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Boys' Intra-Mural Basketball Season Opened Jan. 26**Men Show Interest
In Intra-Mural Sports**

Tuesday night, January 26, saw the opening of Coach Kaiser's intra-mural program for the year. If the interest shown at these games continues, the Coach may expect many other intra-mural successes later in the spring.

Realizing that there were many fellows at school who could not come out for basketball, but who were interested in the game, Coach Kaiser decided to give these fellows a change to play. At the end of the first semester, he had those who were interested sign up for intra-murals. The fellows were only too glad to have a chance to learn about and play basketball. About seventy-five boys, comprising about half of the men students in the school, signed up. From these Coach Kaiser organized eleven teams—five in the National League and six in the American League.

In the National League are Hoy's "Passing Five," Dettrey's "Cremos," Monti's "Roamers," Reighard's "Marvels," and Weipsic's "Friendly Five." Hoy's team, playing with a veteran style, won from Dettrey's "Cremos," 36-18. Monti's team, composed of former Renovo High stars, won easily from the "Marvels," 40-11.

Both the American League games were featured by high scoring. Shishak's "Majestics" had an easy time of winning from Torok's "Ramblers," 64-20. Shishak was the high scorer with thirty-six points. Cowfer's "Lambs" suffered defeat at the hands of the smooth playing

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**Dr. H. F. Weber Speaks
On Oberammergau Play**

On Sunday evening, January 31, Dr. Harry F. Weber spoke about the Passion Play which he attended at Oberammergau in 1930.

The customs and abodes of the many people who take part in the Passion Play were explained by Dr. Weber. He described the people as living pure, quiet, and modest lives, enacting in reality the parts they play in the production.

A vivid description of the new theater was given by Dr. Weber. A large auditorium has been built to accommodate the many people who make the pilgrimage to see the play. The huge stage is divided into two parts; one of which is covered by a roof, the other open to the weather.

Christus, Judas, and many other important characters in the play were minutely described by Dr. Weber. He told of one small five-year-old girl, who perfectly acted her role as if she were a child in Christ's time.

A musical entertainment preceded Dr. Weber's talk. Two trios, under the tutelage of Miss Lottie Larrabee, gave selections. One, composed of Carolyn Raker, Frances Wenrick, and Ellen Louise Rooke, sang "Take Me Oh My Father." The other trio, Ro Jean Roberts, Grace Hoffman, and Mae Allen, sang "Trees."

**'Y' Men Invite A. J. Elliott
To Speak on Feb. 17**

The Y. M. C. A. has engaged Mr. A. J. (Dad) Elliott as a speaker on the campus for Wednesday, February 17, 1932.

Mr. A. J. "Dad" Elliott is an associate national secretary of the National Council of the Young Men's Christian Association of the United States.

"Dad" spends most of his time on college campuses, talking with college and university students about the individual and personal problems that face them. He is a graduate of Northwestern University and represented his school on the football team as all-western end in 1901.

"Dad" Elliott, with his dynamic personality, will without doubt meet with great favor from the student body. He is a great football enthusiast, and would like to talk to the athletes and football men as a group. Not only does he desire to talk to the student body as a group but wishes to have personal interviews with the students. Mr. Elliott will spend four or five days on the Penn State Campus, talking to students before coming to our campus.

**Miss Himes Speaks on
Kindergarten Education**

Miss Jessie Scott Himes, Director of Kindergarten-Primary Education, spoke at chapel exercises Friday, January 29. Miss Himes discussed the present status of the kindergarten in the country at large, in the state of Pennsylvania, and in our own college. She also explained the present day trend of kindergarten education.

In opening Miss Himes said that although the introduction of the kindergarten into the school system of the country was vigorously debated and earnestly discussed in educational circles fifty years ago, the kindergarten proper now appears to be an integral part of the school system in many American cities. By means of statistics she showed that although the larger cities have a higher percentage of kindergartens in relation to population than do the smaller cities, these latter are making progress.

Continuing, Miss Himes stated that in the last ten years kindergarten enrollment has increased fifty per cent, indicating a growing acceptance of the desirability of Kindergarten education for young children. It is unfortunate, said Miss Himes, that more than half of the five-year-old children live in rural or small communities which offer few opportunities for attendance in kindergartens.

Discussing the status of the kindergarten in our own state Miss Himes quoted reports which indicated that Pennsylvania ranks considerably lower than such states as California, Colorado, Michigan, Wisconsin, and Nebraska in providing kindergarten opportunities for young children. To show that educators

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**Mr. Ira Fleming
Speaks at Chapel**

In chapel Wednesday morning Mr. Ira O. Fleming spoke of Western Pennsylvania's points of historic interest identified with George Washington's life. Mr. Fleming's talk was especially fitting since this year is the bi-centennial celebration of the birth of George Washington, and since Fort Necessity, where Washington visited in Pennsylvania, will be dedicated on July 2, 3, and 4.

In order that the significance of Fort Necessity might be better understood, Mr. Fleming outlined two of Washington's visits during his surveying career which brought him to the western part of Pennsylvania. George Washington, while checking upon this particular part of the state, erected Fort Necessity at Great Meadows along the National Pike. Great Meadows is unlike its name; the territory is not level but like a gigantic bowl with sloping sides and a swamp-like vegetation.

The fort is being reconstructed according to the original lines of structure, which lines are so accurate, that, in 1931, by digging down nine or eighteen inches, they are found and used.

It was at this Fort Necessity, that, after a nine hours' siege by the French, (Continued on page 3)

**Miss Erickson Addresses
Kindergarten Group**

The Kindergarten Primary Theory class with Miss Himes, the instructor, met with Miss Erickson in the Penn School Kindergarten, Friday afternoon at 2:30. Miss Erickson spoke to the class upon the selection of equipment and supplies for the Kindergarten.

Miss Erickson advised that great care should be taken in selection of equipment and supplies. Many times, school supply companies violate the educational standards of the product in order to commercialize upon it.

Miss Erickson spoke with authority upon the subject, since she has had vast actual experience in this field. The excellent work accomplished by Miss Erickson in the Penn School Kindergarten proves her authority on the subject.

The members of the class, following Miss Erickson's talk, examined the equipment of the kindergarten.

As a conclusion to her lecture, Miss Erickson suggested a list of addresses of firms from whom school equipment may be obtained. Furniture can be obtained from:

Standard School Fixtures, Murray Bldg., Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Issco Products Co., Roberts and Meck, Harrisburg, Pa.

R. A. Fife Corp., 2834 Waverly Ave., Maramoneck, N. Y.

Supplies may be procured from: Milton Bradley Co., Springfield, Mass.

A. Schoenut Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

Educational Playthings, Inc., 20 East 69th St., New York City.

**Basketball Games
Prove Very Thrilling**

In the intra-mural games played on Tuesday, February 2, every game was featured by fine shooting and guarding on the part of every player.

In the 7:15 games Shishak's Majestics bowed before the smooth-functioning Cream Puffs to the tune of 23-30; the Marvels surprised Dettrey's Cremos by taking them 33-30. Hager was high scorer for the Marvels with 15 points, while Stehman led the Cremos with 12 points.

The last two games of the evening saw something happen which should be news to Ripley. Both games required two three-minute extra periods before the winner was decided. Fresh from their victory over the Marvels, Monti's Roamers initiated Weipsic's Friendly Five into intra-murals with a 34-30 win. At the end of forty minutes play the game stood at 27 all. Three extra minutes were played and the score stood at 30-30. In the next extra period, Densham, playing for the Friendly Five, made a foul, making the score 31-30. In the next two minutes of play, Burkhart and Monti, of the Roamers, scored two double deckers making the score 34-31.

Kachik's Midgets and Sekula's Derelects played the same kind of game as the other two teams. Sekula's team jumped into the lead from the first tip-off and at the end of the third quarter held the lead at 26 to 21. Kachik's team tied the game at 31 all as the final whistle blew. In the first three-minute extra period both teams scored two baskets each to make the score 35-35. To settle the trouble, the teams played for three more minutes. Kachik, with one of his famous one-handed shots, helped the Midgets to a 37-35 lead. Hager, playing for Sekula, dribbled twice under the basket, making four points for the Derelects, and ended the game with the Derelects as victors. The final score was 41-37.

**Miss Payne Presents
Results of Educational
Experiments**

Miss Pearl A. Payne, of the College English Department, presented in chapel Wednesday morning, the results of several experiments which bear a relation to the teaching profession and which have puzzled many of us personally in the past. The three problems she discussed were: Do pupils lose as the result of practice teaching? Is intelligence one of the criteria for success in teaching? And is success in practice teaching indicative of success in later teaching?

Miss Payne made it quite clear that, although pupils from public schools tend to show a slight superiority in some tests to those from training schools, the difference is not sufficient to attribute the inferiority of training school pupils to the practice teaching.

The experiments that Miss Payne read concerning the problem of intelligence (Continued on page 4)

Maroon Meets With Defeat at Millersville

At Millersville the Maroon had to admit the supremacy of the down-state basketball team, 43-21. After winning at Bloomsburg the Kaiserites drove over to Millersville on Saturday, January 30, and lost the third game in five starts.

Playing on a small floor, the locals were severely handicapped from the start. The Millersville outfit displayed some excellent passing and shooting ability, especially during the second half. They led throughout the entire game and at the start of the second half were in front with a 19-12 score. In the second half they scored 24 points to the 9 of the locals.

Bender was high scorer for Millersville with ten points, while Cooke was high scorer for Lock Haven with seven points. Three of the J. V.'s, Schnarrs, Lucas, and Dettrey, saw action.

This week the Kaiser outfit visits at Shippensburg and West Chester.

Lock Haven

	G.	F.	T.
Weber, Forward	0	2	2
Smith, Forward	0	2	2
Condo, Forward	1	1	3
Schnarrs, Forward	0	0	0
Poust, Center	1	1	3
Dettrey, Center	0	0	0
Cooke, Guard	2	3	7
Hammaker, Guard	0	1	1
Bardo, Guard	1	1	3
Lucas, Guard	0	0	0
Totals	5	11	21

Millersville

	G.	F.	T.
Fox, Forward	2	0	4
Devlin, Forward	1	0	2
Stinson, Forward	0	0	0
Sanders, Forward	3	0	6
Palmer, Center	2	3	7
Bender, Guard	3	4	10
Reist, Guard	2	0	4
Dissinger, Guard	2	2	6
Souder, Guard	1	1	3
Charles, Guard	0	1	1
Totals	16	11	43

Referee—Griener. Periods—10 minutes.

Men Show Interest In Intra-Mural Sports

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of Schnarr's five, the "Cream Puffs." The score was 40-26. The other teams will see action on Tuesday night, February 2.

All students of the college are invited to attend the games Tuesday night from 7:30 to 9:00 o'clock. Plenty of action can be expected of all these games.

STANDING OF THE LEAGUES

American			
	Won	Lost	
Majestics	1	0	
Cream Puffs	1	0	
Lambs	0	1	
Ramblers	0	1	
Midgets	0	0	
Derelicts	0	0	
National			
	Won	Lost	
Roamers	1	0	
Passing Five	1	0	
Marvels	0	1	
Creemos	0	1	
Friendly Five	0	0	

Day Room Notes

Miss Edna Batdorf has returned after a long absence.

Miss Olive Yeager spent the week-end at her home in Johnstown.

Clyde Lynch, '31, returned to our Campus for a few hours Thursday. He announced his intentions of taking up work at Columbia University this semester.



FORMALISTIC

Events in the Life of a Co-ed

Hickory, Dickory, Dock
I'm through with watching the clock,
My date is here
Though late, he's here,
Hickory, Tickory, Clock!
And so I'll trip it as we go
On a light though not fantastic toe,
Hoping that just I alone
Will trip on those I call my own.
There's Patty, smiles from ear to ear,
But note that man—Oh, dear! See here,
He's strung that line to all the girls
Who ever wore their hair in curls
And deigned to smile at his each look
That boy should fold up like a book!
Lil's friend utters one lone note
(But how it ever left his throat
I'll never tell or ever guess).
If you ask me, he's quite a mess.
Just peep at my escort, then grin;
He may be lanky, lean and thin,
And think that silence is the best
Of all the virtues put to test.
Dances are dances and men are men
And all this and that will happen again;
Though he keeps glum, to dance he's able,
Though I'd prefer a type a la Gable.

New Creations

Miss Avis E. Edgerton will conduct a special class in creative and interpretative Dancing. This class will originate special dances that will be featured at a public performance later in the year. Anyone interested is asked to see Miss Edgerton at once. Some girls have signed up for the class but there is room for more. Come to the gym on Thursday night and sign up.

Lock Haven T. C. Downs Bloomsburg 37 to 34

Overcoming a nine-point lead in the last few minutes of a nip and tuck, loosely played game, the Kaiser-coached team won their second scheduled game of the season when Bloomsburg T. C. took it on the chin by a 37 to 34 count.

A nerve racking tie of 14 at the end of the first half vividly demonstrates the predicted parity of the two teams. Sensational long shots by Capt. Rudowski, accompanied by two unusual overhand shots by Blacklowin, put Bloomsburg ahead early in the second half but a last quarter rally by the locals was sufficient to tuck the game away as won. Poust repeated his scoring spree of the Potts College game to run up an individual score of 10 points. Weber donated eight points and Condo, our promising young freshman, did his share to the tune of seven points. Captain Cooke played his customary flashy game at guard backed by Bardo and Hammaker who alternated at the other guard position.

Scott McLean did not make the trip on account of a threatened attack of appendicitis, but his forward was well handled by Smith and Condo, who alternated at that position.

Lock Haven T. C.

	G.	F.	T.
Condo, Forward	3	1x2	7
Smith	2	0x2	4
Weber, Forward	4	0	8
Poust, Center	3	4x5	10
Cooke, Guard	2	0x4	4
Hammaker, Guard	0	0	0
Bardo	2	0x1	4
Totals	16	5x14	37

Bloomsburg T. C.

	G.	F.	T.
Blacklowin, Forward	5	1x1	11
Youtiski, Forward	3	1x1	7
Kafshinski, Center	1	1x3	3
Rudowski, Guard, Capt.	5	3x4	13
Yozziak, Guard	0	0	0
Totals	14	6x9	34

Girls Play Fast and Interesting Basketball

The sixth round of girls' basketball games was played on Monday afternoon, from 4:00 o'clock until 5:45 P. M. The fastest game played and the one displaying the best team work was shown in the game between the second year Primaries and the first year Intermediates. Excellent playing was done by Jerry Jones and Elizabeth Garman. The scores for this game were:

- First year Primaries 14 vs. first year College 0.
- Second year Intermediates 2 vs. first year College 8.
- Second year College 12 vs. third and fourth year College 2.
- Second year Intermediates 0 vs. second year Intermediates 8.
- Second year Primaries 12 vs. first year Intermediates 10.
- Second year Primaries 8 vs. first year Intermediates 2.

Standing of Teams to Date

- 2nd yr. Primaries, Capt. Benson... 100%
- 2nd yr. Primaries, Capt. Dorries... 80%
- 2nd yr. College, Capt. Munson... 80%
- 2nd yr. Intermediates, Capt. Owen... 80%
- 1st yr. Intermediates, Capt. Goodman... 66%
- 1st yr. Intermediates, Capt. Singer... 40%
- 1st yr. College, Capt. Faulkner... 40%
- 1st yr. Primaries, Capt. Sauder... 40%
- 1st yr. College, Capt. Simpson... 20%
- 3rd-4th yr. College, Capt. Gardiner... 20%
- 2nd yr. Intermediates, Capt. Stralley... 16%
- 2nd yr. Intermediates, Capt. Thompson... 16%

Miss Himes Speaks on Kindergarten Education

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of the state are conscious of this deficiency and are taking steps to rectify it. Miss Himes read a summary of the address delivered by State Superintendent of Public Instruction, James N. Rule, before the Kindergarten-Primary group in Pittsburgh. In this address Dr. Rule proves that he recognizes the fact that Pennsylvania children are inadequately provided for and shows that this inadequacy is due to the present difficulty in raising financial support. Because of the present system of assessment, of taxation and of inequality of state aid, the larger cities can and do support kindergartens while the smaller and poorer communities are at a distinct disadvantage and are unable to support such schools. Until state aid can be equalized, it is the policy of the state department to prepare teachers who will be able to offer efficient service in the kindergartens as soon as more are established.

In discussing the status of kindergarten education in our own school Miss Himes told of the new kindergarten maintained at the Penn school and the splendid co-operation which marks its relationship with the parents of the children.

In conclusion Miss Himes said that our Superintendent plans to give the children and the young people of Pennsylvania as great educational opportunities as any state in the union can afford. It is for us to support him and his work with the finest type of loyalty.

A new play concerned with pioneer life in the early West is the subject of much comment on New York's Rialto. The play is Dan Totheroh's "Distant Drums" and stars Pauline Lord, famous as the creator of O'Neill's "Anna Christie."

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EDITORIAL

According to an account in the New York Times of a recent survey, education is one of the few major activities that has remained unimpaired by present depression. Most significant is the fact that states have been able to maintain their financial support in the face of an economic crisis. Maintenance of financial support, consequently, has stimulated effort, and with tangible results. The qualifying standards for teachers have tended to rise; educational opportunities are approaching equality; rural education has been improved; the study of educational problems has been facilitated.

The situation in our school supplements the finding of this survey in the respect that the qualifying standards for teachers are being raised. The increase in enrollment this year is the result of the desire and necessity for more adequate preparation for the teaching profession.

An observation of the local country which brings to light intensive effort on the part of superintendents to introduce a more enriched course of study in rural schools proves how authentic is this statement concerning rural education.

These expressions of the present status of education published by this association will be encouraging to those who have of necessity observed the less profound effects of the depression but who are ultimately true apostles of education.

Over the Fence

Gwen Radebach spent the week-end with her roommate, Helen Russell, at Helen's home in Dewart.

Among the Altoona girls who week-ended at home were: Myra Evans, Dorothy Cunningham, Dorothy Geist, and Jane McGirk.

Dorothy Dunlap and Marjorie Dice spent the week-end with their parents at their homes in Muncy.

Clarence Cowfer spent the week-end visiting New York City.

Jean Mateer spent the week-end with Evelyn Bosworth, '31, at Evelyn's home in Williamsport.

Helen Gates visited with her father in Tyrone over the week-end.

The Frye Twins, Evelyn and Elinor, spent the week-end at their home.

Five co-eds, Al Marie Hackett, Don Francisco, Sally Hoffman, Mae Allen, and RoJean Roberts spent the week-end in Williamsport.

Exchange

Students at Fresno State Teachers College, California, were recently asked what books they would choose if they were marooned and their choice were limited to two. A practical-minded freshman preferred "Robinson Crusoe" and the Boy Scout Manual, and a sophomore chose "The Biography of Helen Keller." Other selections ranged from the Bible and Shakespeare to a chemistry text book and "Alice in Wonderland."

Although Bucknell University was originally established as a Baptist institution, both the Methodist and Presbyterian denominations are greater in number than the Baptist group of students, according to recent religious census statistics released by Registrar H. W. Holter. Among the thousand students, twenty-five different religions are represented.

From "The Bucknellian" exchange column we learn that at least some college students are not so hard hit by the depression. The students at St. Thomas College, St. Paul, Minnesota, take out insurance policies against being called upon in class. Having previously deposited twenty-five cents as down payment, they may collect five dollars if the professor calls their names.

According to an interesting editorial in "The Winonan," the publication of the State Teachers College at Winona, Minnesota, a quotation taken from the "Winona Republican Herald," the youth of the United States is for peace. In a secret straw vote by more than 24,000 students in 70 American colleges, 92 per cent favored armament reduction and 63 per cent believed that the United States should set the example by further reduction without waiting for the other nations. One third favored complete disarmament if all nations agree, four-fifths opposed military training in colleges, and three-fourths wanted the United States to join the World Court.

Women Initiate Season's Volley Ball Tournament

The first round of volley ball games were played last Wednesday afternoon with both first and second year teams. The volley ball games will continue until March, the time when the spring sports will be taken up. The scores of this first game resulted in gains for the teams of Dot Beish, Eleanor Shultz, Emily Williams, and Ann Crist.

Mr. Ira Fleming Speaks at Chapel

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Washington enacted a parley proving his keenness of mind. He agreed to leave the fort under the condition that his troops march out with all the honors of war. This sustained the morale of the troops, prevented captives from being taken, and allowed Washington to return with recruits. It is interesting to find that despite the wilderness, news of this siege was published in the South Carolina papers just two weeks later.

In the Museum near Fort Necessity, today, there is a wide collection of interesting historic relics which is being enlarged every year. Souvenir hunters are forbidden to remove anything found around this historical place under penalty of law.

Mr. Fleming spoke also of the following places which are familiar to many. Among them are: Braddock's Burial Place, Washington's Crossing near Pittsburgh, Franklin, and Cambridge Springs.

The dedication of Fort Necessity is significant to Mr. and Mrs. Fleming since Mrs. Fleming's father, a member of the State Legislature, was instrumental in bringing about the dedication. He brought this historical point of interest to the attention of the State House of Representatives and Senate, who later favored the securing of the property.

Faculty Members Attend Schoolmen's Club

The Clinton County Schoolmen's Club met at Salladasburg, Monday, January 25th, for a banquet at Woodland Tea Room, where a half-hour entertainment was held afterwards. A quartet composed of Mr. Ira Fleming and Mr. Weldon Williams from our own college and Mr. Lawrence Dick and Mr. Harold Figgles, of Lock Haven High School, sang, and Mr. Williams played a piano solo.

This part of the program was followed by a half-hour professional discussion of some of the topics raised by the annual P. S. E. A. meeting at Pittsburgh. The next meeting will be held Monday, February 15th, in the Herlocher's private dining room, where the schoolmen and their guests will enjoy an informal dinner and dance.

Spaghetti Lovers Enjoy Dinner at Party Garden

Last Thursday evening, at six o'clock, a party of hungry spaghetti lovers went to Achenbach's Party Garden, where to the music of the radio and victrola, they ate their favorite Italian spaghetti. The table in the garden, which was decorated in Valentine colors, was set for fourteen. The menu consisted of huge plates of spaghetti, meat balls, a salad, bread and butter, apple pie and coffee.

After dinner the girls danced until it was time to go to the movies.

Those present were: Mary Beaver, Helen Gates, Helen Farr, Hulda Starr, Mary Steiner, Jean Mateer, Margaret Gardiner, Helen Munson, Patty Bonner, Kay Karterman, Pat Farrell, Molly Hamman, Genevieve Frye, and Lauvon Basinger.

Day Room Y. W. Holds Interesting Discussion

A very interesting discussion of Mennonites and of Pennsylvania superstitions was held in Y. W. C. A. meeting on Thursday, January 28.

Miss Maude Brungard gave a report on the book "Mennonites" by Elsie Singmaster.

Klub Korner

Dr. Frances Coppens addressed the members of the Y. W. C. A. Wednesday evening in the auditorium. The topic of her talk, patriotism, was very seasonal since February is the birthday month of two of our famous patriots.

At the Praeco meeting on Monday evening, in the Times room, Carl Wasseen, the Art Editor of the Praeco, showed some excellent samples of art work for the book.

The color scheme of the year book is green and white. The general meeting was followed by a brief meeting of the editorial board.

On Wednesday evening, February 10, the regular Y. W. C. A. meeting will be held again in the College Auditorium. There is no advance information to be published concerning this meeting because the features of the program are to be kept a surprise for those who attend. It is hinted that several of the underclassmen will give piano and vocal solos.

A. C. E.

Miss Belle Holaway gave an illustrated lecture on her Western tour, Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, at the regular A. C. E. meeting in the campus kindergarten. Miss Holaway toured for a year in the western part of the United States and visited the Yellowstone National Park, Grand Canyon, Yosemite Valley, Colorado Rockies, Salt Lake City, Mt. Rainier, and the Catalina Islands.

During this trip, Miss Holaway collected a wealth of information and pictures which she presented in a very interesting manner to the group present.

In concluding her talk, she quoted those famous lines by Whittier:

"Touched by a light that hath no name,
A glory never sung
Aloft on sky and mountain wall
Are God's great picture."

C. K. S.

The Dramatic Club met last Wednesday night and after their business meeting they decided it was time to eat so they chose the next meeting for a feed.

EDUCATION

The Education Club met last Monday evening. Under the leadership of Eleanor Hoy the group discussed the values of Visual Education. Everyone present reports a very interesting evening.

ART

At the last meeting of the Art Club the list of prospective members was the subject for discussion. The new members were selected and they will be announced at a later date.

Plans Made for Gym Meet

Miss Maloise Dixon and Miss Avis Edgerton have begun careful preparation for the annual spring gym exhibit. The exhibit will include marching, various exercises, clog dancing, and dances representative of the various nations.

Miss Dixon has divided her classes into groups of eight with a group leader to direct each group in the various activities.

The gym exhibit is a feature of each year and great effort is expended to make it successful. Miss Dixon is planning color schemes to use throughout the exhibition.

Among the Plots

After one has read this book, "Legendary France Carcassonne, and the Basque Country," by Regina Jais, "Vive la France" is no longer a mere patriotic slogan, but it is the expression of a feeling for France similar to the one we have for treasured china. The quiet charm of French provincial life—in Domremy and in the Basque country, Jeanne d'Arc, living again in some quaint peasant child, the ancient traditions of the Basque people that have been retained for centuries, all have been caught up in their true spirit and have been woven into a pleasing whole. This poetic charm is unusual in a travel book, but the poetry of the author herself lends itself perfectly to the poetry of France.

Coffin's "Portrait of an American" is fiction as vigorous and moving as Stephen Vincent Benet's "The Ballad of William Sycamore." The hero of Coffin's story is no less a pioneer than William Sycamore, although the center of his pioneering is in New England. All in one life time, he fights in the Civil War, conquers barren New England soil, sees farms take the place of rock ruins and tangled vegetation, manages an oyster shop, reads Chaucer and Homer better than the university professors, marries twice, with his children lives away from civilization on an island farthest from the New England shore, builds a home for each of his sons, and dedicates his last son to learning. This story truly exhibits the versatile vigor of an American.

For John Erskine, "Helen of Troy" must have been easy to characterize as compared with Adam, Lillith, and Eve. An insight into the life of Helen might parallel in a measure to an insight into the life of a modern sophisticated beauty, but to what can an insight into the life of Adam be compared? John Erskine's masterful explanation of the difficulties that Adam encountered on his first day, of the happiness of his life with Lillith, and of his fall from Paradise after he meets Eve, in his book, "Adam and Eve," is as convincing as it is unusual. Passages in the story are idyllic in their beauty.

Miss Payne Presents Results of Educational Experiments

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as a criteria for success as a teacher prove that there is practically no correlation between intelligence scores as derived from current intelligence tests and success as a teacher. In regard to practice teaching, intelligence score is a barely perceptible factor in the success of teachers.

Experiments that explored the problem of the correlation between the success as a practice teacher and the experienced teacher prove that the rating that one receives as a practice teacher does not indicate that one will receive the same grade as a teacher in the field during the first few years of service. The reason for this fact is that critics grade practice teachers on a comparative basis with a number of other inexperienced teachers, while superintendents grade experienced teachers and inexperienced teachers alike.

Miss Payne's offering was of great encouragement to future teachers.

CAMPUS CHATTER

From some of the stories the faculty have been telling, they must think the frosh believe in fairy-tales.

The most important exercise in the Girls' Day Room—the one that has the most effect—is eating.

Judging from the number of soap carvings seen about school the depression has not affected the soap industry.

Ask the girls in the Day Room about the pet that has made its abode under their lockers.

Dame Fashion predicts red corduroy to be worn with pale green for the early spring ensemble on the campus.

Fairy Tale:

Teacher (dismissing Freshman class early) Now I want you to go out and down the hall like little fairies and elves, so you won't disturb the other classes. And so they did!

The freshmen want to know why the campus is the favorite haunt of so many squirrels. The only explanation we can offer is that there are so many nuts about the campus.

And a freshman asked, "Who is this Charlie Horse I hear so much about?"

At natural dancing class many dancers find slow movements difficult but they don't the day after.

And when the senior girls come from gym the day they have tumbling, they look as if they had just had a grand and glorious time making mud pies.

Still another freshman: "How can second year Intermediates play against second year Intermediates?"

Senior Editor: "Oh, I have charge of the Senior dummy this year."

Ibid: "Oh, I didn't know that you were boss of yourself yet."

Hal Poust: "The colored people are nice, and I know it, too."

We know what I. L. D. D. F. means, but—see Ruth Lakin for an explanation of I. L. D. B. S.

Walter Wilkinson seems to cling to Scotland for his humor. First, ask him for details.

A crying time was had in 201 E. Saturday night. Not bad news? No, just strong onions.

The question now in view is: "Does he look good in a Tux?"

An Objective Test in Campusology:

1. Matching: Rules—Each member has a number, the girls are from one to eight and the boys from eight to sixteen. Match the numbers.

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| 1. Jones | 9. Yost |
| 2. McKenna | 10. Marshall |
| 3. Oven | 11. Emery |
| 4. Gstalder | 12. Geffner |
| 5. Noll | 13. Curry |
| 6. Anderson | 14. Heidrick |
| 7. Wallace | 15. Weber |
| 8. Davis | 16. Stehman |

2. True and False Statements:

1. There are more boys in Lock Haven State Teachers College than girls.

- The boys dance more than the girls here.
- Girls are less talkative in Ed. Sociology class on M. W. F. at 11 than the fellows.
- Social square is the classroom for campusology.
- Campusology is necessary to the life of the individual in L. H. T. C.
- One should always talk out loud in the library.
- The windows are for throwing things out.
- One is quiet when the roomie desires to study.
- Only ignorant pupils complain of the courses of study.
- No one is interested in the daily mail.

Score 30-3 for each one.

3. Objective Test Continued:

Tell what is wrong in each of the following sentences:

- We like to see the lights go out at 10:30.
- The best tone to our ears is the 7:15 bell when a radio program is being enjoyed.
- Calvin Cooke dyed his red trousers the other day because he disliked being noticed.
- The underclassmen do not need to pay for the Senior Ball.
- The Day Room Boys are not critical.
- Everyone at Vespers Sunday evening sat in the front rows.
- Don Francisco was not busy this morning.
- Omar Harris was not able to suggest a surer method in regard to the situation.
- "I go to the gym because I want to," said the senior lass as she took a tumble.
- "I believe you should not try to read that extra reference for this course": any conscientious prof.

4. Multiple Choice:

- Any first year girl enjoys (meals, lessons, nights out) most.
- The most popular home is (sweetie, Mother, tailor).
- The easiest thing a L. H. S. T. C. co-ed can do is (think, peel pineapples, talk).
- The way to pass a course of study is (study, dream, bluff).
- The hardest thing anyone here can do is (go down street, see a movie, rate a date, study).

Score 20.

Anyone scoring 100 can consider himself or herself a graduate of the Campusology course.

There is always a fight (Feit) in the Principles of Education class.

Second floor East is certainly lucky in having a door that's always saying, "Cuckoo."

Accelerando: "Quitcha kotchin; kachik Al Sekula."

SCRAMBLED YEGGS

In Sandy Francisco Simonizing our Starr And Weipsicing the windshield we saw from afar

A Stover in which a worn-out Shue Was Breining to a darker hue. A man came by with a tiny Hackett. We asked him his name, he answered so—
I'm Toney, if Yost a gigolo.

Snatched From the Blotter

We should hate to be told that our mind is as changeable as the weather we've been having.

A recent History of Civilization class stumbled over the plural of hippopotamus. Borrowing inspiration from Will Cuppy, we add that hippopotami are easier to handle when they come single—they precede the Rhino, though we can't see why. Pent houses cramp their style—we mean the hippopotami.

Bernard Shaw's new play is titled, "Too True to Be Good," which is merely a reversal of a banal saying. The Theatre Guild follows its production of "The Applecart" with this play which is in the author's "best" manner. You can imagine what "best" implies. We should like to have it include "Pygmalion" and "Saint Joan," but who are we?

A piqued interest in literary birds provoked the following list. Can you think of others to add to: Jail-bird, bird-in-hand, birds-of-a-feather, scare-crow, dove of peace, stool-pigeon, wise owl, lame duck—and of course, the cuckoo?

We recently read of an English woman taking her pet feline to the cinema to see "Mickey Mouse." Probably a case of the cat's whiskers (doesn't that sound ancient) getting bored with a mere cat's life.

We have little grudge against those people who have an ear for music, but when they start playing by ear—pass me the bricks.

Hangovers:

Stuart Chase's review of Dreiser's mammoth compilation of statistics, bitterness, and energetic sincerity combined with economics, "Tragic America." (Some one has already labeled it "The Bitter Tea of General Dreiser"). Writers continually invade the field of economics—and really with startling results. Therefore, await "Tragic America."

The fact that we shall soon see a new version of Stevenson's "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" although the name shall probably be all that we can find left from the original.

The passing of a truly great writer, Lytton Stracchey. Re-read "Elizabeth and Essex" and you'll know why he was called the peer of contemporary biographers.

Another superb choice for a college play—"The Mollusc"—and it's not concerned with bi— or zoo—ology other than that it's about that ever-true-to-form species called "man."

Harry Lauder, after viewing an amateur theatrical performance by a group of Scottish debutantes and noticing their slimness, is credited with saying—"Oh, these bony Highland Lassies."

One of Verdi's earlier operas, "Simon Boccanegra," was produced for the first time in this country at the N. Y. Metropolitan a fortnight past. It is in Verdi's "Melody" tradition, and is one of the few operas allowing a baritone a stellar part. If you are interested you may hear the Metropolitan Opera Company broadcast a performance of this work tomorrow afternoon at 2:45 on the NBC network. Deems Taylor will narrate the plot and in the huge cast will be Lawrence Tibbett, Marfaneli, and Maria Mueller.