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DR. FELMUTH SPEAKER AT CHAPEL FRIDAY

"Goodness is More Contagious Than Evil" Subject of Talk by Presbyterian Minister

INSPIRATIONAL MESSAGE

Contrary to the general present-day idea that people are more apt to adapt themselves to evil than to good, Dr. William G. Felmuth of the Third Presbyterian Church, Elizabeth, New Jersey, stressed the fact that "Goodness is More Contagious Than Evil" in his address at chapel, Friday morning, April 24.

Dr. Felmuth admitted that the curve toward goodness requires a long stretch of time, but that once having made a person good, it will not be necessary to keep after him because his training will naturally guide him to do the right things. As man goes along, he says, there are straws in the wind which mark the path in which he is moving; by these straws he is able to determine whether or not he is developing for good or for evil.

Just as goodness is more contagious than evil, so is health more desirable than disease, human beauty more contagious than ugliness, liberty more contagious than despotism, gentleness more contagious than force, and purity more contagious than vice.

Regarding health, Dr. Felmuth told of a marked decrease in the percentage of disease. He said that the span of life is now being stretched out and that men are living fourteen years longer than they formerly did. From a standpoint of beauty, the speaker pointed out that there is much improvement in this generation over that of the past; as for liberty,

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NEW VARSITY CLUB

TO BE ORGANIZED

Plans for a new Varsity Club are now being formed by "Jing" Johnson, newly appointed Director of Athletics, and a group of this year's lettermen. Under the present system, to be a letterman seems to be no great honor. The new Club will raise the importance of letters to a much higher position and will make them a more coveted prize.

Definite articles have not as yet been drawn up, but some few points are almost certain to appear in the new constitution. Earning a varsity letter will automatically entitle a person to membership. These letters will not be given in the haphazard manner that they have been in the past, but will be formally presented at a banquet which will be held sometime each spring.

The object of the organization will be to raise the scholastic standing of the athletes, promote a better feeling among the men in the various sports, and to place better organized teams in competition. This will do away with the rivalry which now exists between the members of major and minor sports teams.

The committee which is assisting

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CAST FOR MAY DAY PAGEANT

The May Day pageant is in full swing with the cast of characters all picked. Instead of making it compulsory, as in former years, for Freshmen and Sophomores to take part, all the Juniors and Seniors have been placed, while participation for the under-classes is only partial.

The cast is as follows: Prologue—The Canterbury Pilgrims: Miller, L. Mullen '33; Reeve, E. Seiple '32; Knight, T. Gilfert '33; Squire, M. Hageman '34; Prioress, S. Ouderkerk '34; Second Nun, C. Nagle '33; Shipman, E. Grander '31; Chaucer, G. Kendig '31; Wife of Bath, E. Isenberg '32; Merchant, M. Moore '34; Pardoner, G. Williams '31; Summoner, R. White '33.

COUNTY FESTIVAL SATURDAY

Ursinus will act as host to the Montgomery County schools holding their annual May Day Festival, Saturday, May 2. There will be athletic and academic events throughout the day and speeches made in Bomberger Hall in the afternoon. Many exhibitions will be on display. Over 2,000 entrants in addition to 3,000 spectators are expected on the campus.

ALUMNI OF EASTERN PENNA.

The Lehigh Valley Alumni Association of Ursinus College will hold its banquet at the Hotel Traylor, Allentown, on Friday evening, May 8. Reservations may be made by applying to Edwin M. Fogel, Ph. D., '94, president, Fogelsville, Pa.

I. N. A. CONVENTION HELD AT BROOKLYN

Palm and Alspach, Weekly Associates, Attend Successful Newspaper Conference in New York

DICKINSON EDITOR NEW HEAD

Two representatives of the Weekly attended the convention of the Intercollegiate Newspaper Association of the Middle Atlantic States held in Brooklyn, New York, Friday and Saturday, April 24 and 25. Those delegated from the Weekly were James E. Palm '33 and Alfred C. Alspach '33, associate editors. Thirty-six young men and women from seventeen college papers were present at the conference.

As was usual various papers and topics were discussed at editorial and business divisions of the convention. These proved to be encouraging and directly helpful to the aspiring journalists. One outstanding act by the conference as a whole was the joining of all I. N. A. papers in good standing to the National College Press Association.

The staff of the "Polytechnic Reporter" published at Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, acted as host to the visitors. For entertainment a theatre party and sight-seeing tour were provided. All other arrangements for the conference were made by this group and to it goes the credit for the success of the affair.

To carry on the work of the I. N. A. officers were chosen for the coming year. Raymond Counsellor, Editor-in-chief of the Dickinsonian, was chosen president, and by the same vote Joseph Cook, his associate, became secretary-treasurer. As a Dickinson man was selected as president, the fall meeting of the I. N. A. will be held at that college.

OFFICERS INSTALLED

AT W. S. G. A. MEETING

On Monday evening, April 20 the officers of the new Women's Student Government Association were installed. Anne Connor '31, former president of the Council, made the opening address in which she thanked the women students of the College for the hearty support that she has received during the past year.

Forsythia, a symbol of authority, tied with Red, Old Gold and Black ribbon, was presented to Melva Danehower '32, new day student representative, by Sarah Pfahler '34, Freshman representative; by Anna Turner '32, to Helene Gohs '33, Junior representative; by Eleanor Usinger '31, to Carol Everingham '32, Senior representative; by Gertrude Lawton '31, to Anna Turner '32, treasurer, by Eleanor Petherbridge '33, to Florence Frosch '34, secretary, and by Katherine Inman '32, to Mary Brendle '33, vice-president.

The new president, Lois Strickler '32, and the members of her cabinet were sworn into office by Anna Connor. The cap and gown was then transferred to Miss Strickler.

"Billie" then made a speech in which she asked the women students for their support so that this council might surpass all preceding ones. Dr. White, in a short address, advised the new council to meet every challenge.

MUSIC CLUB PRESENTS

ENTERTAINING PLAYLET

Under the helpful supervision of Violet Guydish '31, the Music Club members gave an interesting playlet last Tuesday evening called "Inspiration Plus."

The characters were:
Mother Perigate . . . Evelyn Glazier '32
Max Perigate . . . Floyd Heller '33
Adele Randle . . . Jeannette Baker '33
Maid to Perigates Esther Lightner '34
Sweet Adeline Gang . . . John Sando '31
Kenneth Alexander '31
Paul Wagner '32
Bernhardt Stabert '34

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ST. PAUL BROTHERHOOD HOLDS ANNUAL BANQUET

Dr. Felmuth, Guest Speaker, Addresses Members on "A Minister's Call to the Ministry"

SANDO TOASTMASTER

The annual banquet of the Brotherhood of St. Paul was held in the upstairs dining room of Freeland Hall Thursday evening, April 23. The affair was very well attended and the palatable meal which was served was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The president of the Brotherhood, John Sando '31, acting in the capacity of toastmaster, called upon Prof. Sheeder to invoke the blessing. The banquet was a very festive occasion due largely to the cheerful atmosphere created by the lively songs led by Louis Mitchell '33.

The speaker of the evening, Dr. William G. Felmuth, pastor of the Third Presbyterian church, Elizabeth, N. J., was introduced by Dr. Lentz. Dr. Felmuth's subject, "A Minister's Call to the Ministry," claimed the attention of pre-ministerial students from the very start. All through his discourse he used his own life as an example to illustrate his ideas. While he was in college studying engineering, he had become connected with an atheistic society. Fortunately, one day he came in contact with a devout, Christian man who changed his whole ken of life.

A minister's call, as he reflected on his own life, consists of three things: desiring to share with others your discovery of a new life, feeling a definite responsibility, and being impelled by an urge which has to be fulfilled in order to gain a feeling of satisfaction. In estimating the condition of the present-day world, he stated that "If there was ever a time when the world needed men with responsibility it is now." The ministry has an opportunity now which

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RACQUET WELDERS TO

GET UNDER WAY

The flash of a racquet . . . The sharp ricocheting the white pellet over taut net . . . And Men's Varsity racquet welders are preparing for the first chapter of the current tennis season at Drexel today.

The tournament of last week to determine the aides of Captain Dotterer and "Snaps" Snyder, veterans of last year, disclosed much promising material. Goldberg and Massey, whom the ormer defeated in the finals, will probably draw the assignment at Drexel. Kugler and Harris, semi-finalists, and Heller, a second round victim, will struggle for the remaining berth on the squad.

The Dragons present a well-balanced team and have the advantage of engaging in several tilts to date.

Manager Benner announces the following schedule.

April 27—Drexel, away
May 5—Delaware, away.
May 6—State Teachers', home.
May 11—St. Joseph's, away
May 13—Muhlenberg, home.
May 16—Haverford, home.
May 19—Temple, home.
May 21—Villanova, home.
May 22—Albright, away
Pending—F. and M.
May 25—Muhlenberg, away.

JUNIOR PROM NOTICE

Tickets for the Junior Promenade, which is scheduled for the evening of May 17, are now on sale. The price of said tickets is \$5. The favors are unique as well as useful, to say nothing of the decorations. As an added attraction, Johnny Brown and his Great White Fleet, who comes to us from the Million-Dollar Pier, Atlantic City, will furnish the music.

Preparations for the Prom are in such capable hands as those of the Misses Evelyn Henricks, Lois Strickler, Carolyn Everingham, and Vivian Davies; and the Messrs. Scott Covert, chairman, James Heron, William Bedall, Eugene Simmers, and Edward Kottcamp.

We aren't trying to persuade any one, but if you miss the Junior Prom this year you'll wish you hadn't.

ALUMNI OF NEW YORK

The annual banquet of the Ursinus Alumni of the Metropolitan District of New York will be held at the Hotel Woodstock, 43d street and Broadway, New York City, on Monday evening, May 11, 1931. Reservations may be made by applying to Helen Groninger, '24, Secretary, Executive Offices, Prentice-Hall, Inc., 70 Fifth Avenue, New York.

INTERCLASS TRACK MEET

WON BY THE SENIORS

Freshmen Push Last-year Men But Weakness in Field Events Causes Downfall

CLARK HIGH SCORER

The annual inter-class track meet was held on Tuesday, last, on Patterson Field. This event served as a "warm up" for the oncoming intercollegiate meets and keen rivalry was shown. The seniors copped high scoring honors with a grand total of 67 points. In this total there were seven first, five second, six third, and five fourth places. The Freshmen gave the upper classmen quite a tussle during the major part of the meet but their point getting was cut short due to their having no men entered in the field events. However, the yearlings were second with a score of 40, which included four first, four second, two third, and four fourth places. The Sophs same next with three first, four seconds, one third, and one fourth place for a total of 30. The Juniors, with only five men entered finished a poor last with only 17 points. They failed to take a first place, one finished second, five placed third and four finished fourth.

In individual point getting, George Clark, star Senior all-around man, amassed fourteen points to lead all entries. McAllister did some brilliant running to finish with twelve points to his credit, while "Bill" Steele garnered eleven. "Kerm" Black and "Al" Paul got ten apiece.

Five new Patterson Field records were made during the meet. The first one dropped when "Mike" Catetta, freshman star, ran the mile in 4 min.

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GIRLS' VARSITY BANQUET

AT SPRING MOUNTAIN HOUSE

The Varsity Women's Basketball team met at the Spring Mountain House Tuesday evening, April 21, to close their season with a banquet. As a reward for their successful season, they had a delicious dinner of chicken and waffles. Following the usual after-dinner speeches, a period of dancing, topped by a climb to the tower, was enjoyed.

Through graduation the team will lose the services of Anne Connor, Anna Uhrich, manager of the team, and "Lib" Heinley. In recognition of her four years of commendable varsity basketball, "Lib" Heinley will receive the coveted gold basketball; for playing two years Anne Connor will receive a silver basketball. The following girls received varsity letters: Anne Connor, Anna Uhrich, "Lib" Heinley, "Billie" Strickler, "Toots" Wismer, "Peg" Swartz, Rena Grim, "Dottie" Kehs, Rhea Wheatley, and "Reds" Pfahler.

URSINUS AT PENN RELAYS

The Ursinus Mile Relay Team, consisting of Dulaney, Kauffroth, Jamison, and Hess, competed in the College Class Mile Relay Race at the annual Penn Carnival at Franklin Field on Saturday. They were forced to accept fourth place despite the fact that they performed commendably.

The event was won by Juniata, with Susquehanna second, Drexel third, Ursinus fourth, and Albright last. The first four teams put up a thrilling battle with Albright finishing a poor fifth.

Captain "Johnny" Lentz had previously journeyed to the Carnival on Friday in order to enter the low hurdle event, but was forced out in a sensational heat.

The Weekly joins with the whole College in expressing its sympathy to George and John Clark on the death of their father.

BEAR NINE BREAKS

EVEN IN WEEK'S PLAY

Grizzlies Trounce Lehigh 9-4, but Errors Prove Costly in 3-2 Loss at Lafayette

FINE TWIRLING EXHIBITED

Grizzlies Down Lehigh

Lehigh was just another college when the Bears met them on the baseball field on Wednesday at Bethlehem. "Jing" Johnson's disciples of the baseball art took the Brown and White into camp by a 9-4 score. Taylor Field was sprinkled with Ursinus basehits an assault of sixteen being sufficient to convince the homesters that it was not their day. This game marked somewhat of a homecoming for the popular Johnson, as he coached Lehigh several years ago.

Toy Karpinen started in the box for Ursinus and pitched commendable baseball until the seventh inning when he was relieved by "Skip" Hunter. Karp was slightly wild on several occasions but most of this could be attributed to a sore arm which later forced him to retire. Hunter's relief work was of a very high order, holding Lehigh hitless during his stay in the box. The Ursinus pitching staff has now given up twenty-three hits in four games for an average of slightly less than six a game.

The Bear infield again functioned smoothly, only one error being charged against it. McCarthy of Lehigh made a beautiful catch off his shoestrings in the ninth inning to nip an Ursinus rally in the bud. This was the fielding feature of the game. In hitting all the invaders had at least one bingle, except Scholl. Karp and Lodge had three while Coble, Sterner, Miller, and Meckly had two apiece. Miller and Ware led the home team with two hits each.

The visitors started scoring activities in the first inning when a pass, two hits, and a sacrifice brought in two runs. They duplicated the feat in the second when three more hits and an error tallied two more. One

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WOMEN'S TENNIS TEAM

WINS FROM MORAVIAN

The Women's Varsity Tennis Team auspiciously opened its season Friday afternoon, April 24, with a decisive 4-1 victory over a picked team of Moravian netwomen. The big upset of the match was the defeat of "Billie" Strickler, first singles' player, by Miss Russel, of Moravian. "Monte" Blew, freshman ace, demonstrated her right to a position on the team by her victory over Miss Foering. Great expectations for a successful season are held by all those who witnessed the opening match.

The returns from the matches are as follows:

1st singles—Strickler, U.-Russell, M., won by Moravian, 6-4, 5-7, 6-3.
2nd singles—Connor, U.-Gegler, M., won by Ursinus, 6-1, 6-2.
3rd singles—Blew, U.-Foering, M., won by Ursinus, 6-0, 6-1.
1st doubles—Roth and Wheatley, U.-Brown and Anderson, M., won by Ursinus 6-0, 6-0.
The second doubles were defaulted to Ursinus.
Messrs. Lawrence, Massey, and Horn, all of Ursinus, refereed the matches.

CALENDAR

Monday, April 27
Men's Tennis vs. Drexel, Away.
Women's Debating Club Meeting, Maples, 8 P. M.
Tuesday, April 28
Women's Symphony Orchestra, Bomberger Hall.
Varsity Baseball vs. Lebanon Valley, 3.30 P. M., Home.
Wednesday, April 29
Varsity Track Meet, Swarthmore, Away.
International Relations Club, Shreiner, 7.30 P. M.
Women's Tennis vs. Beaver, Home.
Thursday, April 30
Freshman Baseball vs. Valley Forge Military Academy, Away.
Friday, May 1
Varsity Baseball vs. Rutgers, Away
Saturday, May 2
Freshman Track Conference at Lancaster.
Montgomery County May Day Festival.

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Editorial Comment

SHIPS NEED RUDDERS

This past week has witnessed the installation of new officers to various organizations of the College—installations which seem to demand of all Ursinus women a greater response toward student government, athletic activities, and religious interests. Those who have been selected for the various offices of The Women's Student Government Association, the Y. W. C. A., and the Athletic Association have been chosen because it was felt that they will endeavor to uphold the finest ideals of student life at Ursinus.

They are about to enter into their new offices with a determination to serve to the best of their ability, and, by means of introducing new and better ideals, to continue the ever-progressing pilgrimage down the path of college civilization. Undoubtedly, the thing they need most to help them succeed in their efforts is student co-operation. It is with tottering indecision that they are taking their first steps toward new endeavors; their responsibilities are many and, although they have proven capable of such undertakings thru previous experiences, they are still somewhat undecided. They need help—attendance at meetings, compliance with rules, initiative in programs, etc. Our College will never win recognition through the leaders alone, no matter how great their efforts; it is up to us, the women as a group, to lighten their tasks and promote their interests by doing what we can to maintain the laws and standards which they will set for us.

A. M. B., '33.

IN BEHALF OF OUR SPEAKERS

As we have before stated in this column it is not the purpose of the Weekly to tear things apart for any inane joy that there might be in such an act; nor is criticism made of various conditions just to have something to talk about or to fill space. We would much rather forego editorial comment than to have it degenerate into such a state. We feel, though, that some good can be done by presenting different problems that we see exist and call the attention of the College to them so that they may be corrected, or at least receive attention. This is by way of preface to the few remarks that follow, as well as to any editorials of like nature that may appear from time to time.

There is existant a condition in College, that it would be well for the students to consider, and this is the attendance at chapel on the days outside speakers are scheduled. This topic is brought to mind by the greatly depleted audience that stayed Friday to hear Dr. Felmuth. On this occasion the speaker was not announced ahead of time; what the attendance would have been had that been done it is hard to say. At any rate many of the students, when they discovered that they would have to go through the "ordeal" of listening to a thirty or forty minute talk, immediately decamped.

It is rather interesting to conjecture what the reason is for such an emigration as took place Friday and for even more outstanding examples in the past. There is perhaps a deeper significance in it than is at first thought. It seems to us that it is indicative of the low level of interest that college students have as a whole, and not only in our own institution. It seems as if "college students" should be able to enjoy a lecture on any topic and do so with interest. It is, to our way of thinking, a fairly open admission of mental laziness or lack of mental power to walk out on a speaker. We do not mean to say that lectures are something to be endured purely for mental discipline, for they are not. We are only lamenting that so many students do not find real pleasure in attending these talks. We might say that for those who do not enjoy them that this is a chance to cultivate a liking, if not for the subject matter presented, at least for the different views of life given. We are only at college once and it seems reasonable that men and women here should take every advantage of broadening themselves. This broadening process is also furthered by these talks because new and different personalities are met in this way, which is in itself worthwhile.

Let us state in closing that, besides neglecting to take advantage of these opportunities, those who absent themselves from these chapel services are committing a rank discourtesy to a speaker. At the same time they are being unfair, for in leaving they imply that a speaker is not worth listening to, and this is before there is any basis for such a judgment. Moreover, it will be found that an intelligent person can get some good out of any speech, and those delivered here are far above the average. It is likewise unfair to the College for the impression a guest-speaker of the College would have of such a student body will not be the best for the various reasons already stated. Finally, we would like to say that we hope that this habit, on the part of some in College, is due rather to thoughtlessness than to any more fundamental reason. We hope, also, that a little consideration of the problem will show these same persons the foolishness of their actions, and that they will act accordingly different in the future.

E. E. S., '32.

URSINUS RECEIVES BEQUEST

Newspapers announce a bequest to Ursinus College of One Thousand dollars by Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, late of Marion, Franklin county, Pennsylvania.

PROF. TOWER VISITS GOUCHER

Professor Carl Vernon Tower represented Ursinus College at the ceremonies incident to the inauguration of David Allen Robertson, Litt. D., LL. D., as president of Goucher College, Baltimore, Maryland, on April 24, 1931.

ATHALIE PRESENTED AT PHILA.

"Athalie" by Mendelssohn was once again successfully presented by the Music Club of Ursinus College and The Haydn Choral Society of Pottstown, at the Trinity Reformed church, Philadelphia, April 22, 1931. Jeanette Douglas Hartenstine conducted this program with the assistance of Minnie Just Keller at the organ and Alfred C. Alspach '33 at the piano. There were about fifty voices assisting in the program. Reverend Purd E. Deitz, pastor of this church, was graduated from Ursinus College in the class of 1918.

SING IS FEATURED

AT Y. W. C. A. MEETING

The Y. W. C. A. held its regular meeting in Bomberger Hall Wednesday evening. It began with the organ selection, "Meditation," played by Coleta Nagel '33. Following this selection, Irene Tackacs '34, read the scripture and a prayer was offered by Mary Myers '34. The entire group participated in a "Sing" led by Eleanor Petherbridge '33. "Tell Me Why" was the number selected to open the "Sing" and it was followed by other well-known camp songs suggested by the girls. The "Sing" was brought to a close by the singing of "Follow the Gleam" in which everyone joined wholeheartedly. After the Mizpah Benediction, which was led by Vivian Davies '32, the meeting was brought to a close.

Miriam Fissel, the retiring Y. W. president, entertained the cabinet at Fircroft Wednesday evening.

Recently, the Y. W. discontinued its library and distributed its books to the College library and to the library in Buenos Aires. It is the Y. W.'s aim, in the future, to contribute several worth-while books to the library each year.

"PRAISE OF GOD"

SUBJECT AT VESPERS

The theme of Vespers on Sunday evening, April 26, was "Praise of God." After several appropriate songs Marion Wilson, '31, read the prayer. Esther McClure, '33, accompanied by Katherine Prizer, '34, pianist, and Muriel Ingram, '33, violinist, sang "The Day is Ended" (Bartlett). Mildred Hahn, '31, read "April Music" by Clinton Scollard. Dorothy Funk, '31, played a delightful piano solo, "November" by Tchaikowsky. The meeting closed with a hymn and the Mizpah Benediction.

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The Tower Window



THE recently published program of Haverford College is an example of the disposition prevalent in the college world to engage in serious self-study and to institute such reforms as this self-study suggests. President Samuel P. Capen of the University of Buffalo, in a paper before the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, March 19, 1931, said that "during the academic year 1930-1931 more significant reforms affecting the conduct of collegiate education have been made in more institutions than have ever been made in a single year before, except perhaps when the elective system swept the country like an epidemic." Further, said he, "I anticipate that this record will shortly be surpassed; if not in the year 1931-1932, then in some year within the next five."

The truth is: practice in education, which always lags behind theory, is further in arrears at present than usual. Or to state it more accurately, theory is farther ahead of practice than is ordinarily the case. This exceptional progress in educational theory is part of the rapid progress in American life. The ideals and demands of the present day are different from what they were a generation, or even a decade ago, and contrary to the popular view, educationists have not been slow to perceive the changes that are taking place and to revise their conception of education and its functions accordingly.

The proposals for reform are varied in method but they are based on a common conviction and have a common aim. That conviction is that college education should be less the work of teachers and more the work of students. What is meant is indicated by the remark of Dr. Henry Suzzallo, president of the Carnegie Foundation, in pointing out the absurdity of measuring a student's progress by the number of times a week a professor lectures to him. A corollary of the above named conviction is that only real students should be in college—those that can go under their own steam. Under this figure the professors may form a convoy to the fleet of student craft but not serve as tugs.

The common aim is to turn out more scholarly graduates—persons of greater breadth and capacity. This does not mean that the higher quality must necessarily be gotten by lesser quantity. While it means the elimination from college halls of those unsuited to college work it recognizes that there are many pupils in the schools having the ability who do not get to college, and that these should be discovered and gotten in to take the place of the unfit.

The essential need in the reform movement is a new and more dependable way of discovering and measuring human ability. G. L. O.

J. L. WEAVER ELECTED

PRESIDENT OF Y. M. C. A.

The College Y. M. C. A. elected officers for the next year on Wednesday. The men selected form a very capable and representative group, and they should be able to lead the organization through one of its most successful years. Through offering a series of speeches and devotional exercises the Y. M. C. A. is an aid to every student on the campus. It helps the Freshmen to become acquainted with college life by the system of "big" brothers; it keeps the men of the institution in closer contact with one another; and it offers a series of social activities, such as "weiner" roasts, dances, and "pep" sings.

The next president is "Jake" Weaver '32, who has served on the cabinet of the Y. M. C. A. for two years and has been a leader of the organization. Claude Lodge, versatile athlete from the Sophomore class, will serve in any absence of "Jake" Weaver as he was elected to the vice-presidency. One of the best known Freshmen will serve as secretary; he is "Bob" Bennett. Richard Allebach '32 has been selected as the manager of the finances for the years 1931-32. This staff will be assisted by a cabinet which will be selected very soon.

SORORITY HOLDS BANQUET

Tau Sigma Gamma held its Spring formal banquet at the Hotel Pennsylvania in West Philadelphia. Helen Jackson '30, an alumna of the sorority, also attended the affair.

ALUMNI NOTES

'17—Miss Marion H. Reifsnieder, of Mandalay, Burma, is with a gospel team in Siam until May 7. A few weeks ago Miss Reifsnieder with a gospel team toured part of Burma and reported many people accepted the gospel message. In one town alone more than sixty people were baptized.

The Philadelphia section of the Women's Club recently had a successful benefit at the Walnut Street Theatre. Miss Florence Brooks '12, had charge of the benefit.

'02—The Rev. Nevin D. Bartholomew, D. D., pastor of the Carmel Presbyterian Church at Edge Hill died on Saturday, April 18, aged 50 years. Dr. Bartholomew after graduation from College was engaged in Y. M. C. A. work for some years. Later he was graduated from Auburn Theological Seminary and entered the ministry of the Presbyterian Church. His pastorate in the Edge Hill church was very successful, the congregation having become large and influential under his ministry.

'24—Helen Groninger, secretary of the New York Ursinus Alumni Association, advises that there will be a meeting of the group at the Hotel Woodstock at 43rd and Broadway on the evening of May 11.

'26-'27—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moser, of Sanatoga, announced the engagement of their daughter Lillian B. '27 to Walter Molitor '26. Miss Moser is a member of the faculty of the Stewart Junior High School, Norristown, and Mr. Molitor is employed as a chemist at the Du Pont Laboratories at Deepwater, New Jersey.

'28—Larue Wertman is a member of the faculty of the Whitehall High School.

'29-ex-'31—Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and daughter Patricia Ellen were recent visitors on the campus. Mrs. Brown was formerly Miss Adelaide Conover ex-'31.

Ex-'29-Ex-'32—Mr. Horace Godshall ex-'29 and his wife, the former Miss Marguerite Goldthwaite ex-'32, have moved into their new home on Sixth avenue, Collegeville.

'30—Evelyn Brown is teaching in Palmerton High School.

'30—Rosa Trout is expecting to attend summer school at West Chester Teachers' College.

Ex-'30—Arnold Smith of Spring City, has bought the Norristown branch of the Jones' Motor Company. Among the Ursinus Alumnae recently seen on the campus were: Catherine Shipe '26, Mrs. Adeline Thomas Farley '27, Sarah Hoffer '28, and Anne Murray '30.

Rev. Frank Herson, D. D., '12, was continued as pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Milford, Delaware, at the recent meeting of the Wilmington Conference.

Professor Wilbur K. McKee, '18, of New York University, edits a department under the title of "Business English" in the Credit Executive magazine published monthly by the New York Credit Men's Association.

'18—Mrs. J. O. Thomson (Ruth J. Craft) of Canton, China, is receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Allen.

GAFF FROM THE GRIZZLY

Wonder What a Professor Thinks about? (With apologies to the late Mr. Briggs).

Close the door, please. (I'm five minutes late. It's a wonder this crew didn't walk out on me.) Miss Drysdale, what do we have for today? (If she doesn't know I'm sunk). That's right. . . . Mr. Massey, will you see who's at the door? Who? To see Mr. Thompson? (Well, he won't be back—that gag's getting old). . . . Mr. Miller, will you discuss that question? . . . Very good. (That's out of the book word for word. He may've memorized it but I doubt it.) . . . Mr. Roberts, what are your ideas along that line? (I thought he was asleep. Not a bad guess at that.) Mr. Stauffer, are you a senior? Well, please try and act like one. (That's one thing to look forward to—I won't have this bunch next year). We will have the same chapter for Thursday (There goes the bell. Now did she tell me to take an aspirin at the drug store and bring home something for supper, or to get my supper at the drug store and bring home some aspirin?)

News item: Chick Roberts took his harem to Philadelphia last Wednesday evening. He is quoted as having said that he had a very enjoyable evening.

Y. W. C. A. ANNOUNCEMENT

All girls desiring to visit the University Settlement House Friday afternoon will please see Miriam Fissel by Wednesday noon. The purpose of this visit will be to see this building and learn what type of work is done.

ENGLISH CLUB MEETS AT SHREINER

The regular meeting of the English Club was held at Shreiner Hall Monday evening, April 20, at 8 p. m. In spite of the fact that the program was short, it proved very entertaining. Elizabeth Taylor '31 gave a well organized talk on "My Story" by Mary Roberts Rhinehart. This biography is unusually worth while because it discusses that vital question which is confronting many women today—Can a woman have a career and at the same time do justice to her home duties? The author of the book seems to think that both can be accomplished successfully. Dr. Smith discussed in a general manner the life and works of Winston Churchill and his importance in the field of modern literature. At the next meeting, which will be held at Sprinkle Hall, a program will be arranged concerning Arnold Bennett.

HISTORY OF MAY DAY

Springtime celebrations with the use of fresh flowers, dances, songs and other festivities date back to ancient times. The early Germanic and Latin peoples associated the month of May with festal ceremonies religious in origin. There is reason to believe that the gathering of flowers is a survival of the rites originally offered the Roman Goddess, Maria, who was worshipped as the principle cause of fertility. The actual basis of May Day, however, seems to have been the Roman Floralia; that celebration consecrated to Flora, a later goddess of fertility. It was instituted in the year 241 B. C. because of a bad harvest.

Chaucer tells us that in England during the Middle Ages it was customary for all, both high and low—even the court itself—to go on the first May morning at an early hour to "fetch the flowers fresh."

This custom evidently continued among the British people down through the ages, for in Tudor England we find May Day recorded as a great public holiday. Everyone arose with the dawn to go "a-maying" and returned to their homes burdened with wreaths, boughs of blossoms and baskets filled with flowers. These were used to decorate the homes and village green for the festivities of the day. The fairest maid was then chosen as "Queen of the May." She was crowned with flowers and placed in a little arbor or bower. Here she remained in state receiving homage from the youth of the village who danced and sang before her. Perhaps even more conspicuous than the Queen was the brightly decorated May-pole about which people danced in rings almost the entire day.

The Puritans, however, when they became influential in England dealt a severe blow to these frivolities. This, no doubt, accounts for the fact that the custom of "going a-maying" was not brought to America. May Day celebrations did not come into favor in this country until the present century. To-day in nearly all public parks, playgrounds, and colleges—processions, games and dances are held. That this day has been growing more and more popular is evidenced by the increasing interest shown in it, and the more elaborate preparations made for its celebration. Dr. Omwake's article in The Tower Window of the April 10th issue has shown the development of the May Fete, here at Ursinus, from a gymnastic exhibition to the more involved pageant which will be presented on the campus on May 16th. M. F., '33.

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WOMEN DEBATERS

DEFEAT SETON HILL

The Ursinus Women's Affirmative Debating Team held a victorious forensic battle with Seton Hill College on Saturday night, April 25, in Bomberger Hall. Maxwell Kuebler '31, chairman of the debate, introduced the speakers and explained the topic debated.

The Affirmative team, Muriel Ingram '33, Marion Styer '31 and Dorothy Sanderson '31, upheld the question, Resolved: "That All Nations Should Adopt a Policy of Free Trade." This argument was contested by Catherine Cole, Maxine Cotton and Mary Dalton, of Seton Hill.

Mr. Arter, of Collegeville High School, Mr. Gebhard, of Spring City, High School and Mr. Replogle, of Phoenixville High School, as judges, unanimously decided that the warriors of the Affirmative line of battle presented the best fight, although the Negative team was by no means an inferior one.

BEAR NINE BREAKS

EVEN IN WEEK'S PLAY

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run was scored in each of the third and fifth and then to top it off three more were gathered in the sixth. In this inning Sterner, Eachus, and Dennis hit successive singles, Miller walked and Karp added another hit. This brought the Bears' scoring to a close and they coasted home to an easy triumph, their third in four starts.

Table with columns for teams (URSINUS, LEHIGH) and players (Scholl, Coble, Lodge, Sterner, Eachus, Dennis, Miller, Meckley, Karpinnen, Hunter) and statistics (AB, R, H, O, A, E).

Totals 41 9 16 27 14 1
* Batted for Graham in 7th.
Ursinus 2 2 1 0 1 3 0 0-9
Lehigh 1 0 1 0 0 2 0 0-4
Two-base hits—Hunter, Nemetz. Sacrifices—Eachus, Meckley. Stolen bases—Sterner 2, Dennis. Struck out by—Karpinnen 4, Hunter 3; Ayre 4, Dow 1. Bases on balls—off Karpinnen 4; Ayre 4. Hit by pitcher—Eachus, Simpson, McCarthy. Umpires—Bridy and Monahan.

Lafayette Conquers Ursinus

The Lafayette Leopard met the Ursinus Bear at Easton on Saturday and the result was a close 3-2 victory for the former. Inability to hit in the pinches, coupled with some damaging errors afield, brought about the defeat, the second of the season.

The game was nip and tuck thru-out with Davis and Hunter, both left-handers, putting up a great battle. As in previous games the Bears managed to outwit their opponents, 8-6, but the home team's blows were more timely and telling.

Wermuth, Lafayette catcher, was the particular fly in the ointment. In the second he drove in his team's first tally with a single, scoring Snook, who had reached first on Super's error. Again in the fourth with the same man on base, Wermuth busted one over Lodge's head for a home run. These two blows accounted for all of his team's runs.

Meanwhile Davis kept Ursinus away from the plate in all but the fifth when singles by Super, Coble, and Sterner and an out by Eachus scored both their runs. The Bears muffed a good chance to tie up the score or perhaps turn the tide in their favor in the ninth. In this inning Bateman and Meckley hit pinch singles, which placed them on third and first respectively. However, neither Super nor Coble could deliver and the uprising was fruitless.

Table with columns for teams (LAFAYETTE, URSINUS) and players (A. Socolow, Tompkins, Wilcox, Thompson, Snook, Cohen, Custer, Wermuth, Davis) and statistics (AB, R, H, O, A, E).

Totals 29 3 6 27 11 1
* Batted for Lodge in 9th.
** Batted for Hunter in 9th.
Ursinus 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0-2
Lafayette 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0-x-3
Sacrifice hits—Sterner. Tompkins, Cohen. Stolen bases—Socolow, Dennis, Wilcox. Home run—Wermuth. Struck out by Davis 11, by Hunter 3. Bases on balls—off Davis 1, off Hunter 2. Umpires—McBride and Bush.

FREELAND HALL MEN

CONDUCT CHURCH SERVICE

Last evening an impressive service was conducted at the Trinity Reformed Church by the Freeland Hall men under the direction of Alfred L. Creager '33.

The service opened with an organ recital and a hymn after which the invocation was offered by Dr. Lentz. Following another hymn the scripture was read and a prayer offered by Alfred Creager. A brass quartet composed of the following members: Blair Egge '31, Donald Dulaney '31, Jerome Wenner '33, and Norman Shollenberger '34 rendered the selections, "Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes," and "Sweet and Low." An impressive ten minute talk was given by Dr. Lentz on "The House of Dreams." Floyd Heller '33 rendered a vocal solo, after which another quartet, composed of Gilbert Kugler '32, Floyd Heller '33, Clair Hubert '33, and Kenneth Masteller '34 sang "The Lord is My Shepherd." The service was drawn to a close with the Benediction by Dr. Lentz.

HILL SCHOOL OUTFRONS FROSH

The Ursinus Frosh Track Team got its first taste of competition and, incidentally, defeat when Hill School handed them a trouncing on Saturday at Pottstown. The score was 102 to 24. The track was heavy.

Wally Tropp and Barney Stabert were the outstanding performers for the first year men.

Summary:
120-Yard High Hurdles—First, McWilliams, Hill; second, Lee, Hill; third Tutwiler, Hill.
100-Yard Dash—First, Connell, Hill; second, Tropp, Ursinus; third, D. Oliver, Hill.
1/2 Mile Run—First, Mallinson, Hill; second, Catetta, Ursinus; third, McDonald, Hill.

Pole Vault—First, McWilliams, Hill; tied for second, Biddle and Medina, Hill.

High Jump—Tied for first, Clute and Dunn, Hill; third, Maise, Hill.

Shot Put—First, Tutwiler, Hill; second, Bennett, Ursinus; third, Gingrich, Hill.

Half-mile Run—First, Stabert, Ursinus; second, Proxmire, Hill; third, Head, Hill.

Discus Throw—First, Klugh, Hill; second, Smith, Hill; third, Bennett, Ursinus.

Javelin Throw—First, Wattlinger, Hill; second, Roe, Hill; third, Connell, Hill.

Broad Jump—First, Connell, Hill; second, Tutwiler, Hill; third, McWilliams, Hill.

440-Yard Dash—First, Worth, Hill; second, Stabert, Ursinus; third, Harries, Hill.

Hammer Throw—First, Burbank, Hill; second, Pettit, Hill; third, Everly, Hill.

220-Yard Dash—First, Tropp, Ursinus; second, Worth, Hill; third, Oliver, Hill.

ST. PAUL BROTHERHOOD HOLDS ANNUAL BANQUET

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it did not have for forty years. There is a definite breach existing in the country today and someone must bring America back to God. Later on, while discussing the invaluable services of the minister he said, "If this material civilization is not to be in vain, it will be because some ministers will be the range finders for all who are contributing materially towards the progress of the world. Ministers are the dreamers of the world, and the world will be what its dreams are." Throughout his discussion he laid special emphasis on the importance of communion with God in one's private life. He concluded aptly by urging the members of the Brotherhood to take full advantage of their educational opportunities so that in the end they might enter upon their task to "work for a verdict"—that is, to definitely win people to their side. Dr. Omwake, asked to say a few words, responded with several very encouraging and challenging remarks. After the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," the meeting was closed with the pronunciation of the benediction by Dr. Felmuth.

NEW VARSITY CLUB TO BE ORGANIZED

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"Jing" Johnson is composed of George McBath '31, captain of the 1930 football team; "Don" Sterner '31, leader of the 1930-31 basketball quintet; "Ray" Coble '31, director of the diamond team; "Mel" Greer '31, the wrestling leader during the past season; "Spiegel" Dotterer '31, general of this year's tennis squad; John Lentz '31, captain of the varsity track team; and John Fertig '31, leader of the cross-country harriers.

DR. FELMUTH SPEAKER

AT CHAPEL FRIDAY

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he showed that men all over the world are making an earnest effort to secure permanent peace; he brought out gentleness as over-balancing force by showing that the weakest animals and the weakest nations are the ones which have survived; and finally he proved that purity overrules vice by comparing the olden policy of excess drinking with that of present moderation.

Improvement, said Dr. Felmuth, spreads all over the world. One man obtains a good thing and soon a thousand others have it too. The reasons for this are twofold: first, men were made to dream of better things—they never reach a best but are always striving for a better, and second, because there is a Power in this world that makes for goodness—that Power is God.

In the few lines of the following verse, Dr. Felmuth gave a summation of his address:

"Truth forever on the scaffold, Wrong forever on the throne, Yet that scaffold rules the future And beyond the dim unknown Standeth God amid the shadows And he ruleth o'er his own."

Dr. Lentz had introduced the speaker as his friend—a man worth knowing. At the conclusion of his address, the Ursinus students felt that this was more than true. They were quite willing to look with him "westward where the land is bright."

MUSIC CLUB PRESENTS ENTERTAINING PLAYLET

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For a first dramatic appearance Esther Lightner '34 was quite good as a flippant, spurnful little maid. At least she spurned the flirtations of the giddy, young Max Perigate. Max evidently had spring fever. At any rate his fancy had strongly turned to love.

In the opening scene the audience was treated, by the Gang, to "Old Time Harmony" of such songs as "Sweet Adeline," "The Stein Song," and "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes."

The second scene found Max in a very sentimental mood. With the memories of each separate girl he sang a different song. Among these were "Moonbeams," "Irish Eyes Are Smiling," "She's a Pretty City Widow," and "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms." At this time Max's mother entered with Adele Randle, the girl whom Max had been wanting to meet for some time. Adele invited Max to sing at a community gathering. In his joy he sang to Adele "Because Your You" and "L'Amour Toujour."

A year later Max having become well known, was about to enter opera. He sang one of his numbers "A Moment Rare" to Adele.

Again, some time later, Max's old Gang was around him and sang "Sweet Adeline." They congratulated the great opera singer on his marriage to Adele Randle.

The fact that this play was original and written by a Music Club member created even more interest.

At the business meeting two new members were accepted into the club: Esther Lightner '34 and Mary Myers '34. The officers for the coming year are: President, Nevin Detwiler '32; Vice President, Ruth White '33; Secretary, Ruth Haines '34; Treasurer, Paul Wagner '32; representative to Council on Social Activities, Alfred Alspach '33.

The refreshment committee is to be congratulated on the especially good refreshments, chocolate nut sundaes and cakes.

INTER-CLASS TRACK MEET

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utes and 55 seconds. Sutin later broke the two mile record by eight seconds. Warren Hess continued the assault on the old marks by smashing the 880 mark, while "Al" Paul lowered both marks for the high and broad jumps.

The summaries:
High Hurdles—first, Hirt, Senior, 17 7-10 seconds.
One Mile Run—first, Catetta, Frosh 4 minutes and 55 seconds.

440 yard—first, McAllister, Frosh, 54 4-5 seconds.

Low Hurdles—first, Lentz, Senior, 27 2-5 seconds.

Shot Put—first, Black, Senior, 40 feet 9 inches.

220 Yard Dash—first, McAllister, Frosh, 23 9-10 seconds.

110 Yard Dash—first—Steele, Soph. 10 7-10 seconds.

Two Mile Run—Sutin, Frosh, 10 minutes 52 seconds.

880—first Hess, Senior, 2 minutes 10 seconds.

Pole Vault—first, Clark, Senior, 10 feet.

Discus—first, McBath, Senior, 121 feet.

Broad Jump—first, Paul, Soph., 20 feet 10 inches.

High Jump—first, Paul, Soph., 5 ft. 7 1/2 inches.

Javelin—first, Allen, Senior, 152 ft. 3 inches.

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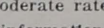
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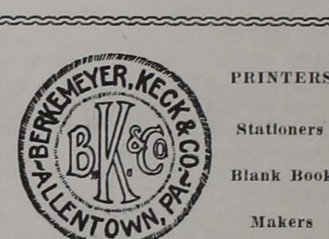
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