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Jimmy Kleman Named "Joe College" of BSTC At Annual Junior Prom

Amid a throng of hundreds of people, Jim Kleman, a senior, from Ashland, was named Joe College at the annual Junior Prom held on Friday night, April 21, in Centennial Gymnasium. Nancy Unger, B.S.T.C.'s Coed of the Year, made the presentation during intermission.

As bearer of the Joe College title, Kleman represents the typical college "Joe" and signifies the majority's expectations of an ideal college student. He was chosen from among eight of B.S.T.C.'s outstanding masculine personalities who were nominated a few weeks ago by a committee composed of two coeds from each of the freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior classes. On April 20, ballots bearing the candidates names were submitted to the college community in the regular Thursday Assembly and Kleman (Continued on page 4)

It May Be Spring, But . . .



Yes indeed, spring is here — we hope; but this picture of our "Friendly College on the Hill" seemed most too good to keep locked away in the M. & G. files. We doubt if many college campuses can offer a more beautiful scene.

1950 Obiter Show Features Obiter Band and Return of Andy Mack Trio

Obiter Editor Reports
1950's College Yearbook
A Complete Sell-Out

The annual Obiter Show, given in Assembly on Tuesday, April 25th, was enthusiastically received by the student body as being one of the finest pieces of student entertainment staged this year in chapel. The quick sale of the final Obiter reserve forms proved the success of the undertaking.

Joe Curilla, director-producer of the show and editor-in-chief of the '50 Obiter, is credited with turning in a beautiful piece of work for both.

The setting for the opening number of the show was a boy's dorm room in Waller Hall the night before an exam. Authenticity was given the skit by the able portrayals rendered by Alex Kubik, Frank Furgele, Claude Renninger, Frank Dean, Buck Byham, Phil Search and Ben Burness. Following the skit, the Andy Mack Trio took its place behind the footlights. As their first number, Norman Kline and Max Kaplan, accompanied by Andy Maceiko and his accordion, sang a medley of patriotic tunes by Cohan. Andy then soloed on his sparkling, new accordion and gave out with his own version of "St. Louis Blues." After which, for a change in tempo, he played the "Coronet Polka." Kline and Kaplan then returned and the trio delighted the audience with such catchy numbers as "Terry" (an original), "Just Because," "We're Big Boys Now," and "Judaline." A pleasant surprise greeted the audience as the curtain open-

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Plan for Distribution of Senior Ball Tickets and Programs Announced

Tickets and programs for the Senior Ball will be distributed from the C.G.A. office from noon until 5:00 P.M. on Thursday, May 4. At this time all seniors will be expected to know definitely whether or not they will attend the Ball, which will be held at the Irem Temple Country Club, near Dallas, on May 25.

Graduation announcements and name cards will also be available at this time along with a mimeographed "Guide to Graduation," which will explain in detail the various Senior Week activities.

A final check will also be made on available transportation. Class members are urged to cooperate with their committee chairmen and officers, and to watch the bulletin boards for further announcements.

"A Mid-Century May Day" is Theme of Colorful Ceremony

The annual May Day ceremonies of the College will be held Wednesday, May tenth, at 2:30 p.m., Mrs. Robert B. Redman, director once again of this year's fete, announced that the theme of the 1950 exercises will be "A Mid-Century May Day." American life during the past half century will be colorfully reviewed in song and dances at the annual May Day ceremonies.

The boys and girls of the Benjamin Franklin School will present a varied and colorful program of dances in harmony with the various phases of American life during the past fifty years. The performance will take place before the court of the May Queen, who will be crowned in traditional ceremonies on a dais erected on the terraces behind the Waller Hall gymnasium. The music for the exercises will again be provided for by the Maroon and Gold Band. The Band will also present a rief concert prior to the processional, which is scheduled to begin at 2:30 p.m. Daylight Saving Time.

Miss Jane L. Keller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Keller of Light Street Road, Bloomsburg, will reign as May Queen. Miss Keller's attendants are: Susan Dreibilbis, Mrs. Jane Kepping, Lucy Jane Baker, Betty Riddall, Jeanne Kelder, Carmela Tarole, Terry Ann Cierlitsky, and Elizabeth Reece.

Dr. John J. Furbay Graduation Speaker

Dr. Harvey A. Andruss announced that Dr. John J. Furbay, Director of Air World Education, will be the speaker for the annual May Commencement Exercises to be held in the Carver Hall Auditorium, Monday, May 29. President Andruss said that Dr. Furbay, who was one of the featured speakers at the annual convention of the American Association of School Administrators held recently in Atlantic City, will speak on the subject, "At Home in One World."

Dr. Furbay has had a long and distinguished career in the field of education. He has been a professor in a large mid-Western university and the president of the College of West Africa. Mr. Furbay has held other teaching posts in a number of colleges and universities throughout the United States and Hawaii.

He was an official observer at the first United Nations meetings in San

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1950 Obiter Plans "Yearbook Clinic" To Be Held Here Soon

According to a memorandum issued recently by Mr. Edward T. Devoe, Obiter adviser, the selection of the editor of the 1951 yearbook will be made in the near future. According to the plan outlined in the memorandum, persons interested in being on the staff of the 1951 Obiter should submit their names to Joe Curilla, stating the type of work they wish to do. The selection of the 1951 editor will then be made from the names submitted.

It was announced also by Curilla that the 1950 Obiter is planning a "yearbook clinic," which will be held sometime in the next two or three weeks if a sufficient number of persons are interested. The clinic will be conducted by a staff member of the Campus Publishing Company, which is the Philadelphia division of a large corporation specializing in school and college publications.

Curilla, who is editor of the 1950 Obiter, pointed out that the clinic will be of interest to both present and prospective Obiter staff members. He also stated that persons who will be certified in English would find the clinic helpful in building up a background for high school yearbook adviserships. Those interested in attending the clinic are asked to submit their names to Curilla. The clinic will be held on this campus.

Phi Sigma Pi Elects New Officers at Annual Founder's Day Banquet

The annual Founders' Day banquet of Phi Sigma Pi, Iota Chapter, was held on Thursday evening, April 20, at Dutch Hill. A delicious dinner of chicken and waffles was served to the group of thirty who attended.

Guest speaker of the evening was Mr. John B. Kennedy, Superintendent of the Kingston Schools. Following the dinner, Mr. Kennedy spoke on the subject, "Waste in Education." In his remarks, the speaker pointed out a number of ways in which education fails to be thrifty in its processes. Starting a student before he is ready to begin school, and then failing him because he cannot make the grade, is one example of a form of this waste. Perhaps the student is not capable of entering school before he is eight years old. If such is the case, the better plan is to let him wait. But, when a student does enter school, the teacher must take a personal interest in his charge, and each successive teacher must take a personal interest

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Class of 1950 Draws Up Final Graduation Plans; Will Leave Annual Memorial Scholarship

Commencement Issue Flares Into Heated Debate from Floor

The Class of 1950 held its final meeting of the year in Carver Auditorium last Friday afternoon and drafted plans for class activity during Senior Week exercises next month. In addition to regular business, the class also established a scholarship and elected to remain organized following graduation.

Kenneth Cook was elected Ivy Day orator and will speak in behalf of the class during Ivy Day exercises, which will be held in the Waller Hall court at 11 A.M., Thursday, May 25. It is during this traditional ceremony that the senior class plants its ivy and presents the president elect of next year's senior class with the Ivy Day spade.

The red carnation was elected as the class flower, and red and white were chosen as the class colors. These will be used primarily for decorating purposes at the banquet and ball, which is to be held at the Irem Temple Country Club, near Dallas, on the evening of May 25. Also in connection with the banquet and ball, the class voted overwhelmingly in favor of formal dress for the occasion.

The class voted also to have its commencement rehearsal at 12:30 P.M. on the afternoon of Thursday, May 25. Under ordinary circumstances the rehearsal should be completed by 2:00 P.M. Because of this arrangement there will be no need to schedule any activities for Friday, the following day.

Considerable controversy was waged over the issue of having commencement exercises either out of doors or else in Centennial Gymnasium instead of in Carver Auditorium. If the commencement exercises are held in Carver Auditorium, as is currently planned by the administration, a severe limitation will be placed upon the number of guests each class member will be permitted to invite. The majority of the class expressed the opinion that this restriction was both "unjust and unfair," since it would result in the virtual exclusion of family members from commencement exercises.

Class president Don Butcofsky reported that he had conducted a preliminary investigation concerning the feasibility of holding commencement someplace other than in Carver Auditorium. (Continued on page 3)

Butcofsky, Davis, Chapin, and Kamm To Head '50 Alumni

A fifty-dollar annual scholarship has been established as a memorial by the Class of 1950. The class voted the scholarship into effect following a report from Audrey Terrel, chairman of the class scholarship committee, during the meeting in Carver Auditorium last Friday afternoon.

A check for a sum sufficient to maintain the scholarship for ten years will be turned over to the Alumni Association next month. The administration of the 1950 Memorial Scholarship will be handled by the Alumni Association, and the award will be made on the basis of the criteria which will be set up by the Alumni Scholarship Committee, which is presently under the chairmanship of Dr. Kimber C. Kuster.

Following the establishment of the scholarship, the class also unanimously elected to remain organized after graduation. All the present class officers were re-elected to ten-year terms which will expire at the tenth reunion in 1960.

Dr. E. H. Nelson, president of the Alumni Association, has hailed both the scholarship and the move to remain organized as activities which will greatly benefit the college and the Alumni Association. The Class of 1950 will become the first in college history to establish its own scholarship and retain its own organization upon entering the Alumni Association.

Class officers have pointed out that since the present scholarship fund is sufficient for only a ten-year period, the maintenance of the fund will be one of the main class projects in its activity as part of the alumni organization. In addition to the scholarship fund, the class will also establish a reserve fund of its own to finance its activities during the next few years. According to an estimate made by Harold Kamm, class treasurer, this can be accomplished out of the funds which will remain at the end of the school year.

Class president Don Butcofsky said that the class of 1950 will make every effort to reach all its members at least once each year. A complete financial statement and a report on the scholarship will be published yearly in the Alumni Quarterly. He also stated that when circumstances warrant it, a news-letter will be mailed out to all members.

Senior Week Calendar

Wednesday, May 24:

Termination of classes for seniors.

Thursday, May 25:

10:00 A.M.—Honor Assembly, Carver Auditorium.

11:00 A.M.—Ivy Day Exercises, Waller Hall Court.

12:30 P.M.—Commencement rehearsal, Carver Auditorium.

6:30 P.M.—Banquet and Ball, Irem Temple Country Club.

Friday, May 26:

No activities scheduled.

Saturday, May 27:

11:00 P.M.—Class Alumni Exercises.

Sunday, May 28:

3:30 P.M.—Baccalaureate Service, Carver Auditorium.

4:30 P.M.—Senior picture, in front of lobby entrance to Waller Hall.

Monday, May 29:

10:30 A.M.—Commencement, Carver Auditorium.

The hours indicated above are Eastern Daylight Saving Time.

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Employment Outlook for Teachers

Graduates trained for elementary school teaching should find a wide choice of employment opportunities in most States this spring. On the other hand, prospective teachers at the secondary level will find a highly competitive employment situation in all but a few subject fields. Last year, only one student completed training for Elementary teaching for every three who were needed; this year, the shortage will be nearly as acute. The number of students completing preparation for high school teaching in 1949 was four times as great as the demand; the oversupply in 1950 is expected to be even greater.

Prospects for Elementary Teachers

The need for teachers in elementary schools will continue to increase over the next several years. According to a recent study by the Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics, enrollments in grades 1 to 8 will probably rise sharply for the next 7 years in most States and then level off. The total number of elementary teaching positions will therefore increase considerably, perhaps by more than 260,000 in the next 7 years. The number of new teachers required annually will be greatest about 1953, the year when the sharpest increase in enrollments is expected.

Many more new teachers are required each year as replacements than for new positions, even in the current period of rapid growth of elementary school population. On the basis of a conservative rate of 7 percent, it is estimated that over half a million elementary teachers will be required in the next 10 years to replace those who die, retire, or leave the classrooms for other reasons. In addition, a sizeable number will be needed to replace some of the persons now teaching on emergency certificates.

The number of young people taking training for elementary teaching will depend, in the future as in the past, chiefly on the other employment opportunities available and the relative salaries offered. If general economic conditions should become less favorable and there should be considerable unemployment, the supply of elementary teachers might become such that keen competition would develop.

Prospects for Secondary Teachers

Etrong competition for high school teaching positions is expected in the country as a whole for the next few years at least. However, the distribution of teachers both by locality and by subject field is such that some schools suffer shortages while others have many applicants for each job. With few exceptions, shortages are now limited to rural areas and such special subject fields as home economics. The greatest oversupply in most states is in men's physical education, the social sciences, and English.

It is likely that education and experience requirements will be raised, in line with the prewar trend. Students taking training for high school teaching should plan to get a master's degree in order to qualify for the best employment opportunities.

Enrollments in grades 9 to 12 are expected to decline until about 1952. Therefore, the need for high school teachers will be limited largely to replacements for the next few years. After 1952, enrollments will probably rise slowly for the following 3 years and then increase rapidly into the 1960's. Over the 1950 decade, close to 85,000 new teachers may be needed to handle increased enrollments. In addition, from 17,000 to 20,000 replacements may be required for each year during the 1950's. However, unless high school enrollments are considerably greater than seems probable on the basis of past trends, a training rate as high as that in 1949 would continue to produce an oversupply of secondary school teachers even in the years of greatest need.

1950 Obiter Show Features Band . . .

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ed and disclosed the "Obiter" band of 1950. The band played several selections including Star Dust, Laura and a syncopated version of Swance River. Claire Davis gave a soulful rendition of "Don't Tell Me" after which the sale of the Obiters began. Members of the band were Dick Wagner at the piano; Danny Fitzpatrick, drums; Phil Search, third trumpet; Jim Purcell, first trumpet; Gene Hummell, second trumpet; Geo. Viti, first trombone; Carleton Ermish, second trombone; Hank Merini, first sax; Bill Gilbert, third sax; Jack Swartz, fourth sax; and John Brown, fifth sax.

Obiter salesmen during the show were Alex Kubik, Dick Evans, Dave Newberry, and Tom Anthony. Stage

Dr. Andruss Addresses Principals' Association

Dr. Harvey A. Andruss recently addressed The Principals Association of Susquehanna County at the meeting at Hallstead in the Three Gables Inn. He spoke on the subject, "There Are All Kinds of Children."

The Principals Association represents thirteen high schools in Susquehanna County. The County Superintendent and his assistants from Wayne County as well as the wives of the principles of the schools were guests at the meeting.

Al: I have come to the conclusion that all geniuses are smug.

John: Oh, nonsense, Why, I act like any ordinary fellow.

manager was George Reck. Script writers were Ben Burness and Chuck Edwards.

Campus Talents

A survey of our student enrollment offers a good opportunity for cross-sectioning the numerous occupations, talents, and abilities which are indications that members of BSTC do do things. This feature is not the direct result of such a survey, but rather a composite picture of fact, fantasy, and "scuttlebut." It is not the whole picture by far, but if public interest demands a complete survey of interesting occupations of members of the student body, this writer guarantees that such a survey will be made in the near future.

We've seen talented members of the student body exhibit evidences of their abilities in several student assembly programs thus far this year. These students deserve a great deal of recognition for the time and trouble which they have given so that we might stay awake in assembly. A few of these talented individuals have joined together and formed trios and quartets whose performances have been warmly received at different social events throughout the region. "The Campus Four," "Andy Mack Trio," and the "Campus Kings" are three of the better known musical outfits originating on our campus.

From groups we dwindle down to individuals. We have one student who has already completed his course at a N. Y. embalming school and has served his apprenticeship with the same funeral directors which conducted the funerals of Texas Guinan, Major Bowes, and a host of other celebrities. Another student has worked several years with his father who is a funeral director. We also have our share of war heroes. More than one member of our student body has been cited for gallantry in action during the past war. Several have attained high ranks, some going as high as major.

Scores of life guards and camp counsellors, switchboard operators and hash slingers call B.S.T.C. their second home. One individual who recently graduated wrote obituaries in Polish for his home town newspaper.

Yes, we at Bloomsburg are very versatile. That versatility will probably come in very handy when we embark on our teaching careers.

—Frank Dean

He: Will you call for your father if I kiss you.

She: Certainly — but don't worry, he isn't home tonight.

Babbling Brooks

by Harry Brooks

Campus activities are really in full swing after the Easter recess. Jim Kleman was voted by the College Community as Joe College. Congratulations! During last Friday's Junior Prom, the ceremony took place before a fine crowd. Lee Vincent once again furnished those solid sharps and flats for the affair

May Day, to be held May tenth this year, barring weather complications, should really be the usually gay affair. A dance will be held either in conjunction with the Day or else on May 12 . . . Also coming in the near future is the year's second edition of the Olympian. The jokes and literary material promises to be the usual high caliber so let's get behind this sales drive as we did last time

Much attention has been paid concerning the closing letters by our correspondents. Frequently is written the statement, as always, as always, as ever, and so on. These are what campus English profs might call abstractions since they say or mean nothing.

A closing such as Always, Jane, is a foolish statement. To begin with, if it wasn't always Jane, who else would it be. If the correspondent planned to change her name, she should have written the information in the context of the letter, and if she did not hint that she wouldn't always be Jane, the closing Always Jane is useless, trite, distasteful and unromantic.

Take a statement such as Yours truly. Now that really contains depth. It relates that everything in the letter is the Gospel truth, but yet unless you are writing to an enemy, (which we infrequently do) there is little cause to attach Yours truly at the ending. A true friend would believe every penned word anyway.

Writing the word "love" at the ending is not suitable either. The word no longer means what it formerly meant because of its overuse. We might say we love baseball or love to throw rocks, but we cannot classify a bat, stones and a beautiful girl in the same category. They only have one thing in common; they are all hard and cold until they are handled a while.

After rehashing the situation of closing a letter, the conclusion can be drawn that by saying "Your Moose" at the end, is the best way to complete it.

Spring Fashion Show In Carver Auditorium Friday Evening May 5

Lovely spring and summer fashions, designed to please the most discriminating tastes, will be displayed at the Fourth Annual Spring Fashion Show staged by the College as a feature of the Eighteenth Annual Commercial Contest to be held in Carver Hall Auditorium, Saturday, May sixth.

The show, which last year attracted a capacity audience to the Carver Auditorium, is to be presented by the Retail Selling classes, Friday evening, May fifth, at 8:15 p.m.; a special matinee performance will be held Friday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. for invited high school students and women guests attending the Spring Reunion of the Caldwell Consistory.

This year's show promised to be the most outstanding of the series with the help of a large number of retail merchants in the town of Bloomsburg. Fashions from Arcus', Dixie Shops, W. T. Grant Co., Dorothy Kashner Millinery, Kay Long Dress Shop, The Little Shop, J. C. Penny, F. P. Pursel, Racusin's and Snyder's Millinery will be included in the show.

The 1950 presentations shall use the setting of a lounge in the Women's Dormitory. Davison Furniture Stores and the MacKay Home Decorators are furnishing the furniture and materials for the stage set. Mr. and Mrs. George Kepping are student chairmen in charge of the stage setting, and W. B. Sterling, of the Department of Business Education, is the faculty advisor.

A special feature of the Fashion Show will be a review of fashions of the beginning of the Century, centering attention on what the well-dressed college girl wore in the early 1900's. Susan Dreibelbis is the student chairman in charge of this phase of the program.

A number of students are serving as store coordinators for the event: Betty Ridall, chairman; Berdine Loggar, Marjorie Fanzo, Joan Grazell, Kathryn Rhinard, Lois Yeager, Shirley Ashner, Mary Ann Alarcon, Olive Hunter, Betty Cole and Lillian Milkvy.

Office Equipment To Be On Display at Bus. Ed. Contest, Clinic

A number of nationally-known companies have agreed to display modern office equipment commonly found in schools, and small to medium-sized offices, at the Annual Business Education Contest and Clinic at the College, Saturday, May 6. Besides the late models, the exhibitors will show machines manufactured during twenty-year intervals to show the progress made in mechanical office equipment during periods equal to or greater than the life span of the College Department of Business Education.

The feature attraction of the show will be the story of the founding of the Department at the College, and as a special feature of the anniversary celebration, Miss Honora M. Noyes, of the Business Education Department, and Miss Alice Johnston, of the Speech and Dramatic Department, have collaborated in writing a short sketch depicting an office in the Gay Nineties. The sketch will be acted out by students in the Department.

A display of textbooks, teaching materials, and audio-visual aids, as has been the custom of many years, will be staged in the Navy Hall Auditorium by representatives of the various publishing companies.

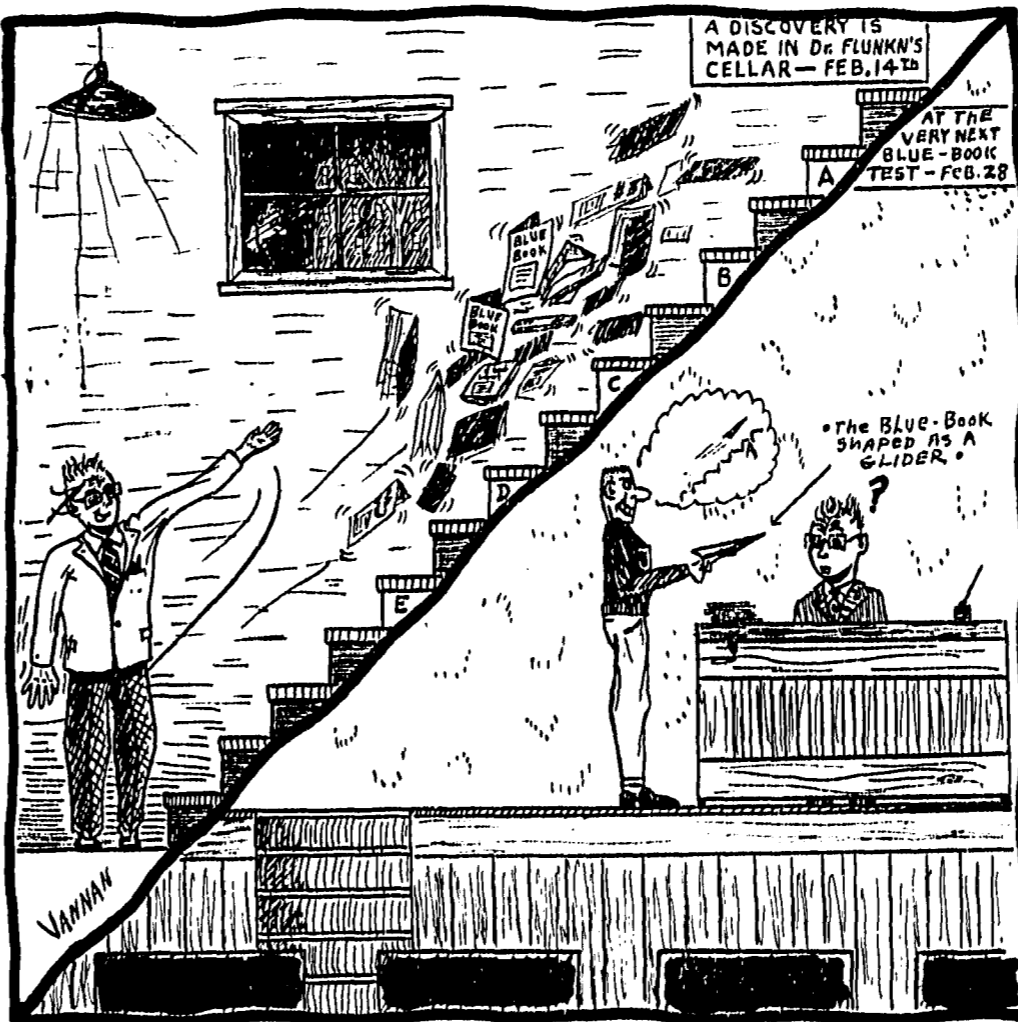
If two Poles were married would they call it a wooden wedding.

Father: I tell you I won't stand for that young man kissing you like that.

Daughter: Oh, don't worry, Dad. He'll improve. After all, I've only just met him.

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Dr. North Announces Schedule for 1950 Summer Sessions

Dr. North announced that the three-weeks Pre-Session will begin Monday, June 5, while the regular six weeks Summer Session will begin June 26. Registration for the Post Session will be held Monday, August seventh. The feature of the 1950 Summer Sessions of the College will be workshops in Elementary Education and Shorthand and Typing.

The Elementary Education Workshop is expected to attract a capacity enrollment because of the present shortage of teachers for the elementary school. The workshop carries a credit of three semester hours in the courses listed in the tentative program. The workshop to assist mature and experienced teachers. Dr. North stated that these credits can be used to make a college certificate permanent; they can be used for graduation, credits may be used to extend a present certificate to include teaching on the elementary level, or as a refresher course for former elementary teachers who desire to re-enter the profession because of the critical shortage of elementary teachers.

Bloomsburg is one of the few colleges in Pennsylvania that maintains its laboratory school during the regular summer session. The 1950 program is especially arranged so that observations may be an integral part of the workshop. The Benjamin Franklin School afford excellent opportunities for observation and participation by experienced teachers.

The combined Typewriting and Shorthand Workshop will enable seniors and graduates to meet certification requirements in these subjects. The workshop will begin on June 5 and will continue throughout the 12 weeks of the summer session.

"Yearbook Clinic"

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in each pupil who passes into his realm of guidance.

Also stressed by Mr. Kennedy were several principles involved in school finance and the expenditure of the school tax dollar. He advised the future teachers to develop an awareness of the school budget program in order to be capable of discussing such matters with taxpayers who might raise questions about activities for which they are paying.

Appropriate remarks were offered by Dr. North and by Mr. Reams in keeping with the occasion.

A brief business meeting was conducted by the president, Edward Kreitz, after which an election of officers for the following year was held. Elected to serve the fraternity throughout the year, 1950-1951, were: Gerald Bacon, president; Merlin Beachell, vice-president; James Whitney, secretary; and Lewis Ballantine, treasurer. A decision was reached that Inter-fraternity Council representatives would be selected at the beginning of next year.

Editor—"Say, this story can't be printed. It says here that the heroine was nude."

Author—"That's all right. I cover her with remorse in the next paragraph!"

Dear Editor—"One night I came home and found my wife in the arms of a man who owes me money. Have I grounds for divorce?"

Answer—"The man was just paying a little interest to your wife."

Jimmy Kleman Named "Joe College" of BSTC

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was victorious in the election. His identity was not revealed until intermission during the Junior Prom last Friday.

Centennial Gymnasium was appropriately decorated for the event. A garden scene was represented with bird houses and a wishing well. Opening on the garden was a typical room where Joe College might live.

Music for the Junior Prom was provided by Lee Vincent and his orchestra. The committees that made the dance preparations with Bob Wire as general chairman were: Orchestra, Bob LePard, chairman, Romeo Danni; Decorations, Rita Dixon and Dick Kressler, co-chairman, Mary Jane Dorsey, John Swartz, Jack Williams, Bob Merrifield, and Jerry Bacon; Refreshments, Mary Ann Alarcon, chairman, John Kocur, Bob Jewell; Invitations, Jane Scheetz, chairman.

George Reck headed the ticket committee assisted by Norman Kline, Norman Keiser, Wanda Petraitis, and Christine Kreamer. Russell Davis was chairman of the Theme Committee made up of Carolyn Vernoy and Dick Schwartz. Marie Mattis headed the Publicity Committee, composed of Shirley Ashner, James Kleman, and Emory Rarig.

Dr. Kimber Kuster, class sponsor, and Walter Zorn, junior class president, acted as committee advisers.

Mock Trial Featured At Bus. Ed. Meeting

A mock trial featured a recent meeting of the Business Education Club held recently in the Navy Hall Auditorium. Under the direction of Agnes Valimont, Joyce Sluyter, and Barbara Harmon, the trial presented the case of a school teacher who was dismissed by a school board for attending a dance contrary to contractual understanding.

Included in the cast were the following Business Education students: Charles Woll, Dyar Haddad, Carol Wanich, Henry Hurtt, Harry V. Carter, Robert Lang, Warren Raker, Laura Philo, Nancy Swartz, Betty Cole, Salvatore Ruffulo.

The club decided to hold its annual banquet Wednesday evening, May 10, at a place to be decided later. President of the Business Education Club is Edward Messa.

Dr. John J. Furbay

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Francisco and in 1945 was the official United States delegate to the Mexico City meeting of the UNESCO. Presently, he is Director of Air World Education, an organization devoted to interpreting our air world responsibilities. Dr. Furbay, a speaker of national repute, is exceptionally well qualified to speak on the subject he has selected for the college commencement.

OBITER 1950



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Selecting your college yearbook is like selecting your family monument. You naturally expect both to have enduring qualities which will not be readily effaced by time's relentless attrition.

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Have You Heard?

by Marie Mattis

Congratulations to Jim Kleman who was elected by the student body to bear the title of Joe College. Jim ceremoniously received the title at the gala Junior Prom on April 21.

Pin-Ups. We are referring to the three new arrivals: Ann Louise Hinkel, Joan Bell, and Dennis. The respective papas are Mr. Clayton Hinkel, of the college faculty, Michael Bell, and Harold White, seniors at B.S.T.C. Mrs. Joan Petarra Bell and Jay Padula White are former B.S.T.C. coeds.

I wonder if any of the dads gave the proverbial absent-minded professor answer, "Yes," when asked, "Is it a boy or a girl?"

A Married Man now is Sophomore Francis Brown of Sunbury, Pa. who was wed to Lorraine Purcell of Shamokin last week. Francis is enrolled in the business curriculum.

Speaking of weddings, one is predicted for B.S.T.C. freshman Dick Knause whose engagement to Alberta Bukholtz of Potstown has been announced.

Painting Professor. Mr. Fenstemaker recently showed his language classes his attempt in the field of art. Although the artist is too modest to admit it, the painting reveals considerable talent.

Travelers. Berdine Logar journeyed to Philadelphia last weekend. Aleki Comuntzis spent the earlier part of the week at Pittsburgh.

Belated Birthday wishes to Miss Thayer, the Queen of the Kitchen who recently celebrated her birthday.

Wise Words. If you want to be as lively as a member of a newspaper obituary column, don't buy an Obiter. But, if you want to be "in the know," dig deep for your dollar deposit and make sure you'll get your Obiter 1950.

It's Spring and in spring a young man's fancy turns to love. Perhaps that's why Gerry Bacon and Bud Thomas have been spending so much time thinking of Agnes and Semina.

Shirley Ashner, Leighton junior, has been elected president of the Waller Hall Association, of the Bloomsburg State Teachers College for the college year beginning September 1950. Miss Ashner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Ashner, succeeds Madeline Schalles, Nescopeck, as head of the governing board of the women's dormitory group.

Other officers of the Association are: Lola Deibert, Danville, vice-president; Eleanor Johnson, Kane, secretary; Nancy Swartz, Forty Fort, treasurer. Members of the Governing Board, also elected recently, include Barbara Frederick, Mifflinburg; Janet Price, Reading; Caroline Vernoy, Canadensis; Muriel Wagner, Carbon-dale; Doris Bowman, Milton; Olive Mouery, Mt. Carmel; Eleanor Young, Lewisburg; Mary Condon, Old Forge; Wilma Jones, LeRaysville, and Mildred Pliscott, Exeter.

Bill: Do you believe in a woman's intuition?

Bob: I do if she's not driving a car.

Borrowed Banter . . .

"Kiss," explained the young English teacher to her class, "is a noun. It is not singular because it is used in the plural. It is more common than proper, and it is never declined—"In fact," she added, forgetting for a moment that she had an audience, "it is really very nice."

"I don't know what I would have done without you," said the grateful client to his attorney, after he had been acquitted. "Ten years, at the very least," the attorney responded, dryly.

George: What is the difference between kissing your wife and kissing your girl?

Al: Just a matter of time.

Mrs. Nag: Don't you dare disgrace me by staggering out of this place.

Mr. Nag: But, darling, we can't stay in here forever.

Al: Why was Adam made before Eve?

John: Oh, I suppose it was to give him time to consider what answer he'd make to her first question.

Kate: What are you dreaming about, Jerry?

Jerry: Same thing as you, darling.

Kate: How dare you!

George: It sure is a good thing our girls don't know where we were last weekend.

Al: I'll say it is—where were we, anyway?

George: Boy, you've got me there. Darned if I can remember.

He: Kiss me?

She: No

He: Ah, do

She: Certainly not.

He: Please

She: Well, all right

He: Flirt.

Mrs. Jones: May I borrow your bottle opener?

Mrs. Adams: Sorry, but he's gone back to college.

1st stranger: Say Bud, do you drink?

2nd stranger: No Sir, never touch a drop.

1st stranger: Boy, that's good. Just hold this bottle till I get back, will you?

Jane: Did he make an impression on you?

Joan: Well, he wanted to, but I told him he'd have to shave his mustache.

She: I'm afraid to walk down that dark lane with you. You might kiss me.

He: How could I do that when I'm leading a horse with one hand, and carrying a pail of milk with the other?

She: Oh, you might tie the horse to the fence and put the pail on the ground.