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CALENDAR

Saturday, Oct. 9, Football, Varsity vs. Lehigh; Scrubs vs. Bethlehem Prep.; both games at

South Bethlehem. Monday, Oct. 11, Handel Choral Society, 7.00 p. m.

Men's Glee Club, 8 p. m. Tuesday Oct. 12, Y. W. C. A.

6.40 p. m. Wednesday, Oct. 13, Y. M. C. A. 6.40 p. m.

Thursday, Oct. 14, Handel Choral

Society, 7.00 p. m. Friday, Oct. 15, Literary Societies,

7.40 p. m. Saturday Oct. 16. Football. Varsity vs. Medico Chi, on Ursinus Athletic Field.

THE FOOTBALL SITUATION

URSINUS MEETS LEHIGH TOMORROW

Tomorrow the football season at Ursinus really begins. At that time the first of the three games of most moment on our schedule occurs at South Bethlehem. Interest in the first two games was naturally not very keen. Williamson was easy, and against Pennsylvania we confidently expected that by next one should by all means help this that our opponents, chagrined by Red, Old-gold and Black, are determined to retrieve those two disappointments if it is at all possible. meet Lehigh with a confidence and with a determination to repeat

A goodly number of Ursinus rooters will accompany the team most capacity of their throats and lungs lend their aid toward bringwell repaid, for the game gives to morrow. Students will be as the necessary shekels.

FIELD HOUSE

ments on the field house have students who have not subscribed, season is over. reached such a point that it is to give their contribution. Every The scrubs play Bethlehem Prep. staff.



CAPTAIN QUAY

had little chance. The Lehigh week the students will be able to fund's progress and no Ur inus stugame, however, never fails to use the building. At a recent dent should have it said of him arouse great enthusiasm, and the meeting of the Athletic Committee, that he did not subscribe for, and contest this year will be particular- it was decided to have the formal help build this, the Ursinus Stuly interesting by reason of the fact opening of the Field House on Oct. dents' Field House. 13, the day Ursinus plays Medico- From "A Friend" last year's defeats in both football Chi. The Committee, consisting of Prof. G. L. Omwake and baseball at the hands of the athletic Director Price, chairman, William Fenton, Jr. Red Oblavold and Black, are de., Mr. J. T. Ebert and R. E. Miller, Walter Garrett, '98 '05, who had charge of the erecting of the building, have been ap-On the other hand, Ursinus will pointed as the committee to arrange for the event. The program born of last season's decisive victory will appear in the next issue of sylvania on Wednesday of last the "Weekly." Subscriptions of week the squad was practically tomorrow, and doubtless the Ur- earnest hope of the committee that work. On Monday, however, hard sinus contingency will to the ut- those who have not responded to work began, and Coach Price sible, and that those who have not subscribed will send subscriptions shown great improvement over who make the trip will surely be as soon and as large as possible. their form of last week, and the overcome three or four more propromise of being one of the best this week to the contribution of a a way which indicates that the that will be played on any gridiron friend. While it is that individual second team will this season be scarce around college to-morrow nevertheless the committee feels years. Behney, Captain Davis, as cuss words in Yost's vocabulary, that their appreciation of this con- Kershner, McNeil and Kichline and so it's on to South Bethlehem tribution and interest shown should are the mainstays of the scrubs for all who can possibly produce be publicly expressed. Another and several of these men are good During the past week develop- the new students, and those old fights for their jobs before the E. E. Quay was elected to take

THE WORK OF THE TEAMS DURING THE WEEK

After the game with Pennlate have been coming to the given a rest until Monday. The treasurer in smaller numbers, but men were sent through daily praclarger amounts, and it is the tices but there way little hard appeals will do so as soon as pos- has kept the men on the jump ever Particular attention must be called scrubs are also getting together in wish that the name be withheld, much better than for a number of matter to be brought to the at- for substitute positions on the tention of the students is the de-sire of the committee to have all some of the first team men hard Ruby, now in course of preparation.

at Bethlehem to-morrow morning. and the work of this plucky bunch of players, who are working faithfully to whip the Varsity into shape will be watched with much interest.

Several important changes were made in the Varsity line-up this week. Gerges, who has played guard for two seasons, and who has been a mainstay of Ursinus at that position, has been tried at left end. This position is entirely new to Gerges, but as he has strength, speed, and plenty of nerve, he should certainly develop into a first-class end. In Gerges' place at guard Coach Price has been playing Captain Quay. Quay is at home on the line and should cover the position of guard with distinction. Slonaker, who was kept out of scrimmage practice for over a week and who was not able to play in either of the games, is again in shape to do work and he has been covering an end position in great shape. Slonaker is expected to make good to-morrow.

Another man who has been attracting much attention the past few days is Yohe. This strapping Freshman came to Ursinus from Mercersburg entirely unheralded. He has been putting up a good game with the scrubs, and was this week tired out with the Varsity in Captain Quay's place, the latter 20 having been somewhat incapaci-5 tated by slight injury. Yohe will 5 doubtless be used as a utility lineman and should prove very useful.

"he men comprising the squad are: Captain Quay, Gerges, Keyser, Knauer, Douthett, Kerr Thompson, R. Thompson, Slonaker, Bunting, West, Isenberg, Gay, Davis, Behney, Jacobs, Kershner, Cassel Kichline, Lindamen, Yohe, Laucks Bransome, Holt, Robins, McNeil, Spears, Shellhamer, Small, Long, Thomasson, and Weed.

Just now there is a paucity of outfits, but when this deficiency is mising men will join the squad. The football situation, viewed from all aspects is therefore more rosy than it has been for many a long day, and a successfull season is confidently anticipated.

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College Notes,

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EDITORIAL

The other day a Senior accosted a Freshman who was leaving the college grounds at about the time football practice was in progress, and reminded him that it was his duty to come out to the field and watch the work of the football men. Whereupon the Freshman replied, "What football practice? I didn't know there was any football practice."

Fortunately, quite fortunately, such Freshmen are not met every day. The poor fellow is to be pitied, of course, for he has reached senility at that period of his existence when he should be wearing turbulent haberdashery, turning up his trousers and nose, and appearing appropriately "fresh."

No, the're not all as bad as that, but the episode served to show to what extent an Ursinus student and only when such an obligation can become steeped in a lethargic is felt by the students, can they indifference to the activities in which all should share.

Most of the new men are entering into the life of the college with good spirit, but there can be found many who require a little prodding, who need to have that proclivity to held in Schaff Society. The procrawl into their shells rudely jarred. gram was as follows: Piano Trio The men and women who are Misses Freyer, Heebner and spending their second or third year Scheuren. Debate, Question, at Ursinus shirk a responsibility if Resolved, that Women have had interest in the activities of the col- than men. lege. It is up to us to set the Affirmative speakers, Brehm,

is paramount to every other sphere Mixed Chorus, leader, Miss Say-

of college life, and all others-the Handel Chorus, the glee clubs, tennis - must be made subservient. The other interests will in their turn command the attention of everyone, but just now the pigskin is of chief importance.

In the last few years there has been considerable dissatisfaction felt, and often expressed, by students, concerning the equipment of the dormitories and of the premises in general. Many requests to have anything improved have been met with the reply that any improvements will be unavailing, as the students are utterly regardless of their rights in the way they abuse college property. It must be evident that in charging this the authorities have many facts to support them. Proofs of this state ment are scattered all over the place. Witness the care of the dormitories and of Bomberger Hall. as shown by knife scratches and penciled hieroglyphics on almost every available spot, and by tricks such as the one inflicted upon the chapel piano just lately. Witness the care that is taken of furniture in all the buildings, and the preservation of our campus by those using the gravel walks. Students should remember that even though all property damaged by them is replaced at their expense, yet the college authorities cannot constant. First-Class Tonsorial Parlors. Call ly be repairing damages caused by thoughtlessness alone. On the other hand, students who desire improvements, and who could respect them, cannot be expected to do police duty in order that they may not suffer inconveniences. As matters stand, we cannot hope for improvements if half the students sacrifice the right to them for the whole student body, and we can scarcely expect the virtuous half to guard their rights by force from the barbaric half. The state of morals at Ursinus should certainly make it possible for the care of property to be considered by every student as a personal obligation, hope to have granted their requests

SOCIETY NOTES

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On Friday evening a debate was If Reeds

Miss Dunn, Heinly. Negative, At this time of the year football Herber, Miss Booser, Holt.



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lor. The Judge of the Debate decided in favor of the Affirmative. After a general discussion the house agreed with the decision of the Judge.

The regular election of officers had the following results: President, Mr. Tyson; Vice-President, Mr. Knauer; Recording Secretary, Miss Tegtmeier; Critic, Mr. Spears; Pianist, Miss Heebner; Editor, Collegeville, Pa. No. 1, Mr. Billman ; Editor No. 2. Miss Booser: Corresponding Secretary, Miss Miller: Treasurer. Mr. Shellhamer; Financial Secretary, Mr. L. Lauer; Chaplain, unusually large number of students Mr. Melvin Jacobs; Janitor, Mr. Herber

> The society was very glad to enroll as active members, Mr. Melvin Jacobs, Mr. Bruce Jacobs, Mr. Walter Lauer and Mr. Wm.

The program for Friday evening which was miscellaneous, was rendered as follows: Vocal Solo. Miss Fermier, '10: Monologue. Quartette, Leader, Quay, Select Reading, Mertz, '10; Violin augmented student-body Solo, Horten, '13; Reading, Miss Deck, '12; Recitation, Miss Latshaw, '11; Oration, Lindaman, 10; Zwinglian Review, Godshall '11. Under voluntary exercise the society was favored by several piano duetts by the Misses Hain and Fisher. Mr. Horten also rendered some pleasing selections on the violin. Prof. Holsworth was present and gave a few remarks.

Y. M. C. A.

meeting Wednesday evening and the good people of Dayton. took for his subject, "Looking to The following men preached on cussed in part as follows:

about life is life itself. All genera- '10, Springfield, O.; Reimers, '10, tions have been seeking for its true Springboro, O. source. The philosophers of old and the Christian have agreed that our Seminary into closer touch and there must be one common source,

If we would build our lives upmust find it in Christ. Every day and every action is contributing to destinies. So let us be guided by the only true way."

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COLLEGE NEWS

By recent action of the Directors an additional bath-room is being

President Keigwin was in Cambridge, Mass., this week as the representative of Ursinus at the inauguration of A. Lawrence Lowell as president of Harvard

microscopes have been purchased by the College for the Biological enrolled for work in this department.

SEMINARY NOTES

The Seminary at Dayton, O. has opened with an unprecedented number of new students enrolled. The Junior Class numbers fifteen, eight of whom are from the East The Seminary building proper was found inadequate as a dormitory. and a house at 25 Livingston Ave., formerly the residence of Dr. Van Miss Austerberry, '10; Male Horne, has been occupied by some 'II; of the students. With the work along all lines.

Drs. Van Horne, Vollmer and E. H. Mehihouse & Co. Christman are attending the sessions of the Ohio Synod which is

Several weeks ago the Ladies' Missionary Society of First Re- FULL LINE OF WALL PAPER FOR dent-body at a supper given on the Campus. It was quite a social Borough Line event as it served to make the new Keener, '11, led the regular students acquainted with many of

The Foundations," which he dis- Sunday: Hartman, '10, Arcadum, O.; Kriete, '10, Crestline, O.; Ursinus Pennants, Loose Leaf "The greatest thing in life and Yocum, '10, Hillgrove, O.; Wagner

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evening. The topic for the even-ing was "The Battle with the Slums." The meeting was led by Miss Heebner who took as her text over over any additional courses." the story of Christ sending out his of her talk was as follows:

Our cities are becoming more of a menace to our civilization each year. Here the forces of sin have massed themselves and have made use of the prevailing ignorance, photographer, came up from the immorality and vice for selfish ends. It is only with the aid of the forces over the football squad, and to of righteousness, truth and temperance, with the faithful use of attitudes. The "Ledger" of Sunthe sword of the spirit, that the day will devote a full page to these battle will be won.

The battle of the slums is a bat- write-up. tle against selfishness and greed, with its lack of feeling for others, as well as a battle against the to the institution to resume her traffic in vice and sin. There is a studies. vast amount of misery, vice and poverty in our cities that can be ter, '12, Lauer, '13, and Misses must have the spirit of Christ in our civilization. The Gospel of Saturday. a crucified Savior is alone sufficient for the work. We must carry this Messrs. Tracy and Larue, of Nor-Gospel to the slum districts and compel them to come in, that the house of our Lord may be filled.

THE PASSING GRADE

The old rule requiring a student to make an an average of C in or- Phoenixville Monday evening. der to be advanced with his class has been recast by the Faculty as college during the week were Miss

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"When a student fails to attain disciples to gather in the people to an average grade of C, his parent the wedding feast. The substance or guardian shall be promptly notified."

SPORTING EDITOR HERE

D. L. Reaves, sporting editor of the "Public Ledger" and a staff city on Monday afternoon to look take pictures of the men in various pictures, together with an extensive

Miss Natalie Beach has returned

Mertz, '10, Moser, '10, Gladfelremedied. For its eradication we Fermier, '10, and Dunn, '11, saw "Faust" played in Norristown last

> Miss Corrigan, '12, entertained ristown, on Monday evening.

> Misses Latshaw, '11, and Deck, '12, spent Saturday at their respective homes.

Thomasson, '12, was visiting in

Among the Alumni visiting the Elizabeth Long, '09, of Lands-"Each student shall be required dale, Pa., Miss Helen Neff, '09,



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