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JUNIOR CLASS PRESENTS MOVIE

"Notorious But Nice," Name of
First Movie Sponsored By
Junior Class

A VERY SMALL ATTENDANCE

"Notorious but Nice" with Marian Marsh, was the name of the first moving picture sponsored by the Junior class last Saturday evening in the college auditorium.

The class plans to present a picture every week that the auditorium is not being used for something else, and Saturday nights seem best to fit into the calendar as it is now set up. The plan for showing the pictures was voted upon by the Junior class at their last regular class meeting as a means of making money and at the same time providing those students living in Bloomsburg with entertainment.

Although the response at the showing of the first movie was not encouraging, it is hoped that the students will realize the excellent opportunity for entertainment at such low admission prices and will take advantage of the future performances. The pictures for each showing are chosen by a committee appointed especially for that purpose.

STUDENTS ENJOY COLONEL SANDERS

Chemical Engineer, Employee of
Government, Excites Interest,
Stimulates Thought

In chapel on February 2, Colonel James Sanders spoke to the student body on "The New Deal in South America." Colonel Sanders, a chemical engineer, is an authority on the affairs of South America, for he has spent much of his time there. His first job was in that country, and since then he has returned thirteen times and intends to go back again.

Mr. Sanders talk was entirely of a political nature, but in telling of the political situation of each country, he brought out dignity and sincerity of purpose as two outstanding traits of our Southern neighbor.

When the speaker stated that he advocated repeal of the Monroe Doctrine, the student body broke forth into confused controversy over this question. If Colonel Sanders accomplished nothing else in his talk, he did start a portion of the students thinking politically.

REPORTERS ADDED

The Maroon and Gold will reorganize its staff in the near future, possibly by the time the next paper appears.

All those interested in doing journalistic work, either as reporters or as typists, are requested to see the Editor-in-Chief or Managing Editor any time next week.

Several interested students have already tried out and have been named to the staff. Public announcement of the additions and changes on the staff is awaiting further applicants.

OBITER ANNOUNCEMENT

The time is rapidly drawing near when subscriptions for the 1934 Obiter can no longer be secured. Compilation and editing of the book is nearing completion, and all material will soon be sent to the printers.

If you desire to have a copy of this year's annual, subscribe now.

MR. CHARLES NAEGLÉ DELIGHTS AUDIENCE ON FEBRUARY 2ND

On Friday evening, February 2, at 8:15, music lovers of both B. S. T. C. and Bloomsburg were entertained by the nationally known concert pianist, Charles Naegle, of New York City.

The first number "Prelude and Fugue, D major" by Bach, was played in a gratifying manner. Mr. Naegle not only played "The Nocturne in F sharp" by Chopin correctly, but he clothed it with an artistic and delicate expression. With it he had the power to create a soft nightly atmosphere. Mr. Naegle delighted his entire audience with an incidental explanation of the selections, "The White Peacock," "Jeux d'eau," "Gnossienne," etc.

It is difficult to conceive more expressive playing than his "Blue Danube Waltz" and "Liebestraum." Indeed all of the techniques of fine playing were his humble servants. As the audience expressed its desire for encores, Mr. Naegle was very gracious in offering three of them.

When the recital came to a close, there were so many students and members of the faculty congratulating him and waiting to have his autograph on their program, that one had to get in line. All in all, this excellent program made the evening one of divine grace.

Program

I.
Prelude and Fugue, D major -- Bach
(Transcribed from the organ
by F. Busoni)

II.
Two Etudes ----- Chopin
A flat, opus 25, No. 1
E minor, opus 25, No. 5
Nocturne, F sharp ----- Chopin
Finale, B minor (from the
Sonata, opus 58) ----- Chopin

III.
The White Peacock ----- Griffes
Jeux d'eau (Fountains) ----- Ravel
Gnossienne ----- Satie
Toccata ----- Debussy
Malaguena ----- Lecuona

IV.
Liebestod ----- Wagner-Liszt
Metamorphosis of themes
from "An Artist's Life"
Godowsky
(Waltz by Johanna Strauss)

INTERESTING PROGRAM

In chapel yesterday morning the Business Law classes presented a very interesting mock trial, concerning the trials and tribulations of a teacher in a typical public school.

The teacher was suing the school board, which unduly discharged her from her position on the grounds that she had attended a dance against the orders of the Board.

As it turned out in the end, however, the teacher was not at the dance at all but had loaned her costume to a friend who looked like her. The teacher won the decision of the jury. This program was particularly informative, it serving to teach the methods of a real trial.

"GAME OF CHESS" CHOSEN BEST PLAY

Wins Dramatic Tournament Held
In Auditorium Last Week.
Many Excellent Plays

Playgoers of B. S. T. C. were again entertained by the Bloomsburg Players in a delightful program of three one-act plays—"The Game of Chess," "Bimbo the Pirate" and "Riders to the Sea" acted in the College auditorium on Friday evening, February 9.

By virtue of a plot very full of suspense and the impressive, smooth and graceful acting of Maynard Pennington and Harold O'Brien, the play "A Game of Chess" was adjudged unanimously the winner of the tournament by judges Richard Abbott, of Sunbury; Miss Clara M. Casner, of Williamsport, and Miss Alice Carter, of Carawissa. The credit for directing this play goes to Miss Thelma Knauss.

Samuel Green was adjudged the best actor in the comedy "Bimbo the Pirate" while the award in the tragedy "Riders to the Sea" was given to Miss Kathryn John for her wonderful character portrayed. Students directed these plays while Miss Alice Johnston, of the college faculty, was general supervisor. The exhilarating and delightful music, played between these plays, was furnished by the College orchestra, under the directorship of Mr. Fenstermaker.

The winning plays for the past seven years were as follows:

"Trifles," by Susan Glaspell, 1927;
"Speaking to Father" by George Ade, 1928;
"The Wonder Hat" by Goodman and Hecht, 1929; "The Valiant" by Halworthy Hall, 1930; "The Stoker" by Harold Brighouse, 1931; "Last of the Lowries" by Paul Green, 1932; "Ile" by Eugene O'Neil, 1933.

BLOOMSBURG PLAYERS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

At the semester election of the Bloomsburg Players, Tuesday evening, January 30, the following officers were elected:

President ----- Daniel Jones
Vice President ---- William Morgan
Secretary ----- Jane Manhart
Tournament Committee—Joseph Gribbin, Chairman; Sarah Lentz, Samuel Cohen, Mildred Quick, Julius Supchinsky, Henry T. Nelson, Frank Camera.

The treasurer remains the same throughout the two semesters, the confusion in changing being the reason for not electing a new one with the other officers.

INDIVIDUAL PICTURES STILL BEING TAKEN

Small individual pictures of each member of the Freshman and Sophomore classes have been taken by Professor Shortess in carrying out a new plan recently explained in chapel by Dean Sutliff.

The pictures are to be used as a means of identification for administrative purposes as well as to be sent with application for positions after graduation. Mr. Sutliff announced a few days ago that there is enough film remaining to take pictures of all Juniors, and those are now being taken. Hereafter, pictures of every Freshman will be taken upon entrance to the college.

NOTICE MAROON & GOLD

All members of the Maroon and Gold Staff whose names appear in the staff box of this issue, are requested to see the editor, Monday at four o'clock in the Maroon and Gold office. It is very important that every member be present for the few minutes it will require.

SHARING-TEACHER PLAN FOR NEW TEACHERS IS SUGGESTED BY ALUMNUS

Homer Artman, graduate of the Bloomsburg State Teachers College with the class in January of this year, since leaving the college has been working industriously on a plan for the employment of more teachers. The particular plan upon which he is working is called "A Sharing Teaching Plan for Beginning Teachers."

Mr. Artman has prepared a form telling of his plan and has submitted copies of it to the superintendents and school authorities of various sections of Pennsylvania. The following is a copy of that plan, and is herewith presented for comment and consideration of the student body:

"There is at present an emergency situation in the employment of teachers which will prevent more than half of this year's new teachers from securing positions, even though they are just as well qualified to teach as those who secure positions. By adopting a sharing-teaching plan, twice the number of new teachers would be given places in the educational system where they would be able to render effective service while at the same time gain valuable teaching experience.

"Under this plan a school board would fill a vacancy by electing a properly certified beginning teacher who would be willing to share her work and her pay with another beginning teacher. This regularly elected teacher would be given the usual contract and would be paid as usual. She would have the entire responsibility of the teaching and the discipline. The assisting teacher would be chosen by the elected teacher with the approval of the school board. The elected teacher would be responsible for the work of the sharing teacher and would pay her according to a mutual agreement. If at any time serious disagreement arose between the two teachers, the elected teacher would replace the sharing teacher with another. Probably it would be advisable for the school board to require an applicant for a sharing-teaching position to submit a list of three names of properly certified beginning teachers with whom the applicant would be willing to share her work.

"By the adoption of this plan, the school boards will help to provide a considerable number of well-trained teachers who will be available to fill the vacancies which are sure to occur when this depression has been finally ended and many teachers leave the profession for marriage or higher paid work elsewhere. While the beginning teachers under this plan will be getting an excellent start in their profession, the pupils will have the benefit of much better teaching than they would have under one beginning teacher. School boards will find that most of the new teachers this fall will be willing to accept a sharing-teaching position. For the welfare of all concerned they should avail themselves of this opportunity of securing this better teaching at no additional cost to the taxpayers."

GLEE CLUB WILL PRESENT CONCERT

Concert To Be Held In Auditorium
March 2 In Its First Formal
Appearance This Year

DOUBLE QUARTET TO SING

On Friday evening, March 2, in the college auditorium, the Glee Club of the college will present its first formal concert of the current year.

Folk songs, chanteys, humorous songs and heavier compositions make up the program. Alfred Miller, violinist, and John Andreas, pianist, will be the soloists. There are twenty-seven men in the organization with Miss Moore as director and John Andreas as accompanist.

The newly organized Double Quartet of the club, will also make its first appearance on this program, singing two groups of songs.

The quartet consists of the following members of the Glee Club: Bass, Michaels and Makowski; Baritone, Reed and McKechnie; Second Tenors, Shellenberger and Miller; First Tenors, Kershner and Merrill.

Tickets for the concert are now on sale by all members of the organization.

DANCING CLASS TO BE CONTINUED

Enough Enthusiasm Shown In The
Sophomore Project To War-
rant Its Continuance

Sophomores of the college are still working industriously in carrying out plans for the dancing classes they organized a few weeks ago. At the meeting of the last class, there were about a dozen students on the floor, all of whom are showing marked improvement in their dancing. Several classes are to be held before the date of the Sophomore Cotillion, February 24, so that those learning to dance will be experienced enough to attend the annual affair.

The various committees appointed for the dance have been working to provide one of the best dances of the year. Phil Guinard's popular orchestra will provide the music for the dancing, and elaborate decorations in the spirit of Valentine's Day, will be used in the gymnasium.

GEOGRAPHY CLUB BEGINS SECOND SEMESTER WORK

The Geography Club has begun the work of the second semester early, several new members having already been received into the organization. A new program committee was appointed for the second semester and is diligently working in an effort to complete the plans for the club's activity this semester.

The committee consists of Blanche Garrison, chairman; Verna Marowski and Frank Wojalk. Officers in the club are: President, Charles Michael; Vice President, Bruno Novak; Secretary and Reporter, Mildred Ford; Treasurer, Leota Nevil. No definite plans for future activity have been released yet.

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Marking Systems

The traditional marking systems will be abandoned in the schools of Newton, Massachusetts, according to a recent announcement by the administrators of the schools in that city. In making the announcement they gave three reasons for the change: first, marks are considered unfair; second, they foster unhealthy competition; third, they do not give parents any real information concerning their children's learning and progress.

In place of the regular report card with grades on, there will be sent home a personal letter twice a year from the home room teacher to the parent telling of the pupil's progress in each study. A lifelike situation is to be provided in the school whereby a student competes not with other students but with himself. A Bureau of Educational Guidance and Research has been established to help in the work of revising the methods.

Such a change in the marking system has long been needed in the opinions of many of the world's greatest educators, and the Newton plan may be the answer to the problem. It will at least give the citizens having children in the schools, a better and closer acquaintance with the teachers, and that is one thing society does not now enjoy. Mere grades on a card from the teacher will obviously not result in any acquaintance between teachers and parents, whereas letters to the parents from the teachers may tell much of the pupils' status in school. Each pupil's specific needs can then be expressed.

Editorial Jots

When a person is in a play, and in acting a part, really cries, that's something. One of the players in the recent "Play Tournament" really did that very thing during part of the play. This is truly an evidence of concentration and effort on the part of the player.

A most serious question troubling the officers of the various classes is "HOW TO GET THE CLASS DUES"? With a little cooperation and thoughtfulness on the part of the members of these organizations, it will be much easier for all concerned in trying to put on a class project.

Everyone seemed to enjoy the Dramatic Club Play Tournament. This shows that this organization, one of the largest on the campus, is doing something really worthwhile.

The time for choosing various officers for next year is rapidly drawing nearer, so get your thinking caps on.

After chapel last Friday, some students journeyed to Science Hall without their extra coats. Later one of these persons was heard to remark, "If an optimistic person becomes too optimistic he will likely become a pessimist."

Perhaps the campus would look much better if we would use the walk between Science Hall and the main buildings instead of taking a short cut across the grass. Maybe it isn't so bad now, but wait until the ground thaws and becomes soft—goodbye grass.

From Other Colleges

When a survey was made at Loyola College in New Orleans it was revealed that students prefer mystery stories to the recently popular love story.

Dartmouth has finally selected its new football coach. After traveling the country and interviewing 106 football coaches, a committee of Dartmouth men announced it had selected Earl Blaik, of Dayton, Ohio, to succeed Coach James Connell. Thus Dartmouth, with the most intensive and interesting coach-hunt in athletic history, departed from the graduate coach tradition it had adopted in 1900.

We sympathize with Susquehanna University in the loss of its Alumni Gymnasium. We admire and applaud the courageous efforts of students, faculty and borough firemen for their historic fight to quell the flames.

St. Thomas College has a new plan for increasing attendance at the basketball games and the dances which follow the cage contests. Each student is allowed to bring a girl to the game free of charge upon payment of the regular fee of twenty-five cents with his pass-book.

Experiments at the University of Michigan show that the lighting of a cigarette actually aids in maintaining nonchalance in moments of stress.

At the University of California great interest is shown in student elections. Candidates for student offices at this university have to be heavily guarded by police to protect them from being kidnapped by opposing forces.

Throughout the past football season the University of Louisiana purchased twenty-seven thousand yards of adhesive tape and six hundred yards of gauze.

Statistics from Wyoming University prove that married students get better marks than those who are unmarried.

Carrying sixteen hours a semester, it would require sixty-one years to take all the subjects offered at Creighton University. A total of 1,815 credit hours is offered, and sixteen degrees and three certificates are granted. To complete every course offered at the University of Wisconsin, ninety-nine would be required.

On the night of the Freshman banquet, Freshmen rigged up a short wave radio station to broadcast the whereabouts of Sophomores to cruising Freshmen in cars.

As Richard Harrison, the star of "Green Pastures," stepped into his car to leave Tuskegee Institute, he said in all seriousness that he was more proud that the students at Tuskegee liked his performance and the play than at any applause he had received at Times Square.

The first American college fraternity of which there is a record was the "Flat Hat Club" that appeared at the College of Wilson and Mary in 1750. Edmund Randolph and Thomas Jefferson were among its members.

University of Alabama students have discovered a splendid new way of working their way through college. They act as professional pall-bearers.

A dean at the University of Nebraska gives three reasons for students failing in their college courses. They are: Love, ignorance, and faculty intelligence.

At a Texas University a professor punishes tardiness by a one hour quiz.

It seems that someone besides B. S. T. C. holds dancing classes. The Clarion State Teachers College has a dancing class twice weekly.

The girls at Indiana State Teachers College have two different Y. W. C. A.s. One is for the day students and one for the dormitory students.

Recently the students of Shippensburg held a straw vote on the question of marks. The students decided in favor of the passing-failing system.

Now we hear of a course in job hunting for unemployed men. The Babson Institute at Wellesly, Mass., is the school that offers this unique course.

The University of Wisconsin offers enough courses to keep a person busy for 98 years.

Students at Ursinus College now enjoy radio music during their meals. A special radio system has been installed.

The student body of the Courtland, N. Y., Normal, recently had the pleasure of hearing the noted author, Carl Sandburg.

Have you heard about the "Hobo College"? It is an organization of intellectual hobos, many of them holding degrees from both American and foreign universities. This college holds its sessions every night in an old barn in Chicago.

For the first time in the history of the university, Bucknell Seniors may buy the school ring. Before this time the ring could not be purchased before graduation.

The Western State Teachers College will soon choose the most popular girl and boy. The selection will take place at a theatre where a special student program will be given.

Susquehanna University, it was announced, will soon boast of several new buildings on the campus, including a \$500,000 gymnasium. Alumni and public subscriptions will be used in the new \$1,000,000 building program which came as a result of the recent fire on the campus.

On Looking At a Rainbow

The Physicist dogmatically, "When atmospheric conditions are auspicious parallel rays of white light emanating from the incandescent sun are intercepted by spherical globules of hydrogen ovide in a state of transitory suspension. The refractive index for hydrogen ovide is 1.333, hence these rays are refracted upon penetration, suffer internal reflection along the path of minimum deviation, and are dispersed due to the prismatic effect of the spherical globule and the differential wave lengths of the component parts of the white light. The arcs produced will lie along the semi-circumference of a right circular cone, the axis of which passes thru the sun, and the vertex of which is the eye of the observer. The sub-horizon angular center distance of these arcs is equal to the number of degrees the sun is above the eye of the observer. Secondary and tertiary bows are of course produced by double and triple internal reflections."

The Poet, wistfully,
 "Flowers make a rainbow,
 Larkspur and bluebells,
 Some green orchises
 Goldenrod and flame azaleas
 A few cardinals.
 Into each, the prying sun
 Dips his brush,
 And splashes gay semi-circles
 Against the sky."

You and I, boredly, "Rather pretty, eh?"

It's a Tough Grind

The woman was alone in the room. She sat in a low-backed chair, holding a large dish in her lap. Her face betrayed her ill-concealed despair as she bent over the dish. Many big salt tears welled in her eyes and coursed down her rosy cheeks. She was plainly disgusted, and made no conscious effort to hide her emotion.

Shortly she laid the dish down on the table, got up and walked slowly to the window. Throwing it wide open she hesitated but a moment, then gazed down into the dizzy depths below. The cooler air struck her face, and brought more tears to her weeping eyes. She dabbed at them with her apron.

Walking back from the window, she nervously took a few steps, now hither, now thither. Stopping for a second, she ground her teeth together and moved once more toward the open window, undecided. Again she looked into the vast depths, and suddenly, straightening up, she spat between her gritted jaws:

"If he must have horseradish, he'll have to grate it himself."

THOUGHT OF YOU

As the sudden beauty of a star
 First seen against the wall of night,
 A blue-white star that touches me
 With benediction of its light.

So dear one, the thought of you
 Comes to me through fading day,
 And I am blessed as earth by star
 Because your life has crossed my way.

Marie Nelson.

SHIPPENSBURG NEWSPAPER IN FAVORABLE COMMENT

In an edition of the Shippensburg weekly, published just after Bloomsburg's victories over the quintet from that institution, the sports page is made up of material most of which has some reference to the Maroon and Gold-Shippensburg games.

Twenty-eight direct references were made to Bloomsburg, it was found upon counting them. Of the term used, Bloomers, B-burg, Maroon and Gold, and the Maroon, were most popular.

Many Schools Seek Football Games With Husky Pups

Susquehanna University Jayvees Are Among Those Asking For Games With B. S. T. C. Junior Varsity Next Year.

SEVERAL ADVANTAGES SEEN

In order that the Junior Varsity football team may have the opportunity of performing on the gridiron in inter-collegiate and inter-school games next fall, consideration is being given to the formation of a schedule of several games with high schools, preparatory schools, and the junior varsity elevens of other colleges and universities.

Susquehanna University, at Selinsgrove, in a recent letter, suggested the arrangement of junior varsity games between that institution and Bloomsburg. They propose that two games be played, one at Susquehanna and one at Bloomsburg, with no date mentioned as yet.

Another institution, Wyoming Seminary, a strong preparatory school, located at Kingston, Pa., also seeks a game with our jayvees in what would be a renewal of athletic relations between that school and B. S. T. C. Wyoming Seminary, it is to be remembered, was at one time considered one of Bloomsburg's strongest opponents in varsity sports competition. The school has always been known for its strength in sports.

Shamokin High School is another school desiring a game with the Husky Pups next season. Our team lost a close game to Shamokin last year, 7 to 6 being the final score, and another game should prove interesting. Though these offers and proposals have not been accepted by those in charge of athletic relations at our college, common opinion would indicate that a schedule will be arranged. It is possible that such arrangements could be made that would give us jayvee games on Mount Olympus on the days that our varsity team is playing away from home.

Huskies Repeat On Foreign Court

Playing on a foreign floor, the Huskies defeated Shippensburg on Wednesday, February 7, by the score of 37 to 20.

The team started with a bang by leading at the end of the first quarter, never to be passed, and in a big third period tallied 15 counters to insure an easy victory.

Again teamwork, in the form of a well directed and accurate passing attack, played the most important role in helping to attain victory, each player doing his part to make the machine function faultlessly.

Not only did the boys play well offensively, but their defensive efforts proved of equal value, for they limited their opponents to 6 paltry field goals.

With two hard games at home this week end, Millersville Friday afternoon and Stroudsburg Saturday evening, we hope that our team will continue its great work and smash through to two more victories. For these games "Wash" and "Blackie" are expected to be back to help strengthen the team.

The summary:

B. S. T. C.			
	g.	f.g.	pts.
Valente	3	2-4	8
Krauss	1	0-0	2
Jaffin	2	1-2	5
Rowlands	0	0-0	0
Willson	4	2-5	10
Blass	1	0-0	2
Moleski	2	1-2	5
Phillips	1	1-1	3
Reed	0	2-3	2
Totals	14	9-17	37
S. S. T. C.			
	g.	f.g.	pts.
DeFrank	0	2-4	2

SPORT SHORTS

"Wash" and "Blackie" state emphatically that they would much rather stand on their own feet than to rely on crutches.

Even though the mercury is yet low and there are vestiges of snow left, many murmurs can be heard concerning spring track and baseball.

Since the opening of the social room at the C. G. A. Mid-Year dance, many of the lassies of Waller Hall have become greatly interested in the sport of "ping pong." One of the most loyal devotees and most skillful players of the game is the treasurer of the senior class.

By now every one realizes that we do not have a first, second, or third team, but that we do have a good Varsity Basketball Squad.

Coble, forward on the Shippensburg basketball team, is the present holder of the mile record for State Teachers' Colleges in Pennsylvania.

That intra-mural sports are on the approved list is shown by the instructors and the students' (including the coeds) increasing interest in this line.

In a recent issue of this paper, it was stated that forty-odd candidates had responded to the call for basketball. What do you think about it? Yes or No?

The members of the wrestling squad extend an invitation to Dr. Nelson to "take on" any candidate and demonstrate how it was done in "1911."

Junior Varsity Shows Its Power in a Win

In the preliminary game at Shippensburg last week, our Jayvees walked away with their opponents, holding them to 9 points while they scored 24 markers. The Jayvees also displayed team work and gave an exhibition of passing that would do credit to most varsity squads.

Rowlands contributed 8 counters and the remainder of the points were divided equally among the other players.

B. S. T. C.			
	g.	f.g.	pts.
Rowlands	3	2-4	8
Kundra	1	1-3	3
Krauss	1	0-0	2
Elder	1	1-5	3
Blass	2	0-0	4
Gering	1	0-0	2
Shakofski	1	0-0	2
Reed	0	0-1	0
Totals	10	4-13	24

S. S. T. C.			
	g.	f.g.	pts.
White	0	0-0	0
Kimmel	0	0-0	0
Sturgeon	0	1-2	1
DeYenno	0	0-1	0
Shaaffer	2	0-1	4
Davis	2	0-1	4
McCleary	0	0-0	0
Easterbrook	0	0-0	0
Totals	4	1-5	9

Score by periods:

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
B. S. T. C.	9	5	4	6	24
S. S. T. C.	2	4	0	3	9

WRESTLING TO BE NEWEST INTRAMURAL ON LOCAL CAMPUS

Captain-Elect Harter Issues First Call For Candidates. Eighteen Men Respond

ADDITIONAL SPORTS ACTIVITY

Acting under Coach Buchheit, Captain-elect Harter, has issued a call for candidates for the wrestling sport.

This movement started as a result of the interest taken by a number of North Hall and Day men and is to be an additional sports activity in intramural competition.

Workouts will be held in the locker room beneath the library steps. Anyone wishing to join the club (including the Londos, Marshalls, and the Steeles of the campus) please report to Coach Buchheit or Gerald Harter.

Should the participants display a sufficient interest, it is possible that exhibitions will be held in the gymnasium.

Border, H.	172	Schrope	165
Camera, F.	174	Gehrig	160
Supchinsky	165	West, A.	130
Cohen, S.	140	Galganowicz	150
Petrusiak	180	Larrish	152
DeFrank	133	Novak	143
Dressler	134	Kudgus	165
Dry	180	DeMott	150
Harter	175	Penman	155

CLOSE RACE IN BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Interesting Figures Reveal Keen Competition In Intramural Sport First Half

Keen competition was in evidence in the intramural basketball league throughout the first half of the race. At the end, team No. 1, captained by James Boylan and No. 8, led by "Larry" Evangelista, were deadlocked for first place, both having five wins and two losses. In the play-off, squad 8 carried off the honors.

Team 7, directed by "Soapy" Sopchak, led the league in amassing the greatest number of points. The markers scored by the teams are as follows:

Team 7	129
Team 8	93
Team 3	80
Team 1	79
Team 4	79
Team 5	78
Team 6	70
Team 2	66

Stanley Marcinkavicz was the highest individual scorer, with 35 tallies to his credit. He was followed by Corneilli with 33, Rompola 32, Sopchak 32, and Rokosz 29.

Final standing:

	W.	L.
*Team 8	5	2
Team 1	5	2
Team 7	4	3
Team 4	4	3
Team 3	4	3
Team 2	3	4
Team 5	2	5
Team 6	1	6

*Team 8 winner in play-off.

HUSKIES OUT FOR WIN OVER THE STRONG STROUD TEAM

Bloomsburg Huskies meet Stroudsburg's strong basketball team tonight on the local gymnasium floor with revenge for last year's losses in mind. Last year Stroudsburg's fast cage team completely swept the Maroon and Gold quintet off its feet, both at home and at Stroudsburg. This evening, however, the Huskies are out for victory and intend to show their teeth in their onward drive towards state recognition in basketball.

Success of College Cagers Result of All Around Team

B CLUB NOTES

Since Bloomsburg State Teachers College has been converted to a college of four-year students, the girls of the B Club are proposing a new point system to be used in determining awards. It is evident that the number of points for each award must be raised. As yet, no definite action has been taken by the organization, but any suggestions on how to change this system will be considered if given to any member of the club.

On Thursday, February 1, Miss Elmore Le Fèvre, the district representative of the Girl Scouts who has been here under the auspices of the Girl Scout Council of Bloomsburg, gave a talk on hiking to eighty-one girls of the college.

Girls who went on the B Club camping trip last spring are eagerly looking forward to the Homecoming amp. Soon, approximately four hundred alumni members of the club will receive invitations for this camping trip.

Anyone who has taken interesting pictures of any girls' sports this year please turn them into the Obiter office.

Team Overwhelms Shippensburg T. C.

In one of the most spirited games of the present season, our team triumphed over a fighting Shippensburg quintet by the score of 47 to 31.

Through the first quarter both teams played fast and thrilling basketball, the visitors maintaining a bare 8 to 7 point lead at the end of the first period. However, in the second period the Huskies set a rapid pace, scoring 19 counters to a lowly 4 by Shippensburg. The chief factors in this scoring spree were the accurate passing and fast cutting-in of our players.

Early in the third quarter, Shippensburg, unable to penetrate our stone-wall defense, threatened with long range shots from the center of the floor, but our players remained cool and soon bottled up this offensive threat.

Shippensburg was adept at converting long shots into field goals, whereas the Huskies gained practically all their points by working the ball in for short shots. The passing and floor work of the entire team was a beautiful thing to watch.

Minus the services of Washaleski, because of the torn ligaments of his leg, and of Blackburn, who sprained his ankle in practice, the Huskies demonstrated that instead of having the various teams, the Coach has a dependable varsity squad. Both "Blackie" and "Wash" (along with their crutches) were interested spectators at the game.

The box score was as follows:

B. S. T. C.			
	g.	f.g.	pts.
Valente	4	0-0	8
Krauss	3	0-0	6
Rollins	0	0-0	0
Jaffin	3	0-3	6
Kundra	0	0-0	0
Willson	6	3-5	15
Blass	2	0-1	4
Elder	1	0-0	2
Phillips	1	0-0	2
Gehring	0	0-0	0
Reed	2	0-0	4
Moleski	0	0-1	0
Shakofski	0	0-0	0
Total	22	3-10	47
S. S. T. C.			
	g.	f.g.	pts.
Coble	0	0-0	0
Danzberger	1	0-0	2
DeFrank	4	2-2	10

Speed, Passing Ability, Alertness And Basketball Intelligence Make B. S. T. C. Quintet One Of Best In Many Years at College.

MUCH CREDIT DUE BUCHHEIT

For the first time in a number of years, the college has an athletic squad that is "one" in feeling, spirit, and fight. The Huskie Squad may not possess height and reach, but they have demonstrated that they have more than overcome this disadvantage with speed, passing ability, accurate shooting, alertness and basketball intelligence.

Wasneski, guard, and Blackburn, forward, both members of the varsity, were placed on the sideline as a result of injuries. However, this did not deter the progress of the Maroon and Gold Cagers. As a matter of fact it seemed to spur them on, and those men who filled the vacancies, did an excellent "job" of it.

We feel that we owe much to Coach Buchheit for bringing this team to the front and also to the individual members of the squad.

The injured men are back on the court this week and expect to see action against Millersville this afternoon and East Stroudsburg tomorrow evening. The Huskies are out to avenge the defeat suffered at the hands of the Millersville Teachers by the margin of two baskets.

Their great ambition, however, is to defeat the Stroudsburg Five. "We are with you team. Good Luck!"

Begin Training For Track Season

With the advent of spring on the campus comes the announcement that track men are already getting into training for what will probably prove to be a busy season on the Mount.

Two or three evenings each week are devoted to practice by some candidates, particularly the members of last season's cross-country team, which made a name for itself in having lost to only one college, that being the crack West Chester harriers.

Some of the runners now donning track togs twice a week are Larish, Karnes, Young, Bertoldi and Lau. Cohen, the pole vault and high jump man of last year's team, is also beginning to train for a strenuous season, which will consist of meets with most Teachers Colleges, Bucknell University and probably a few liberal arts schools.

IDLE MOMENTS

A man was relating to a group of eager listeners an account of an automobile accident, telling especially of a man who had been seriously injured.

An over eager listener interrupted, saying, "Did you say he kicked the bucket?" The narrator quietly answered, "No, I said he turned a little pale."

An investigation conducted by a northern college revealed that there are six million college graduates in the United States.

Editor's Note—This report was added to "Idle Moments" in all due respect for the present unemployment situation.

S. S. T. C.				
	g.	f.g.	pts.	
Heil	0	0-0	0	
Bloom	4	1-3	9	
Pernet	0	0-0	0	
Snider	0	0-0	0	
MacVickers	4	2-2	10	
Totals	18	5-7	31	
Score by periods:				
B. S. T. C.	9	10	5	18—47
S. S. T. C.	7	4	11	8—31

Referee: Bryant, Nanticoke.

Kappa Delta Pi to Celebrate Founders Day on March Third

Banquet to be Held in College Dining Hall is Annual Affair; Other Plans Made

Members of Kappa Delta Pi enjoyed a delightful tea in the social rooms of Science Hall, Wednesday afternoon, February 8. Some interesting informal discussions were conducted on educational affairs and on future plans of the society.

A business meeting of the society was called by the President, Mr. Gribbin and held in Room B. Carver Hall, last Monday. The society decided to hold its annual Founders Day Banquet on March 3. The banquet will be in the college dining hall and will be addressed by some prominent educator. The society plans to also have the speaker address the student body in chapel on this day.

Invitations have been sent out to honorary and alumni members and several sub-committees are at work on plans to make this year's Founders Day a memorable one in the history of the local chapter.

Demure

To the casual observer she is not outstanding; yet a close-up of her reveals to us one of our star pupils.

Of medium stature, she, in my opinion, is normal in weight, with perhaps a slight tendency toward being underweight. Her straight, light brown hair reflects cleanliness and care in its gloss and color. A very slight suggestion of a natural wave is brought out at the part of her hair. Occasionally she wears a silver band to keep it back.

Something too deep to interpret lies beyond those dark eyes of hers. To me, they have a far-away look—not a dreamy, hazy look, but one which indicates serious thought. Never gaudily dressed, she is quite neat in her printed cotton dresses. The unevenness of her teeth is offset by their whiteness.

Smiling only when occasioned, she shows a decided control of her emotions. Although she can lead a group activity, she is too modest to do so of her own accord. Her expression betrays her feelings. To be in a group which has been defeated is to her an indication of not having done her part. Such occasions sometimes may even lead her to tears. On the other hand, when she is pleased, her whole face beams.

Her mastery of quite an extensive vocabulary (for her age) results in interesting, well-worded papers which are neatly written. Her thinking and reasoning indicate a cultural background, enriched by the reading of much literature. In her reading we find comprehension and speed going hand in hand.

She contributes much to class discussions, but is not a "talker", causing any disturbance. To summarize her characteristics, I would use the following adjectives: coy, reserved, modest, shy and demure, each with its different shade of meaning.

With due apologies to Shakespeare, may I say, with reference to her, that "Gold does not always glitter", rather than the well-known maxim that "All that glitters is not gold".

"Demure" is written by a student teacher in Intermediate Grades in response to the Training Teacher's request that the student teacher write his observations of a pupil selected by himself. This is considered an excellent example of ability to observe individual differences.

NEWS FLASH

In another part of this paper is a short item concerning Shippensburg's consideration of abandoning the present marking system.

Since the item was put in the paper we received notice that an informal vote at that institution reveals sixty per cent of the students favor the "Passed-Failed" system.

Gleanings

(NSFA)—Butler University, the college which pioneered in marriage courses, is now offering a course in the art of staying married.

—Northwest Missourian.

(NSFA)—A Junior in the college of engineering at the University of Nebraska accumulates enough revenue repairing watches to put him through school.

—Johnsonian.

(NSFA)—A psychology professor, after a thorough investigation at College, announced that chewing gum improves a student's pep about eight per cent.

—Swarthmore Phoenix.

(NSFA)—A professor at Wisconsin State College, recommends the old institution of cramming because it represents concentration of the highest order. He also asserts that modern psychologists believe knowledge gained more rapidly will be retained longer and more fully.

—The Crimson and White.

(NSFA)—Members of the physics classes at Iowa State College at Ames have been saving long distance telephone charges by sending their messages over short waves from the transmitters they have constructed.

—Iowa State Student.

(NSFA)—The International Federation of Trade Unions reports that the Latvian government is censoring their publications, especially those advocating peace propaganda, and has banned their "No More War" pamphlet depicting the horrors of war in a series of photographs. The Latvian authorities thus defend the prohibition: "To make propaganda against war when the whole world is preparing for war would be to destroy the very foundations of the government."

—World Events.

(NSFA)—The University of Hawaii sent a squad of twenty-five men 10,000 miles to play Denver University in football this fall. The players on the Hawaii team, by the way, despise shoes but yet kick fifty yards or more with great accuracy.

—Wilson Billboard.

(NSFA)—St. Mary's College, the one that puts out the famed football teams, has only 584 students.

—The Crimson-White.

(NSFA)—The University of North Dakota finds an interesting way to help students who have more ambition than wealth. Half a dozen old railway cabooses have been turned into a dormitory unit; and some thirty students are comfortably, if inconveniently, housed at a weekly rental of four hours' work each on the campus. One may imagine that the good natured humor of the campus calls them "the young conductors."

—Christian Science Monitor.

(NSFA)—The only college news reel theatre in the United States has begun its second year at the University of Minnesota, and is open every noon to students for the admission price of five cents.

—The Green and White.

(NSFA)—Eighty-four courses in physical education alone are offered at the Colorado State Teachers College. These include such courses as speedball, touchball, volleyball, playground baseball, clog dancing, natural dancing, scarf dancing, folk dancing, folk dancing and dancing technique.

—Haverford News

FIRST AID TEAM IS OF MUCH VALUE

Performance by Sam Keefer and His Team from Danville Gives Valuable Information

After the devotions and announcements on Monday morning, February 5, Mr. Sam Keefer and his first aid team under the auspices of the men's Letter Club, gave a very entertaining and educational program.

Mr. Keefer is connected with the Friendship Fire Company of Danville. For the past three years his team has treated one hundred and thirty accident cases. They played a prominent role in Berwick when the theatre was on fire. The initial performance of this group in Bloomsburg was at the Boy Scout Club, which lasted six weeks.

There are several things that we should remember in connection with his speech; first, that about 30,000 accidents are caused by automobiles, while from 23,000 to 25,000 accidents are caused in the home; second, we should keep cool and do what is right; third, it is better not to do anything than to do the wrong thing; fourth, if the face is red, raise the patient's head but do not give him a stimulant. However, if his face is white, lower his head and give him a stimulant; fifth, don't wash a wound but cover it because it will blister if you don't. Last, but far from least, is cleanliness; it is the basis of all good first aid treatment with the possible exception of the case in which an artery is cut, then and only then, is it permissible for the first aider to put his finger directly on the wound.

Do You Know That

By capturing second place in the Liberty Marathon at Bloomsburg on December 30, 1933, our cross-country team won a silver loving cup which will be placed in the Alumni Room as soon as the following names are engraved upon it: Captain Baum, Karns, Larish, Bartoldi, Young, Lau, and Roan.

Captain Baum and Dick Smith, our 100-yard dasher, have both left school, the former to work and the latter—well he didn't say, but we have our suspicions.

Although not arranged definitely, as yet, we are going to have a better baseball and track schedule for the coming spring season than ever before.

Plenty of good material is available for both of these sports.

The first love of Shellhamer, captain of the track team and a star pitcher on the baseball team, is football—a sport which he never tackled until his senior year.

GLEANINGS

(NSFA)—Dr. George Barton Cutton recently presented to his students at Colgate University the possibility of changing the time of the college vacation to the winter months between December and April. Dr. Cutton explained that the change in time of the college vacation would be especially practicable at Colgate because of the cold, unpopular winters which are experienced at Hamilton. The present school year is merely followed through tradition, said Dr. Cutton, and there really is no serious reason why the year should not be mapped out so that the students could attend classes during the pleasantest weather.

—Colgate Maroon.

Campus Improvements Are Planned for in Near Future

Sophomores Elect Two New Officers

Cotillion Voted Open To All College Students. Guest Privileges Reserved for Sophomores

At a meeting of the Sophomore Class, Ernest Lau was elected vice president and Daniel Jones, representative to the student council. They both succeed Richard Smith, who did not return to the college this semester.

It was decided at that meeting that the Sophomore Cotillion, to be held February 24, will be open to all college students with the privilege of guest couples reserved for the members of the Sophomore Class.

S. S. T. C. CONSIDERS GRADE PROBLEMS

Many and interesting are the variety of items appearing in the newspapers published by other Teachers Colleges in the state. These papers, which are received at the Maroon and Gold office, bear many suggestions in their columns and particularly on the editorial pages.

The Shippensburg weekly, for instance, informs us that the men day students at that college are in newer and better quarters and that they now have a radio in the room for their entertainment. The editorial page of that paper also tells of controversial meetings each Tuesday in chapel. At the present time the subject "Abolition of Marks" is being discussed.

Many Regrading and Reterracing Projects to be Carried Out on Campus. Add to Beauty

Many campus improvements are planned for the near future, according to N. T. Engelhart, Superintendent of Grounds and Buildings. The work is to be done by those working under the Civil Works program, some of it having already been started.

Work now underway consists of the terracing of the bank extending from Carver Hall to the heating plant. This should be recognized as a considerable improvement, since the bank has always been covered with unimpressive brambles and vines.

Another similar project is to be carried out on Mount Olympus where the bank back of the home plate and along the northeast side of the field will be dug away and grading and terracing take its place. This, likewise, will be a good improvement because of the difficulty of seeing with the present red shale border along that side of the field.

At the foot of the terrace being made along the campus from Carver to the heating plant, there is to be a sidewalk with a curb running the full distance between the buildings. Trees and hedges will also be planted along the terrace.

An improvement that has already been made is the retracing of the double bank on the side of the tennis courts next to the road which leads towards North Hall. The double bank has been converted into a single, long sloping one.

Kampus Kulm

Every one we have talked to has the same feeling: "Oh, if only something would happen to break this monotony" and we are pleased to state that we have joined the crowd and are ready to join in the chorus.

However, just to be a little "optimistic" we might point out that the weather will surely moderate soon, that after all who believes in ground hog predictions, and that once we pass ye Sainte Valentine's Day, Spring is just around the corner, and who cares whether or not a stiff, cold blast from the north may be whistling around said corner as long as Easter is here and Spring is just around another corner ad infinitum. Let's go swimmin!

Just to show to what extent students will go to amuse themselves, we observed with interest the antics of a Freshman who, after romping with a small, once white, poodle in the Day Boys' Room—Don't tell anyone there was a dog there, tho we don't want it known—placed the poodle high up on two tables to watch the fun. Reactions were not favorable, for the dog, after a slight peek over the edge, nonchalantly, without the use of a Murad, too—stretched out and dozed.

Guess that is about enough to cinch our promise that "It is to be expected that things will be a little dull about this time of the year."

By the by, speaking of dogs: The way they go around in a circle after their tail reminds us of the way some students—never mind—nevertheless, we contend that there is a lot of labor wasted around this campus—potential, which will never be used, and kinetic, of course.

There seemed to be quite an exodus last week end from both dormitories which goes to show that home is home, and college spirit remains after all but something preached to innocent Frosh while they are in the milk stage.

We take space to remind the Chief that the boys have carried on, and we hope for her speedy convalescence.

That this college is "just one big family" is substantiated by one member of the student body who was informed by no less than 23 people within a short time, that a fella was looking for him—still is, maybe!

Within two days—we should have placed "Believe it or not" in front of this—over 90 Day Boys placed their names on two papers pinned on a bulletin board, and at a quarter cover charge. Sign, and pledge a quarter for a worthy cause—who would have thought it possible—prosperity, where art thou? The cue has been given.

Screenings: Seniors have been unusually quiet and studious lately . . . have to lug out the Tux and dust it off, for soon will be the cotillion, and a mighty nice dance it always is . . . Keeler and Krepich are hard at work on what looks to be the makings of an Obiter of a decade, if we know our Obiters . . . Day Girls haven't played their phonograph much lately. What's up? . . . The walk to Science Hall is a long one on a cold day . . . Enough.