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Happy New Year

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SETH LOW TO VIE WITH STATE FIVE

State Varsity Appears Confident
Of Victory in Tomorrow's
Court Encounter

The State college varsity basketball team will attempt to record another victory to its early season clean slate when it faces the strong Seth Low college from the metropolitan district tomorrow night in the gymnasium of Page hall at 8:30 o'clock.

Last year the Purple and Gold suffered two defeats at the hands of the Seth Low outfit in two closely contested games, losing by less than nine points in each encounter. The two Seth Low set-backs and one by the Brooklyn Polytechnic institute were the only defeats recorded on last season's schedule.

Coach Baker stated in an interview today that he would probably use the same system of plays and utilization of the total squad of players in the game tomorrow night.

Roger Bancroft, '34, captain, commented that the team "in no way entertains a complex because of last season's shortcomings by the Seth Low quintet." "Anyone with common sense," Bancroft further commented on last year's defeat, "can easily understand that the morale of any team cannot maintain its integrity after undergoing a minor setback and a New York trip."

The squad members who will see service in tomorrow's imbroglio are Roger Bancroft, George Bancroft, Tom Garrett, Harold Stone, Bud Kissam, Charlie Lyons, Tom Carter, Flip Burnell, Ed De Temple, Ossy Brooks, Cliff Rall, Jerry Amoy, and R. Huddleston.

Admission to the game will be by presentation of student tax ticket or payment of forty cents. Dancing will follow the game. Music will be furnished by Bill Jones and his Playboys.

Junior College Group To Have Dance Tonight

Junior college students will conduct a dance in the gymnasium of Hawley hall tonight from 8:00 until 12:30 o'clock. Music will be furnished by Bill Jones and his Playboys. Richard Margison will be general chairman.

This dance will be the first social event conducted by the recently formed student association of junior college State college students are invited to attend. Margison stated.

The committees assisting Margison include: advertising, Peter Schmidt; music, Vincent Everhard; refreshments, Helen Martin; and faculty, Gertrude Lesson. Tickets will be seventy five cents per couple and may be purchased from any member of these committees.

French System of Examinations Develops

'Thinking, Not Facts,' M. Desclos Declares

The system of examinations of France is more concerned with the development of the process of thinking than with the accumulation of factual knowledge, was the keynote of a talk presented by M. August V. Desclos, assistant director of the Office National des Universités de France, in the student assembly conducted Friday morning in Page hall auditorium. M. Desclos pointed his address, entitled "French Examinations, Their Doctrine and Practice," with Montaigne's aphorism, "Better a head well made, than a head well filled."

French educational authorities do not favor the introduction of the 'objective' type of examination which is in use today in numerous American institutions. M. Desclos asserted that the system of examinations in France was more suitable in developing the qualities which contribute culture than the more mechanical tests which require a vast stock of detailed information.

French examinations differ from those conducted in America in that they are national and public. The same examinations are conducted in all sections throughout the whole country. These tests are not supervised by public school teachers, but by educational officials who are not acquainted with the pupils.

Attendance at classes and previous training are not recognized as determinant factors in evaluating pupils' scores.

Library To Loan Reserve Books During Vacation

Books may be taken from the reserve shelves of the College library for Christmas vacation after 5:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, and all day Wednesday, according to Miss Mary Elizabeth Cobb, College librarian.

Special provision will be made for students of the Junior college by placing a number of selected books in room 101 of Draper hall. The books must be returned by 9:10 o'clock, Thursday, January 4. A fine of twenty-five cents for the first hour or fraction thereof and five cents for each succeeding hour is imposed for each reserve book not returned on time.

1935 TO CONDUCT DINNER ON MONDAY

William Jones Will be Chairman;
"Christmas" Will be Theme
of Cafeteria Meeting

The junior class will conduct its first class dinner for this year Monday night at 5:30 o'clock in the cafeteria of Husted hall. William Jones will be the general chairman.

Faculty guests will be: Miss Helen H. Metcalf, dean of women; Dr. Harold W. Thompson, professor of English; and Dr. James B. Palmer, professor of education. Minnie Riss and Gretnell Rand, seniors, and members of Mykama, senior honorary society, class guardians, will attend.

The theme of the dinner is "A Christmas." Faculty guests and David Krohn, president of the class, will speak.

Jones has appointed the following committees to assist him: waitresses, Elizabeth Gregory, chairman; food, Hilda Estabrook, chairman; and Ruth V. Entchley, chairperson; Grace Pritchard, chairman; and Margaret Fisher, chairperson; John Bill, chairman; Kathryn Crowell, Milton Goldberger, Marion Lyon, Ruth Reimer, and Kathleen Kenny, entertainment; Doris Howe, chairman; Lucile Hersh, Wilfred Allard, and Lois Odwell; clean up, Elwood Parry, chairman; Hourie Allen, Kenneth Christian, Carlton Conner, and Fred Mohrman; finance, Catherine Kearney, chairman; Marion Heine mann, and Donald Packard; advertisement, Ruth Hilbert, chairman; Elaine Cronin, Evelyn Rich, and Helen Rich, and programs, Charles Atwell, chairman.

All who wish to attend should sign up on the poster on the main bulletin board in the rotunda of Draper hall, Jones said.

ANNOUNCES VACATION

Christmas recess will begin at 5:05 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, according to Miss Elizabeth Van Domburg, College registrar. Class will be resumed Thursday morning, January 1, at 8:10 o'clock.

CHORUS WILL SING IN 11:10 ASSEMBLY

Dr. Candlyn Will Direct Program;
Students to Elect N.S.F.A.
Delegate Today

Presentation of a program of Christmas carols and re-votes for a delegate to the National Student Federation of America conference in Washington, D. C., December 27-31, will take place this morning in assembly in Page hall auditorium at 11:10 o'clock. Instructions prepared by the student council for the delegate will be listed by Gretnell Rand, '34, president.

Following a custom of the past several years, the College chorus, under the direction of Dr. T. Frederick H. Candlyn, head of the music department, will present a program of Christmas carols. The five carols to be given are: "At Midnight, a Summons Came," "Bring a Torch, Jeannette, Isabella," and "Sleep, Little Dove," of French origin; "The Holly and the Ivy," and "Wassail Song," of English origin.

A re-vote will be taken today on Wilfred Allard and Dorothea Cadogan, juniors, for delegate to the ninth annual convention of the N.S.F.A. to be conducted December 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31 in Washington, D. C. The two received the two highest number of votes in assembly Friday morning.

Allard is vice-president of the junior class and is general chairman of the Junior Week and in February. He has been a member of the varsity basketball and tennis teams and a member of the freshman basketball team in his freshman year. He is a member of Kappa Delta, Kappa Kappa, and Kappa Phi Kappa, men's educational fraternity.

Miss Cadogan is business manager of the *College*, college literary magazine, and secretary of the Dramatics and Art Association. She is a member of the Young Women's Christian association and of Psi Gamma sorority.

STATE, FORDHAM DEBATE WILL BE ON 'PEACE' TOPIC

The State college varsity debate team will meet the Fordham university varsity team Thursday night, January 11, at 8:00 o'clock in the Lounge of Richard hall. Dr. Harold W. Thompson, coach of debate and professor of English, announced today. This will be the first time that State has met Fordham in debate.

The Fordham team, coached by Father Scheraga, is conducting a debate tour and will meet the State team here as part of the schedule for the tour.

Other new opponents of State this year include Hobart and Wells colleges. Hobart will meet the varsity team here in February. The State team met the Wells team on Friday night, November 3, at America, New York.

Debate with Hamilton college will take place in March at Clinton New York. Last year State defeated Hamilton, 31-23, in upholding the negative side of the question, Resolved: That World Peace is impossible under a capitalist economic system. Neither the topic nor the members of the State debate team for the future tournament have been decided upon at the present time.

Pi Gamma Mu to Meet With Union on Tuesday

Members of Delta chapter of Pi Gamma Mu, national honorary social science fraternity, will attend a joint meeting with the Union college chapter at Schenectady on Tuesday. At this meeting Joseph Czerwinski, Union, '34, will speak on the subject of "Poland."

Members of Delta chapter of Pi Gamma Mu conducted a meeting in the form of a Christmas party last night at the Chi Sigma Theta sorority house, 678 Madison avenue. Guests of the fraternity included: Mrs. Martha Eggleston, instructor in history, and Mr. Eggleston; Mr. Clarence Hildes, assistant professor of history, and Mrs. Hildes; and Dr. A. W. Risley, professor of history, and Mrs. Risley.

New System Omits Vise On Excuse, Dean States

A new experimental way of dealing with the excuse blanks went into effect Monday morning at 8:10 o'clock and will continue until the end of this semester.

Dean Milton G. Nelson explained the plan in the 11:10 assembly Friday morning. Under this new system, faculty members no longer need to sign excuse blanks. In case of illness immediately before or after Christmas vacation, the blanks must be signed by the attending physician, by Dr. Caroline C. Crossdale or Dr. Matie Green, College physicians, or by the "house mother" of the group house where the student lives. A student living in a private home must have his blank signed by the landlady. Any other excuses should be clearly explained on the blank.

Dean Nelson stated that students should be fair about their absences, as the College is very reasonable concerning legitimate excuses.

Y. W. C. A. SERVICE WILL BE SUNDAY

Christmas Program Will Feature
One-Act Play, Readings, and
Favorite Carols

The Young Women's Christian association will conduct its annual Christmas service Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Lounge of Richard hall.

The program will include a one-act play directed by Marjorie Wheaton, '34; selections by the Y.W.C.A. choir, directed by Susan Smith, '35; and Frances Studebaker, '36; group singing of favorite Christmas carols; and several readings appropriate to the holiday season, given by Maybelle Matthews, '34. The cast for the play includes: Miss Wheaton and Lois Parry, epilogues; and Norma Dixon, '35.

Josephine Evans, '36, will be general chairman of the service. She will be assisted by the following committees: sets, Miss Parry; props, Winifred Wilcox, '37; and costumes, Jayne Buckley, '36.

The complete service will be presented at the Albany Home for Children, Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, and at the Home for Incapables, Monday night. The social service group, under the direction of Mary Elizabeth Whitney, '35, chairman, plans to send gifts from the Y.W.C.A. group to the children at the Albany Home for Children.

N.S.F.A. Convention To Be December 27-31; Council Lists Instructions for Delegate

The ninth annual convention of the National Student Federation of America will be conducted Wednesday through Sunday, December 27-31, at Washington, D. C. Headquarters for the convention will be the Hotel Mayflower.

The main purpose of the convention this year will be to consider questions affecting campus life and activities, and to develop intelligent student opinion on matters of national and international concern.

On Wednesday morning, December 27, the delegates will convene at the Hotel Mayflower. After registration they will be welcomed by the faculty of the American university, the faculty of the District of Columbia. Special committees for the conference will then be appointed, after which the students will be addressed by Senator F. Hamilton Lewis of Illinois. In the afternoon, there will be a general discussion on "Facing the Crisis in Education" led by Dr. John Macracken of the American Council on Education, Dr. George F. Zoell, United States Commissioner of Education, and Dr. H. W. Tyler, of the Association of American University Professors.

Thursday morning there will be a discussion on student government problems. In the afternoon, a session will be conducted in the Pan American

PSI GAMMA TOPS SCHOLARSHIP LIST

Beta Zeta Follows with 1.59 Rating;
Tabulation also Includes
Non-Sorority Groups

Psi Gamma sorority will be the guardian of the Intersorority scholarship cup for the coming year, since it ranks first this year on the sorority scholarship list with an average of 1.63, according to Miss Elizabeth Van Domburg, registrar. This is the second time that Psi Gamma has won this honor. It headed the list for the year 1929-1930 with an average of 1.50. Dr. A. R. Brubacher, president will present the cup this morning in the 11:10 assembly.

Beta Zeta ranks second with an average of 1.59, which is .04 lower than that of Psi Gamma. Last year Beta Zeta ranked first with a 1.569 average. This sorority was first until three years ago when Psi Gamma received the highest honors. The next year, 1930-1931, Kappa Delta headed the list. Kappa Delta is third on the list this year with an average of 1.50. This is a gain of .09 over last year, when it fell to tenth place.

Last year Gamma Kappa Phi ranked second, but this year has fallen to thirteenth place, while Eta Phi, in third place last year, now holds the last place. It has been third on the list for four years, three of which were consecutive. Phi Lambda has risen from ninth place last year to fourth this year.

The intersorority scholarship cup will be presented to the president of Psi Gamma sorority this morning in assembly, according to Jean Craigmile, president of Intersorority council. The cup was first awarded three years ago. The name of the sorority winning the cup and the year in which it was won is inscribed on the cup each year.

The averages, as compiled by Miss Van Domburg, are as follows:

Psi Gamma	1.63
Beta Zeta	1.59
Kappa Delta	1.50
Phi Lambda	1.49
Delta Omicron	1.478
Chi Sigma Theta	1.471
Alpha Ipsilon Phi	1.464
Epsilon Beta Phi	1.460
Alpha Rho	1.44
Phi Delta	1.436
Sigma Alpha	1.434
Pi Alpha Tau	1.42
Gamma Phi Sigma	1.41
Gamma Kappa Phi	1.40
Eta Phi	1.39

Sororities on probation:
Sigma Gamma Rho, Sigma Xi

Union building. It will be devoted to the topic "The Students in Pan American Affairs." The delegates will be addressed by two ambassadors from Central America, Sr. Ricardo J. Alvarado, ambassador from Panama, and Sr. Don Adrian Reinos, ambassador from Guatemala.

On Friday there will be various discussion groups on College publications, the honor system, athletics, and fraternity relations. In the evening, Dr. Udo Benetti, head of the political science department at Princeton university, will speak.

The students in International Affairs will be the subject of a general meeting on Sunday morning. General Hugh Johnson, director of the National Recovery Act, will be the lunch speaker and will lay the foundation for the afternoon meeting on "The Student in National Affairs."

The student council will present a list of topics to be discussed by the representative at the convention. These instructions are formulated as:

1. Consideration of relations between undergraduate and graduate students in regard to student activities.
2. Evaluation of fraternal groups on the campus.
3. Methods whereby student council can plan assembly programs of more interest.
4. Unemployment from the undergraduate and graduate student viewpoint.

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SUGGESTIONS FOR DELEGATE

The student association will conduct re-votes this morning on the delegates to the annual National Student Federation of America convention. The association will also endeavor to aid the student by suggestions of possible procedures and topics for discussion at the convention. Student council has already been working on a feasible list of instructions which it will present today.

The News humbly suggests several topics which, if not discussed in regular meeting, might be talked over with representatives of other colleges. They are: (1) student-faculty relations, including how faculty guests are taken care of at student social affairs; (2) employment situation in regards to seniors and graduates. We suggest that the delegate confer with Mr. Lowertree in order to get the correct situation at State college; and (3) student budgets, including how they are maintained, and how student taxes are collected.

The State college delegate will have the opportunity of taking part in small discussion groups on topics of interest to undergraduate students. The Thursday morning discussion will be on the topic of student government problems. Friday morning, the delegate will attend either the college publication discussion or the one on honor systems. That afternoon the representative will have to choose between athletics and fraternity relations. The alternative for the Friday morning and afternoon sessions may or may not be of importance to this student body. Therefore, we suggest that it be decided by the student body which session the delegate should attend.

ALERTNESS AND PROMPTITUDE

Whether or not the student body is aware of the fact the College is running an appointment bureau. This unit is headed by Miss Lowertree, and her office is located in the room at the end of the hall in Milne High school.

Perhaps many of the Seniors already know that such a place exists. Others apparently are not interested in the place, for when they receive notices in the student mail box, they promptly disregard them. Many times, information issued by this office is very important, both to the bureau and to the individual. Wilful neglect of the matter causes much bother and delay.

On the other hand, students have offered the excuse that they have not looked in the student mail-box often enough to know when such notices are placed there. It is a matter of importance to every Senior whether or not he gets a position. One would think, therefore, that each Senior would have enough personal responsibility to keep on the watch for notices from the appointment bureau and promptly attend to them.

Books

By M. C. H.

Shark! Shark!, by Captain William E. Young as told to Horace S. Mazet, F.R.G.S. Gotham House, New York. 287 pages. \$4.00.

"A shark," Captain Young tells us, "is a muscular marvel. Predatory, fated to be ever hungry, roving, relentless, a shark never sleeps, never lets up his ceaseless swimming through the sea; from the minute he is born, he must keep that great tail moving, fins fanning, and his ugly face constantly on watch for food."

Captain Young goes on to discredit the popular superstition that sharks follow ships when there is someone sick aboard, in hopes of getting the dead body. Very seldom do cadavers meet such a fate, for the bodies are wrapped tightly in canvas and weighted so they will sink rapidly to the bottom. The descent is thus so sudden that the shark doesn't have an opportunity to attack. A shark might, however, follow a ship for days, simply to devour what refuse is thrown overboard.

Captain Young also discredits the theory that the octopus is the shark's worst enemy. The sawfish is more deadly because with his saw-like beak he can actually pierce the hide of the great fish.

The book contains many exciting adventures with these ferocious relatives of Moby Dick. Captain Young includes stories about all kinds of sharks: small ones, large ones, young ones, and old ones.

One interesting feature, besides the cover half bound in real shark hide, is the many papers and drawings by Helen Sewell. Captain Young also includes some gruesome pictures showing shark bites and bruises on human bodies, and photographs of sharks in capture.

No Retreat. By Horace Gregory. Harcourt, Brace and Company, New York City. \$1.75. 51 pages.

"Tell her I love
She will remember me
Always, for she
Is of my tissues made."

This is from one of four poems included in *No Retreat* written by Horace Gregory to his daughter, explaining his love for her and his philosophy of life. His love is neither in earth nor sky, but is a walled garden in which her body is. Living is too long, he explains, for their love to endure; yet it is a steel cable strung across a sunset sky.

Among the other poems in this collection we find "New York, Cassandra," which truly reveals the restless conglomeration that typifies city life. Gregory seems almost ultra-modern in his presentation, especially in the line,

"They say Macbeth embezzled funds, the market fell too soon, too soon the hands of Christ withered on the cross."

By the diversity of his analogies and references one discovers that Horace Gregory is very well read.

"Give Cerberus an unemployment wage, the dog is hungry."

"Nightingale Venus, bright Beatrice shall sing tonight, or even

"They say the red arm of the Proletariat swings, Hammer and Sickle, a quarter moon in the sky, The dog star comets leap . . ."

Unusual are his combinations of words. For example we find in "A Wreath for Margery": fiery hair, startling eyelashes, bucolic blue, Wisconsin summer skies, dark catapals, and forgotten seasons under snow.

This is the second published book of Horace Gregory's poems. His other book, "Chelsea Rooming House," written some years ago, typifies his reaction to the terror and frustration of living in a large city. In his second book, however, the modern city remains in the foreground; yet the terror and frustration are gone.

BOOK SUGGESTIONS

Book lovers who are looking longingly into shop windows or carefully counting pennies in the Co-op will probably welcome (we hope) a list of recent books which might make the dreaded Christmas shopping easier. It is with fear and trepidation we submit such a list, we are not trying to sell the books; we are merely trying to be "helpful Henriettes."

First of all, there is that two volume set of **Anthony Adverse**, by Huxley Allen. If you read the review last week, as we hope you did, we are sure you will want to take a peek at it the first time you get a chance. By the way, **Anthony Adverse** has been rated the best seller for many weeks now. **One More River**, the new novel by John Galsworthy, **Testament of Youth** by Vera Brittain, **Three Cities** by Sholem Asch, and **House of Exile** by Nora Waln complete our list of fiction.

Have you seen those clever combinations of card and gift in the form of poetry known as the Little Chap books? The series includes poems by such poets as Robert Frost, Walter Runcie, Archibald MacLeish, and Louis Untermeyer. Among the most recent books of poetry we find the **Collection of Verse** by Lewis Carroll, **Strange Victory**, by Sara Teasdale, and the **Bird of Dawning** by John Macneil.

For children of almost any age we recommend **Little White Goat**, a very delicate thing written and illustrated by Dorothy Lathrop, and **The Wind in the Willows** by Kenneth Grahame, another charming book illustrated by E. H. Shepherd, the artist who did the pictures for A. A. Milne's popular series.

No list would be complete without Don Marquis' latest, **Archy's life of mehitabel** in which archy becomes a howl to the cat with the soul of Cleopatra. Ford and Ward has produced another wordless novel, in wood engravings, entitled, **Prelude to a Million Years**. One should also not forget the latest thing in biography, **Struan Zweig's Marie Antoinette**.

One is usually so busy picking out presents for others that he seldom has time to think about gifts he might receive. Well, we hope that Santa Claus will bring you good books, whether those on our list or not.

'Echo,' Founded 1892, Is Oldest Publication, Research Conducted by 'News,' Discloses

(Editor's note: This week, the State College News presents the first in a series of articles relating the development of student publications at State college. The first, written by Hilda Heines, '35, junior associate editor, recounts the history of the "Echo" and the "Pedagogue.")

As a mother o'er her children, so might the *Echo* stand above the other publications of State college. From the combination literary magazine and College newspaper, founded in June, 1892, and christened *The Normal College Echo*, grew the State College News, the *Echo*, the *Pedagogue*, and the *Lion* which present day students know. Henry Emerson Adams, '93, editor-in-chief of the *Echo*, looked far beyond in the State college history when he stated, "We predict for it a bright beginning, a future with a steady increasing light, a life of constant growth."

Some opinions of these students of literary work but very few photographs. Since then, a yearbook has been published regularly. The 1912 issue, which was the first to bear the name *Pedagogue*, contained only photographs. The 1913 book includes a picture of the championship class basketball team of which Dr. Minnie Scotland, '13, now assistant professor of biology, was captain. Five years later, the *Pedagogue* contained an "Honor Roll" section dedicated to "One who never turned his back, but marched breast forward," to commemorate students who went to war. During this period, the Red Cross and the Consumers' league were counted among the activities of State college. The first and only book to be dedicated to a non-faculty member was the 1919 issue. It was dedicated to Theodore Roosevelt.

In 1915, the *Echo* was called "the one biggest unifying force reflecting College activities, interests us—as outsiders must know us." However, upon organization of the State College News in 1916, it gave up its news department, and specialized in stories, essays, plays, and poems. In 1918, it was renamed the *Quarterly*, but regained its old title the *Echo* in 1929.

The *Neon*, the predecessor of the *Pedagogue*, the State yearbook, was first published in 1900. It was dedicated to Dr. William James Milne, president of the College. William A. Ranney, '00, was editor-in-chief and business manager, while Miss Eunice A. Perine, '00, now head of the Art department, was secretary. It was an enterprising book, containing large pictures of the faculty and of the seniors, histories and pictures of the classes and of the fraternities, a literary section, and a description of the various activities. "The Twentieth Century Bicycle club," one of those activities, is further evidence of the ambition of the College students at the turn of the century. Young men and women of the club would, on a Saturday afternoon, cycle to some historic or beautiful spot about Albany. It was generally conceded that the organization was "one of the most realistic and energetic clubs ever established in this institution."

The *Neon*, however, was a financial failure, and because of this no other class attempted to have a yearbook until 1911, when *Our Book* was published with Helen Bennett, '11, as editor-in-chief. It contained a large amount of

1935 TO BALLOT FOR PROM QUEEN

Juniors To Retain Tradition Begun Last Year by Class of 1934, Allard Announces

Members of the junior class will select a 1935 Prom Queen who will preside over the annual formal dance to be conducted by the class Friday night, February 9, in the Auriana club. Wilfred Allard, general chairman of junior week end activities, announced today. The tradition of selecting a sovereign to reign over the Prom was innovated last year by the class of 1934. Catherine Kearney and Lucille Manning have been named as co-chairmen of the committee on arrangements for the selection of a Prom Queen.

The junior women receiving second and third place on the ballot will serve as attendants to the Queen, and two others will assist Harriette Goodenow, '34, Prom Queen last year, in the coronation of the new ruler.

The decorations at the Auriana club will feature three colors, purple, jade and white, according to Lucille Hirsch, chairman of the decorations committee.

The complete committees for the Prom and their chairmen are as follows: music, William Jones, chairman; Agnes Lillibridge, Wilfred Allard, and Louis Blumberg; decorations, Lucille Hirsch, chairman; Carlton Gaultier, Charles Atwell, Hilda Heines, Lillian Payne, Miss Jakob, and Samuel Spector; floor, Milton Goldberger, chairman; Mary Torrens, Donald Packard, and Zaven Mablestian; programs, Julia Reil, chairman; Margaret Strong, Susan Smith, and Evelyn Rich; bids, Evelyn Stadle, chairman; Elizabeth Greenwood, Evelyn Host, Ruth Madden, Valentine Reutowich, Fred Mohrman, and William Davidge; invitations, Dorothy Calcutt, chairman; Helen Foley, Frances Kelly, and Pearl Hanching; chaplains, Lois Odwell, chairman; Anna Ays, Elaine Grouin and Florence Clairmont; refreshments, Marion Heiman, chairman; Edith Estabrooks, and William Topper; publicity, Dan Vandervan, chairman; Ruth Williams and Hilda Heines; flowers and taxis, Florence Ellen, chairman, and Helen Wallace.

Library Receives Gifts Of Books and Pictures

"The Farm," by Louis Bromfield, on exhibit in the rear of the College library, is a gift presented by the class of 1933. Each year two books are bought with the interest money from a fund donated by the class. The second book, which will be exhibited next week, is "Up the Years from Edoomsday," an autobiography by George Albee.

A second gift recently received by the library is a framed portrait of Gideon Hawley, former superintendent of public instruction, presented by Mrs. Eunice Rice Messent, '22, for the Alumni council. This portrait will be hung in the library.

Dr. A. R. Brubaker, College president, has recently presented thirty volumes of classics to the library.

Calendar

Today

11:10 Student assembly, and forum, Page hall

Tonight

7:30 Y.W.C.A. party, Lounge, Richardson hall

8:00 Junior college dance, gymnasium, Hawley hall

Tomorrow

3:00 Psi Gamma tea, sorority house, 113 South Lake avenue

8:30 State college, Seth Low basketball game, gymnasium, Page hall

Sunday

7:30 Y.W.C.A. vesper service, Lounge, Richardson hall

Monday

8:30 Junior class dinner meeting, Cafeteria, Husted hall

Tuesday

8:30 Advanced dramatics class play, auditorium, Page hall

Wednesday

5:05 Christmas vacation committee

Thursday, January 4

8:10 Classes resumed

Saturday, January 6

8:00 Troubadours' vaudeville presentation, auditorium, Page hall

Wednesday, January 10

8:30 College chorus recital program, Chancellor's hall

Thursday, January 11

8:00 Debate, State college versus Fordham, Lounge, Richardson hall

Collegiate Digest

SECTION

"National Collegiate News in Picture and Paragraph"



SNOW FLAKES trace their outlines as Cortland Normal School co-eds prepare for the winter sports season at the New York institution.



SORORITY SISTER OF A SENATOR—Miss Carmen Larison, Arizona State College co-ed, is a member of Zeta Sigma, formerly a literary society, Zetetics, of which U. S. Senator Carl Hayden was a member.



QUEEN OF THE SKYLINE, Miss Helen Hockenhull has the most perfect feminine figure at Colorado Woman's College, the physical education department there reported after a recent survey. Her father is the new governor of New Mexico.



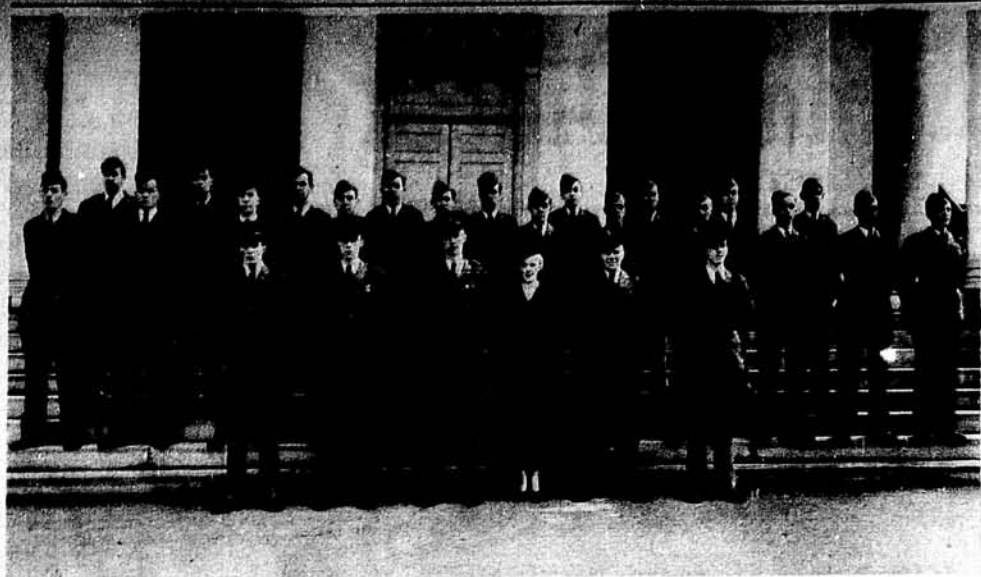
DAUNTLESS WINTER SPORT ENTHUSIASTS, these Middlebury, Vt., College students are preparing for a ride to the bottom of Lincoln Mountain before they begin a long hike up its slopes on snow shoes.



KING WINTER IN PERSON—his royal highness, Sir Snowman, rules over the winter sport activities of the co-eds of Wheaton College, Norton, Mass.



"IT WILL TAKE A LONG CHEER FOR YOU, BIG BOY," says John Thompson, Butler University cheer leader, to Gene Demmay, lanky Bulldog center. Demmay towers six feet, seven and one-half inches above the floor, and stretches another three feet with his arms, while Thompson, the campus chatter box, barely scratches five feet.



CHAMPION DRILL COMPANY—This is the University of Kentucky unit of the Pershing Rifles who are preparing for their third year of successful competition. They are the 1933 champions. The sponsor of the unit is Miss Betsy Frye, popular Kentucky co-ed.

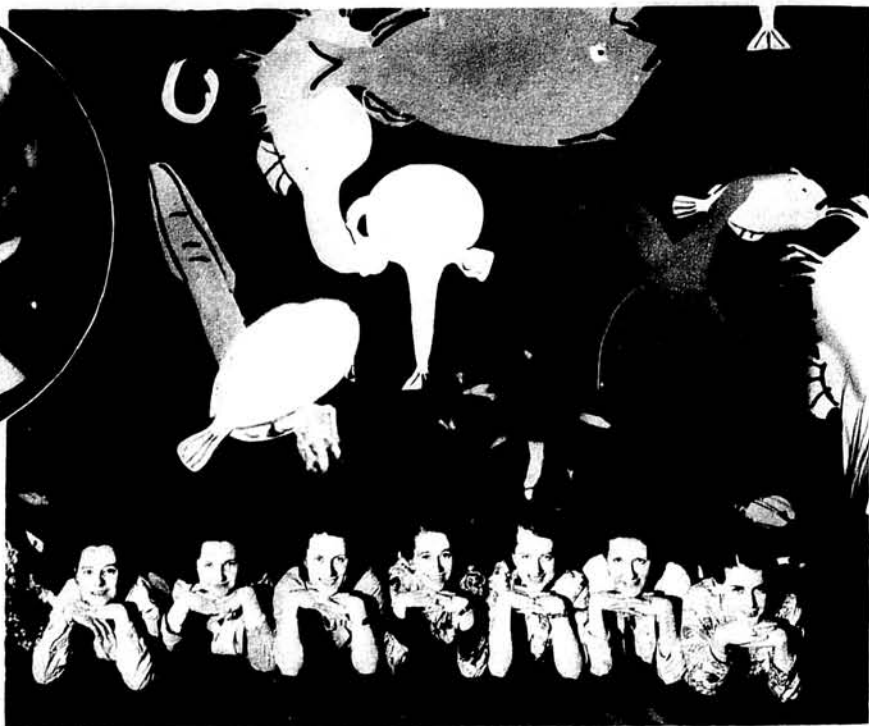


HE TURNED DOWN A SCREEN TEST to continue his law studies at the University of Wisconsin. Yes, sir, this is Francis A. Werner, who actually turned down a movie contract.

PLAYING. THE LEADING ROLE in Noel Coward's "Hay Fever," Miss Mary Knight (right) is one of the leading actresses on the campus of Beloit College.



FIRST BOUQUETS for excellence in dramatics were awarded to Miss Sally Pierce (left), outstanding co-ed actress at the University of Michigan.



DAVY JONES AND HIS FAMOUS DEAD MEN came to life to entertain the prom-goers at Elmira College. The Davy Jones locker decorations were conceived and executed by this group of Elmira co-eds.



A DANCE OF FAR-OFF BALI was performed by this group of students from the Philippine Women's College, Manila, P. I., for the benefit of Governor-General Frank Murphy at the Malacanan Palace. The dance was a part of the pan-Pacific day program held in the palace.

Keystone View Photo



"SHE RUN HIM DOWN"—and now she pleads for justice. Anyway, here's the "female" lead in the all-male production given by the engineers at Ohio State.



BEAUTY LAURELS have been heaped on Miss Helene Brown of Iowa State Teachers College—she is Queen of her college and World's Fair Queen's attendant.



FAMOUS PURDUE ALUMNI gathered at the annual homecoming exercises at the Indiana institution. Left to right: President E. C. Elliott, Lt. Gov. M. C. Townsend, Rev. J. B. Gleason, Dr. Harlow Shapley, Prof. C. F. Harding, W. L. Batt, Dean A. A. Potter, O. H. Caldwell, and Prof. G. A. Young.



QUEEN OF GRID ENTHUSIASTS—Miss Della Farmer (left) leads the rooters at the Superior, Wis., State Teachers College.

MOST POPULAR co-ed and male student at the State Teachers College, Whitewater, Wis., are Miss Florence Esterl (right) and Donald Stevenson, (below), chosen by vote of the student body.



ANOTHER KENTUCKY BLONDE, they tell us, and this time it's the University of Kentucky cheerleader, Miss Lucy Jean Anderson (right), a mixture of pep, enthusiasm, and charm.



THE SKY'S THE LIMIT when the co-eds at West Virginia University go out for gymnastics. Here is a group practicing tumbling on the roof garden of the physical education building of the southern institution. The co-eds are Jean Miller, Julia Eckart, Goldye Kahn, and Virginia Ahern.



RAH! RAH! RAH! They all cheer lustily when Miss Frances Akers leads the yells at Ventura, Calif., Junior College.



POP WARNER'S FIRST LOVE—at least in the automotive field—is this 1919 "one-horse chaise," upon which he is working so diligently. The Temple University coach has a bigger and more modern car, in addition to this one.

Philadelphia Evening Bulletin Photo



WHO'S AFRAID—of Charlie Daschund, who diligently guards Prof. Malcolm Willey, recently appointed assistant to President Coffman of the University of Minnesota.



ASTRIDE HIS FAVORITE MOUNT, Dr. Alexander G. Ruthven, president of the University of Michigan, is shown as he started out for a morning ride with "Jingles." He is an ardent horseman.



THEY NEARLY "SPILLED THE BEANS" for the second annual beanfeed for first-year men at the University of Minnesota. These three deans served the frosh, and Richard E. Scammon (right), of the Medical School, officially estimated the number of beans at 34,157. He was assisted by Deans E. E. Nicholson (left) and R. A. Stevenson.



KNITTING BETWEEN ISSUES—and between classes—is the favorite occupation of many members of the Blue and Grey staff at Hood College, Frederick, Md. Did someone say something about hooking somebody?



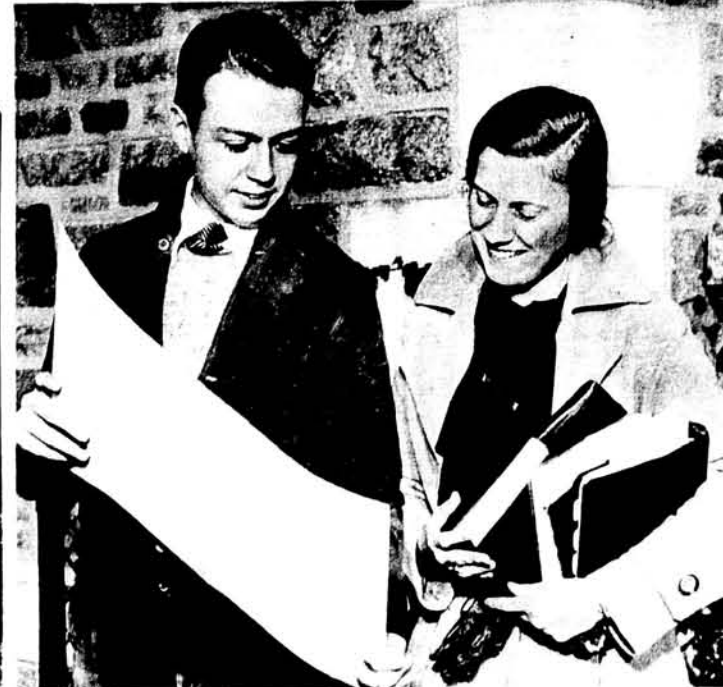
PRESIDENT of the Miami University Women's League—Miss Emily Rowe.



CAPTAINS COURAGEOUS! Here are the captains of the seven co-ed sports sponsored by the W. A. A. at Culver-Stockton College. Left to right: Evelyn Courtney, hiking; Lethe Berkhiser, baseball; Margaret Eisenberg, tennis; Marjorie Moore, volleyball; Juanita Miller, swimming; Lenora Younger, basketball; Azaline Bozarth, archery; and Helen Carr, director of women's physical education.



JUNIOR-FRESHMAN WEDDING at Simmons College, Boston, featuring Ruth Bauer and Constance Dort.



"SWATTED" FOR TALKING WITH HIS CO-ED MOTHER—Sophomores at Washington University saw Edward Hunter, a frosh, talking with a co-ed, and ordered him paddled, for they didn't believe that his mother was a co-ed. Mrs. Maude Hunter is shown with her son, and credentials.

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A WINTER SCENE at Purdue University, showing Eliza Fowler Hall.



"PLEASE DON'T SHOOT . . ." cries Mary Wilcox as Katharine Masland gingerly produces a six-shooter in a Drexel Institute Dramatic Club production. The third side of the triangle is Stanley Wilk.



UP IN THE AIR—the LaCrosse team of Harvard University goes in for a bit of real action at a recent practice.



DRUM MAJORS, ATTENTION! They take lessons from young Malcolm Craig, Jr., at the University of Vermont. He is shown with John J. Millett, drum major of the R. O. T. C. band.

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WINTER IN ALL ITS SPLENDOR at South Dakota State College in Brookings.

Christmas Browsing



HAVE you ever had that disgusting before-Christmas feeling? You know the one I mean—what shall I buy my room-mate? Or, what shall I buy the boy-friend (or girl-friend)? That blank moment when you would just as soon jump into the next river as look at another gift shop. Along with a few of our editorial aides, we have taken all of the grief out of this year's Christmas buying with a finely chosen (we were going to say something about a fine-toothed comb, but who ever heard of combing a book?) list of tomes from which you may select one for your best professor or your worst class-mate. So, here goes:

If you go for Omar Khayyam and choice Chinese and Indian poems we cannot recommend too highly *The Oriental Caravan* by Sirdar Ikbal Ali Shah (Claude Kendall, \$2.75). A distinct treasure-house of fine literature, this is a highly appropriate gift selection. If you wish to continue your line of reading straight down to the turbulence of man and sea, we suggest *Mother Sea*, beautifully written by Felix Riemensberg (Claude Kendall, \$2.50), whose characters move with the restlessness of the waters.

Somewhere we have read of the number of books that make the depression less trying, but Elmer E. Ferris has added one that should not be counted in with the regular run of them. *Who Says Old!* (Sears) has a cheeriness, a salutary tang that is particularly appropriate to the time of Yule logs and winter evenings. If you wish to have a little excitement to touch off your evening's reading of the heavier volumes, a few hours will be entertainingly spent with *Congo Jake* in the wilds of Africa. A. C. Colodion (Claude Kendall, \$2.75) takes you through some tight squeezes that will make you wish the fire would stop throwing shadows on the wall.

AN OLD newspaper slogan tells us that "names make news," and Ruth Stewart has capitalized on this in her latest, *Capital City* (Sears, \$2.00). To most of us the life of a reporter is particularly fascinating, and when we meet the "big shots" of the world in the pages of this book, it becomes doubly so. Yes, we suggest this for an after-study reading hour.

In case you didn't know it, there is a line between the good and the bad in the city of perpetual Worlds Fairs, and Arthur D. Welton tells you all about it in *The Line Between* (Sears, \$2.00), a gentle little tale of the men and women that one meets in this center of the wild and woolly west. And of course, dual personalities are always interesting. A far cry from the hustle and bustle of Michigan Avenue is a little town in merry England where Duchess Laura lives in her own quaint fashion. As conceived by Mrs. Bellor Loundes, *Dutchess Laura—Further Days of Her Life* (Longmans, Green, \$2.00) is a real study of the nobler class.

We knew it! One just can't evade it. We mean all of the hullabaloo that has been raised during the past year or so. And Ursula Parrott has brought it all to us in *The Tumult and the Shouting* (Longmans, Green, \$2.00), along with the revelation that it all started way back in 1877 in a famous Boston family history. *There Ought to be a Law* against such things, you may feel, but William Seagle thinks that there ought to be a law against useless laws, and he tells you why in his new book (Macaulay, \$1.25), a compilation of ridiculous legislation, fascinatingly illustrated by William Gropper.

GETTING down to the more serious things in life (one must do that in a column once in a while, you know), there are four tomes that you should consider when buying something for father, or a favorite professor, and we might include also, just any ordinary man. We are talking about *The Edwardian Era*, by Andre Maurois (Appleton-Century, \$3.00); *Charles the First*, by Hilaire Belloc (J. B. Lippincott, \$4.00); *Mary Queen of Scots*, by Eric Linklater (Appleton-Century, \$1.50); and *An American Colossus*, by Ralph Edward Bailey (Lathrop, Lee & Shepard, \$3.00). In these four presentations we find a bit of history in the making told through the lives of four of the greats. Mr. Maurois is particularly witty in his new biography, one of the best that he has turned out to date. Mr. Belloc has successfully evaded dullness and boredom in his tale of King Charles, and the reader will find him inspiring and enjoyable throughout. Mr. Linklater presents Queen Mary in all of her glory, with all of her activities carefully recorded. It's minus hokey, and is straight from the shoulder. Accurate historical facts and sound reasoning evolve into a work that is truly great in Mr. Bailey's presentation of the life of Alexander Hamilton. This is particularly timely in this period of increased interest in government.

You're right—absolutely right. We cannot go through a season without at least one anonymous volume on the life of some anonymous writer. This time it's an anonymous autobiography, *Rough Hewn* (Appleton-Century, \$2.50), and we suggest that you follow its tragic, humorous, and exciting events carefully. As *Rough Hewn* is the autobiography of one in our midst, *Winner Take Nothing* is a series of sketchy biographies, all rolled up into one gloriously gory volume by that master, Ernest Hemingway (Scribners, \$2.00). A collection of sharp, straightforward stories, it holds a sinister fascination that tells us to urge you to go right down to the corner bookstore and grab up this new collection of short stories.

JACOB WASSERMAN again demonstrates his ability as a storyteller in his latest volume of Jewish Lore, *The Dark Pilgrimage* (Liveright, \$2.50). His account of the re-incarnation of a 17th century prophet who had betrayed his people is one that will prove fascinating, as well as instructive. Four stars for this, and it's a grand gift selection.

Hollywood, Tia Juana, Agua Caliente, Malibu, Colon. What glorious pictures these words conjure up in the minds of the moviegoer and the newspaper reader. Can't you just picture the exciting days and nights spent in these colorful cities. And, by the way, if you're planning to go travelling, and wish to visit these lands of your dreams, don't fail, absolutely, to read *Incredible Land* by that picturesque writer, Basil Woon (Liveright, \$2.50). As a guide book it is excellent, but it is no less a very readable volume for an evening at home on the magic carpet.

Incidentally, we've forgotten that you may have a younger member of the family to remember this season, and we have found just the thing for him (or her) in the line of books in *Pepper* by Hugh King Harris (Lathrop, Lee & Shepard, \$1.50). This canine counterpart of *Black Beauty* is the "autobiography" of a lively little terrier who will soon capture you with his drollness and lively antics. Speaking of the animal world, Marguerite Stein has a new biography, *Spider* (Little, Brown, \$2.50), is the story of the life of Richard Adams, the composer, told in the fascinating manner of the author of *Stallion*.

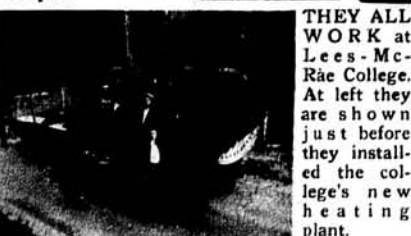
In the vein of mystery and creeping things, granted that you have a liking for a dash of the thrilling with a preference for locality, try Brand's "Death in a Forest" (Kendall, \$2.00) which takes you into Central America, or T. Lund's "Robbery at Portage Bend" (Kendall, \$2.00) a story of the icebound North and the Canadian Royal Mounted Police. If your taste is less primeval "The Murder of a Banker" (Knopf, \$2.00) by J. S. Fletcher should prove diverting.



UP AND OVER—with Lew Ayres leading, John Mack Brown and Billy Bakewell even up. The scene is the tennis court at the Hollywood home of Mr. Ayres.



LAYING THE CORNERSTONE of the Woman's Athletic Association cabin on Lake Dallas at the Texas State College for Women. The cabin will accommodate 75 students when completed.



THEY KIDNAPED THE RAM of Fordham University just before the N. Y. U.-Fordham game. Here are the N. Y. U. students just after they were "captured."



IN A CAREFREE MOMENT, Miss Dorothy Squire, editor of the Simmons College News, attended the Senior Hobo party.



FOUR HORSE(WO)MEN of Rockford, Ill., College prepare for their annual riding show. Our photographer caught them just as they were starting out on a practice ride.



CHRISTMAS CHORALS will be sung on the Dana College campus in Blair, Neb., by the college's famous a capella choir, shown above in their very appropriate choral gowns.



THE FAMOUS WELL HOUSE at Indiana University is shrouded after the first snow storm of the season.



THE GRAND OLD MAN OF THE BADGER CAMPUS, Prof. Julius E. Olson recently celebrated his 75th birthday. He has been on the faculty for 50 years.



WINNER AND RUNNER-UP of the I. A. A. A. cross country championship, Thomas C. Ottey, of Michigan State, and Joseph Mangan, of Cornell.

DOUBLE-RINGERS are the specialty of Prof. Fred L. Kildow, of the University of Minnesota. He is shown at right giving the journalists a few lessons in his favorite sport.



OUT-OF-DOORS AND ATHLETIC EVENTS demand that the well-dressed co-ed appear in the latest model coat. At the left is a swagger coat that is popular with the chic young miss, while at the bottom left is a popular model for the windy day. At the right is a frock that is admirably suited for the Sunday evening tea or the informal reception.



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Report Card

By Prof. Metro Ebb Hack

MARKS: POOR, FAIR, GOOD, OR EXCELLENT

SUBJECT

S. O. S. ICEBERG: Rod La Roque in an "Ancient Mariner" setting with ice and glaciers everywhere. Some unusual flying shots and excellent arctic photography, but the story's just a lot of slush.

THE PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS: A soundly amusing romantic comedy centered about the love affair of a young Hessian deserter and a Continental army officer's daughter. It is thoroughly human in quality and if you're keen on folklore and the late 1770's you can't go wrong here.

EVER IN MY HEART: Forgotten war time hysteria and dead babies make this picture fair instead of good, but the sad little German song which Otto Kruger sings to Barbara Stanwyck is worth your quarter.

THE WAY TO LOVE: Chevalier and lip have elevated ambition of being tourist guide in home town Paris which leads to series of unreasonable but entertaining incidents. Ann Dvorak, reciting end of a knife throwing act, supplies the romance, and Nydia Westman, a giddy country girl, the squeals. All in all pretty whimsical and you'd better see it — r-r-right now!

MEET THE BARON: If you hadn't every Thursday night for the past ninety-nine years this might be a diverting movie. Ketch on! (Jack Pearl, Jimmy Durante, Zasu Pitts, Ted Healy.)

THE WORLD CHANGES: The rise of Paul Mann from a young man in Dakota to his death at the age of seventy. Mann's capable acting and the excellent supporting cast with Mary Astor and Aline MacMahon make this story of meat packing very worthwhile, and if you can sit through another three-generation picture without growling a beard, this is one to see.

SAILOR BEWARE: By Kenyon Nicholson and Charles Robinson. What our Navy does in its spare time, and don't miss Sunday school after seeing it.

MOVIE BOOKS

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IT TAKES HEALTHY NERVES — TO BE THE CHAMPION TRAP SHOOTER

SHOOTING FROM SCRATCH, 25 yards behind the traps, Walter Beaver pulled out of an exciting tie to win the 34th Grand American — the first time it has been won by a limit contestant! He has been a steady smoker of Camels for years, and says: "I like their taste and mildness...they never jangle my nerves."



Steady Smokers turn to Camels

WALTER BEAVER of Berwyn, Pa., wouldn't be where he is today — holder of the coveted Grand American Handicap — if it weren't for his healthy nerves.

"Winning a trap-shooting championship is partly a matter of luck, partly the result of practice and partly healthy nerves," says the champion. "I'm a steady smoker and have been for many years. People kid me about it at the tournaments. They say I never have a cigarette out of my mouth. During all these years I've been smoking Camels, not only because I like their taste and their mildness, but also because they never jangle my nerves."

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(Left) "PEOPLE SAY I never have a cigarette out of my mouth. For years I've been smoking Camels. I like their taste and mildness. They never jangle my nerves."... Walter Beaver, trap-shooting champion.



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NEVER GET ON YOUR NERVES...NEVER TIRE YOUR TASTE

Y. W. C. A. TO HAVE PARTY IN LOUNGE TONIGHT AT 7:30

The Young Women's Christian association will feature a "Silly Symphony" theme at the card party to be conducted tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Lounge of Richardson hall. The theme will be carried out in the decorations, refreshments, and prizes, according to Laura Clarke, '35, general chairman for the party.

All students who desire to attend the party may do so by signing on the main bulletin board in groups of four, by 3:00 o'clock today. The admission charge is twenty-five cents.

Miss Clarke's committees include: publicity, Harriet Ten Eyck, '35; prizes and tickets, Daisy Bryson, '35; arrangements, Elaine Baird, '36; refreshments, Sarah Logan, '35; and decorations, Elsa Smith, '37.

CLUB CONDUCTS PARTY

The Classical club conducted a Christmas party Monday night in the Lounge of Richardson hall. The faculty of the Latin department were guests. Latin games and the singing of Christmas carols were the features of the entertainment. The committee for the party included: Teresa Ernest, '34, chairman; Margaret Hart, '34, Jeanne Humphrey, and Alice Gray, sophomores.

Sorority Will Conduct Tea Tomorrow at 3:00

Psi Gamma sorority will conduct a tea tomorrow afternoon from 3:00 until 5:00 o'clock at the sorority house, 113 South Lake avenue.

Members of the College faculty and all sorority members are invited to attend as guests. Miss Helen M. Phillips, assistant professor of English, and Miss Minnie B. Scotland, assistant professor of biology, will pour.

Edith Estabrooks, '35, will be general chairman for the tea. Miss Estabrooks has appointed the following committees: flowers, Hilda Proper, '34, chairman, and Edna Fehmel, '35; refreshments, Dorothy Lundén, '34, chairman, Eleanor Coutant, '34, and Ruth Robinson, '36; arrangements, Marjorie Barron, '34, chairman, Katherine Crapser, '35, and Nina Ullman, '36; flowers, Elizabeth Whitman, '36, chairman; and clean-up, Huldah Classen, '36, chairman.

WELCOMES MEMBERS

Kappa Delta sorority welcomes Dr. James B. Palmer, professor of education, and Mrs. Palmer into honorary membership.

THE SIDE LINE

After last week's slaughter of the Madison ensemble, I am abashed for under-estimating the calibre of our varsity hoop team—tsk! tsk!

Although points were not needed, it was disappointing to see "Sparky" bungle cut shot after cut shot. "Merely an off night," says "Bunny" (in an interview with a representative of the State College News).

Cliff Rall was not playing up to his usual style of offense. Three goose eggs—too many!

Watch "Flash" Kissam and "Speed-boy" Stone in the game tomorrow night. Their floor work and cut shots in the Drew game were outstanding.

After the exceptionally poor prediction on the opening contest, I think it might be advisable to remain silent on future games. However, I predict a victory for the "State Thirteen" by a margin of seven or more points.

ARE GUESTS

Week-end guests at Sigma Alpha sorority house were: Pauline Bader, '31, Lillian Nelson, '32, and Elizabeth McCombs, '33.

Club Will Have Party For Trinity Children

Canterbury club will conduct its annual Christmas party for the children of Trinity institute Tuesday night from 5:00 until 7:00 o'clock, according to Miriam Wood, '34, president.

This year the party will be given for forty children from the ages of six to ten. The program will include games, refreshments, and presentation of a gift for each child.

The committees in charge of the party include: entertainment, Harriet Ten Eyck, '35, chairman, Elizabeth Strong and Marjorie Kelly, freshmen; gifts, Marion Porter, '35, chairman, Helen Hoke, '34, and Irma Dorman, '35; and refreshments, Helen Gates, '34, chairman, Anna Fussik, '34, and Phyllis Tucker, '37.

CLASS WILL GIVE CHRISTMAS PLAY TUESDAY NIGHT

The advanced dramatics class will present a play Tuesday night in the auditorium of Page hall at 8:30 o'clock. Ruth Reiner, '35, will direct the play, the last to be presented by the class this semester.

The theme of the play centers around the Christmas spirit, and the action takes place on Christmas eve. The cast includes: Peter Steele, Thomas Garrett, '34; Prudence Steele, Jayne Buckley, '36; the tramp, Edward Sabol, '37; and the old man, Edward Oldfield, '36.

The committees assisting Miss Reiner are: sets, Lucile Hirsh, '35; props, Elaine Cronin, '35; costume and make-up, Agnes Beck, '34; advertising, Doris Howe, '35; clean-up, Wilfred Allard, '35; and house, John Bills, '35.

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STATE TROUNCES DREW TEAM 51-15

Varsity Cages Open Schedule
With Overwhelming Attack
On Visiting Quintet

By William Nelson, '34

The Purple and Gold varsity quintet had no difficulty in securing a 51-15 victory over the Drew university team from Madison, New Jersey, in the opening game of the season on Saturday in the Page hall gymnasium.

The State team secured a slight lead of six points in the first period of the contest. The team of Lyons, Garrett, R. Bancroft, Brooks, and Rall, showed excellent teamwork but failed to score extensively. At the quarter period, Kissam, Stone, Carter and G. Bancroft were substituted and put on such a burst of speed that the Drew outfit could not halt the whirlwind scoring attack which netted fifteen points, nor could they penetrate the State defense farther than the foul line.

At the halfway mark, Burnell, Amyot, DeTemple, and Huddleston were substituted and the score continued to become more lopsided in favor of "Baker's Boys." Substitutions continued throughout the remainder of the game, and at no point in the game did the State attack dwindle.

Bud Kissam, forward, led the State attack with eight points, while George Bancroft, pivot man, followed with seven. Olson, Drew forward, dropped in two long shots and a free throw to top the scoring honors for the Drew team.

The box score of the game follows:

STATE	fb	fp	t
Brooks, rf	1	0	2
Bancroft, R., lf	2	0	4
Garrett, c	3	0	6
Lyons, rg	3	0	6
Rall, lg	0	0	0
Kissam, lf	4	0	8
Stone, lf	3	0	6
Bancroft, G., c	3	1	7
DeTemple, rg	0	0	0
Carter, lf	1	0	2
Amyot, rf	1	0	2
Burnell, lf	2	1	5
Huddleston, lg	1	1	3
	24	3	51
Drew	fb	fp	t
Fletcher	0	2	2
Hughes, lf	1	0	2
Olson, c	2	1	5
Latessa, rg	0	0	0
Eskesen, lg	2	0	4
Parkin, lf	0	0	0
Strange, rf	1	0	2
Smith, lg	0	0	0
	6	3	15

Fouls committed: State 3, Drew 7.
Score at half: State 25, Drew 8.
Referee, Colket; Timer, Mohrman.

Psi Gamma Wins 1933 Inter-sorority Award

(Continued from page 1, column 3)

A scholarship list for group houses has also been compiled this year, Miss Van Dineburgh announced. Waterbury hall heads the list with a 184 average. This is the first time that such a list has ever been announced. The highest group house average is higher than that of the highest sorority average, but no just comparison between the two lists can be made, since the marks of freshmen, as well as upper classmen, are included in the group house ratings for both semester, while freshmen ratings are included in sorority lists for the second semester only.

Waterbury Hall	184
Emerson Hall	179
Avalon Hall	172
Siddim Hall	163
Mrs. Chinn	156
V. House	151
Sewman Hall	147
Alden Hall	139
Page Hall	137
Wren Hall	128

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Junior College to Omit Annual Vacation Period

Students and faculty of the Junior college will spend their Christmas vacation in class-room studies, according to an announcement from the office of Dean Milton G. Nelson, director of the emergency educational unit.

Regular classes will be conducted from 9:00 until 12:00 o'clock. Christmas and New Year's days will be observed, but otherwise classes will continue during the entire period when State college is not in session.

This plan of omitting the holiday vacation will permit the Junior student to finish the semester's work by January, inasmuch as instruction in the Junior college did not commence until October.

MEN TO PRESENT VAUDEVILLE ACTS ON JANUARY 6

The Troubadours, men's musical organization, will present a series of vaudeville acts Saturday night, January 6, at 8:00 o'clock in the auditorium of Page hall. Forty College men will participate in the annual presentation. The program will be varied with orchestral selections, comedy skits and chorus singing. A dance open to all students will be conducted in the gymnasium following the show.

Thomas Garrett, '34, assisted by Donald Eddy and Bertram McNary, seniors, will direct the production. The cast will include: Jewett Butler, '33; Philip Auerbach, Charles Robson, Robert Robinson, Roger Bancroft, George Ketcham, William Nelson, Donald Benedict, and Aaron Jasper, seniors; John Hawes, Milton Goldberger, John Bills, George Pratt, Donald Packard, William Jones, David Kroman, and Wilfred Allard, juniors; Philip Carlson, Edward Oldfield, William Baker, Vincent Donahue, and Robert Feland, sophomores; and James Vanderpool, Robert Benedict, Harry Galtner and Fred Dexter, freshmen.

The committees named are as follows: stage managers, Thurston Paul, '35, chairman, Bills, '35, and Frank Hardmeyer, '36; music, Pratt, '35, chairman, Jones, '35, and Charles Kissam, '34; business managers, Ketcham, '34, chairman, Carlton Conter, '35, and Glenn Engerer, '36; advertising, Allard, '35, Edward DeTemple, and Karl Ebers, sophomores; and house, D. Benedict, chairman, Grenell Rand and Zigmund Seifick, seniors.

Bill Jones and his Playboys will furnish the music for the dance. Combination tickets for the show and dance will be on sale by Troubadours for thirty-five cents.

DEAN MORELAND CONDUCTS TEAS FOR 1937 GROUP

Miss Helen H. Moreland, dean of women, conducted a tea for 24 freshman women last Thursday afternoon at her home, 311 Western avenue, from 4:00 until 5:30 o'clock. Mrs. Milton G. Nelson, wife of Dr. Milton G. Nelson, dean, pointed. Dr. Caroline C. Crossdale, College physician, assisted Miss Moreland in receiving the guests.

Miss Moreland plans to conduct teas for freshman women, entertaining them in groups as a means of fostering more social contact between faculty members and freshmen and between divided members of the class.

Freshman women who attended the tea include: Alice Allard, Marion Townsend, Martha Barlow, Helen O'Brien, Mary Kay, Emma Taylor, Helen Fairbank, Ida Armstrong, Agnes Torrence, Betty O'Brien, Catherine Quinn, Phyllis Venable, Emma Paul, ring, Jean Kaplan, Hilda Tompkins, Eleanor Van Horn, Ruth Tanner, Anna Vardone, Phyllis Tucker, Anastasia Farrell, Paula Van Patten, Catherine Vardone, Esther Delaney, and Marjorie Lyman.

The next tea will be conducted soon after the Christmas recess, when another group of freshman women will be entertained. Miss Moreland added.

CHORUS RECITAL TO BE JANUARY 10

Program at Chancellor's Hall
To Include French Carols,
Scotch Folk Songs

The State college choral society, under the direction of Dr. T. Frederick H. Candlyn, head of the music department, will give a recital Wednesday night, January 10, at 8:30 o'clock, in Chancellor's hall.

The program will be presented in three parts, the first part containing a number of French and English carols, including three of each origin, namely: "At My High Summons Came," "Bring a Torch, Agnetha, Isabella," and "Sleep, Little Dove"; and two English carols, "The Holly and the Ivy," and "The Wassail Song."

The second part includes folk songs by the women's chorus, the men's chorus and the entire group. This year marks the initial appearance in several years of a men's unit of the society. The men will sing "Reaper's Song," a Bohemian number, and "Johnny, Come Down to Hilo," an American sea chanty, by Alfred Whitehead. "Fife Fisher Song," a Scottish folk tune, and "Peat Fire Smoothing Prayer," are the two selections by the women's chorus. The combined chorus will conclude the group with "Kantini, rovin' Robin," a Scotch folk song.

The third part sung by the entire chorus, will be operatic and will consist of selections from the fourth act of Bizet's opera, "Carmen," including "Habanera" and "Finale."

The assisting artist for the program is not definitely known at this time but will be either a violinist or a cellist.

Students will be admitted by presentation of student tax tickets or fifty cents.

NEWS NOTES

ARE HOUSE GUESTS

Catherine Broderick, '31, Frances Gaylor, '32, Elva Neilan, '32, and Mary Dougherty, '33, were recent guests of Chi Sigma Theta sorority.

BRINGS EXHIBIT

A collection of prints, lithographs, and drawings has been placed on exhibit in the corridor on the second floor of Draper hall opposite the art studio by Miss Eunice A. Perine, assistant professor of fine arts. Two Chinese prints, one from the Louvre, Paris, and etchings by Carl Wuermer and George T. Plowman, are included in the exhibit.

ARE GUESTS

Recent guests at Gamma Kappa Phi sorority house were: Marie Hayko, '30, Frances Cornell, '31, and Mary Gaylor, '33.

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Collegiate Digest Prints Picture of Co-op Bookshop

State college made its debut in the *Collegiate Digest* last week when a picture of the Haunted Bookshop of the College co-operative book store was printed on page five of issue ten.

State college, as a member of the Collegiate Press association, has the privilege of contributing to the *Digest*; therefore, in the future other College pictures undoubtedly will be printed.

As the association is particularly desirous of receiving campus scenes and pictures of student activities, the News sent in views of State buildings, pictures of the Fashion Revue recently conducted by the Young Women's Christian association, and of prominent and popular student leaders.

Later in the year, pictures of the mascot hunt, freshman-sophomore rivalry, and Moving-up day ceremonies will be sent.

CLASS WILL GIVE ANNUAL DRAMAS ON JANUARY 16

The elementary dramatics class will present three one act plays, they will be directed by Miss Agnes E. Futterer, assistant professor of English, on Tuesday, January 16, 1934.

The plays which have been chosen are: "The Playgoer," by Arthur Pinero; a comedy set in a morning room in a fine house in London. "The Princess Marries the Page," by Edna St. Vincent Millay, a fantasy whose set is in a castle tower room; and "Shall We Join the Ladies," by James M. Barrie, a mystery centering around a dinner table at a house party.

The cast which has been chosen for the "Playgoer" is: the mistress, Margaret Dietz, '36; the master, Frank J. Hardmeyer, '36; the parlormaid, Arlene Muffson, '35; the cook, Vera Shimmers, '36; the useful maid, Ethel Schlick, '36; the kitchen maid, Jacqueline Evans, '36; the housemaid, Margaret Hughes, '36; the old man, Joseph Carlino, '36.

In "The Princess Marries the Page," the princess will be enacted by Barbara Clark, '36; the page, by Jayne Buckley, '36; the king, by Mary Kane, '36; the chancellor, by Doris Stone, '36; the first soldier, by Mary Markham, '36; the second soldier, by Janet Lewis, '36; the third soldier, by Norma Taylor, '36.

Donald Eddy and Thomas Garrett, seniors, will have leading parts in "Shall We Join the Ladies?" The cast is as follows: host, Donald Eddy, '34; Lady Jane, Emma Mead, '36; Sir Joseph, Thomas Garrett, '34; Mrs. Preen, Angeline Shorr, '36; Mr. Vaile, Donald Packard, '35; Mr. Gentry, Cecil Walker, '36; Lady Weather, Marjorie Wheaton, '36; Mr. Preen, William Swift, '36; Miss Vaile, Elizabeth Griffin, '36; Mrs. Bland, Marjorie St. Ahmand, '36; Captain Jennings, Paul Cheney, '36; Miss Est, Helen Peter son, '36; Mrs. Castro, Lucy Follows, '34; butler, Thomas Kelly, '36; maid, Rose Gillespie, '36.

STATE EDUCATORS TO HAVE MEETING

Academic Principals' Association
Will Convene in Syracuse
December 27-29

The forty-ninth annual meeting of the Associated Academic Principals of the State of New York will be conducted on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, December 27, 28, and 29 at Syracuse. Headquarters for the convention will be the Hotel Onondaga.

Members of the College faculty who will attend are: Dr. A. R. Brubacher, president; Dr. Milton G. Nelson, dean; Dr. James B. Palmer, professor of education; Professor John M. Sayles, principal of Milne High school and director of practice teaching; Dr. Robert Frederick, assistant professor of education and principal of the Milne Junior High school; and Dr. J. Allan Hicks, director of the child development department.

Miss Edna Loweree, personnel assistant, will operate a business office at the hotel for the purpose of aiding visiting educators and principals.

State college alumni will conduct a dinner meeting at the close of the convention. Harold French, '30, will be general chairman of arrangements.

William Rogers, '34, Wheelock scholar and president of the State college chapter of Kappa Phi Kappa, national honorary educational fraternity, will attend the convention as the guest of the educator's association.

The general theme of the meeting will be "Problems and Progress in Secondary Education." On Wednesday afternoon the annual meeting of the Council will be followed by a reception to all men who have newly assumed a high school principalship this year. Dr. A. W. Skinner, of the State Department, and honorary president of the association, will preside at a round table conference to which any member may bring his problems.

VISIT SORORITY

Kathryn Hainsworth, '30, and Marion Odwell, '31, were recent week-end guests at Beta Zeta sorority house.

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