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COLLEGEVILLE, PA., MONDAY, JANUARY 12, 1914.

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FIRST GLEE CLUB TRIP SUCCESSFUL

Second Week of Christmas Vacation Spent in a Glee Club helpful talk on Wednesday even- was recently held at Kausas City, Tour of York and Lebanon Counties.



EDGAR T. ROBINSON Manager of This Year's Glee Club.

successfully made by the glee club four in York County and one in during the week beginning Decem- Lebanon County. Not a little ber 20.

ous clubs have been for a number which he handled the business end of years. The repertory of songs is of the club. of a high class, containing such The members of the club collectwell-known compositions as "Vag. ed at Harrisburg on the 29th and Christmas blossoms out into a life abondia" by Bullard, "Song of the proceeded to Red Lion, York Coun- of service. He wants us to blosabondia'' by Bullard, "Song of the proceeded to Red Lion, York Coun-Vikings" by Fauing, "Timbue ty, at which place the first concert Wikings" by Fauing, "Timbue ty, at which place the first concert of service. He wants us to blos-som out, and to give material gifts, Hartranft ; Mock Trial, Messrs, too'' by Geibel, "Mammy's Lulla- was given that evening. This was but we must not forget the gift of by" an arrangement from Dvorak's the least satisfactory concert of the God, forgiveness and life in Christ. Humoresque and a number of other five, owing to the fact that the Compared with this, all temporal Gazette, Miss Peters.

Iargely to the popularity of the hearse before the concert. A fair of life. May we all know this gift of the program in Zwinglian on program. Deininger in his imper- sized audience heard the singing of and help others to desire and resonations never failed to win great the club which aside from being ceive it ! applause. Rumbaugh with his somewhat ragged, was creditable. Ursinograph stunt received a "glad The concert in the theatre at hand'' everywhere. The sketch by Glen Rock on Tuesday evening was Pritchard and Deininger though very much better than that of the Tuesday, January 13, 6.40 p. m.somewhat old and witnessed before previous evening and the club was was thoroughly enjoyed by the au- greeted by a considerably larger dience. Wiest in his cornet, and autoence. Robinson in his vocal solos were al-ways roundly applauded. The sang at Hanover. Despite the fact that au unusually large number of Wednesday, January 14, 7.00 p. m.—Y. M. C. A., English room. 8.00 p. ...-Lecture by Prof. R. W. K. Isan, D. D. St. Hayerford dience. Wiest in his cornet, and audience. capped by the fact that two of its social functions were being held on members had very bad colds, did the same evening, a large crowd commendable work and was invari- heard the work of the club. ably called upon for encores. These The boys appeared before the numbers backed up by the heavier largest audience of the trip at York work of the entire glee club made on Thursday evening. The conwork of the entire glee club made on Thursday evening. The con-one of the best concerts that an Ur cert was held in Dr. Wisst's sinus club has ever given. (Continued on page four) Miss Ferree, '14, on Friday.

The first trip for this season was The itinerary included five towns,

credit should be given to Robinson,

Joint Meeting of Y. M. and Y. W. C. A.

"The Gift of God" was the subject of Dean Kline's seasonable and of the student volunteer movement ing. He based his discussion on Kansas. John 4:10, in which Christ, at Jacob's well, tells the Samaritan wo- tions of the world had representa-

which is the gift of God. Christmas season; for the real convention will appear in next meaning of Christmas is the birth week's issue of the WEEKLY. of Christ in our hearts, with for- The Y. M. C. A., under whose and aspirations.

of Christmas with us always, the or church audience on condition whole world would have a different that his expenses to and from the aspect. When filled with this place be borne. spirit, people reach out for the one great gift which cannot be purchased with money-that nobility and power which is given us by Christ's birth in our souls.

humanity, burdened with the Ro- Schaff on Friday evening and was man yoke, and with the yoke of of a miscellaneous nature. Several sin and death, was looking for a numbers deserve special mention. deliverer, and did not realize the The program follows : The club which numbers thirty- 14, who arranged for the trip, and fullness of His life. His divinity two members is larger than previ- also for the capable manner in came later in His life, when the gift of God, the Christmas spirit, Institution," Mr. Elicker; Recitaentered and changed the world.

A life filled with the spirit of Humoresque and a number of otner selections equally popular and members of the club had been sep-gifts are worthless. God alone is arated during the Christmas recess the Giver, and He has given us The special features contributed and had little opportunity to re- Christ, the inspirer and sustainer

CALENDAR.

Y. W. C. A., English room. 7.30 p. m .- Meeting of Mathe-

W. Kelsey, Ph. D. of Haverford Other numbers were : Piano solo, College. Subject : Centripetal Miss Rogers ; Vocal Duet, Misses Forces in Modern Society.

Friday, January 16. 7.40 p. m.-Literary Societies.

Singley Represents Ursinus at Kansas Convention.

A great international convention

Nearly all the educational instituman about that "living water" tives in attendance. Ursinus was represented by D. F. Singley, '15. We are still, he said, in the A full report of the work of the

giving and transfiguring power. auspices Mr. Singley went, desires Bethlehem, His earthly birth-place, to thank all persons who helped to is not comparable to the human make possible the sending of a soul, with its heavenly possibilities delegate, by their contributions. Mr. Singley will make a report of If we would but carry the spirit the convention before any school

SOCIETY NOTES.

Schaff.

The first program after the During Christ's life on earth, Christmas vacation was given in

Piano duet, Misses Hunsicker and Boorem ; Essay, "Smithsonian tion, "Hiawatha," Miss Sabold ; Vocal solo, Miss Detwiler; Essay, "Spirit of the Russian Student," Light and Rumbaugh leaders; Musical Recitation, Mr. Gingrich;

Zwinglian.

Friday evening. The question, "Resolved, That the President should be elected for one term, and only one term, of six years," was discussed. On the affirmative side Messrs. L. Yost, Clark and Eby spoke, while the negative was upheld by Messrs. Lightkep, Wintyen and Yeager. The decision of the judges was in favor of the affirmative.

Other numbers were : Piano solo, Snyder and Wagner; and the Review, read by Mr. Thena.

President G. L. Omwake has been confined to his home for the past week with an attack of illness.

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EDITORIAL

glee club is so apparent to most tions of course; but they also meet people that comment upon the sub- many young people who have not ject may seem superfluous. There decided what college they will atare always persons, however, who tend; and they meet still others call into question the claim made who have not decided whether they by any organization, and as every will go to college at all or not. person has some influence others Furthermore, they go into the may be deterred from giving their homes of the people and become support to a movement because of personally acquainted with them. disparaging criticism.

iary organizations; and all these athletic teams by this comparison. organizations, however varied they We merely wish to show that the may be in their functions, have glee club is doing a work which just two or three main purposes. the athletic teams cannot do. Both Either they support the college are doing an important work withfinancially or they give it publicity in their own province and both are or else their object is to furnish di- legitimate within their own field. version to the students from the Both are doing more to bring their routine work of the class room and school before the public than all study. A good glee club in a pre- the circulars and prospectuses that eminent degree realizes these last an institution can send out: for two aims.

sions apt to be indulged in by stu- superfical examination-or some dents which have practically no times none at all. the same time he is receiving an kind of recreation to a large numman or woman. most beautiful things in life to trouble nor expense. have atrophied.

The value of a good glee club as hardly be over estimated.

There is scarcely a college in the country which does not send out some kind of a musical organization. And we are probably safe in saying that not more than half of these institutions come out ahead or even, financially. Many of them have deficits to make up at the end of the season. They consider that they are being compensated by the publicity which the club is giving the school. And in this belief they are right, for a glee club advertises the school which it represents in a way which no other organization of the school can. A baseball or a football team rarely gets into the homes of the JOHN L. BECHTEL people when playing other teams. And besides, they play teams of other colleges from which they cannot hope to win students for their own school. They frequently

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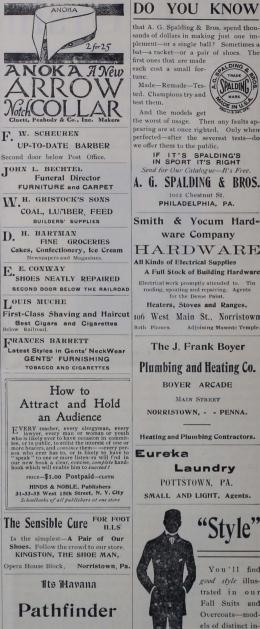
make trips without coming in contact with any persons save the students of the institutions which they are playing.

With a glee club, however, it is very different. It goes not to to another institution but into a town. Its members come in con-The value to a college of a good tact with students of other institu-

By no means do we mean to dis-Every college has certain auxil- parage the value of the work of frequently the latter are consigned There are a great many diver- to the waste basket with only a

moral uplift and very little cultur- A glee club which goes through al value. Anyone taking part in a a season and comes out at the end good musical organization finds financially intact, does more than recreation of the highest type from most musical organizatious do. In his more arduous duties. And at addition it has furnished the best aesthetical development which is ber of students and by frequent essential to the truly cultured association and common interest Like Darwin, has strengthened and tightened the many a one has regretted in later bonds of friendship. The college life his neglect to cultivate this also has profited by being brought side of his nature, and has felt his to the notice of the public in a power to appreciate the finest and manner which has involved neither

Miss Helen M. Ferree, '14, spent an advertising agency for the several days in Philadelphia during school which sends it out can the past week doing research work at the University of Pennsylvania.



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Wailes gave the last of a series of Columbia University. Last year Bible study talks, telling the story he held the chair of political science of Mary, the mother of Jesus. He in Syracuse University but resigned said in part:-

life, but her influence has been in- vania. calculable. A mother is her child's The bride is a graduate of Milsympathy. So great, in fact, was at the New England Conservatory His love for her that even on the of Music at Boston. cross he thought of her, and enite disciple, John.

blessedest of all women. The Bar. story of her mother-love for the child Christ has sweetened all childhood and hallowed all motherhood; and our lives ought all to be purer and sweeter for studying her life

Cupid Still on the Job.

id, has not shot all his arrows yet named for the purpose of drawing was proven on New Year's eve up a number of amendments to the when Mr. Samuel S. Loucks, of athletic constitution. In the same Red Lion, York County, Pa., was meeting the following men were united in marriage to Miss Elsie awarded U. A. A's: Messrs Brown, Gladys Sechrist, also of Red Lion. Beltz, J. Reigle, Fisher, R. Reigel, announced a year ago, the wedding berry, Sellers, Shaub, Reiff, Wiest. came as a surprise to their many McCarthy, Hartranft Dietz, Confriends

Mr. Loucks was graduated from Ursinus with the class of 1910. On Wednesday evening Dr. He then studied for two years at his position there in order to study There is little known of Mary's law at the University of Pennsyl-

first friend; and Christ and his lersville Normal School and for the mother were always in perfect past two seasons has been a student

trusted her to the care of his favor- up housekeeping in the spring at Red Lion. After finishing his law We think of Mary, not as the course Mr. Loucks will practice his highest nor holiest, but as the profession before the York County

Reserves Granted U. A. A's.

At a meeting of the Athletic Association held just prior to the Christmas recess, a committee consisting of: Dr. Smith, Ralph Mill-That that little god of love, cup- er, '05, and I. N. Boyer, '14, was Although the engagement had been Bahner, Stugart, Adams, Austerdon, Hess and Clark.

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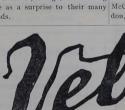
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Prof. Chas. Grove Haines, A. ception for the club at the conclu-M., Ph. D., will give an informal sion of the program. lecture in Bomberger Hall this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

sinus. He was graduated with the evening. This engagement was class of 1903. For a number of secured through Rev. I. C. Fisher. years he held the chair of History D. D., an alumnus and director of and Political Science here. Of late the college. A reception was tenyears he has been a member of the dered the club at the home of Dr. faculty of Whitman College, Walla Fisher after the concert. Walla, Washington,

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Injured Hand Operated Upon.

which he had the misfortune to sever while working in the laboratory some time ago. The opera- der the auspices of the Historicaltion was a difficult one and Mr. hope soon again to see him have the full use of his hand.

Glee Club Boys Play Basketball. The Fisk Teachers' Agency,

During the glee club trip a basketball team, picked from the club, played the Lebanon High School team on the Y. M. C. A. floor at Lebanon. The Lebanon boys won the game, the score being 29-19. Our boys considered this a very good showing in view of the fact that they had had no practice at all this year.

PERSONALS.

Prof. C. V. Tower, Professor of Philosophy, is able to be about again, after having been confined to his home with an attack of the Established 1869. grippe.

The class pins of the Senior class were distributed on Friday. They are in the form of a seal and are quite unique, bearing the initials of the college and their numerals, IOIA.

Prof. I. M. Rapp, Professor of Physics aud Instructor in Chemistry, was unable to meet his classes during the past week, on The account of suffering with a severe cold.

The various Groups have organized for the purpose of playing basket ball. Hess, '14, has been elected manager of the Classical Group, and Seaman, '14, was elected manager of the Historical-The students Political Group. have been practicing in the Field Cage during the past week.

(Continued from page 1.) church. Dr. Wiest, who is a director of the college had a little re-

The concluding concert of the trip was given in the P. O. S. of Dr. Haines is an alumnus of Ur- A. Hall at Lebanon on Friday

The young men composing the Dr. Haines is at present the club were entertained in the homes guest of his father-in-law, Mr. E. at the places where they appeared and a very pleasant time was experienced by all.

Prof. R. W. Kelsey, Ph. D., of Harold Kerschner, '16 recently Haverford College, will give a lecunderwent an operation in the ture in Bomberger Hall on Wed-German Hospital, Philadelphia, to nesday evening, January 14, at 8 restore a tendon in his thumb o'clock. His lecture will be "Centripetal Forces in Modern Society.' Prof. Kelsey comes to Ursinus un-Political group. He is a keen stu-Kerschner has suffered consider. dent of sociology and a very pleasable pain as a consequence. We ing speaker. To the students and public the Historical - Political group extends a most hearty welcome free of charge.

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