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## TO PRESENT BARRIE PLAY ON MARCH 28

Picks "Alice Sit By The Fire"  
By Barry For Program  
In Albany

TO APPEAR ALSO IN TROY

### 37 Freshmen Seek Places On Dramatic, Art Council, Jones Announces

Miss Agnes E. Futterer, instructor in English, will read Sir James M. Barrie's "Alice Sit By The Fire," Wednesday evening, March 28, under the auspices of the Dramatic and Art association. The reading will be in Chancellor's hall.

Miss Futterer will read the same play next Friday night at the Lansingburg High school at North Troy.

She will read Barrie's "Lady Windermere's Fan," at Cobleskill, Monday night, March 19.

Thirty-seven freshmen are now trying out for Dramatic and Art council. J. Charlotte Jones, '28, president of Dramatic and Art council, said today. The thirty-seven freshmen serve as a large committee to carry out the work of the council. They sell tickets for the events that the council sponsors, put up window cards and posters, and send invitations to patrons.

Early in May two freshmen are chosen to represent their class on the Dramatic and Art council. It is customary for an examination to be given to the candidates. They must answer questions about the work which they have done for the council; the plays they have seen or read; and about the events which the council has sponsored. Miss Jones said today.

The ten highest candidates of the thirty-seven are then taken on a picnic so that the council members may judge their personality and ability to cooperate. From these ten, the two members are finally chosen.

The following freshmen are trying out for the council: Helen Smith, Wilhelmina Schneider, Ruth Israel, Frances Scerling, Betty Burdett, Ruth Parks, Ruth Hughes, Shirley Robinson, Elam Barber, Ethel M. Smith, Royal Knox, Sylvania La Monica, Dorcas Darling, Clara Belle Shultz, Pauline Badler, Constance De Gutzman, Margaret Betts, Marian Chisholm, Catherine R. Norris, Doris Gallin, Martha Gdput, Margaret Cussler, Netta Miller, Margaret Hickey, Marion Dillenbeck, Florence Seward, Mary Reissner, Harriet Richards, Carolyn Smith, Jeanne Gillispie, Beatrice Sannels, Frances Condon, Dorothy Abrams, Carolyn Kelley, Emily Leek, Helen Otis, and Mildred Hall.

## REV. KLINE SPEAKS AT Y. W. C. A. VESPER SUNDAY IN ROTUNDA

The Rev. Freeman S. Kline, pastor of the Calvary Methodist Episcopal church, will address the Y. W. C. A. vesper service, Sunday afternoon. The vesper will be in the rotunda at 4 o'clock. Tea will be served. Elizabeth Pulver, '29, and Marian Farnell, '28, are in charge.

A series of six plays will be conducted every Sunday afternoon until Easter. Miss Larnell and Mid-weekly meetings will be each Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Henry A. Varnum, has been asked to speak to the meeting next Wednesday.

Special Lenten morning services will be every morning from Monday, March 26, to Friday, March 30.

## THREE STATE SENIORS TEACH AT GREENVILLE

Harriet Parkhurst, Mildred Stone and Mildred Gabel, seniors, have signed teaching contracts for the Greenville academy at Greenville for next year. Miss Parkhurst will teach English and history, Miss Stone, Latin and French, and Miss Gabel, English and biology.

## KUCZYNSKI RINGS UP 77 POINTS FOR YEAR; CARR NEXT WITH 60

Captain Anthony Kuczynski of the State College basketball five has captured high scoring honors of his team for the present season. Kuczynski who is the regular left forward on the Purple and Gold aggregation besides leading the team in total points scored more field baskets than any of his team mates. The husky forward counted thirty-one two pointers and combined with fifteen fouls gave him a total of seventy-seven points. Kuczynski's running mate Verne Carr was the leader in the foul shooting department ringing up sixteen one pointers, one more than Kuczynski. Carr also was runner-up to Tony in total points, scoring sixty. Joseph Herney dependable guard took third place in individual scoring, tallying forty-six points on twenty fields and six fouls.

The records follow:

Name	Games	Pts.	F. B.	Fouls	Avg.
Kuczynski	9	77	77	8.56	
Carr	10	60	60	6.00	
Herney	10	46	46	4.60	
Gaff	10	32	32	3.20	
Wren	9	29	29	3.22	
Thomson	8	17	17	2.10	
Whiston	9	6	6	1.56	
Giffin	10	5	5	1.20	
Allen	7	4	4	1.00	
Koerner	1	1	1	1.00	
Lyons	5	2	2	0.80	
Carpenter	4	1	1	0.50	
Taylor	4	1	1	0.50	
Twinning	6	0	0	0.00	
Hutto	1	0	0	0.00	

## PROFESSOR YORK HAS TEXT-BOOK AT PRESS

Professor George M. York, head of the commerce department, has written a book for Junior and Senior High schools on "Economic Geography" which he expects to be out within a month. His other publications include "Elementary Training for Business" and "Commercial Education in Continuation Schools."

Professor York was graduated from Colgate university with a B. A. degree, and he was also graduated from the Davis Business college at Toledo, Ohio. He attended the Albany Law school for two years.

## WOMEN WILL DEBATE KEUKA COLLEGE FRIDAY

The women's debate team will meet the women's team of Keuka college on the latter's campus, next Friday. Christine E. Curtis, '28, senior member of the debate council, announced today.

The team which will make the trip consists of Christine E. Curtis, member of the squad which debated Union college last year; Emily E. Williams, Margaret L. Moore, and Grace F. Woodford, all seniors.

The teams will clash on the subject Resolved: That American private investments in foreign lands should be protected with armed force by the United States.

## 7 Faculty Members Give Impressions Of Boston National Convention; "Discussions Proved To Be Very Much Worth While," Says Dean Pierce

Many impressions were formed by the members of the faculty at the annual convention meeting of the department of superintendence of the National Education association last week, according to reports made upon their return.

Dean Anna F. Pierce said: "I attended the group meeting of the deans at which the majority represented large universities. The discussion and dress-a-party proved to be very much worth while."

Professor Florence F. Winchell, head of the home economics department, attended the convention of the National Board for Vocational Education, North Atlantic region, at Salem, Mass. The last two days of the convention she spent at Boston and attended the lectures and discussions at the conference of home economics supervisors.

Professor John M. Sayles, head of the education department and principal of the Milne High school, declared: "The convention was attended by leaders among the educational men of the world of advanced thought. At

## Jazz Orchestra Will Make Its First Appearance Here March 14

State College's own jazz orchestra will make its bow to the student body Wednesday, at 4 o'clock in the auditorium under the auspices of the Music club, of which Violet Pierce, '28, is president.

Saxophones, harmonicas, violins, piano, keteles and trumpets, are among the instruments which some of the best known men artists of the College will use to present their novel jazz program.

"Everyone is invited," said Doris Malhory, '29. This is the first program of the kind to be presented by Music club.

## SENIOR CLASS PLANS TO NAME CLASS DAY OFFICERS MARCH 14

The senior class will elect class-day officers, class councillor, and manager of girls athletics next Wednesday, according to Gilbert Ganong, '28, president. Nominations have been made for the following.

For prophet at class-day activities, Edna Wolfe and Ruth Moore have been nominated; historian, Chrissie Curtis; poet, Dorothy Watts, Grace Woodford; testator, Mary Langdon, Edna Wolfe, Dorothy Terrill and Dorothy Kabin; class councillor, Richard Jensen, Chrissie Curtis and Ruth Lane; manager of girls athletics, Dorothy Rowland.

## ORAL CREDIT TESTS IN THREE LANGUAGES TO BE GIVEN FRIDAY

The written examination for oral credit in French will be next Friday," Professor Charlotte Leck, head of the French department, said today.

The room number will be announced on the bulletin board during the week, she said.

German and Spanish examinations will also be given at the same time.

Nearly one hundred students in all will take the examinations, including approximately seventy from the French department alone and about ten in each of the other modern language departments, Professor Charlotte Leck, head of the French department, said.

The oral credit examinations are given each year to satisfy the state requirement. No one can teach modern languages in a public school of New York state without being well-versed in this way by the department of education as to their oral ability. Professor Leck said. The examinations are set by the Board of Regents, just as those for high school subjects.

## STUDENT ASSEMBLY TO PICK CANDIDATES FOR OFFICE APRIL 20

Nominations for president, vice-president, and secretary of the Student association will be taken in assembly on Friday, April 20. The list of juniors eligible for Myskania will also be read at that time. Eligibility is based on scholastic standing and leadership in dramatics, athletics, debate, and undergraduate affairs generally.

On Friday, April 27, try-outs for College song and cheer leaders will be held in assembly. Each class will nominate two candidates for each office. The following Friday Student association officers will be elected as well as two members to Myskania Assembly on Friday, May 4, will be given over to practice for Music Day which will be Friday, May 18.

## VARSITY AND ALUMNAE WILL MEET TOMORROW

The girls' varsity will meet the alumnae in another game tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 in the gym. Among the alumnae expected to play are Ethel DuBois, '27; Dorothy Hoyt, '25; Florence Craddock, '25; Mrs. Dorothy Taylor Waugh, '25; Dorothea Dietz, '25; Elizabeth Milmine, '26; Mary Wene-tawoicz, '27.

Those expected to play for the varsity are Margaret Douglas, '28, captain; Dorothy Lasher, Caroline Schleich, '29; Marie Harko, '30; Anne Moore, '30; Beatrice Van Steenburgh, '31; Dorothy Rowland, '28; Mary Hart, '29.

## \$559 DEFICIT BRINGS 5 PER CENT SLASH IN CLUB REQUISITIONS

At a meeting of the Finance Board this week, it was decided to make a 5 per cent cut in the school budget. This means that each organization is to receive 95 per cent of its previous requisition. This is due to the fact that there is a deficit this year of \$589.49. The following tabulation shows this condition:

Total balance on hand	\$1,062.00
Set aside for emergency uses	50.00
Used to reduce budget requirement	\$1,162.00
Total budget requirement	\$12,287.00
Less:	4,162.00
Net budget requirement	\$11,460.00
Total amount tax received	10,977.00
Net deficit	\$589.00
Contingency expenses added	200.00
Total deficit	\$789.00

## 3 DELEGATES ARE AT PRESS MEETING

Saxton, Phetteplace, French Represent News At Columbia

## HIGGINS WILL NOT GO

Delegates Will See Workings Of New York Newspaper Offices

Three representatives of the State Teachers News are in New York city today attending the Columbia Scholastic Press association convention.

The delegates are: Katherine S. Saxton, '28, business manager; William M. French, '29 managing editor; and Elizabeth Phetteplace, '28, associate managing editor.

The convention will open this morning at ten o'clock with a general assembly in the McMillan theatre, at Columbia university. Exhibits will be shown at eleven o'clock. The business managers of the papers sending delegations will be guests of the Merchants-Linotype company in a visit to its plant to witness the making of printers' composing machines.

Luncheon will be served to the delegates at John Jay hall, and at the university commons. Faculty advisers will have a luncheon in the private dining rooms of John Jay hall.

An afternoon session will be conducted in the McMillan theatre. Robert Connolly, of the "Bronx Home News," will give a talk on cartoons, at two o'clock.

Other sectional meetings are scheduled for 2:30 and 3:30, and 4:30 o'clock. A special motion picture of some phase of paper production will be shown during the afternoon.

A dinner for the representatives of teachers' colleges and normal school publications will be conducted at six o'clock. Miss Elizabeth Rosenberg, of the Philadelphia State Normal school, president of the division, will be in charge.

Open house will be conducted at the offices of metropolitan newspapers, and the delegates will be shown the workings of a newspaper office. Last year the New York Times and the New York Herald Tribune entertained the delegates.

Round-table discussions will be led by students. A general business meeting, to which the State Teachers News will send one delegate, will be Saturday morning.

The convention luncheon will be at the Metropolitan Hotel, Fifty-fifth street, tomorrow noon. The delegates will be the guests of the Columbia Scholastic Press association at a special showing of the annual variety show to be presented by the Columbia teams, Saturday afternoon at the Waldorf Astor hotel.

Prizes will be awarded the prize-winning papers from the several classes entered in the contests. The State Teachers News will compete with teachers' college and normal school publications from the United States and its insular possessions.

## BATES, FAY TO LEAD SOPHS AND FROSH IN SING ON MARCH 23

The madisonian play-cards play-along sing will be Friday, March 23, at 8 o'clock in the auditorium, according to Louis Webster, president of the sophomore class. Gladys Bates is the play-along song-leader. The songs were written by Israel Kaplan of the class of '26.

The freshman song-leader is Helen Fay. Others on the committee are Alfred Basche, Edith Curtis, Helen Smith and Helen Otis. The winner of the sing will receive five points in the inter-class rivalry.

The class banner of each class is still in the hands of its respective owners. Five points are also awarded to the winner of the banner rivalry and five for the mascot hunt. This year the women will have charge of the banner hunt.

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REGULATE YOUR WORK, PLAY

All college students possess one thing in common. They have only twenty-four hours each day in which to live. When we come to investigate just how this time is spent we find no two students alike.

Let us say that Sunday may be considered a day given to prayer and rest, Saturday afternoon and evening are given up to recreation and entertainment.

It is to be hoped that there are no students at college who take no part in college activities. Supposing on the average, the ordinary student devotes one afternoon a week to athletics and one evening to clubs or other activities, eight hours of his time; 36 hours remain.

This time is either spent in studying (exclusive of lectures), in extra outside activities, or in "loafing."

Every student should so divide his week that a proper relation is maintained between the periods of sleep, necessary functions such as eating, that of activities and that of work.

If sleep is shortened, health will fail; if lengthened, you will become indolent. If eating time is shortened, indigestion will be the result; if lengthened, you will become a glutton.

Every student should find the proper relation between work and play, when it is found, stick to it.—McGill Daily.

THOMAS MASARYK, OBSCURE TEACHER CARVES CZECHOSLOVAKIAN STATE

The Making of a State. By Thomas Garrigue Masaryk. 518 pages. New York: Frederick A. Stokes Company.

Thomas Garrigue Masaryk stands as one of the leading creative statesmen of the World War. At the beginning of the contest he was an obscure professor.

In the Hall of the Reformation at Geneva, he raised the Hussite standard on the fourth centenary of the Czech martyr's death, and brought to naught the death sentence passed on his fellow countrymen by the battle of White Mountain more than three centuries before.

"No statesman in the whole world today has so great a moral right to live in his palace as the wise, brave old man in the Hradshin at Prague," writes Emil Ludwig, the biographer of Napoleon and Bismarck.

The book is well written, and will be read avidly by students of current affairs and of the recent war. It is a book of militant nationality written in a scholarly, modest manner by one of the principal founders of a new state, and now president of his nation.

WEAKNESS IN MODERN EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM SHOWN IN STARTLING WORK

Humanizing Education. By Samuel D. Schmalhausen. 343 pages. New York: The Macaulay Company.

This is a painstaking analysis of the faults and weaknesses of our modern educational system presented in a graphic and almost startling manner. As a partial remedy for the evils which he points out the author suggests in general terms greater democracy in educational administration and more honesty and frankness in all intercourse between teacher and pupil.

Removed from his position as teacher in a public school during the recent war for alleged unpatriotic actions, the author apparently has a grudge against Woodrow Wilson "who dragged America with him into a marvelous manic-depressive psychosis by a conscription of the will."

His product is a contribution to the more radical wing of the "New Education." A poetic psycho-biography of little import is appended.

ROBESPIERRE FELL IN DESIRING TO MODIFY THE TERROR, BELLOC WRITES

Robespierre. By Hilaire Belloc. \$5. 417 pages. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons.

Force of circumstance largely made Robespierre the outstanding leader of the reign of terror in the French Revolution, the author holds in this reprint of his well-known biography of Robespierre.

Robespierre, he tells us, "was not the creator of the Terror; and was certainly not its conductor. He fell not because he pushed the Terror to an extreme, but on the contrary, because he desired to modify it."

The book opens with a somewhat fatiguing chapter of forty pages on his person and character, then swings into a far more interesting section on the revolutionist's descent and youth. The author places considerable credence in the theory that the Robespierres were originally religious fugitives from England, and even that the name may have been "Robertpear" in the Anglican form.

Quite properly, the larger portion of the volume is given over to Robespierre's career in the Revolution. The chapter entitled "Temptation of Robespierre" is especially interesting. Belloc contends that his subject might have saved his own neck and much bloodshed at the same time, by an alliance with Danton.

A large share of the story is narrated in a familiar style that enhances what might otherwise be a hoarse topic. While concerned principally with the man, Belloc has added sufficient notes to make the book understandable by the general reader.

The book is a valuable addition to the excellent series of biographies on historical subjects published by the Putnam company.



By the Playgoer

Last week's plays, presented by the advanced dramatics class, were on the whole, good but not superior.

In Miss Moore's play, Michael F. Tepidino, in the rôle of a French prince, seemed good on the surface; but many of his best lines were not given the full force they deserved.

The two leads were supported by Emily Williams and Bob Shillinglaw.

Stage sets were excellent, and lighting was generally good. It seemed good to see something in the line of furniture and colorful drapings on our drab stage.

This improvement in settings, brightened up the plays considerably. Probably the slowness and the apparent weaknesses in the plays were due to underlearned lines.



Another basketball season has come and gone and with its completion closes the College basketball careers of Howard Goff and Francis Griffin.

The baseball management has added a second baseball game with Hamilton to be played at Clinton, May 30. State meets Hamilton on the diamond in Albany on May 25.

The game Saturday was the worst game played this year on the State College court. We can't blame the players for it takes a worthy opponent to make a man play his best in any field.

Reginald Stanhope, new basketball manager, has signed six or seven games already, among them being three games for the annual New York trip.

Seniors Fail To Find Teaching A Bugbear; "Pupils Teach Me," Is Anne Holroyd's Opinion

"Jolly Juniors" are not as jolly as they seem on the surface, for every now and then they feel hanging over their heads, that sword of Damocles, that dark cloud of dread—practice teaching, which they must look forward to in their senior year.

Seniors teaching in Midne High School seem to find it less of a bugbear than they had thought, according to statements made by several seniors who taught last semester.

Anne Holroyd, who taught English 3, says, "I like it very much, I think it is the best possible way of training for the field of teaching."

Dorothy Rabie, who taught Latin 1, seemed to find the attitude of her class toward her critic, the greatest problem. She says, "I liked teaching but I didn't like the atmosphere created when the critic came in."

Dorothy Terrell who also taught Latin 1 last semester and has her class again this semester, seems to find that the

profession becomes more enjoyable with practice. "I like it much better second semester than I did first," she says, "I guess because I've gotten used to it and it seems quite natural."

Olea Grossman, who taught the fine arts of typewriting, says (and from her manner, she meant it): "I enjoyed teaching, only there are so many papers to correct in typewriting, and making out lesson plans takes so much time, that it doesn't leave much time for other collegiate interests."

Florence Potter, teacher of intermediate algebra, said, "I liked teaching. I liked it better after I got into it than at first. I think practice teaching will prove to have helped me a lot next year when I go out teaching."

Katherine Saxton who taught English 2, said, "I didn't like it at first but liked it better as I went along. I liked the pupils very much. I enjoyed working with them and especially enjoyed watching their reactions."

Well, juniors, from these statements, we can see our road stretching before us. Evidently it will be lilly and rocky at first and it may be a disagreeable task to climb it, but it seems that if we persevere it will soon grow wide and smooth and level, and quite easy walking.

State Quintet Stands 303-217 For Year; 8 Of 10 Games Are Victories For Varsity

Table with columns: Date, Opponent, Score, and Percentage. Rows include games against Maxwell, St. Michaels, Dartmouth, Oswego, St. Bonaventure, Alumn, Cooper Union, Plattsburg, Providence, Brooklyn Branch C. C. N. Y., and Totals/Averages.

1927-28 Won 8 Lost 2 Percentage 800

SERVE "LYCOPERSIAN ESCULEUTUM" HERE TONIGHT AT SUPPER

... and have some more lycopersian esculeutum infusion. Not the latest creation of a French patisserie, according to Mabel Berg, president of the Biology club, but a novelty name for an ordinary concoction.

When Biology club has a party, plain names won't do. So Miss Berg and Miss Minnie B. Scotland, instructor in biology, needs must pore through Webster, utter queer little shrieks of delight, and dash down a new terminology for bread and butter, or maybe creamed shrimp.

The "lycopersian esculeutum infusion" will be served at the Biology club supper party in the biology laboratory tonight. The program will include many novelties, Miss Berg said, and the course will be termed "Biology Ate."

Committees announced today by Miss Berg are: decorations, Florence Gooding, '30; entertainment, Marion Palmer, '29, and Marion Sloan, '29; refreshments, Miss Berg; Mathilda Keeler, '28; Mildred Shaver, '28; Emily Curles, '29; Meriam Rich, '28, and M. Betsy Miller, '28.

The decorations and the foods will carry out the biological theme of the club.

Pins recently ordered by members of the organization have arrived and will be distributed at an early meeting. The pin committee is: Edna Wolfe, '28; Mabel Berg, '28; Elizabeth Phette place, '28, and Marion Fox, '29.

SOPH-FROSH GIRLS HAVE 2 ALL SCORE IN COURT CONTEST

The sophomore and freshmen girls are rivals for honors in interclass basketball. To date each class has won two games. Five points are awarded toward interclass rivalry to the underclass team winning the greater number of games. The scores for the interclass games so far are: frosh vs. juniors, 29 to 12; sophs vs. frosh, 11 to 18; seniors vs. juniors, 20 to 25; juniors vs. sophs, 19 to 23; seniors vs. frosh, 26 to 21.

The teams are: Seniors: Dorothy Rowland, captain, Mollie Ehrlich, Carolyn Josslyn, Dorothy Easler, Florence Porter, Margaret Douglas, Ethel Van Emburg; Juniors: Mary Hart, captain, Barbara Andrews, Alice Bingham, Evelyn Graves, Agnes McGarty, Evelyn McNickle, Carolyn Sellnick.

Sophomores: Anne Moore, captain, Marie Hayke, Ethel Grundboiter, Mildred Appleton, Mary Nelson, Ada Simmons, Margaret Wadsworth, Katherine Watkins, Vivian Madara, Marion Botta. Freshmen: Beatrice Van Steenhurst, captain, Ardith Down, Marion Gallert, Winifred Hurlbert, Catherine Norris, Frances Pack, Marion Oswell, Margaret Cussler.

SORORITY NOTES

Kappa Delta welcomes into pledge membership Florence Rickards, '29.

Delta Omicron welcomes into pledge membership Jean Galt, '31, into pledge membership.

Alpha Epsilon Phi welcomes into pledge membership Ann E. Brown, '31, Bessie Freyberger, '30, Rose Kern, '31, Frances Ferguson, Edna Martin, Beatrice Samuels, Ethel Spaulder, Marion Pepper and Sylvia Ross, all freshmen.

Edna Wolfe, '28, president of Kappa Delta, announces the following committee members for Intersorority Ball, Friday, May 4: invitations and taxis, Eleanor Small, '29; refreshments, Doris Arnold, '28; music, Marion Sloan, '29; flowers and programs, Josephine Brown; favors, Evelyn Graves, '29.

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LIST COLLEGE EVENTS UNTIL MON., JUNE 25

State College will be a busy place next semester, according to events scheduled thus far. Some of the principal doings are: French Club Fete, March 17; Sophomore Soiree, March 23; Spanish Carnival, April 27; Inter-Sorority Ball, May 4; Moving-Up Day, May 18; Advanced Dramatics Class Plays, May 25; Commencement, June 18. Dean Pierce's files show the following calendar, which is as yet, incomplete:

Fri. Mar. 9—Milne High Basketball; Sat. Mar. 10—Faculty Game, G. A. A. Gym; Wed. Mar. 14—Alumni Game, G. A. A. Gym; Thurs. Mar. 15—Chess and Checker Club Meeting, 7:30 P. M., Rotunda; Fri. Mar. 16—M. H. S. I. T. S. A. Dance, 8-12 P. M., Gym; Music Comedy, G. A. A. Chancellor's Hall; Sat. Mar. 17—French Club Fete, 8 P. M., Gym, Auditorium; Thurs. Mar. 22—G. A. A. Award Night, 6-10 P. M.; Basketball Banquet, 8 P. M., Cafeteria; Fri. Mar. 23—Sophomore Soiree, Gym, 8 P. M.; Sat. Mar. 24—G. A. A. Musical concert, Chancellor's Hall; Thurs. Mar. 29—Chess and Checker Club Meeting, 7:30 P. M., Rotunda; Fri. Mar. 30—M. H. S. Speaking Contest, 8 P. M., Auditorium; Scout Week-end, Camp Cogswell; Spring vacation begins 5:30 P. M.; Tues. Apr. 10—Spring vacation ends; Fri. Apr. 13—Scout Week-end, Camp Cogswell; Troubadours Entertainment, Auditorium; Fri. Apr. 20—G. A. A. Gym Frolic; Fri. Apr. 27—S. A. S. Carnival, 5-11 P. M., Cafeteria, Auditorium, Gym; Sat. Apr. 28—G. A. A. May Fete, 6-10 P. M.; Fri. May 4—Inter-Sorority Ball; Scout Week-end, Camp Cogswell; Fri. May 11—Spring Concert, Auditorium; Sat. May 12—G. A. A. Track Meet, P. M.; Thurs. May 17—M. H. S. Girls' Day, Auditorium, 2 P. M.; H. E. Club Party, 8 P. M.; Gym; Fri. May 18—Moving-Up Day; Sat. May 19—G. A. A. Hike to Dean's Mills; Fri. May 25—Advanced Dramatics Class Plays; Sat. May 26—Advanced Dramatics Class Plays; Chemistry Club Picnic; Wed. May 31—Memorial Day, Holiday; Thurs. May 31—G. A. A. Award Night; Mon. June 4—Final Exams begin; Thurs. June 14—M. H. S. Class Day, Auditorium, 8 P. M.; Sat. June 16—Alumni and Class Day; Sun. June 17—Baccalaureate Service, 4 P. M., Auditorium; Mon. June 18—Commencement; Mon. June 25—M. H. S. Commencement, Auditorium.

MILNE DANCES FRIDAY IN STATE GYMNASIUM

The G. T. S. A. dance of Milne High school, held every year for the purpose of raising money for the scholarship fund, will be March 16 at 8 o'clock in the State College gymnasium. The music will be by Hardegan's orchestra. The tickets, \$1.50 per couple, can be obtained from any Student Council member or from a president or one of the societies. The social committee in charge of the dance is the Student Council. The social committee chairman are: music, Maurine Spaulding; decorations, Ruth Reynolds; and programs, Catherine Harts.

INFORMATION BLANKS HOLD BACK PEDAGOGUE

The only thing which is holding back the Pedagogue is the failure of the editor to fill out and hand in the information blanks. Charles Curtis, '28, literary editor of the publication, said today. They should be handed in immediately, he said.

The information called for includes names, degree, secret societies, preparation, school, and college activities.

DR. ROTTEN TALKS HERE ON MARCH 28

"The Youth Movement" Will Be Topic Of Educator's Address Here

The co-operative committee for progressive education will present Dr. Elisabeth Rotten, German educator, in a lecture "The Youth Movement" in the State College auditorium Wednesday night, March 28.

Dr. Rotten arrived in New York in February and will give lectures there and in Philadelphia, Washington, Cleveland, Chicago, and Boston during March and April.

Noted because of her work with the conference of the New Education Fellowship, Dr. Rotten is also well known for her work during the World War. Although at first she was not a pacifist, her outlook was already international and her first thought was the service she might possibly give to her friends of many lands whom war had caught outside their own boundaries.

According to Professor Florence E. Winchell, head of the home economics department, Dr. Rotten is a fascinating speaker. "It will be interesting to know what young people all over the world are doing. I feel that our students are ready for this speaker. They know enough about student government," Professor Winchell said.

JUNIORS WILL CHOOSE CLASS RINGS IN WEEK

Junior ring samples have come and there are three from which the class members may choose. Caroline Schleich, '29, chairman of ring committee, has the samples. Mr. Goodwin from Balfour company will be at the college next week to take sizes. The rings will be eight dollars.

INTERSORORITY BALL COMMITTEES SELECTED

Nellie Fieldman, '28, announces the following committees for Intersorority ball: chairman of program and flowers committee, Ethel C. Efron, '28; arrangements, Leah G. Cohen, '28; in vitations and taxis, Florence L. Marx, '30; decorations, Dorothy Rubin, '30; favors, Mollie Kautman, '29; refreshments, Dorothy Seaman, '29, and music, Jeanette Harrison, '30.

Alpha Epsilon Phi will celebrate Courtesy Day, a national holiday, with a bridge tea for all sororities of Intersorority council, Saturday afternoon at the sorority house, 107 South Allen street.

MAY SEND DELEGATE'S TO LEAGUE ASSEMBLY

State College was this week asked to send delegates to the model assembly of the League of Nations, at Ithaca, May 4 and 5. An invitation was received by Dr. David Hutchison, head of the government department.

Each college or university in the state having more than five hundred students will be allowed to send ten delegates, who may be either faculty or students. According to the international League of Nations, at Geneva, each nation has three delegates in the assembly. Technical advisers are also provided for.

In the model assembly at Ithaca, each college will be allowed to send three voting delegates, and the others attending the session will be technical advisers. Each delegation will represent a "country" chosen by the college, or assigned to it by the committee in charge. This will be arranged by correspondence with the committee on agenda at Ithaca. Hugh Moran is the secretary-general.

The committee has asked that where possible, foreign students be enrolled in each delegation.

Information concerning the procedure of the league, the preparation of reports, and material on which to base reports will be sent the colleges that have been invited to send delegates.

The representative committee at Cornell university will bear the cost of the organization, promotion and administration. Delegates will be provided with housing while in Ithaca, and in many cases will be registered at Greek letter fraternity houses.

Each college is expected to send at least three delegates, according to the secretary-general. If any college sends less than three representatives, they will be assigned to a "country" but will have no major part in the program.

PROFESSOR WALKER SPEAKS

Professor Adam A. Walker, head of the economics department, will speak before a Men's club at Cobleskill, Monday.

TO HAVE SWIMMING CLASSES

The Girls' Athletic association will conduct classes in swimming every Wednesday evening at the Y. W. C. A. pool. The class for beginners and in life saving will be given from eight to nine o'clock, and advanced swimming instruction from nine to ten o'clock.

NEWMANITES PLAN CAKE, CANDY SALE ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Newman club will hold its annual St. Patrick's Day sale of cake and candy next Friday, according to plans made at Newman council meeting Sunday. The committee for the sale is: Margretta Smythe, '28; Eleanor Finn, '28; Marie Lynch, '29; Elizabeth Smith, '29; Nan Brennan, '30; Lillian Dorr, '31, and Margaret Mulligan, '31. Newman alumnae will give a bridge tea St. Patrick's day at Newman hall from 2 to 5 o'clock.

The third quarterly communion and breakfast will be at the Academy of Holy Names on Sunday, March 25. Patricia O'Connell, '28, president of Newman club, announced today. The committee for the breakfast includes Margretta Smyth, '28; Agnes Connor, '28; Catherine Duffy, '29; Louise Dubie, '30; Frances Behr, '30; Anna Metzler, '31, and Elizabeth Corr, '31.

Committees for the Newman bulletin board beginning Monday are: March 12-17, Mary Hurlbly, '29, and Mary Tausel, '29; March 18-24, Marie Hauke, '30, and Jane Formanek, '30; March 25-30, Doris Butler, '31, and Mary Morgenstern, '31.

QUARTERLY TO APPEAR AFTER EASTER--WATTS

"The next number of the State College Quarterly will appear soon after Easter," Dorothy Watts, '28, editor-in-chief, said today. "The material must be in by Friday, March 30."

"The amount of prose and poetry has been about equal. Essays are far in demand," she added.

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## STINARD ADDRESSES EDUCATION SOCIETY

**Explains Influence Of Arabs On Teaching Methods In Spain**

The influence of the Arabs on the teaching methods in Spain was explained by Professor Jesse Stinard, of the Spanish department, to the members of Kappa Phi Kappa fraternity and their guests at the last meeting of the fraternity.

Through the study of Spanish literature and the Spanish language a better understanding of the peoples of Mexico and of South America is brought about, Professor Stinard said.

Nineteen men students of the Junior class were the guests of the fraternity. About thirty men were present at the meeting.

The next meeting of the fraternity will be on Tuesday, March 20, according to Arvid Burke, '28, president of the organization. Professor Winifred C. Decker, head of the German department, will speak on "Education in Germany" at this meeting. This will be the fifth meeting of the fraternity this year and the subject of "Education in Foreign Countries" which the fraternity adopted early in the year has been carried through them all. Each speaker has chosen as his topic a subject in connection with the general subject of the meeting for this year.

"We plan to pledge ten new members in the very near future," Burke said today. "These new members will be chosen from the men students of the Junior and Senior classes and from among those men who are doing graduate work at State College."

## Dr. Croasdale Stresses Need Of Personality; Know Yourself To Maintain Health, She Says

"The teacher is being valued for her personality as well as her scholastic achievements and physical development," said Dr. Caroline Croasdale, professor of mental hygiene and College physician at State College for Teachers. To a certain extent mental health depends upon physical health, but one can be in the most perfect physical health and yet not have mental health. This mental health is maintained by "understanding yourself and being on good terms with yourself with no especially disagreeable behavior mechanisms." "By behavior mechanisms," explained Dr. Croasdale, "is meant the desire to appear different than you really are; the holding of delusions and illusions about yourself."

Dr. Croasdale further explained that "knowing yourself" is merely looking at yourself with a mind trained to awareness of basic human emotions and causes of behavior, which, if understood will eliminate the danger of being "misunderstood."

"While mental hygiene is as old as medicine, increasing demand for a better understanding of humanity has popularized the quest for knowledge of behavior. The new psychology has done much to further the use of mental hygiene and offers definite aid. It should be used, however, only by scientifically trained persons," she said.

## TRACK TEAM LOSES TO PHARMACY AND Y.M.C.A. THURSDAY

By Roy V. SULLIVAN  
The State College track team suffered a hard beating last Thursday in the triangular meet with the Albany Central Y. M. C. A. and Albany College of Pharmacy. The Purple and Gold contingent entered the meet with little practice and were easy victims for the "Y." men who were in top shape.

State failed to take a single first place, annexing but two seconds and four third places. Hamilton Ackeson, '30, took one of the seconds in the 15 yard dash and Roy V. Sullivan, '29, accounted for the other in the quarter mile run. Vincent Festa took third place in the 15 yard event, G. LaVerne Carr, '29, third in the high jump, Edgar Twinning, '28, third in the shot put and Sullivan third in the broad jump.

The State track outfit has been offered an outdoor track meet with Hamilton for this spring; but the offer has not been definitely accepted yet.

## '30 LOSES BASKETBALL GAME TO FROSH, 16-14

Entering the finals of the men's interclass basketball tournament by virtue of their 16-14 victory over the sophomores Tuesday afternoon, the Freshman five encounters the winners of the senior-junior tilt in the gymnasium this afternoon. The frosh-sophomore game was a close battle all the way, with the sophomores leading at the end of the first quarter and the score being tied at 7 all at the half mark. Law starred for the frosh and Kennedy for the losing five.

## Varsity Trims C.C.N.Y. Five In Dull Battle; Second-String Men Enter In Two Quarters

State College wound up its basketball season, Saturday, downing Brooklyn branch, City College of New York, by a 31-24 score in one of the most uninteresting games seen on the State college court.

The Purple and Gold team was greatly handicapped by injuries Louis Klein being on the shelf with an injured knee. Goff also was handicapped with an injured knee.

The first team played but two quarters of the game, the first and the third. In these periods, it had things just about its own way. The second string men did not fare so well against the Brooklyn outfit.

The individual star of the game was Oldeman, kid forward of the visitors. Reported to be but fifteen years of age, the youngster showed the older men how to play ball, leading his team both in scoring with ten points and in all-around playing.

Kuczynski, State captain, led his quintet in scoring although he was removed from the game in the last quarter because of a cut on his face, which he sustained while in a mixup on the floor. Goff and Griffin, playing the last games of the college careers, each played under handicaps. Goff had an injured knee, and Griffin a severe cold.

Goff, Kuczynski and Carr led in the Purple and Gold scoring.

Griffin, after playing the first and third quarters, was removed, only to have his man, Oldeman, score two fields on Griffin's successor.

State took an early lead when Captain Kuczynski sank two long shots in a row in the first two minutes of play. Goff followed with another field and the Purple and Gold had a six point lead.

Oldeman opened the scoring for the visitors, sinking a one pointer after having been fouled by Kuczynski. Goldberg scored the only field basket for the visitors in the first quarter. The State outfit led, 13-3, at the end of the quarter.

Goldberg opened the second quarter with his second field and soon after he scored the state college second team of Thomson, Carpenter, Twinning, Whiston and Allan went in, Whiston acting as cap-

tain. Before the seconds found themselves the visitors piled up five points on two fields and a foul by young Oldeman. With three minutes of play remaining the seconds began playing better ball and scored four points on a field by Thomson, a tap in on a jump ball under the basket and fouls by Whiston and Thomson. The half ended with State ahead by a 17-10 score.

For the first three minutes of the second half, State had the better of the game, scoring six points on fields by Carr, Goff and Herney, to take the long end of a 23-10 count.

Peskovitz then scored a double decker for the visitors but State came back with a field by Goff and a brace of fouls by Kuczynski. Just before the end of the third quarter, Keiner, visiting captain, sank a field to boost his team's score to fifteen points. State had 28.

At the beginning of the last quarter, the State first string lineup was broken up, probably never to be united again. Whiston and Allan were substituted for Griffin and Herney.

Oldeman scored two fields for the visitors as the last period started. Kuczynski then scored the last State college points of the season on a field. This sent the State total to 31 points for the game, and 303 for the season. Peskovitz and Giltitz scored two pointers.

## FROSH FIVE SWAMP PHARMACY QUINTET BY 13 POINT MARGIN

By Roy V. SULLIVAN  
Playing the best game of the season, the State College freshman basketball five wound up its season by swamping the Pharmacy college freshman by a 28-15 count, last Friday evening, on the State College court. The frosh displayed the best brand of ball that they have flashed all season in downing their local rivals. The Purple and Gold yearlings took the lead in the first few seconds of play and were never headed, leading at the half by a 12-6 count. Captain Lyons and Ott, frosh forwards starred for the home club, while Captain Yada played best for the visitors.

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The object of mental hygiene is to develop personality relatively free from undesirable behavior mechanisms. In other words, "the essence of mental hygiene is to be perfectly honest with yourself."  
Dr. Croasdale, who has been in charge of health at the College for ten years, likes the frankness of youth today. She says it simplifies many health problems that an older generation shrank from even recognizing as needing attention or possible solution.  
"Nothing is taboo to youth today," said Dr. Croasdale. "This very frankness goes to solve much. It removes restraints and roots fear which used to work havoc. Young persons today are more willing to look at things unhampered by 'silly' scruples of propriety."

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