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Y. W. C. A. RECEPTION FOR THE FRESHMEN

The Y. W. C. A. gave the Freshmen a rousing good time at the reception Friday evening, September 27, in the college gymnasium. The receiving line, headed by the Y. W. C. A. cabinet and including Mrs. Brubacher, Miss Pierce, Miss Van Lieu, Miss Templeton of the City Y. W. C. A., Mrs. Stinard, Miss Cobb and Miss Springsteed, gave the Freshmen a characteristic Y. W. C. A. introduction into the paths of friendship.

The spontaneous burst into dancing was very noticeable as soon as the formalities of the receiving line had been gone through.

An informal "welcome" talk was given the Freshmen by Miss Caroline Lipes, President of the Y. W. C. A. After this all gathered near the stairs for a sing, the Freshmen giving a fine new song as a beginning. The sing was admirably led by Miss Elizabeth Archibald whose enthusiasm carried everyone with her, even those who professed to have no singing abilities.

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INTER-SORORITY TEA

The annual tea given by Inter-Sorority to the faculty and college students was held on Saturday afternoon, September 28, from three until five, in the rotunda of the college.

The color scheme of purple and gold was very nicely carried out with golden-rod and purple asters and helped to make the "Hall" a most pleasing and inviting place. Music was furnished by Gregware.

In the receiving line were Edith Morrison, president of Delta Omega; Harriet Church, president of Eta Phi; Ruth Patterson, president of Psi Gamma; Dorothy Roberts, president of Kappa Delta; Aileen Russell, president of Kappa Nu and Sophie Rosenweig, president of Alpha Epsilon Phi.

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STUDENT ASSEMBLY

Student Assembly last Friday morning was in charge of Myskania. After the "Alma Mater" was sung, Miss Waterhouse announced that Captain Fred Swindlehurst of the Canadian Army will speak at Student Assembly Friday morning of this week. Miss Waterhouse informed us, with much enthusiasm, that "Capt. Swindlehurst has been gassed and ought to be a very interesting speaker!" (If "gassing" has that effect on people, we hope that all our speakers of the future will be "gassed.")

Following this enlightening bit of news, a speaker, familiar to us all and one of the strongest backers for State College athletics, was introduced. Prof. Risley began his short, snappy speech by displaying a five dollar bill to his audience. He said, "money talks. Let money do the talking. Look what

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News Board Competition Starts

Myskania Presents Constitution as Given Below
Positions on Board Open to Sophomores and Freshmen

Myskania has presented to the News Board a permanent constitution, a copy of which will be found at the end of this article. By the article contained therein, the definite plan of organization and control of the "News" is given.

Late last spring a temporary plan of organization was drawn up, and the present "News" board was appointed. The board as it now stands will continue throughout the year, with the addition of four Sophomores and two Freshmen, whose appointment shall be made in February, subject to the terms of the constitution. The competition for positions as "reporters," as defined by the constitution, is now open to ALL Sophomores and Freshmen. Anyone

from these two classes who would like to try for a position on the board should hand his or her name to the Editor AT ONCE. A strict record of merits will then be kept, and those of highest value to the "News" will be selected for permanent positions on the board.

It is an honor to be a member of the Board of Editors of the State College News. There should be a large number of competitors for the six positions now open. It is expected that the response to this call for embryo-editors will be large.

Remember — hand your names to the Editor now! Out for the "News," Frosh and Sophs!

Following is the constitution as given to the "News" this week:

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CAPT. SWINDLEHURST TO SPEAK FRIDAY

At Student Assembly this Friday Captain Fred Swindlehurst will be the speaker. Capt. Swindlehurst is a native Canadian, but was before his enlistment, a clergyman at Palenville, just below Albany. He was in the trenches two years, and was gassed during the July offensive just before the taking of Bapaume. He was sent home for recuperation. His headquarters at present are at Palenville. He will speak on his experiences "over there," and will give a few hints as to what the money we are investing in the Fourth Liberty Loan will be used for.

CHEMISTRY CLUB

For the information and benefit of science students, there follows a brief account of the Chemistry Club — its aim and rules.

Chemistry Club was organized in December, 1912, and has the distinction of being the third oldest club in College, being preceded by Promethean, which is the oldest; and by College Club with a few days margin. It began with twenty charter members and has increased to an approximate average of fifty members a year.

The present requirements for membership are the attainment of passing grade in one course in chemistry and a sufficient interest manifested by the student for continuance in a more advanced course. Students taking chemistry 1 and who desire to become eligible for membership, may do so by presenting original papers before the club. Initiation of new members is held at the beginning of the college year and is usually followed by a dance or social evening.

Meetings are held every other week throughout the college year. The program includes a paper given by some member followed by an open discussion. At

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DOROTHY BEEBE, '18, RETURNS TO COLLEGE AS INSTRUCTOR

Dorothy Lampert Beebe, '18, has been appointed laboratory assistant in history at State College. Miss Beebe graduated from the Fredonia Normal High School in '19, and from the Fredonia Normal in the years '12 and '14, having taken two different courses. She spent two years in State College and was graduated last June. Together with her duties at this college Miss Beebe is working for her Master's Degree. The "News" welcomes Miss Beebe to State College again and extends all good wishes for success.

SENIORS TO ENTERTAIN SOLDIERS

An informal reception to all soldiers of the State College Training Detachment will be given in the near future, possibly Friday of this week. Notice will be posted on the bulletin boards, so consult these "posts" often.

The committee in charge is: D. Tower, chairman; M. Cardiff, F. Fitzgerald, J. Keller, H. Poole, J. Lasher, M. Becker and A. Fraser.

S. A. T. C. FORMALLY ESTABLISHED AT STATE COLLEGE OCT. FIRST

Albany Law Joins State College for Training

Ninety-one students of the New York State College for Teachers and Albany Law School have been physically accepted for the Student Army Training Corps at State College.

At exactly the same moment, on Tuesday, October 1, the men in section "A" of the Student Army Training Corps, located in five hundred colleges and universities throughout the country, were inducted into the service of the United States.

Promptly at noon on Tuesday the State College Training Corps were assembled on the campus, where the flag raising took place. Dr. A. R. Brubacher, President of State College, and Dr. Newton Farrell of the Law School made addresses. After a short program the lieutenant read the orders of the day.

State College Men

Men physically accepted from State College for Teachers are:

John A. Harriot, Cortland; Leon H. Woodruff, Lyons; Albert W. Ston, Greenwich; Theodore W. Hill, Auburn; Harry W. Wagar, Long Lake; Morris Caplan, Albany; John J. Strum, Rensselaer; Harvey M. Albee, Monticello; Frank R. Bruce, Albany; Earle J. Dorwaldt, Albany; Adolph J. Lasker, Troy; Herman Staub, Albany; Harry V. Lobdell, Albany; James O. Johnson, Johnstown; Francis J. Fitzgerald, Troy; George J. Davidson, Long Island City; Merlin J. Finch, Schenectady; Walter H. Robinson, Schenectady; Earle Matice, Albany; Ralph J. Baker, Lackawanna; Clyde Deidrich, Lackawanna; George D. Austin, Greenwich; Russell J. Weiler, Albany; Edward T. Springmann, Glen Cove; Granville D. Moffit, Greenwich; Earl J. Van Hoosen, Polaski; Ernest N. Stone, Glens Falls; Richard O'Brien, Mechanicville; James T. Cahill, Albany; James J. Delaney, Watervliet; Frederick R. Baggett, Albany; George A. Schia-

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Lyra Waterhouse Acting Senior President

W. E. Sutherland to Remain in Office as Honorary President

At a meeting of the Senior Class, held on Thursday last week for the purpose of nominating a Senior President, it was voted to retain W. Earle Sutherland as honorary president during his absence while in the service of the United States Marine Corps. The constitution provides that a new president shall be elected in case of the resignation or disqualification of the executive officer. Since Mr. Sutherland has neither resigned nor become disqualified, and since his absence is

temporary, depending on the length of the war, the vice-president, Lyra Waterhouse, will become acting president.

Miss Waterhouse is a young woman of splendid qualities, great ability and tact. She is a leader in social affairs, an active Y. W. C. A. member, has written a number of class songs, and is a member of Myskania and Psi Gamma sorority. '19 is to be congratulated on having such an able executive officer.