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GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM WINS TWO MORE CONTESTS

Swarthmore and Moravian Forced to Bow to Ursinus Sextet in Fast Games; Teamwork a Feature

TOTAL SIX VICTORIES

Swarthmore Game

The Women's Basketball Team scored their fifth consecutive victory of the season on Wednesday, February 25. Their opponents, the invincible Swarthmore sextet, were forced to yield to the tune of 31-22.

It was the first time in the history of women's athletics at Ursinus that Swarthmore played on our floor, and it was the first time that we have won against them in basketball. For years Swarthmore has turned out excellent teams, and for four years had held a record clear of defeats. The Ursinus teamwork proved too great an obstacle to conquer. "Billy" Strickler '32 and Capt. Anne Connor '31 with their brilliant passwork, Peg Swartz '32 and "Toot" Wismer '32, center stars, and Anne Uhrich '32 and "Lib" Heinley '31 as guards form a combination which is a stumbling block to the victorious aims of their opponents.

Following the epic victory, Mr. Strickler entertained the team at the Valley Forge Hotel, Norristown, to a dinner which was received with great acclaim. Line-up:

Ursinus	Swarthmore
Connor	R. F. Seaman
Strickler	L. F. Chapman
Wismer	J. C. Russell
Swartz	S. C. Gery
Uhrich	R. G. Dance
Heinley	L. G. Pruess

Substitutes: Swarthmore, Smith for Seaman, Stubbs for Chapman. Goals: Swarthmore: Field goals—Seaman 2, Smith 6. Foul points—Seaman 3. Ursinus: Field Goals: Connor 1, Strickler 13; Foul points—Connor 1, Strickler 3. Referee—Miss Gamble. Scorers—Feron, Washburn. Timers—White, Lamond.

Moravian Game

Moravian College for Women suffered their second defeat of the season in basketball from Ursinus on Friday afternoon with a score of 46-40. The game was played at Bethlehem on the Moravian floor. It was the sixth straight win for the Grizzly lassies.

In spite of the fact that the odds were against them in the form of a very small floor, the Ursinus girls ran up a high score against the opponents. In the first half the playing was not as fast as usual and there was considerable fouling on both sides. The period ended 27-14 in Ursinus' favor.

The second half started out as the first with the Ursinus forwards raising their score to 40. However, there was more opposition, for the Moravian forwards soon added to their score until there was only a few points difference. Substitutions were made for both forwards, right guard, and side center but were soon replaced by the original players. Both teams played wildly the last few minutes but the score was held to 46-40 in favor of Ursinus.

While the score was not representative of what the team has been doing this season, the game was a good one and there were some fine plays seen on the floor. The passing between Connor and Strickler, forwards, was especially noteworthy.

Line-up:

Ursinus	Moravian
Connor (capt.)	R. F. Geger
Strickler	L. F. Russell
Wismer	J. C. Gery
Swartz	S. C. Dance
Uhrich	R. G. Razler
Heinley	L. G. Pruess

Substitutes: Ursinus—Kehs for Connor, Grim for Strickler, Wheatly for Swartz, Pfahler for Uhrich, Connor for Kehs, Strickler for Grim, Swartz for Wheatly, Uhrich for Pfahler. Referee—Mrs. Masson. Umpire—Miss Fenner. Scorers—Schneider, Drysdale. Timekeepers—Hauser and Omwake.

FROSH GIRLS ELECT BLEW

At a meeting of the freshman girls held on Monday, February 23, Marian Blew was elected class representative on the Women's Athletic Council for the present semester.

TRYOUTS HELD TONIGHT FOR CURTAIN CLUB PLAY

One of the so-termed "coming attractions" for the month of March—Saturday 21, to be exact—is a three-act comedy by A. A. Milne entitled "The Dover Road." The play will be given under the auspices of the Curtain Club with Miss Margaret Bookman '22, of the English department at orristown High School, as coach. She will be assisted by a committee of Dorothy Muldrew, chairman, Barbara Taylor, Kenneth Alexander, and Russell Benner, all of the Senior Class. Tryouts for the cast of ten members will be held this evening, March 2, in Bomberger Hall, and opportunity to participate will be open to the entire school.

F. & M. GRAPPLERS

SHUT OUT GRIZZLIES

Well-Balanced Blue and White Mat Squad Whitewashes Fighting Ursinus Team

TROPP GOES EXTRA PERIODS

A well-balanced Franklin and Marshall wrestling team were hosts to Coach Carleton's grapplers on Wednesday night, and administered a severe trouncing to the Bears. The final score, which was not exactly indicative of the great fight displayed by some of the Bears, was 32-0.

F. and M. hasn't lost a single meet this year and they have encountered some of the best teams in the East. The Roses scored four falls and four time advantages in compiling their 32 points.

In the 118 lb. class Hagen threw Ray Williams of Ursinus in 1:10.

Capt. Hollinger, 126-lb. ace of F. and M. rather easily scored a fall over Livingood in 1:42 after the beginning of the first period.

Ziccardi, in his first intercollegiate match, put up a great fight against Dietrich of F. and M. He prevented a fall by holding out against a good man but his opponent scored a 4:35 time advantage.

Clark of Ursinus battled Witmer of the Bears for 6:29 but he was finally defeated via the fall route, and thus the first four matches resulted in a 18-0 lead for F. and M.

Dutch Soeder was the fourth Ursinus grappler to be pinned. He was thrown in 3:36 in the first period, by Greenawalt, of the Blue and White.

Wally Troppe battled to draw with Werner and was forced to wrestle two three-minute extra periods. The Ursinus man fought valiantly but Werner gain a 5:36 time advantage in the extra periods.

Breisch, another F. and M. ace, tried hard to score a fall on Alspach but the Bear wrestler fought a good defensive battle and the match resulted in a 9:20 time advantage for F. and M.

The final match, in the unlimited division resulted in another time advantage decision for F. and M. Kerm Black, of Ursinus, tried hard to win his match but Bill Saltzman, captain of last year's F. and M. football team, displayed superior wrestling skill in gaining a 5:30 time advantage.

WRESTLERS TO MEET

HAVERFORD, FRIDAY

A wrestling exhibition between the Ursinus grapplers and a group of matmen from Haverford will be staged in the Thompson-Gay Gym on Friday, March 6, at 4:00 p. m. While wrestling has not yet received recognition as a sport at the Main Line institution, a group of mat enthusiasts have been promoting interest in the sport, with near-by institutions. While not an officially-scheduled match, nevertheless the contest should be a good one, and should attract considerable interest.

SHREINER LEADS VESPERS

The Shreiner girls led the vesper services, Sunday evening, March 1, and a very delightful program was presented. Florence Black '31 was in charge of the services, and Doris Wagner '33 played the organ. After the singing of several hymns by the goodly number of students and visitors present, Miss Black read the Scriptures, and Harriet Kohler '31 led in prayer. Marian Hageman '34 and Ruth Haines '34 sang a lovely duet, and the services were closed by the benediction.

URSINUS WRESTLERS DEFEAT GETTYSBURG

Capt. Greer, Livingood, Citta, and Alspach Win by Falls, Tropp by Time Advantage

CLARK INJURED IN FRAY

The first intercollegiate wrestling bout to be staged on the campus yielded the Grizzly grapplers a 23-13 victory over their Gettysburg opponents on Saturday evening, February 28. Four falls plus a time advantage gave the Bears the necessary points. This repeats last season's victory of the Bruins over the Bullets.

The home team took an early lead when Captain Greer, Livingood, and Citta, respectively won the first three bouts. Al Alspach clinched the match in spectacular fashion by pinning Scott in the 175 pound weight.

The bout between Scott and Alspach started slowly and resolved itself in a two-period match. Alspach played the defensive during the first two minutes but changed his tactics when they went to the mat. In the second period Al came out after getting to his feet twice. He then pounced on Scott and started to pile up time advantage. Not content with this he proceeded to pin the Gettysburg man by using a half nelson and body hold. This came after two minutes in the second period.

Charley Soeder in the 155 pound class was pitted against C. Karns, the most formidable man on the Gettysburg team. C. Karns threw Soeder in 8:18 with a half nelson and crotch hold.

Due to disabilities of the wrestlers in the unlimited class, Jack Robbins, veteran wrestler and erstwhile regular in the 155 pound class volunteered to make a go in the unlimited. His Gettysburg opponent was Azar, who outweighed him by 20 pounds. Azar won from Robbins on a time advantage of 3:28.

Mel Greer, captain of the grapplers, opened the bout and sent the Bears into an early lead by throwing Kipp of Gettysburg in 8:22. He used a half nelson and body hold.

Livingood followed right up by throwing Sowers of Gettysburg in 5:05. He got behind his man by a quick, clever, side step and pinned his opponent with a head lock and crotch hold.

Citta carried on the good work by pinning Kapp of Gettysburg. Citta pinned his man with a half nelson and body hold in 4:55.

The spectre of injury stalked the mat in the 145 pound bout. After 7 minutes of wrestling Geo. Clark was injured and unable to continue. The bout was forfeited to W. Karns of Gettysburg as a technical fall.

Tropp in the 165 gained advantage over a difficult opponent, Diehl, of Gettysburg. He had a time advantage of 5:51.

Summary:
118 lb. class—Greer (Captain), Ursinus, threw Kapp, Gettysburg, in 8 minutes and 22 seconds—half nelson and body hold.

125 lb. class—Livingood, Ursinus, threw Sowers, Gettysburg, in 5 minutes and 5 seconds—head lock and crotch hold.

135 lb. class—Citta, Ursinus, threw Kapp, Gettysburg, in 4 minutes and 55 seconds—half-nelson and body hold.

145 lb. class—W. Karns, Gettysburg, threw Soeder, Ursinus, in 8 minutes and 18 seconds—half-nelson and crotch hold.

165 lb. class—Tropp, Ursinus, won from Diehl, Gettysburg, time advantage—3 minutes and 51 seconds.

175 lb. class—Alspach, Ursinus, threw Scott, Gettysburg, in 8 minutes—half-nelson and body hold.

Unlimited class—Azar, Gettysburg, won from Robbins, Ursinus, time advantage—3 minutes and 24 sec. Score—Ursinus, 23; Gettysburg, 13. Referee—Reimer, F. and M.

ANNOUNCEMENT

A meeting of representatives of the various student organizations included in the enlarged Council on Social Life will be held in the Faculty Room on Wednesday, March 4, at 7:30 p. m. The new constitution will be submitted for discussion. Heads of organizations represented at the meeting of this body held last fall are requested to see that representatives of their respective bodies attend this meeting.

MR. PAISLEY TO ADDRESS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Mr. Harry E. Paisley, treasurer of the Reading Railroad Company and President of the Board of Directors of the College will be the principal speaker at the banquet of the Philadelphia Section of the Alumni Association which will be held at McAllister's in Philadelphia, next Friday evening, March 6.

Those who expect to attend the banquet are requested to send their subscriptions to Mr. Mayne R. Longstreth, 1420 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, at once.

ALLENTOWN PREPPERS

DOWN FRESHMEN 33-22

First Half Lead Fatal to Yearlings in Hard-fought Game on Opponents' Court

BLACK HIGH SCORER

The 1934 cagers dropped another tough battle when they met Allentown Prep on the latter's floor on Wednesday, February 25. The final count was 33-22.

The Yearlings put up a scrappy fight throughout but were unable to penetrate the Prep. defense. The school boys jumped into the lead at the start and held a 19-9 advantage at half-time. In the second frame, the Cubs started to cut loose, but the preppers had too big a lead to be overcome, and were able to hold their their own.

Black, with five field goals and a referee's gift, was high scorer of the affair. Goodman and Young were high scorers for the Dutchmen with nine points each. Seiple's defensive work was a feature of the game.

URSINUS FROSH

	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Pts.
Sommers, f.	0	0	0
Black, f.	5	1	11
Shollenberger, f.	0	0	0
Breisch, c.	2	1	5
Isett, g.	1	2	4
Goldberg, g.	1	0	2
Seiple, g.	0	0	0
Totals	9	4	22

ALLENTOWN PREP.

	Fd.G.	Fl.G.	Pts.
Goodman, f.	4	1	9
Kozloff, f.	2	2	6
Shenkman, f.	1	0	2
Young, c.	4	1	9
Malick, g.	3	1	7
Duggan, g.	0	0	0
Totals	14	5	33

Referee—Monaghan.
Umpire—Fisher.

RHO DELTA RHO LEADS

INTERFRATERNITY LEAGUE

The end of the second week's play in the Interfraternity Basketball League found Rho Delta Rho still in the lead and still undefeated, and Sigma Rho Lambda in the cellar. Quite a few changes took place in the intermediate standings as a result of the week's play.

On Monday night, February 23, Alpha Phi Epsilon won out over the Independents and Rho Delta conquered Demas. Both games were very closely contested at half-time, but in the second canto, the winners managed to pile up substantial leads.

In the Thursday night series, Demas dropped its second straight, this time to the Independents, while Beta Sigma Lambda secured second place by beating Sigma Rho Lambda.

The schedule for this week is as follows: Monday, March 2: Alpha Phi Epsilon vs. Rho Delta Rho; Sigma Rho Lambda vs. Independents, Thursday, March 5: Sigma Rho Lambda vs. Rho Delta Rho; Alpha Phi Epsilon vs. Demas.

The standing of the teams:

Team	W.	L.	P.C.
Rho Delta Rho	3	0	1.000
Beta Sigma Lambda	2	1	.666
Alpha Phi Epsilon	1	1	.500
Demas	1	2	.333
Independents	1	2	.333
Sigma Rho Lambda	0	2	.000

YOUNG TO GO SOUTH

Arthur H. "Pep" Young '30, frosh basketball coach, will leave for Greensboro, S. C., where he will join the Jersey City International League Club for spring training. Young is a promising outfield candidate.

GRIZZLY PASSERS BOW TO TEMPLE COURTMEN, 53-24

Cherry and White Offense Rushes Bears Off Their Feet; Owl Defense Impregnable

STERNER HIGH SCORER

Ursinus passers invaded Temple last Wednesday but fell prey to the superior floor work of the Owls, and as a result dropped a rather listless contest 24-53.

The Bear offense, which has been functioning rather well in the past few games, was woefully inadequate against the Cherry and White cagers. Don Sterner was the outstanding star of the evening with seven field goals and one foul, but the best efforts of the remaining Bears could account for but two goals from the field.

Half time found Ursinus trailing 12-31, and although the Temple mentor threw numerous substitutions into the fray in the final stanza, Van Why's cagers were unable to bridge the chasm of the first half advantage.

Beron, with five field goals and two charity tosses, and Easley and Gudd, with four buckets apiece, aided materially in the Temple victory.

URSINUS (24)	FG.	Fls.	Pts.
Lodge, R.F.	0	4	4
Diehl, R.F.	0	0	0
Sterner, L.F.	7	1	15
Mohn, L.F.	0	0	0
Miller, C.	1	0	2
Paul, R.G.	0	0	0
Edge, R.G.	0	0	0
Eachus, R.G.	0	0	0
Dotterer, L.G.	1	0	2

Totals	FG.	Fls.	Pts.
9	5	24	

TEMPLE (53)	FG.	Fls.	Pts.
Kilkuskie, R.F.	0	0	0
Fitch, R.F.	4	0	8
Easley, L.F.	4	0	8
Reynolds, L.F.	1	0	2
Tulefian, C.	0	1	1
Gudd, C.	4	0	8
Wasta, R.G.	0	0	0
Beron, R.G.	5	1	12
Pearson, L.G.	1	0	2
O'Brien, L.G.	1	0	2

Totals 20 3 53
Referee—Emory.
Umpire—Longren.

GAFF FROM THE GRIZZLY

Tom Burton has just arrived on campus after emulating Prof. Barnard's famous cycling trip.

One of Brodbeck's "silent operators" reported the following telephone conversation:

"How are you coming in your studies, son?"

"I'm not getting along so well with Poly. Science."

"Well, spend more time with your studies and leave the girls alone."

And speaking of telephones, the man that collects the coins from our pay stations has found to his sorrow that Ursinus is a school of hard knocks.

We understand that Thompson has introduced a new rule into the Student Council, to the effect that no water be thrown on Thompson.

And now children, if you go to be early we will get Fisher to tell you another Fairy story. Good-night.

Sorry, Grace, but I went to see Dracula and was up all night getting back.

CALENDAR

Monday, March 2
Women's Debating Club, Shreiner, 8 p. m.
Tuesday, March 3
Girls' Basketball, Beaver, home, 4 p. m.
Varsity Basketball vs. Drexel, home, 8:00 p. m.
Wednesday, March 4
Council on Social Activities, Faculty Room, 7:30 p. m.
Thursday, March 5
Philosophy Club, 8 p. m.
Curtain Club, Zwing Hall, 7 p. m.
Friday, March 6
Varsity and Freshman Basketball vs. F. and M., away.
Girls' Debate vs. Swarthmore, away
Men's Debate vs. N. Y. U., away.
Varsity Wrestling vs. Haverford, home, 4 p. m.
Saturday, March 7
Varsity Basketball vs. Temple, home
Monday, March 9
Freshman Girls' Debate vs. Royersford High, Bomberger, 8 p. m.

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EDITOR OF THIS ISSUE GRACE E. KENDIG

REV. KENNEDY SPEAKER FOR WEEK OF PRAYER

Ursinus students were very fortunate to have Rev. M. T. Kennedy as guest speaker at the annual week of prayer which was sponsored by the Christian Associations of the College. Mr. Kennedy started his excellent series of speeches in chapel on Tuesday morning and continued to be the center of attraction until Thursday night. The first of his talks was on our outlook on life. In our midst there seem to be two types of persons; those who are conservatives and have only a backward look; and those who are progressives and have only a forward look. People are on earth for some definite purpose which is unknown to us, but, in order to reach this future goal, we should combine these two views of life. We should look back when some problem faces us that we do not know how to solve and then we should look forward in an attempt to improve our present civilization and to prepare for future generations.

On Wednesday night he presented a new conception of Jesus Christ. From his travels in the Holy Land it has become evident to him that Jesus was not the man as pictured on stained glass windows, but instead was as human as any other man. Jesus must have been a powerful man in order to travel in this country as he did because this section of the Eastern world is the most rugged in the world. We have been taught that if we go to Jesus we will be saved. This should be taken in the literal sense because in that country the sheep are kept in a palisaded area with only a shepherd as guard.

Mr. Kennedy's last talk was on the perfect fool. Many stay-at-homes and do-nothings have said that such men as Washington, Lincoln, and Livingstone were perfect fools for giving up their personal happiness and wealth for their country. In this sense Jesus was also a perfect fool. If there were no fools we would not be a progressive civilization and perhaps these men were not fools at all.

Probably the most interesting feature of these programs were the open forums which followed. Mr. Kennedy answered several questions for the students. A few of the most fully discussed were: should the parents of a college student mold the student's life; should christian organizations sponsor dances; and should there be intermarriage between various religious sects.

STUDENT CRITIC CLASS RECITAL

The fourth weekly recital of the Student Critic Class was rendered in the Music Studio last Tuesday afternoon at 5 p. m. The members of the class offer constructive criticisms of each other's work.

A delightful program was presented at the last meeting of this group: "I Hear You Calling Me" (Marshall); "And Ships Go Home" (Warner), Allen Boyer '34; "Rose in the Bud" (Foster), Ruth Haines '34; "Sylvia" (Speaks), Harry Baldwin Jr. '34; "Indian Love Song" (Lieurance), Dolores Quay '34; "Sing On" (Denza), Marion Hageman '34, Esther McClure '33 and Alfred Alspach '33 were the accompanists.

The recitals are held weekly; the class is conducted by Miss Hartenstine, head of the vocal department.

WOMEN DEBATERS BREAK EVEN WITH CEDAR CREST

Tuesday evening, February 24, the Women's Debating Team of Ursinus won the decision at Cedar Crest College on the question, "Resolved, That the Nations Should Adopt a Policy of Free Trade." The negative side was convincingly upheld by the Ursinus women, Grace Williams '31, Merle Williamson '31, Capt. Alberta Jacobs '31 and alternate Rena Grim '33. Their opponents on the Cedar Crest team were Julia Bond '31, Capt. Fritsch '31 and Doris Morley '31. The Ursinus team was exceptionally good, the best this season. Their strong argument and superior delivery easily won them the vote of 2-1.

In Bomberger Hall, the affirmative side of the question was supported by Muriel Ingram '33, Dorothy Sanderson '31, Marion Styer '31, and alternate Rebecca Price '31, of Ursinus. The Cedar Crest team consisted of Capt. Krefsky, Sarah Seri, and Marion Hotz. Prof. Witmer presided at the meeting. Margaret Jenkins and Margaret Strevig assisted as time-keepers.

Despite their splendid effort and their able handling of the question, the Ursinus women lost the decision 3-0. Those who judged the debate were Mr. Le Van, Supervising Principal of North Wales High School; Mr. Bishop, Supervising Principal of Lansdale High School, and Dr. Taylor, Assistant Superintendent of the Norristown Public Schools.

MEN'S DEBATING CLUB AT LIONS' CLUB MEETING

The long nuzzled plan of the Men's Debating Club made its debut last Tuesday evening at the Freeland House, when the Ursinus Men's negative team met a trio of Washington and Jefferson debaters in an exhibition debate under the courtesy of the Collegeville Lions Club.

As regards the plan, it has long been the intention of the Debating Club to discuss questions of vital interest before civic organizations. This procedure not only insures a proper and interested audience, but likewise necessitates a profound knowledge of the subject by the debaters, who, as an aftermath of the debate, usually find themselves in an informal discussion with their audience. Furthermore, it strengthens the germ of extempore speaking, which so often is lacking in untried debaters.

The initial appearance Tuesday evening was a decided success. The debate was further enhanced by the use of the Oregon method of debate. This type of speaking is an innovation at Ursinus, having been used but once heretofore. The debate was followed by an open forum discussion between both teams and members of the Lions Club, the which includes men who know not a little of the question, "Resolved: That the Nations of the World Adopt a Policy of Free Trade." An audience decision by the members resulted in a 9-5 victory for W. & J.

The opposition composed of Marino, Brown and Pedicord (alt.) employed two speakers throughout the trial, while Ursinus, represented by Heller, Hess, and Stabert, used its entire negative roster in the fray.

The next debate to be held before a civic organization will be at the Kiwanis Club in Norristown, March 25, when the negative, again meets Franklin and Marshall.

PAGEANTRY CONTEST RULES

Announcement has been made of the requirements for the May Day pageant competition by Josephine X. Sheeder, instructor in pageantry. A prize of fifteen dollars, given by The Ursinus Circle, is awarded annually to the woman student writing the best pageant. Any woman student is eligible to compete, regardless of class. The winning pageant will be presented on May Day, May 16, which will be the annual Mothers' Day. The following points should be considered by contestants in writing pageants:

1. Pageants should be suitable for May Day presentation at Ursinus.
 2. Pageants should be divided into episodes; interludes desirable.
 3. Cast: 15 to 25 major characters; not more than 125 minor, including May Queen and her attendants.
 4. No dialogue included.
 5. But little action for May Queen.
 6. Types of dances and music should be definitely suggested.
 7. Diagram of scenes and choice of campus site for presentation should be indicated.
 8. Time—not more than 1½ hours.
 9. Pageants are to be completed before Saturday, March 21, 1931.
- Sample pageants, descriptions of pageant types, and a general bibliography may be found on the pageant shelf in the Library. Mrs. Sheeder will be glad to furnish any information to contestants.

INTERSORORITY NEWS

The following sorority pledges have been announced:

Alpha Chi Lambda—Ruth Roth, Helen Van Seiver, Marion Garrett, Hermine Loos, Elmira Betts.

Phi Alpha Psi—Martha Moore, Marion Hageman, Ruth Haines, Dorothy Miller, Isabel Wilt, Eleanor Petherbridge, Irene Tackos.

Chi Alpha Tau—Violet Winterstein, Ami Dewees, Doris Wagner, Leila Felver, Esther Lightner.

Alpha Sigma Nu—Sara Pfahler, Dolores Quay, Marion Blew, Betty Luther, Miriam McFadden, Florence Frosh.

Sigma Omego Gamma—Laura Wiltshire, Sara May Ouderkirck, Jean Flannigan.

Ex-'30-'31.—Sarah McGarvey is attending the Women's Medical College of Philadelphia. She is a member of the Zeta Phi sorority there. Marion Kohn, also a student at the Women's Medical College, visited on the campus February 23.

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THURSDAY afternoon in Collegeville engaged in the festivities of Founders' Day, Friday afternoon in the Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago in a meeting of the Liberal Arts College Movement of America — scenes nearly nine hundred miles apart geographically speaking, although near enough to be almost identical as to character.

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Here at the exercises of Founders' Day we exemplified what next day in our committee meeting for the Liberal Arts College Movement we laid plans to further promote. If any one has doubts about the value of the liberal arts college let him meditate on the history and achievements of Ursinus. On February 5, 1869, the Legislature of Pennsylvania granted articles of incorporation to this institution "for the purpose of imparting instruction in Science, Literature, the Liberal Arts and Learned Professions." In the breaking of ground for the science building immediately preceding the academic celebration on Founders' Day, it was pointed out that the purpose mentioned first in the charter of Ursinus College is the "imparting of instruction in Science." This branch of learning was still in its infancy when Ursinus was founded, and the early catalogues indicate a decided emphasis on the liberal arts. There seems to have been a sort of prophecy for the future in the statement of purpose on the part of the founders wherein they put science first—a prophecy about to be realized more than sixty years later with the erection of a magnificent modern building for scientific instruction and research.

However, we have reached a time when science is no longer to be set over against the liberal arts as outside of or opposed to the latter. Scientific studies are rather to be included in the liberal arts as the latter are conceived today. A liberal education is not such indeed unless it includes work in the sciences. This is recognized officially by such universities as Princeton and Pennsylvania in their recent action whereby they withdraw the Bachelor of Science degree and grant as a token of undergraduate work in its entirety, the time honored Bachelor of Arts. The sciences, no less than the classics, liberate the mind and give breadth of knowledge.

It is with this understanding of the case that the movement is being carried forward to entrench more securely the college of liberal arts as a central and determining factor in American education. G. L. O.

PHILOSOPHY CLUB MEETS

The Philosophy Club held a very interesting and enjoyable meeting on Thursday, February 26 at the home of Dr. Tower. President Maynard Hunter '31 led the discussion, the topic of which was "the true nature of man." One side of the argument stated that man was instinctively beneficent and altruistic, that everything he did was not out of pure selfishness or self-glorification; the other side took the contrary view. Both sides brought forth many good points. After the discussion Dr. Tower read a few selections from George Ade to the club. Roberta Frantz '32 and John Frick '33 were admitted into the organization. The next meeting will be held Thursday, March 5 when Nietzsche's Theory will be the topic of discussion.

G. Howard Koons '28 was guest speaker at the February meeting of the Parkerford Men's Club on Monday evening, February 23. The subject of the address was "Abraham Lincoln." Gerald D. Levensgood '26 and Floyd D. Mulford '28 were present as guests. Harold F. Wiand '28 is president of the club and Russell C. Johnson '16 is song leader.

ALUMNI NOTES

'21—Rev. L. Harrison Ludwig, pastor of Grace Church, Sioux City, Iowa, was reelected for another year, president of the Inter-Church Leaders' Council of Sioux City. This honor is a deserved recognition of an active pastor.

'29—The marriage of Peter Van Rensselaer Steele and Miss Mary Smith has been announced. The ceremony was performed in August, 1930. Miss Smith is the daughter of Mr. Howard Smith, a member of the faculty of Hill School, Pottstown; before her marriage she was a popular member of the junior class at Wellesly College.

'29—David Harrison has accepted a position with the Logan Coal Company, Beaverdale, Pa.

'29-ex-'30—Virginia Gertrude Kresler '29, of Easton, Pa., became the bride of William Leavitt Cain ex-'30, of Newport, New Hampshire, at a quiet ceremony at noon, February 17. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Dr. Allen S. Meek, an honorary alumnus of Ursinus. Only the immediate families and a few friends witnessed the ceremony. The couple left on a trip to Virginia and later will make their home at Newport, New Hampshire, where Mr. Cain is connected with a road construction company.

'16—Rev. W. R. Gobrecht is celebrating the tenth anniversary of his pastorate at Chambersburg, Pa.

'22—Rev. James W. Bright, pastor of Messiah Reformed Church, Philadelphia, was the recipient of a beautiful pipe organ for his congregation. Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Geiser, parents of Dorothy Geiser '32, were the donors.

'26—Rev. E. W. Ullrich has been transferred to the First Reformed church, Royersford, Pa., from a similar charge in Weissport, Pa.

'29—Dr. Allen S. Meek, an honorary alumnus of Ursinus, has just completed a series of evangelistic campaigns in Jeannette, Pa. Dr. Meek, as the main speaker, also gave recently an eloquent address at the meeting of the Lehigh Classis of the Reformed church.

Ex-'31—Ralph Buchanan is a Sophomore at Hahneman Medical College.

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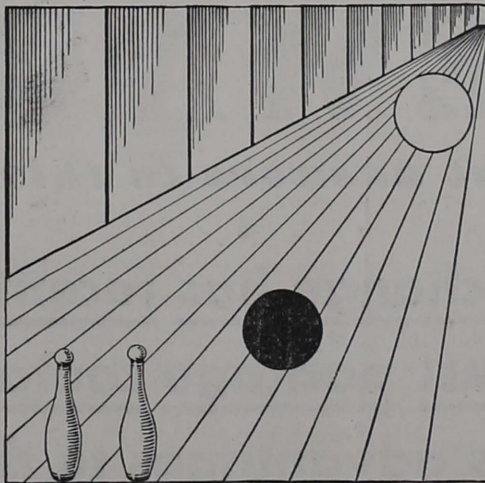
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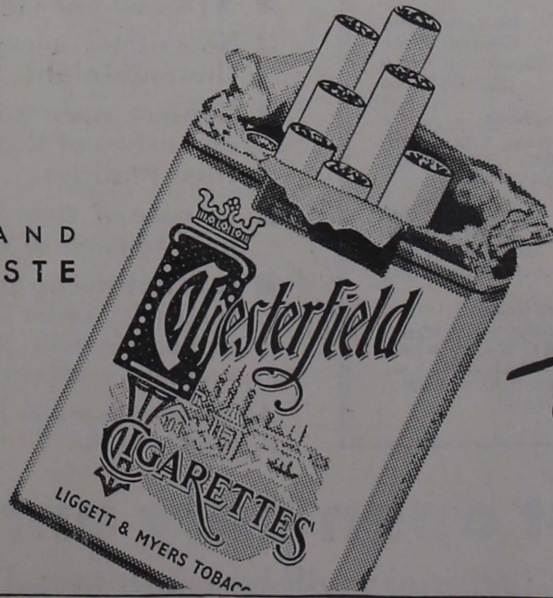
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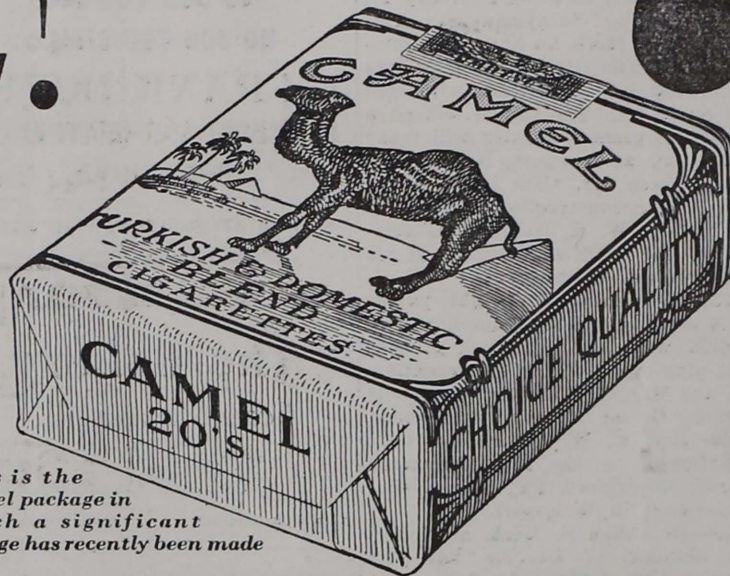
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