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# The Ursinus Weekly

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## CALENDAR

Friday, Feb. 10. College Literary Societies, 7.40 p. m.

Sunday, 12. Bible Class, 4 p. m.

Monday, 13. Ursinus Union, 7.30 p. m.

Tuesday, 14. Margaret Barry in Les Miserables, College Chapel 8 p. m.

Wednesday, 15. Regular Weekly Devotional Meeting Y. M. C. A., 6.40 p. m.

Friday, 17. Academy Literary Society, 2. p. m.

College Literary Societies, 7.40 p. m.

## SOCIETY NOTES

### SCHAFF

Friday evening was the evening for the election of officers and the program in its nature was very fitting and appropriate for such an evening. It was a program of a lighter kind but extremely interesting and enjoyable. The first number was a piano selection by Miss Evelyn Neff. The recitations by Miss Eva Thompson and Mr. Schweyer, were very well given and very well received. Mr. Cook told the society "How he passed his examinations," a talk through which the members of the society gained profitable and precious information. The parliamentary drill for ten minutes proved amusing, yet was a great training in obeying and carrying out parliamentary rules. The funniest and most comical number on the program, however, was the Pennsylvania "Dutch" Conversation by Mr. Lenhart and Mr. Myers. Both were very natural and took their parts well. Mr. Harman read a very good paper in which he upheld the cause of the Revolutionists in the late Russian Revolutionary movement. This practically was the only really serious number. The mixed quartette did very well and deserve praise for their part. The last number, the Gazette, was a fitting number for concluding a program. Mr. Heller, the editor was original in the composition of his paper, and together with his jokes the society enjoyed a good paper.

The officers for the next term are: President, Mr. Trexler; Vice-President, Mr. Dotterer; Recording Secretary, Miss Beck; Corresponding Secretary, Mr. Paiste; Financial Secretary, Mr. Myers; Chaplain, Mr. Frederick; First Editor,

Mr. Cook: Second Editor, Mr. Steward; Critic, Miss Hobson; Treasurer, Mr. Ebbert; Pianist, Miss Neff; Janitor, Mr. Koons.

### ZWINGLIAN

Last Friday evening a large and appreciative audience listened to one of the best programs that has been rendered in our society during the school year. The literary numbers without exception were well prepared and well rendered, and the musical numbers which appeared here and there through the program were indeed a treat. The instrumental duet by Snyder and Crunkleton was much enjoyed and was encored with a will. An original story by Mr. Fenton, entitled "Excitement in Burlington" contained much quiet humor and was thoroughly appreciated. The essay work of the evening was above the ordinary. Miss Long's essay on "Washington Irving" was an exceptional literary production, while Mr. Townsend's exhaustive and graphic treatment of the present agitation over interstate freight rates showed a keen legal mind and a statesmanlike grasp of affairs. Messrs. Reisner, Wise and Brown spoke extemporaneously on the respective subjects: Baseball, The Future of Zwinglian Society, and Social Life at Ursinus. All of the gentlemen seemed at ease upon the platform and their remarks provoked a great deal of mirth in the audience. A declamation by Mr. Price, "Hamlet's Soliloquy," showed true appreciation of the poet's thought and was realistically and forcefully presented. Mr. Keasey's oration, subject "Senator Hoar," was direct and forcible and commanded the closest attention, while Mr. Rhodes's review, which followed, was light and humorous and brought the audience back into the every-day give-and-take life of Ursinus.

A spirited piano duet by Miss Jackson and Mr. Kerschner and the contribution of the Mandolin Club completed the program. Too much praise can not be given the latter organization, composed of Messrs. Rhodes, Tool, Snyder and Crunkleton, for their excellent work. The society is always delighted to hear them.

Mr. E. I. Cook, '07, served as Principal of the Collegeville Schools for the week ending February third.

## ONLY AN AMATEUR

Everyone on looking back, over the years of his life, remembers some crisis through which he has passed. It may have been a narrow escape from death and a shudder of dread accompanies the recollection; or perhaps some great disappointment or affliction has changed the entire course of one's life; yet there may be an event, though it proved to be a great disappointment at the time, after the lapse of a few years, always bring back a bright smile and pleasant recollections.

A few years ago I found employment in the drug store of Jas. Simpson and Bro., manufacturing chemists, whole-sale and retail dealers in drugs. The firm consisted of James Simpson and his younger brother Jacob or "Uncle Jake" as he was usually called by the clerks. James was a short fat man with a head almost entirely bald. He was very good natured, except when the ill humor of his brother seemed to become contagious. Jacob was tall and slender and had a certain surliness of disposition that seemed to chill every one he met. But despite their many differences, they were very successful and the firm held a very prominent place in the town's business life.

The firm sold many kinds of medicine and other useful preparations among which was an absolute cure for baldness. The sale of this article was not very extensive, for the bald heads of the proprietors made a rather poor advertisement. The most important preparation of all was "Simpson's Celebrated Liquid Extract of Smoke for preserving meat." This was a dark liquid with a very strong smell of smoke about it. I was employed in the department where the Liquid Smoke was bottled ready for shipment. After I had been at this work for five months, "Uncle Jake" called me into his office and informed me that they were going to send me out on the road to sell smoke. My head began to swell and my chest to expand and I believed that I was about to make my fortune. I was to begin my new life the next day at a large city twenty-five miles distant. "Uncle Jake" then wrote me the speech which was to sell hundreds of bottles of smoke. It was something like this: "I am

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## ALUMNI NOTES

Paul E. Keller, '01, S. T., and his wife will sail for China in April. They are associated with Dr. Hoy for the furtherance of the Kingdom among the Chinese of the North East section.

Dr. Ebbert occupied the pulpit at Dallastown last Sunday.

Reformation Day and Church Literature was observed last Sunday in the First Reformed church Lebanon, by the pastors, E. S. and F. S. Bromer.

The new church edifice at Summit Hill, Rev. C. P. Wehr, '95, pastor, will be dedicated on Sunday February 12. Rev. James I. Good, D. D., and Rev. J. H. Sechler, D. D., both of the School of Theology will preach the sermons.

New Year Communion Services were held in Phoenixville charge, H. E. Bodder, pastor; Memorial of Easton, J. W. Gilds, '98, pastor; St. John's of Chambersberg, E. R. Appenzeller, '00, pastor. At this service the pastor was assisted by Rev. J. O. Reagle, '97, Shippenburg, Dr. Good and Dr. Bahner of Waynesboro. Dr. Good preached both sermons to large audiences. His subjects were "My Soul" and "So" based on John 3: 16. At Bethel, Philadelphia, Rev. M. A. Peters, '95, pastor, and also at the First church, Philadelphia, Rev. E. F. Wiest, '93, S. T. pastor.

H. R. Miller, '02, spent Sunday in Collegeville.

Christian Endeavor Day was very fittingly observed by the C. E. Society of St. Luke's Church Trappe, Rev. S. L. Messinger, '85 pastor. Prof. Omwake, Dean of the College, made the address at the evening service.

Rev. A. C. Thompson, '96, of Norristown, Pa. and Rev. S. L. Messinger, '85, of Trappe, Pa., will exchange pulpits Sunday morning, Feb. 12.

## DR. MILLER TO PREACH

The College Sermon for February will be preached in the chapel on next Sunday afternoon, Feb. 12, at 3.00 o'clock, by Rev. Rufus W. Miller, D. D., Secretary of the Sunday School Board of the Reformed Church.

An invitation is extended to the people of the community to attend these services.

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**EDITORIAL**

Several popular entertainments and lectures will be given during the remaining winter months, the first of which is announced on another page of the WEEKLY. The lack of such entertainments has been felt for some time. The routine of preparation and recitation becomes a trifle monotonous during this period of the year, when the students are cut off from out-door sports and the pastimes of the warmer months. It is then that the diversion of a good lecture or recital is appreciated. The students will welcome this change. Their hearty support will do much to assure the continuance of them.

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The advice of the Reverend Charles Wagner, the author of "The Simple Life," is well worth the consideration of every college student. "Make it your one rule in life to be—men." The person that makes this principle his guide and acts constantly upon it may be assured that he will succeed. Material wealth may not be his but he will have that higher satisfaction, the knowledge that he has not lived his life in vain and that the world is better because he has been in it.

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opment of one's true self, the rational self, is the end and aim of life. When, as Robert Herrick has pointed out, it has developed in man "a feeling that the world is a fine and noble place to live in, if you live in it like a gentleman, that to live finely is the best thing in life, better than honor and fame and success," it has then served its purpose. It remains for the individual to follow its teachings and not to allow the glitter of the world to attract him into an abandonment of the high principles which have been instilled into him.

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The arrangements now being made for the annual prize debate of the Schaff Literary Society again brings up the question of an inter-society debate. An editorial in a contemporary publication emphasizes the need of such a contest at the institution which the paper represents. The same want is felt at Ursinus. A closer drawing together of the societies and a working towards the same end would bring about a more active, energetic interest in debating and would yield much benefit to the College.

**SOPHOMORE RECEPTION**

For the second time this year the Sophomore Class was gathered together and spent a very enjoyable and pleasant evening. On Thursday evening individuals, and couplets even, could be seen advancing from some remote quarter to the residence of Dr. and Mrs. Ebbert at the foot of the college campus. Immediately after greetings were given, the games for the evening were begun. For the first game each one was asked to use his or her skill in producing some artistic drawing. The drawings were exhibited to the gaze and admiration of the public. Then on paper guesses were made what each drawing represented. The one having guessed the greatest number right received as a prize a lovely box of Lowney's. The "booby" prize, of which Mr. Heller was the recipient, having answered none correctly, was a small china bank, with which Mr. Heller took up a collection for some useful purpose. Lovely refreshments were served and the evening ended up as it usually does on such occasions with the Virginia Reel and singing of college songs, finally modulating into the key of "Good night Ladies." The College yell, the "three by six" and the "Boom-la" of 1907 were given on the porch to the honor of Dr. and Mrs. Ebbert. All vowed on leaving the place that a most delightful evening had been spent.

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**Y. M. C. A.**

The meeting of the Y. M. C. A. last Wednesday evening was in every respect an exceptionally good one. Every seat in the English Room was filled and the discussions were interesting and to the point. The leader, Mr. Myers, spoke on the parable of the Good Samaritan and in his remarks dwelt upon the value and necessity of overcoming personal likes and dislikes in our every day life. He held out an ideal of Christian manhood that is too great-hearted to remember personal antagonism. The open discussion which followed the leader's remarks was quite general. One idea, expressed by Mr. Townsend, is eminently worthy of remembrance. It was that in our day, with most problems forcing them selves upon our nation and the world at large, it is imperative that we become international in spirit and lay aside prejudices of country and of race.

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joyed by all. After they returned delicious refreshments were served at Miss Spangler's home.

Mr. Brooke Paiste, '08, entertained a number of friends last evening.

**COLLEGE WORLD**

Class spirit has not drawn its last breath. "The Dickinsonian," in its last edition, gives an account of the difficulties the Sophomores had in having their class photographs taken. As the class was posing before the camera, around the corners appeared a number of mirrors and the sunlight was reflected into the eyes of the Sophs. Then the Freshmen began to "polka-dot" the Sophs. with snowballs. The picture was finally taken and then came a tug of war such as Dickinson has seldom seen. The Freshmen fortunately were the stronger.

The first college paper in America was issued by Dartmouth College. Daniel Webster was the editor-in-chief.

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The next day was bright and I arose with bright spirits and a very pronounced air of importance. I spent half an hour before the mirror, studying how I might look older and more dignified, wrinkling up my face to give me a more experienced look. Breakfast had no attraction for me and, after an impatient ride, I reached the place which was to be the beginning of my career on the road. I thought I would sell about fifty dozen bottles of smoke before dinner, so I entered the first drug store I passed. Devoutly wishing I were ten years older, I asked in a voice I tried to make gruff, to see the proprietor. A big burly man came toward me and demanded to know what my business was with him. I began, "I am representing Jas. Simpson and Bro., manufacturing chemists, wholesale

and retail dealers in drugs. We have a very valuable preparation for curing meat, which I am sure will interest you. It is 'Simpson's Liquid Extract of Smoke.'" "Well you might as well stop," he interrupted, "you cannot swindle me. Get out of here, you scoundrel." At that he started for me, and I rushed out of the door. I was so scared that I slipped on the icy door step and broke several sample bottles of the smoke. The celebrated liquid very obligingly oozed out of my pockets, and trickled slowly down my clothes. It was not a very pleasant odor, either; at least no one seemed to enjoy my presence. I soon found another drug store. I went in with the guilty feeling of smelling like a smoked ham, and came out feeling like a whipped dog. It did not take long for the imaginary sales to dwindle away, and I was soon persuaded that I would never make an agent. The result was always the same. Sometimes it was a pleasant "I don't believe I will buy any now," but oftener I got only a gruff refusal. One man told me that he had fed a dog with a piece of meat cured by our celebrated liquid and the poor beast died. He said he had a notion to have me arrested for murder; but he would spare me, if I never bothered him again. Surely I never will.

When I went to the hotel to get dinner, I was put in one corner of the room and all the windows around me were opened to let out the strong odor of smoke.

I took the next train for home, devoutly thankful that I had escaped with my life. My first experience warns me never again to be an agent for Simpson's Celebrated Liquid Extract of Smoke. EBBERT, '07.



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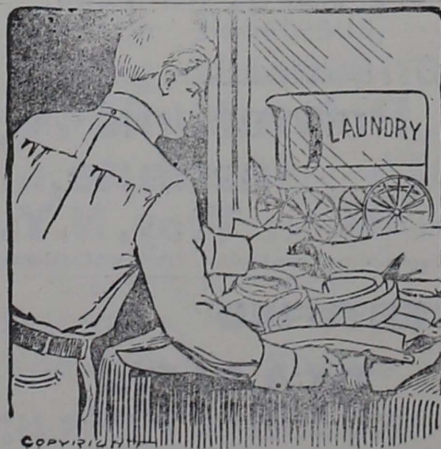
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