Rauhauser '41, into the presidency of the club for the 1940-41 year.

Nadine Sturgis '41, skilled character actress, became the vice-president, while Muriel Solomon '41, who starred in "Outward Bound", was chosen as secretary. John Musser '41, actor and stage manager, will serve as production manager for the coming year.

Louise Joulia Stars in "The Firefly" Production

By Betty Dakay '43

In a performance more noteworthy for the music than the dramatic action, the musical organizations, under the direction of Dr. William F. Philip, gave Rudolf Friml's melodious operetta, "The Firefly", on Friday and Saturday evenings in the Thompson-Gay Gymnasium.

"The Firefly", with its popular strains of "Sympathy", "Gianina Mia", and "When a Maid Comes Knocking . . .", is a story of the rivalries and complications which result when Nina, an Italian street singer, wins the eye of a young man shortly before he is to be married to a debutante.

Singing the role of Nina, Louise Joulia gave "The Firefly" a voice full and opulent in the lower register and properly restrained in the more colorful upper notes. In her solo, "Love is like a firefly . . .", she set the pace for the production with a spirited tune which was repeated several times later in the score.

Further reason for the success of "The Firefly" was the quality of the student cast. Roy Snyder '41, and Donald Melson '43, gave ample proof that amateur productions can provide fine male talent.

Snyder's singing was characterized by his usual ease of manner. Melson's voice is one of the best additions to Ursinus musicals in recent years.

Week-End Addresses Consider American Democracy's Needs

Minich Decries Lack of Self-Reliance

"Tomorrow's world will be a hero's world". Warning thus against the lack of self-reliance in the present generation, the Rev. Roy Linden Minich, pastor of the First Congregational Church of Malden, Massachusetts, spoke to the graduates, parents, and guests at the Baccalaureate service in Bomberger Chapel yesterday.

The Rev. Mr. Minich, a graduate in the Class of 1915, was invited to deliver the sermon in accordance with the custom of recent years for an Ursinus graduate to speak at the Baccalaureate service.

Developing his theme about the lessons from Job—"Thou liftest me up to the wind, thou caustest me to ride upon it"—which he deemed most appropriate to the present era, the Rev. Mr. Minich discussed three classes of men produced as they are "tossed on the storm" of life. Denouncing the "derelict", who seeks the easiest way, he said: "When you let yourself off, you let yourself down".

He then decried the attitude of another class of men produced. "I am weary", he said, "of the whining attitude of those who always ask 'For God's sake take me out'". This class he named "cowards", who lack the will power to face the storm.

Unselfish Men Save Democracies As he came to the third class he struck a note of realistic optimism, found in the second part of his text—"Thou caustest me to ride upon it". He called for unselfish men in order to make democracy survive; and prophesied the success of character and courage in riding "on the storm", since men's souls have within them the abilities to withstand crises.

President Norman E. McClure read the scripture; the Rev. Dr. John Lentz offered the prayer; and the College choir sang the music for the service.

Meistersingers, Choir Have Annual Sacred Music Concert

At a concert of sacred music presented last night in Bomberger Hall by the Ursinus Meistersingers and choir, Evelyn Stimmel, child radio artist, was guest artist. Marion Stocker '42, flutist, played a solo, and accompanied the choir in the rendition of the Bach chorale, "Blessed Jesu".

Franklin Morris '41, was at the piano and Dr. William F. Philip directed. In addition, "Forever Worthy", the "Cherubim Song", "Gloria in Excelsis Deo", and Handel's "Hallelujah Chorus" were sung.

Fuller Says America Is Hope of the Future

Speaking before the Seventieth Annual Commencement exercises held in front of Freeland Hall this morning, Walter Deane Fuller, reviewed the threats to the security of American democracy and the action that has been taken and should be taken to preserve it.

"We must make democracy work in the future better than it has ever worked before. . . . History is filled with instances of selfish men who have sought to become masters instead of servants of civilization. . . . In our own smugness we have neglected for eight years to help democracy work and to be the success it could be in these times."

"A star of destiny surely is over America today and enlightened people look to us as their hope for the future." Contrasting the work of dictators past and present with that of democratic peoples, he said: "Our aggressiveness . . . must be directed to pushing forward on the front of living and opportunity."

He concluded, "there appear to be two simultaneous steps that we must make—the upbuilding of military defense for America and the aggressive solution of our economic and social problems".

Following the Commencement address delivered by Walter D. Fuller, president of the Curtis Publishing Company, President Norman E. McClure conferred degrees upon the members of the graduating class. The honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon the Rev. Arasman M. Billman, of Harrisburg, and the Rev. Roy Linden Minich, Malden, Massachusetts. The degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred upon Mr. Walter Deane Fuller.

Rev. Billman attended the Union Theological Seminary, and from 1920-1932 was pastor of the First Reformed Church, McKeesport, Pa. At present, he is pastor of the First Reformed Church in Harrisburg. Rev. Mr. Minich delivered the Baccalaureate sermon yesterday.

After the degrees were conferred, W. A. Kline, Dean of the College, addressed the graduating class. The following prizes were awarded: the Philip H. Fogel Memorial Prize, Paul Sneed; the E. L. Wailes Memorial Prize, Homer W. Koch; the Robert Trucksess Prize, Mark Alspach and Charles Bonos; the Elizabeth Rockefeller McCain Prize, Gladys Heibel and Evelyn Dornbach; the Boeshore Prize, Edward Knettler; the Ursinus Woman's Club Prize, Madge B. Harshaw; the Ursinus Circle Prize, Eleanor Frorer; the President's Award, Howlett Moyer and Leroy Dawson; and the Intra-Mural Championship Award, Curtis.

Women's Club Admits 72 at Business Meeting on Friday

The Ursinus College Woman's Club held its annual business meeting on Friday afternoon, and re-elected the incumbent officers and members of the Governing Board for the coming year.

President Florence Benjamin '30, conducted the meeting. Membership chairman Clara Riley '30, announced the acceptance of 72 new members, including 45 members of the class of 1940.

Dr. Norman E. McClure presented the plans for the proposed women's dormitory and asked the support of the club in this project. The club resolved to liquidate the obligation on 612 Main and in addition to raise funds for the new dormitory.

At the dinner in the upper dining room, Miss Zeta Hunter, of Chester, spoke about her experiences in Britain and Scotland after war had been declared.

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WORKING AGAINST ODDS

Putting education to the test, as the conflicts of ideologies today have done, has brought out an inner contradiction within it. In a capitalistic democracy such as we are trying to salvage today, education works to put across the beliefs and objectives of the state, representing society. Concurrently, however, it sets into motion the very opposition to those objectives,—academic freedom. It is hard to realize that this contradiction serves as both a strong base and a weakness of representative democracy. Furthermore, these two results of education alternate as to which predominates during any one era.

The rapid industrialization of the United States following the Civil War pushed freedom of enterprise and rugged individualism into prominence. Schools as well as other social institutions made the common man accessible to this propaganda of individual gain rather than collective action.

In recent years, however, the propaganda machinery has thrown its major support to collectivism and socialization. However, since intense individualism is still loudly upheld by some captains of the business world and collectivism by others, the net result is confusion in the minds of young people.

Young people, in schools and out, have developed an inordinate amount of skepticism for all tradition and experience, which lack of faith is traceable to this real contradiction within education.

As the country at large has not made its present choice between individualism and collectivism, the youth of the land is exposed to violent attacks on both beliefs. Hearing little praise by either faction for the argument of the other, young people are obscured from the value of free enterprise or social legislation. The issues then are not clearly drawn, and the confusion that results is the product of an education unsettled within itself.

Such a condition is not conducive to success in the struggle now being waged in the United States to make democracy more efficient and practical.

N. T. B. '41

The Commentator

LOOKING AT THE WAR WITH STUDENTS' EYES

On Taking Sides

The horror, death, and destruction which the European inferno is visiting upon mankind can be but the result of conflicting interests and ideologies. Peoples of two great democracies and their dependencies would not wittingly consign their happiness and peace to Mars unless they placed a firm belief in the justice of their cause. Nor would the leader of a totalitarian state gamble his all in total war unless he felt certain that the realization of certain objectives would compensate a hundred-fold for any risk.

Thus it is that war has developed and each side naturally contends that it is in the right. We who believe in democracy and the sort of world order which it has established measure right and justice according to our own standards, and our sympathies lie with the Allies. Those who have forsaken democracy for totalitarian government are judging the conflict from a different vantage point, and their sympathies are with Germany. May an omnipotent Judge render His impartial decision and grant speedy victory to moral arms defending the right!

D. A. H. '42

Is Democracy Outmoded?

In all conversations today, issues of the European imbroglio, the destiny of our world and its civilization, and the imminence of a new "dark ages" are being bandied about. The question of primary importance is probably one of government. Is our government adequate, and can it meet successfully contemporary problems, or is democracy outmoded?

We could very easily evade the issue at this point, and say that democracy is not outmoded, merely the practice of democracy is outmoded, but neither is true. The philosophy of the American system of government premises a free man, equal to and equalled by all other men. The fundamental freedoms remain, those of speech, the press, assembly, and occupation. These freedoms do not exist in totalitarian states, and because the totalitarian states are temporarily overshadowing our European counterparts, conscientious objectors complain that democracy is an antiquated institution.

Democracy is not outmoded, but democracy is cumbersome; cumbersome because it is a government wherein the governed govern, and the governors do not care much how the government is conducted. Democracy is not outmoded, a system of government has not been outmoded by a race of people, but a race of people has been outmoded by a system of government.

J. D. D. '41

Billion Dollar Hitler Defense

The war goes on, and we watch from across the Atlantic. But as we look over, we look out. We look out to the tune of a few billions for defense—defense, presumably, from a Hitler who will have subdued all opposition in Europe and will be coming to get us. We have a hazy picture of Nazi submarines storming our harbors, parachute troops in Missouri, and brown-shirted infantry sneaking up by way of South America. We might even concede that Hitler will have enough ships, men, and war supplies and will have so subdued Europe that he can do these things. We want ships to stop the subs; we want riflemen to deal with the non-stop parachute corps; and we want to meet Hitler at the Andes. So we can see immediate defense needs. But let us watch such items in the present defense budget as ten troop transports. We're not going anyplace.

Here's to meeting again at the Perk, not the Marne!

H. L. S. '41

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"Lantern" Contains Works of 3 Seniors

By Marion Witmer '41

Three seniors made their final contributions to Ursinus literature in the May issue of *The Lantern*. The three who wrote for the issue are Robert Yoh, Evelyn Huber, and Valerie Green.

Evelyn Huber, with her usual agile pen, wrote two poems, "Tomorrow", and "This Is Enough". It is impossible to describe in prose the feeling of these poems. "Standing at Ease", her familiar essay, also expresses a thought in a style that is particularly hers. Robert Yoh offered an optimistic thought in his "Sonnet for These Days".

Two poems were the final contributions of Valerie Green. The first, "A Surgeon Paints", expresses an unusual metaphor, the force of which is realistic to say the least. "Thoughts", her other poem, is striking but nothing more.

Dubuque Joins Contributors

Outstanding among other contributions to the first issue of *The Lantern* under the editorship of Harry Showalter '41, is an essay by Joseph Dubuque '41, on "Creative Citizenship". A new writer for *The Lantern*, Dubuque arouses interest and makes one really think seriously about this business of being a citizen of the United States. With his usual oratorical gusto he presents the problem and then tells us how to approach it.

"Tippy Tin" Humorous

Sincere, wholesome humor appears in a familiar essay, "Tippy Tin", by Paul Morris '41, another new writer for *The Lantern*. The story of Tippy Tin, a fifteen year old car, is most enjoyable. The reader cannot help hoping that Tippy Tin will rust in peace and that Paul Morris will write more for *The Lantern*.

Franklyn Miller '42, is another new contributor. Other writers who have already made their mark in the realm of Ursinus literature and whose works appear in this issue of *The Lantern* are: Dorothy Shisler '41, Gladys Heibel '42, Georgine Haughton '41, Esther Hyndren '41, and Virginia Shoffner '41.

GAFF from the GRIZZLY



The horses had their oats, the Curtis Jockey Assn., its rye, and a re-running of the Kentucky Derby followed on the Ursinus track last Wednesday nite. Not that they were crooked—but that guy astride a hurdle, yelling "Hi-Yo, Silver" looked mighty suspicious. "Blackie" Bonos gave his heart-beat a hope chest for graduation. Fine and dandy—but WHO'S hopin', Black? . . .

Gaff Lafts: At the local would-be debutramps. The nearest most of 'em came to a "coming out" party was the time a dress snap broke. . . Too Hot to Handle Dept: Like Vivian Judd's ego. In her Ruby she penned, "It's been awfully nice living with you the past year!" You'll break an arm some day, Viv. . . That "Mother" handle tacked onto Kay Atkinson currently has a great gag behind it. And she's gentle as a LAMB when you mention it.

For the Seniors: The mosta of the besta, and here's hoping those cap and gowns don't change to helmets and uniforms. Our sense of humor ought to keep us out—the pun's mightier than the sword. And there's just one side for us to take—the outside!

The kitchen's latest endeavor to provide diversion in the meals met with little success so far as Bobby Guinness is concerned—her waffle syrup had ants in it! What's next—lice in the rice? . . . In a word description of Bunny,—Dream-lined. . . Memo to Heyen and Co.: Dr. Yost is both an ordained minister and burges—civil and religious ceremonies, two for the price of one. . . Jane Roberts pater gave her a terrific send-off Class Day. Her face resembled a sun-set with high blood pressure. . . Hear that one about King George reviewing his Navy—in a diving helmet?

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WEEKLY SPORTS



'Ed' Conine Proves Bear High Scorer

By Garnet Adams '42

Ed Conine, this year's edition of Eshbach, proved to be the high scorer for the Bears' track squad by scoring a total of 33 points in dual competition. Ed, who participated in the hurdles and broad jump, scored three first places, five seconds, and three thirds during the season.

Close behind, on the heels of Conine, in point scoring was his team mate in the hurdles, freshman Joe Ingham, who garnered 30 points for the season. Ingham, too, won more first places for the Bears, as he breasted the tape in victory four times, and tied for first another time.

After the hurdles, top scorers were freshmen sprinters, Joe Irvin and Jim Raban. Although Irvin only scored one first place, he brought in a total of seven second places and one third for a 27 point total. Raban scored four firsts, two seconds, and two thirds to amass 28 on the board.

These four were tops for the Bears as far as individual performances go. However, there were a number of other steady point-getters who added the necessary tallies to win the meets.

Five others scored over ten points. They are: "Jug" Ehlers, discus, 16 points; "Ev" Morrow, shotput, 14 points; "Russ" Huckel, high jump, 13 points; "Bud" Adams, two mile and pole vault, 13 points; and Ralph Jowett, mile and javelin, 11 points.

Jingmen's Record Shows Ratio Of Six Wins in Ten Games

By Dillwyn Darlington '41

The 1940 baseball season was a profitable one at Ursinus College, for, in addition to winning six out of ten games, the veteran nine copped the Eastern Pennsylvania Collegiate Baseball League title.

Playing an abbreviated schedule, the Bears took first place in the conference by winning four games and losing but one. In non-league competition, Ursinus was not as fortunate, compiling a record of two victories against three defeats.

After games with Villanova, Temple, and Penn A. C. had been washed out, the Collegeville nine won its belated opener from a strong Lehigh aggregation, 2-0, in a game that was played at Bethlehem. Fred Swift, ace right-hander, scattered four puny hits and kept the Engineers from even threatening to score. Unsettled weather then caused the cancellation of contests with Gettysburg, Delaware, and Haverford.

Successful Western Trip

On the swing around the western schools of the conference, "Jing" Johnson's sluggers downed Bucknell, 7-4, and Juniata, 7-2, behind sterling pitching by Swift and Howard MacMahon. A non-league tussle was lost to Dickinson, 7-0. Back on their home grounds, the Ursinus batsmen moved closer toward the league title by downing Lebanon Valley in a weird slugfest, 10-8.

Swarthmore fell, 5-2, but the Bears dropped a non-conference battle to the crack Villanova tossers, 6-3, despite valiant pitching by MacMahon. The day before the Villanova defeat, the Ursinus sluggers strengthened their hold on first place by downing Muhlenberg, 3-2, in a ten-inning battle that was broken up by Fred Swift's triple and Ed Thompson's line single past third base.

Playing loose ball, the Bears lost a conference game to Drexel, 5-1, and dropped out of first place, but Lebanon Valley's victory over the Dragons later in the week put Ursinus back into the top position. In the final game of the season, the Villanova powerhouse put on a slugging exhibition that completely humbled the Bears, 22-5.

CONFERENCE STANDINGS

Results of Games Played:
Lebanon Valley, 6; Juniata, 5
Muhlenberg, 4; Lebanon Val., 3

How They Stand:

Team	W.	L.	P.C.
Ursinus	4	1	.800
Gettysburg	2	1	.667
Drexel	2	1	.667
Muhlenberg	3	2	.600
Lebanon Valley	2	3	.400
Bucknell	1	3	.250
Juniata	1	4	.200

Fred Swift Chosen By Baseball Squad



... He's a hard-hitter as well as a winning pitcher.

By Bob Cooke '43

In recognition of his outstanding performance of the past four years, the baseball team elected Freddy Swift, ace hurler, team captain for 1940 at a dinner held at the home of Coach "Jing" Johnson. Swift, former Norristown High star, climaxed four years of useful service with a record of five wins as against a single setback. As mainstay of the pitching staff he appeared in every game save two.

His first win of the year came at the expense of Lehigh on the latter field, April 26. Besides hurling a shutout he clouted a roundtripper to account for one of the two Bear runs. The western trip proved a lucrative one for him, as he faced league opponents Bucknell and Juniata and tucked away two more victories, 7-4 and 7-2.

Lebanon Valley finally caught Freddy off form, knocking him from the hill in five innings, although Ursinus eventually emerged the victors. Still not fully recovered, he returned to the win column May 2 against Swarthmore, winning, 5-2, in the late innings.

The next week found him in top form, however, as he pitched and batted his way to a ten inning 3-2 victory over Muhlenberg. His triple in the tenth with none away set up the winning run. On the fifteenth the Drexel Dragons handed him his only setback in a 5-1 ball game. In addition to his pitching Fred disproved the theory that pitchers can't hit by slamming eight safeties in twenty-six trips for a .308 mark, third among the regulars.

Men's Tennis Team Hands in Score Of One Win in Four

Handicapped by poor weather and the lack of experience, the Ursinus men's tennis team had a rather unsuccessful season, winning only one match of the four played.

Unable to secure proper indoor accommodations, the netmen were forced to wait until the College courts were placed in condition after a long rainy spell this Spring. The opening matches of the season, with Muhlenberg and Gettysburg, were cancelled because of unsettled weather. When they finally played the opening match of the season with F. and M., the Bears were nosed out, 5-4, in a close battle. Karpinski won his singles, and the Bears swept all three doubles, but the Diplomats took the remaining single matches to sweep the meet.

Down Main Liners

The squad won its only victory of the season by downing the Haverford J. V.'s, 5-4, with Wood, Karpinski, and Horsfall winning singles and the Horsfall-Hassell and the Karpinski-Barry doubles teams turning in victories. West Chester won its meet with the Bears, 7-2, by sweeping all single matches and one doubles.

Drexel won the last match of the season, 7-2, although Horsfall and Ed McCausland were winners in singles. The return contest with F. and M. was washed out by a cloudburst.

1940 Fall Sports Schedule

VARSITY FOOTBALL

Sept. 28—Lafayette	away
Oct. 5—Dickinson	home
Oct. 12—Bucknell	away
Oct. 19—Delaware	away
Oct. 26—Muhlenberg	away
Nov. 9—Gettysburg	home
(Old Timers' Day)	
Nov. 16—Drexel	home
Nov. 28—F. and M.	away

VARSITY SOCCER

Sept. 28—Girard	home
Oct. 4—Temple	away
Oct. 12—Lafayette	away
Oct. 17—F. and M.	away
Oct. 23—Haverford	away
Oct. 30—Penn J. V.	away
Nov. 2—Swarthmore J. V.	away
Nov. 6—West Chester	home
Nov. 9—Gettysburg	home
Nov. 15—Delaware	away

Short Season in Women's Golf Produces Single Win and Loss

By Winifred Kapp '41

The women's golf team ended its second playing season with some success, losing its first match to Swarthmore, 4-1, and winning its last match with Penn, 4-1. Although the schedule was limited this year, the team hopes to have a much more extensive one next year, including matches both in the Fall and Spring. There are tentative matches scheduled now with Swarthmore, Penn, Rosemont, and Chestnut Hill.

The team will lose only one member by graduation.—Peg Stettenbenz. Peg was instrumental in the forming of a golf team at Ursinus and has done much to contribute to the success of the team.

Members of the team include: Kay Atkinson, capt., Dorothy Schleinkefer, Ann Robinson, Martha Jane Evans, and Peg Stettenbenz, manager. Kay Atkinson has been re-elected captain for next year and Dorothy Ducat will be the new manager.

BATTING AVERAGES OF BASEBALL 'SLUGGERS'

Although they won the league championship, the Ursinus baseballers' batting averages showed a distinct slump from last year. The team average this year was .249 while it was .311 last year.

Only four regular players managed to hit above .300 this season, as against seven who did so last season. Howard "Smoke" MacMahon led the regulars this year, followed by "Toy" Dawson and Fred Swift. Howard Wise's 12 hits were tops for the team, while Dawson and Ed Thompson followed the leader very closely.

	A.B.	H.	P.C.
Johnstone	4	2	.500
MacMahon	11	4	.364
Spohn	6	2	.333
Dawson	35	11	.314
Swift	26	8	.308
Wise	39	12	.308
Thompson	35	10	.286
McFarland	20	5	.250
Moyer	34	8	.235
Keehn	28	6	.214
Atkinson	33	7	.212
Harris	30	6	.200
Fetterman	28	2	.071
Williams	1	0	.000
Chalk	3	0	.000
Team Average	333	83	.249

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Racquetees Lose Three Senior Stars

By Betty Knoll '43

Led by three seniors, the Ursinus women's tennis team won every one of the five tennis matches on its schedule.

"Bunny" Harshaw, captain of the team and well-known Middle Atlantic tennis star, was the spark-plug of the team, as she has been for the past three years. A stand-out in basketball and hockey, "Bunny" won recognition as one of the best women players in collegiate circles of tennis.

"Squeeky" Von Kleeck, her team mate and companion, was hardly less brilliant, losing but one singles match and teaming with "Bunny" to produce a formidable doubles combination. Jane Roberts, a veteran of much intercollegiate competition, was the third member of this strong senior trio.

Robbins Elected Captain

Mary Robbins has been elected tennis captain for the 1940-41 season. The manager will be Gladys Levengood, and she will be assisted by Jean Ewen and Helen Caulfield.



Capt. Robbins

The season's summary:

April 30—Ursinus, 3; Drexel, 2.
May 3—Ursinus, 5; Temple, 0.
May 4—Ursinus-Penn, cancelled.
May 6—Ursinus, 5; Wm. & Mary, 0.
May 13—Ursinus, 3; Swarthmore, 2.
May 15—Ursinus, 4; Beaver, 1.

Jayvees Finish Poor Season With One Win, Four Defeats

The jayvees plodded thru a rather drab schedule this year, under the able tutelage of Don Kellett, piling up the unenviable record of one victory and four losses. Shaky fielding, weak hitting in the clutch, and occasional wildness on the mound were the universal factors in defeat. Only once did the opponents hit hard against the Bear pitching staff, that being in the first Villanova tussle.

The lone victory of the year came at Hill when the Hill-Toppers lost a battle of inefficiencies, 6-5. By far the best game of the year was on the Main Line, when Harry Showalter fell heir to a pair of last inning errors after holding the heavy hitting Villanova Cats to a lone tally for five innings. The team expressed the hope that with all the errors out of their system, they might be of some help to "Jing" in the coming campaign.

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Looking 'Em Over

By D. D.

The school year is just about over, the seniors are in full possession of their diplomas, and we're looking 'em over for the last time until next Fall.

The first thing to be done is to pick the outstanding athlete of the year. Certainly this honor goes to "Bunny" Harshaw, versatile girl athlete and three-letter wearer.

There is no single man who stands as an all-around athlete, so one must choose the best athlete in each sport and let it go at that. That task will be left to the readers, for it never pays to go out on the limb too often.

Speaking of being out on the limb, that "four losses and one defeat" rates as the biggest blunder of the year. On the other hand, the staff had no idea that the sports page was so read, for no less than 218½ people told us about it.

Fred Swift, honorary captain of the nine, received a tryout from the Athletics last Wednesday when the fire-baller displayed his wares before Connie Mack and Charley Berry.

While down at Shibe Park, the squad managed to part Herman Besse, rookie hurler, from his favorite fedora, which now rates as Curtis' most distinguished souvenir.

At the same time, the "Z-X" boys pulled a diplomatic "coup-d'etat" by inviting Chubby Dean, ace left-hander of the A's, and Jim Tadley to their dinner dance.

Generals Zeski, Dawson, and Atkinson are now raising a cavalry unit at Ursinus as part of the President's national defense plan. Ed Thompson will command the motorized unit.

Because of the busy schedule, the only time that maneuvers can be held is at 3 a. m.

"Twit" Witmer and Sue Cross rate as heavy favorites to make the baseball nine next year. After watching them work out on Tuesday, "Jing" is ready to tender them contracts.

In all seriousness, there is enough material here to develop an excellent girls' baseball team, and, from all indications, the organization of such a team would be heartily supported by the lassies.

Don Kellett has started a whispering campaign to the effect that the 1940 freshman football team will be even better than last year's jayvees, so things will be looking up next year.

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Dr. H. W. Stoner Discusses Hormones and Endocrinology

Dr. William Hoy Stoner, graduate of Ursinus in the class of 1908, spoke here recently on the manufacture and close similarity of various synthetic hormones and their therapeutic value.

Dr. Stoner spoke of the various opportunities for graduates in the field of research, especially emphasizing chemistry. The lecture was well attended.

The speaker is a member of the Medical Research Staff of the Schearing Corporation, Bloomfield, New Jersey.

Among Our Alumni

Angelo Vaccaro '38, former Ursinus football star, has been promoted from football coach to the position of athletic director at Steubenville High School, Steubenville, Ohio.

Josephine M. Gabrielle, of West Lawn, Pa., and William H. Evans '35, of Shenandoah, Pa., will be married on June 22 in the Valley Forge Chapel, Valley Forge, Pa.

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On the Shelves

By Douglas Davis '41

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To date, members of the organization have donated \$676.11 in cash, with which 272 books were purchased. Also 290 books have been presented by members.

The purpose of the group, which was organized in October of 1936, is to devote itself to increasing the size and quality of the Ursinus Library by gifts of books and money, and by building up a permanent endowment fund.

The officers of the organization are elected annually, and consist of a president, vice-president, and a secretary-treasurer. The assistant librarian, Mr. Charles H. Miller, is ex-officio secretary-treasurer...

ALUMNI ASSOC.

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Association, was toastmaster. E. F. Slough, Esq., '77, the oldest living alumnus was present.

Dr. Edward S. Bromer '90, one of the two remaining members of this class, spoke for the fiftieth anniversary, William L. Fink '15, said a few words; and Charles D. Mattern '30, instructor in English at Ursinus, gave a word of greeting for his class.

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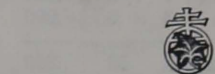
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Society Notes

Several dormitories and sororities have been having farewell parties for their seniors:

On Sunday evening, May 26, the seniors of Lynnwood Hall were entertained at a supper.

The women of Sprinkle bade farewell to their preceptress, Mary Clark, last Monday evening, May 7, at a party.

The preceptress and women of Clamer Hall held an after dinner coffee in honor of their seniors on Wednesday evening, May 29.

Eleanor Frorer entertained at a luncheon in honor of the seniors of Phi Alpha Psi sorority on Thursday, May 30, at her home.

Last Thursday evening, the women of 612 had a steak dinner in the Sixth Avenue woods as a farewell to their seniors.

Alpha Sigma Nu sorority had a picnic for their seniors at Green Lane, along the Perkiomen, on Thursday, May 30.

The women of Shreiner Hall gave a "steak roast" dinner for their seniors on Thursday, May 30, in the Sixth Avenue woods.

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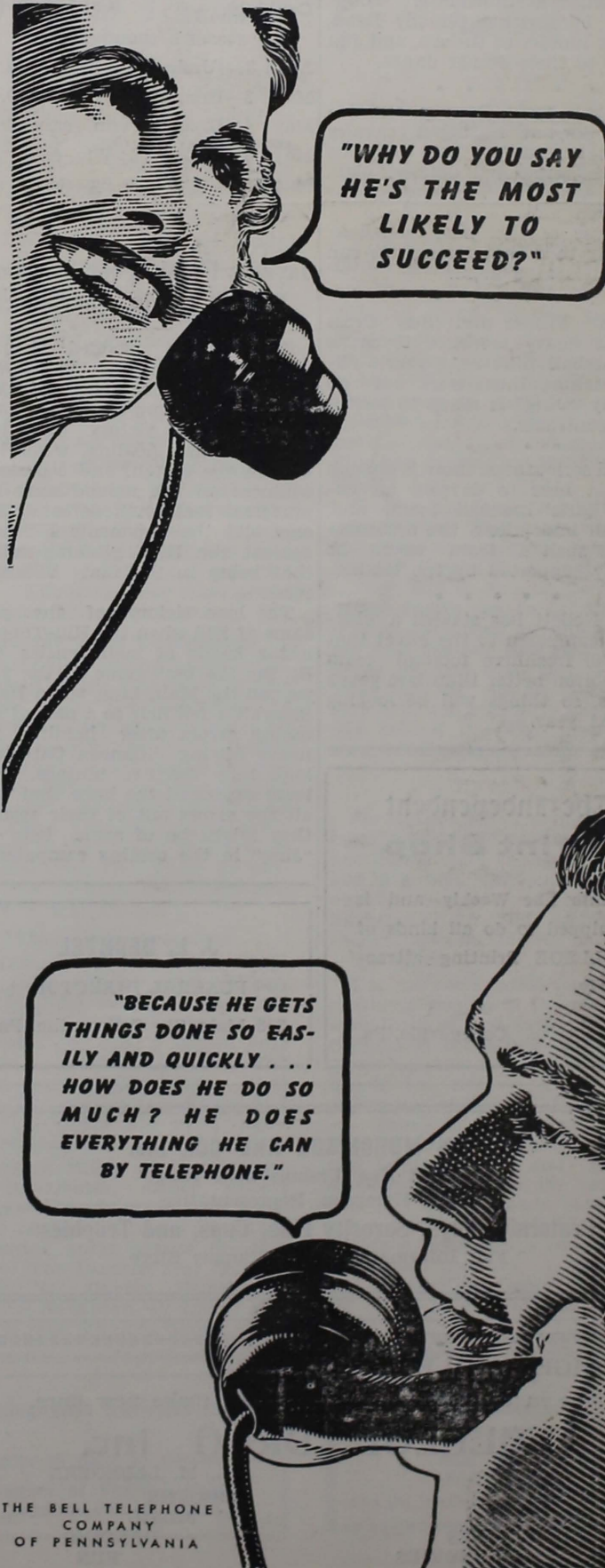
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