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Summer Workshop Planned in Typing And Shorthand

One of the most interesting features of the 1951 summer season at Bloomsburg State Teachers College will be a combined Shorthand and Typewriting Workshop. The purpose of the course will be to enable seniors and graduates to meet requirements for certification in these subjects. Students will be able to earn eight semester hours credit in shorthand and four semester hours credit in typewriting.

The Workshop will begin on June 4 and continue through the twelve weeks of the summer session. It will meet five hours daily, with two sessions of ninety minutes each in shorthand and two sessions of sixty minutes each in typewriting. Gregg Shorthand Simplified will be taught.

To be eligible for enrollment in the workshop, one must be a senior or a graduate of an accredited college, with a minimum of three semester hours credit in shorthand and two semester hours in typing. Students meeting only this minimum will enroll for the entire twelve weeks and will receive credit only on completion of the course. Students with six semester hours in typewriting will enroll for a minimum of nine weeks in the pre- and regular sessions; their nine semester hour credits will be distributed between shorthand and typing according to their needs.

The course will be offered only if twenty enrollments are received. Any interested persons, therefore, should notify the office of the Dean of Instruction of their desire to enroll.

Senior Ball Program Committee Selects Dance Programs

The choice of a dance program for the Senior Ball has been announced by the Dance Program and Distribution Committee. The lucky girls going to the Senior Ball will receive as souvenirs lovely dance programs consisting of a mother of pearl-like cover with a bright green paper backing, and a green and white tassel. There are two figures on the cover dressed in a colonial fashion—the young lady in a wide, hooped skirt, extending her hand to a gentleman with a military air, who is gallantly bowing over to kiss the damsel's little dainty. The members of the Dance Program and Distribution Committee are Merlin Beachell, Bloomsburg; Carleton Ermish, Berwick; Max Kaplan, Bloomsburg; and Nancy Powell, Scranton.

Dr. E. Paul Wagner Has Article Chosen For Publication

An article by Dr. E. Paul Wagner, of the B.S.T.C. faculty, has been selected by the Research Council of the American Association for Health, Physical Education, and Recreation, for micro-card publication. The article is titled "Present Status of Required Physical Education Programs for Men in Colleges and Universities Enrolling More Than Five Thousand Students." It was written as a doctoral dissertation.

Microcards, published by the Springfield College Research Council, are made of an article when it is thought to be of special interest in some field of research. Copies are then sent to colleges and universities throughout the country.

Francis Galinski Is Named President Of Bus. Ed. Club

The regular meeting of the Business Education Club held in Carver Auditorium on April 5 was highlighted by the election of officers for the coming year.

Succeeding Robert Merrifield as president of the organization is Francis Galinski. The position of vice president will be filled by Dick Knause. Other officers chosen by the commercial group include Midge Wrzesniewski, secretary.

Enjoying the Prom



Above are several of the nearly two hundred couples who turned out to attend one of the most successful proms held here in recent years.

Early Response to Commercial Contest Promises Success

The annual Commercial Contest, sponsored by the Business Education Club, will be held on Friday, May 4, and Saturday, May 5, in Navy Hall. Eighteen schools and over eighty-five contestants have already entered the contest.

An announcement blank was sent out, and the response to this preliminary announcement was considerably larger than in previous years. It is interesting to note that many of our recent graduates who are now employed as teachers have expressed a desire to enter their students. Most of the contestants already entered in the contest are students of B.S.T.C. graduates and students in schools entering the contest for the first time. Schools that have been in the contest since its inception usually wait for the deadline before entering.

Committees have been appointed for the affair, and a contest booklet has been prepared.

With one or two exceptions, all of the exhibitors at the machine show in 1951 have indicated that they will be here again this year unless conditions arise to prevent their attendance. This show was one of the most interesting features of the Commercial Contest last year.

The contest will consist of tests in typewriting, shorthand, book-keeping, and business mathematics. At the present time, the number of entrants in the business law examination is too few to warrant holding an examination in this subject. However, it is hoped that the later entrants will include a sufficient number of law contestants to hold a contest in this field as well.

The contest will begin with registration on Friday afternoon, May 4, from 4 P.M. to 6 P.M. and Saturday morning from 8:30 A.M. to 10:30 A.M. The examinations will be given from 11 A.M. to 12 noon. The machine show and book exhibits will be held from 9 A.M. to 2 P.M. Contestants will eat luncheon in the college dining room at 12:45.

The Annual
**BUSINESS EDUCATION
CLUB BANQUET**

will be held at the Moose Club
Bloomsburg, Pa.

APRIL 19, 1951

8:30 p.m.—\$1.75 per person

Dancing to Hank Marini's Band

Turkey Dinner will be served

Charles H. Henrie Announces Plans for Fashion Show

Mr. Charles H. Henrie, director of the annual B.S.T.C. Fashion Show, has announced that preparations for this year's affair is now in full swing.

Tryouts and several practices have already been held. From over thirty girls who tried out, approximately twenty-two models have been selected.

Miss Nancy Swartz will be the fashion co-ordinator, taking Nancy Wesenyak's place; and Lillian Milkvy is assuming the responsibility of store co-ordinator since Miss Betty Ridall has graduated.

At a recent dinner meeting of the Planning Committee, composed of merchants, students, and members of the faculty, the following students were chosen to act as store co-ordinators: Lillian Milkvy, Kathryn Rhinard, Shirley Ashner, Michalene Casula, Marie Grazel, Joanne Cuff, Irene Eckert, Eleanor Bolinsky, Barbara Harman, Laura Philo, and Olive Hunter.

It was decided that a dinner for the participants in the show should be held some time after the event. The dinner is provided each year by the merchants who have merchandise displayed.

For this year's show a country club terrace with colorful beach umbrellas and summer furniture

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B.S.T.C. Student Plans Summer Trip To Central Europe

Miss Ann Gengenbach, a very lucky freshman here at B.S.T.C., is planning to spend her summer vacation touring Central Europe with her family.

The tour begins on June 7, in New York when they will sail on the "Mauritania," one of the Cunard luxury liners and will include tours through Paris, Austria, and Switzerland. Approximately one and a half months will be devoted to extensive travel throughout "Free Germany." By free, Ann means those parts unoccupied by Russia.

An interesting incident is that Ann and her sister, who were both born in Philadelphia, had more red-tape to go through in order to get their visas than their naturalized parents.

Several points of interest which she and her family plan to "take in" are: The Eiffel Tower, Arch de Triumph, the Industrial Arts Exhibition in Berlin, just a short distance from the dreaded boundary into the Russian zone, and the well-known Passion Play held each year at Oberamagau.

The trip, which will end on August 17th, will be curtailed considerably as both girls will return to school in early September.

Bloomsburg Players to Present "Our Town" April 17, in Carver Hall

Former Dean Sutliff Is Recognized in Pa. School Journal

Charles L. Maurer, of the faculty of Temple University High School, in a letter published in the Pennsylvania School Journal, for March 1951, relates a revealing anecdote about Dr. William B. Sutliff, Dean Emeritus of Bloomsburg State Teachers College.

Arguing for more sympathy and appreciation by teachers of students' work, Mr. Maurer tells of this incident as an illustration of the point he makes. "Many years ago," writes Dr. Maurer, "a country boy, attending a Normal School, was struggling at a blackboard with a problem in algebra. He was somewhat bewildered and considerably discouraged. The instructor noticed that the student was having trouble. He stepped to the board and pointed out a simple error. The instructor might have made some sarcastic remark, but, instead, he put his arm around the shoulders of the student and said in almost a whisper, 'It wasn't as hard as you thought it was.'"

"Today, I remember this incident as vividly as though it had happened to me yesterday; the building, the room, even the blackboard beside the door. It has been a cherished memory. Throughout many years, at every opportunity, I have retold the incident hundreds of times in my classes. Judging by the rapt attention of

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May Queen



Lovely Diane Snyder, recently selected May Queen by an overwhelming vote of the student body, strikes a charming pose during intermission at the Junior Prom. Diane took part in the entertainment program provided by B.S.T.C. belles.

Business Education Bulletin To Be Revised This Year

This year's Business Education Bulletin is being completely revised and reduced from twenty pages to sixteen pages. This booklet, which is edited by Mr. R. C. Hallis, with Miss Honora Noyes as Assistant Editor, is sent to all members of the Business Department and to prospective business students. Some of the changes that are being made are omission of the summer school calendar and summer session article, omission of quotation THE BEST FOUR YEARS OF YOUR LIFE, substitution of the air view of Bloomsburg's campus instead of the usual map, and a paragraph on placement of business graduates.

The booklet will contain a summary of expenses and a brief section on entrance requirements. According to the editors, there will be more pictures and less print. Other new features of the publication are omission of the administrative staff, addition of pictures, and inclusion of the revised business education curriculum which goes into effect in September, 1951.

Curtain Time Set For 8:15; College Community Invited

The audience will be part of the cast of the forthcoming presentation of the Bloomsburg Players, "Our Town," to be staged in Carver Auditorium on April 17. Due to the unique qualities of this play, such as the absence of any stage set, the audience will become instrumental in creating the total effect.

Thornton Wilder's original Broadway version of the play received many commendations from the New York press . . . "Warm with gentle humor" . . . "Endlessly entertaining" . . . "Unconventional and intriguing" . . . "The life of any town, of any human, from the cradle to the grave." The last quotation sums up "Our Town" very well; for it is, in fact, the story of small town America and small town people — the kind of people most Americans are; and all Americans know. The little things that make the big thing called "Life" are the subject of this vivid dramatic cross-section of human nature.

The preparation for "Our Town" has involved the efforts of every member of the Dramatic Club. Miss Johnston, Club director and director of the play, has even gone to such detail as organizing an "Emergency Committee." The personnel of the play are as follows:

OUR TOWN—APRIL 17

Stage Manager—Thomas Anthony

The Families:

Emily Webb—Nancy Unger

Wally Webb—Gerald Housenick

Mr. Webb—Bob Jewel

Mrs. Webb—Laura Philo

George Gibbs—Bob Van Drock

Rebecca Gibbs—Joanne Cuff

Dr. Gibbs—George Smith

Mrs. Gibbs—Jeanne Miller

Mrs. Soames, the town gossip —

Jeanne Ruckle

Howie Newsome, the milkman —

George Blyler

Joe Crowell, the newspaper boy —

Paul Keener

Constable Warren—Bob Laubscher

Simon Stimson, choir director —

Frank Dean

Joe Stoddard, undertaker — Ed

Tavalsky

Sam Craig, businessman — Cal

Kanyuck

Professor Willard, of the State

University — David Newbury

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Junior Prom Proves Most Successful Dance of Season

The Junior Prom, with its Oriental decorations, attracted a huge throng of dancers to Centennial Gymnasium on Friday, April 6. Music for the affair was furnished by Al Anderson and his orchestra.

Highlight of the evening was the floorshow held during intermission. Dancing to the singing of B.S.T.C.'s Billy Eckstein . . . George Lambrinos . . . a chorus of beauties presented several musical numbers. The chorus line included Kitty Mitchell, Peggy Dorasavage, Diane Snyder, Laura Philo, Doty Stec, Joan Enama, Marlene Wetzel, Joanne Vanderslice, Nancy Swartz, and Peggy Bourdette. Piano accompanist for the belles was Myra Albertson.

Later in the program, Mary Ann Fink, the freshman nightingale, sang "If." Her accompanist was Marilyn Lundy.

Next to enter the spotlight was B.S.T.C.'s version of the Andrew Sisters—Lola Delbert, Mary Ellen Dean, and Jeanne Ruckle. The trio, accompanied by Myra Albertson, sang "The Way You Look Tonight."

Musical selections played by Tom Jones on the marimba thrilled the audience. His musical rendition was followed by guest musician, Gordon Sminkey, who received the plaudits of everyone with his harmonica playing.

The entire program of entertainment and enjoyment was conducted by Dick Dowell, master of ceremonies for the occasion.

General chairman for the dance was Joyce MacDougall. Clifton

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Speaking of . . . OPERATIONS

by Calvin Kanyuck and
Max Kaplan



Operation Springtime . . .

In the Spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of what the young women have been thinking about all winter long. Strolls along the campus, around the campus, and back-campus will fade into style as the beauty of the season begins to bloom in all its glory. Buds and romances will sprout, butterflies and hearts will flutter, and as the days become all lovely days, the call of the wild will emit from the mouths of the wolves, and the nature boys will want to get back to the simple life.

Speaking of strolling along the campus, here's some of the words to a song about same, written by Ruth Roberts, formerly of Port Chester, New York:

All along the campus green
Lies an old familiar scene—
Couples strolling beneath the
moon
While September turns into
June, too soon.

Every co-ed has a guy,
Melodies come drifting by.
Through the ages love can be
seen
On the campus green.

You may have heard one of Ruth Roberts' songs on the jukebox a few months back. It was introduced by Orrin Tucker, and entitled, "The Moon is Always Bigger on a Saturday Night."

Who was that couple seen last Saturday afternoon in the backwoods of the campus, facing Light Street Road? We have it on good authority from friends living near the hospital area that peeping-tommy via binoculars was quite interesting last summer.

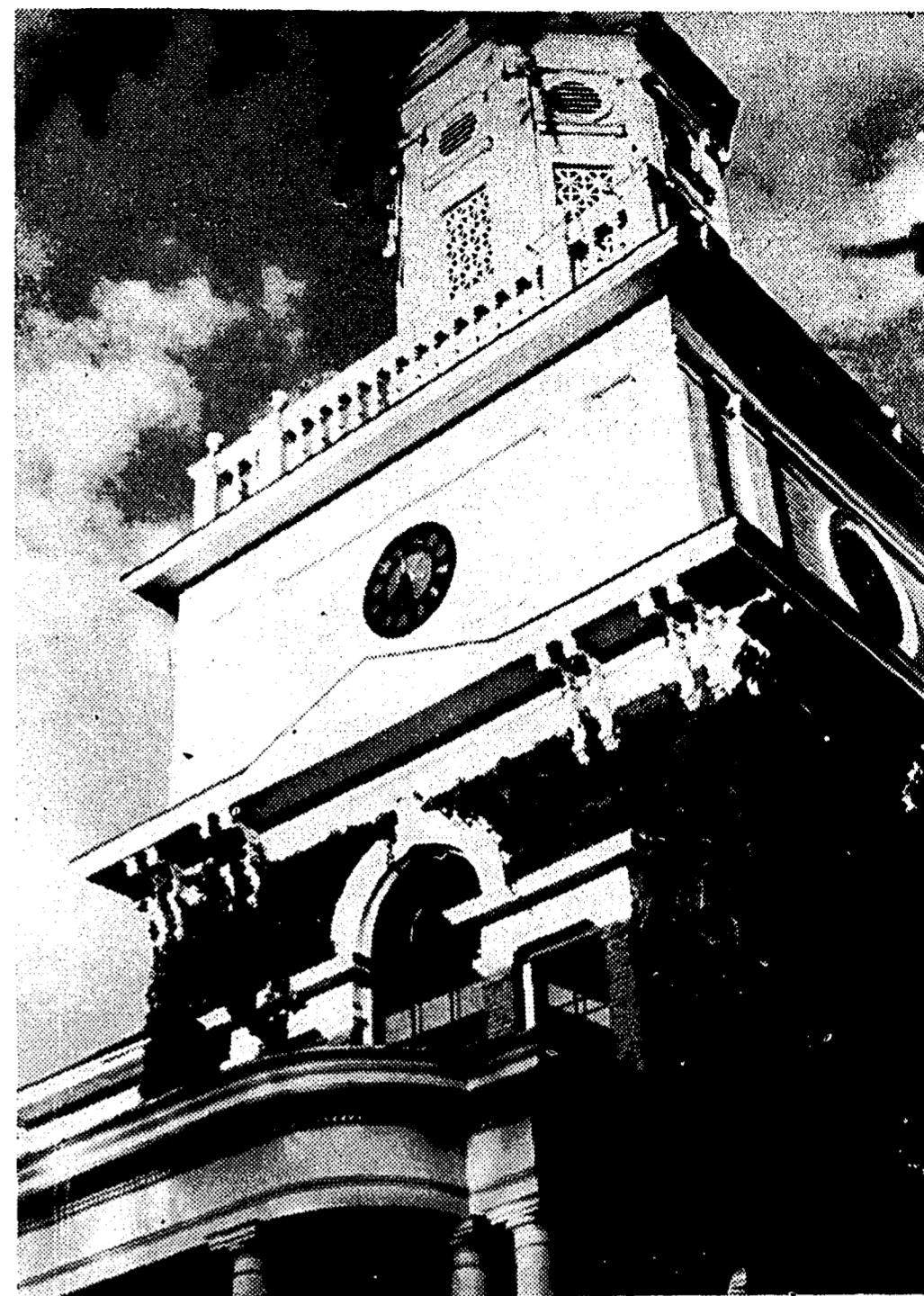
The Scoop . . .

We have another poppa on the campus. Congratulations to Ralph Wire, business student par excellence, who became the proud father of a 6½ pound baby girl on April 6, at 7:50 A.M. Ralph claims that Jo Ann Elizabeth is doing chin-ups already . . .

Alex Kubick had them rolling in the aisles at the Sigma Alpha Eta meeting on April 3. Alex was explaining to the group about the three stages in the development of the child—the oral stage, the anal stage, and the genital stage. One giggle led to another, and when Alex explained, "This is serious," he was confronted by an avalanche of laughter . . .

Norman Kline paid his alma mater a visit a couple of weeks ago. You should have seen him in his new hat; some of his old buddies didn't recognize him. Norman, a veteran of the last war, and a member of the naval reserve, has hopes of not being drafted. While he is hoping, he's doing a little drafting, himself, at the Steel Works in Lewistown . . .

Andy Macelko is teaching in East Orange, New Jersey . . . Michael Bell, who started working for the National Training Service as a sideline to his teaching position in Camden, New Jersey, now



"This Eternal Vigil I Keep . . ."

For many years I've overlooked Carver Hall steps and the peaceful town of Bloomsburg. I have seen many things; some can be told, while others must remain silent within my heart.

I've chuckled countless times while hundreds, yes thousands, of feet have skipped and ran over these hallowed steps. Often these same feet shuffled impatiently while the camera's shutter clicked to record, once again, the smiling faces and me.

I beamed with pride as familiar footfalls echoed for the last time, and eagerly anticipated the arrival of new ones. All the while, my silent hands turned forward reminding late comers that it was ten o'clock, and time to be in, while my throat peeled out the hour to scurrying students.

Perhaps a few of you have hated me at some time during your stay, as my one virtue is that I favor no one and always move FORWARD; too fast for some, much too slow for others.

Usually, I am respected and treated wonderfully, but at Christmas time especially, my face beams . . . partly because of pride and partly because of the twinkling green and red lights surrounding me and my home, here in the tower.

My view of the town is perfect; I look straight down Main Street. The view changes as the seasons pass. Sometimes the trees stand before me laden with snow and ice while the street light directly across the way glitters and sparkles like tiny crystals. Other times, everything is green and sunny just the way it is now. I've gone through many seasons living only for one thing. This life-long ambition is to see the hopes and dreams of all my friends blossom into reality.

owns that corporation. He is still teaching on the side.

Health Hints . . .

Don't sleep on your left side, for it causes too great pressure on the heart.

Don't sleep on your right side, for it interferes with the respiration of that lung.

Don't sleep on your stomach, for that interferes with the respiration of both lungs and makes breathing difficult.

Don't sleep on your back, for this method of getting rest is bad for the nervous system.

Don't sleep sitting in a chair, for your body falls into an unnatural position, and you cannot get the necessary relaxation.

Don't sleep standing up, for you may topple over and crack your skull.

Don't sleep.
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Junior Class Holds Meeting to Select New Class Officers

The Junior Class held a short meeting after assembly on Tuesday, April 10 to nominate officers for the college year 1951-52. The following people were nominated for offices:

President

John Burns
Adam Ben
Thomas Anthony

Vice-President

Maynard Harring
Barbara Sherman
Thomas McLaughlin

Secretary

Barbara Harmon
Jeanne Ruckle
Dorothy Stec
Lola Deibert
Laura Philo

Treasurer

Francis Sheehan
Dick Powell
Don Caesar

Woman Representative

Priscilla Abbott
Joyce MacDougall
Joan Enama
Peggy Bourdette

Man Representative

James Whibley
Bob Burns
Dale Bennett

Faculty Advisor

Mr. Gehrig
Mr. Fenstermaker
Mr. Reams

Everyone's coming to
"OUR TOWN"
on Tuesday, April 17

Better Lounge Week

The College Council has finally decided that the college lounge problem can no longer be evaded. It is time to come to grips with the matter.

Because of this important decision, members of Council recently selected a committee, advised by Dr. Kehr, Mr. Hoch and Mr. Redman, of the faculty, and Herbert Kerchner, of the student body, to conduct a vigorous campaign for "Better Lounge Week."

"Better Lounge Week" will begin this coming Monday. It will be highlighted by several outstanding events. Among these will be a poster contest, a guessing contest, and an all college dance.

The poster contest is open to all members of the college community. The artist drawing the best poster illustrating the purposes and theme of "Better Lounge Week" will be awarded a prize. Judges for the contest will be Mrs. Olive Beeman and Mr. Charles H. Henrie.

Everyone is invited to enter the guessing contest which will involve guessing the price in dollars and cents of a new piece of furniture to be displayed in the lounge. The girl and boy coming closest to the correct answer will each be awarded a prize. Mr. Hoch and Mr. Redman have contributed the awards for the contest winners.

Two other features of the event will be a dramatic skit in assembly and an all college dance to be held Wednesday night in the Old Gym.

Weekends at B.S.T.C. Could Be Better

The social activities at the Bloomsburg State Teachers College vary in number and kinds. In order to make college a place to live and learn, more weekend activities of a constructive nature would add to the zest of campus living.

Bloomsburg ranks low in the number of week-end affairs in comparison to colleges of similar size and nature. With the addition of more social activities, in the lounge or other parts of the campus, many late permissions, which often lead to cock tail parties in some local hangout, would be prevented. Then, too, perhaps we could encourage the week-end travelers to spend two wonderful, exciting days with their friends, who have become only work companions.

Some of the students feel that the large number of week activities is adequate and is the proper approach to social life. In several instances, more social life could make the "C" student plunge to disaster. The ambitious individual however could find time for both.

Let's do something about weekends at B.S.T.C. More activities in the lounge would be directed toward this end. We could stand more dances, enjoyable movies, amateur shows with student participation, or perhaps a roller skating party. Wouldn't you enjoy such activities? Remember your C.G.A. can help. It would be nice to make the "College on the Hill" week-ends more pleasant for old and new students.

A New Solution

The recent decision of the college council to take concrete action in solving the lounge problem is indeed commendable. High-lighting the council's efforts in this matter will be the presentation of "Better Lounge Week."

This project for the amelioration of conditions in the college lounge has two aspects. First of all, it is an attempt to make the members of the community aware of the significance of the problem. It is an attempt to make students realize that, in the end, it is they who must pay for damage done in the lounge. In this sense, the project is educational.

Besides being educational, this project is being conducted in an effort to establish rules and regulations for the use of the lounge. Such an action will eliminate the toleration of the "nobody told me" offenders and will replace the present arbitrary rule of the lounge with a concrete set of controls.

DEAR FELLOW STUDENTS,

You are cordially invited to attend the Dramatic Club presentation of Thornton Wilder's great play, "Our Town." Having worked hard in the production of this play, the Bloomsburg Players now wish to share the results of their toil with the College Community.

Admission is free to all members of the College Community; their wives and husbands. However, we call your attention to the federal and town taxes which amount to 20 cents per ticket. For your own convenience and as a favor to us, please try to bring the exact change with you if possible.

Very sincerely yours,
A BLOOMSBURG PLAYER

How Much Do You Know About Geography?

By Keith A. Smith

The quiz this week is designed to test your knowledge of geographical names and places. Here are the questions.

1. What is the name of the highest mountain in the world?
 2. What is the name of the highest mountain in the continental United States?
 3. What is the largest continent of the world?
 4. What is the largest of the Hawaiian Islands?
 5. What is the world's largest river?
 6. What was the original name of Nova Scotia?
 7. What is the largest island in the world?
 8. What is the name of the strait between Asia and Alaska?
 9. Name the five Great Lakes in North America?
 10. On what continent is the Sahara Desert found?
- (Answers will be found on page 4)

Track Team Travels To Scranton for First Meet Apr. 18

The B.S.T.C. Husky track combination opens shop on Wednesday, April 18, when the Shellymen travel to Scranton to tangle with the outfit from Scranton University. Scranton University was the only college over which the Huskies gained a victory last year in their six meet-schedule. Bloomsburg's winning margin was only 5 1/2 points; the contest ending with Bloom getting 68 1/2 markers to 62 1/2 for Scranton.

Little is known about this year's Scranton track aggregation; but from the Husky side of the picture we can, by looking at past performances of returning lettermen and at those performances expected of new men on the team, judge what to expect in this year's meet. Without taking into account any secret weapon, the Scrantonians, who may have acquired a quick review of most of the coming events might give us something like this.

High Hurdles — In last year's meeting Frank Womer and Hal Lundy grabbed first and second places respectively for the Huskies. Although Lundy has left via the graduation route, we can still expect plenty from Womer.

100 Yard Dash — Coach Shelly may find a winner in this event in a trio of sprinters that includes Tom Goodwin, Skip Berry, and Bill Radzwich.

440 Run — Opposing the Scranton outfit here will be possibly Bill Gilbert and Johnny Schwartz.

220 Run — Here the Shellymen will probably have to depend on speedy little Tommy Goodwin who won last year against Scranton with a time of 26 seconds. Look for him to repeat.

880 Run — Joe Fiefer, Husky middle distancer breezed in with a first place against Scranton in this event last year and it can be hoped he will again this outing. His last year's time 2:14.

Broad Jump — Womer brought home the bacon in this event for the Huskies last year and it's hoped he can repeat in this one. He can expect some aid from newcomer, Radzwich.

Javelin—Scranton won this last year with a rather mediocre 159 foot heave. Tommy Spack, another new trackman, can better this if he continues tossing as he has.

High Jump—Here again Scranton came out first as Pearson leaped 5 feet 8 inches. Sophomore John Scrimageour is the main Husky hope in the event in this year's meeting.

Pole vault — It was strictly no go last year for the Scrantonians in this event as they didn't enter a man in this event. State co-recordholder, Frank Womer, should probably take this one easily.

Shot Put — Scranton grabbed first and second place in this one last year and won with a very poor 37 foot toss. Let's hope that bunch of husky Huskies working in this event do much better than that to win this year.

Discus — Al Eremich took first position for Bloom in this one vs. Scranton and we believe we can count on him for another good throw this time out.

Millie Run — Joe Feifer came in with this first place for Bloomsburg last year and Chuck Brennan brought third place honors over to the Husky side of the scoring ledger. Both boys are back running in the event again this year.

Everything considered, Coach Shelly and his team have a fine chance to take the measure of the Scrantonians again and make it four in a row as the Huskies triumphed over S.U. in 1949 by a count of 80 to 46 and in 1948 by a 78 to 48 score.

Saturday, April 14, the trackmen will play host to Williamsport High School for a practice meet with that group that will be more in the form of a time trial outing for the locals than a regular meet. The schoolboys will throw the 12 pound shot while the Huskies use the 16 pounder and they will use the standard scholastic discus while the Huskies toss the collegiate discus. In all probability, the showing made here by the various Husky thinclads will decide in some measure who will start each event against Scranton.

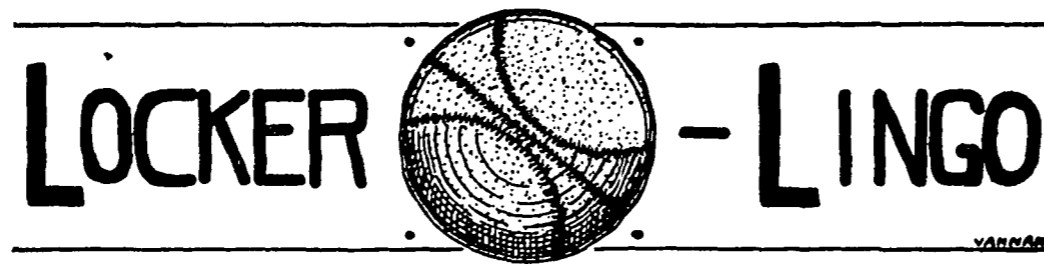
With the coming of better weather the team will have a chance to get in more practice and better shape and should better last year's rather sad record.

The Penn State Fraternity dances over the weekend attracted several B. S. T. C. co-eds including Madge Felker, Doris Paternoster, Irene Cichowicz, and Katherine Teter.

Warming Up . . .



Roy Sanders and Mike Evans toss a few warm up pitches as the Husky nine prepares to open the 1951 baseball season against Wilkes College on Saturday, April 14.



by Harry Brooks

The 1951 addition of the Maroon and Gold baseball season opens tomorrow afternoon in Wilkes-Barre when the Redman Huskies journey to the Hub to meet the Colonels of Wilkes College. Last year, the Huskies had little trouble with the rivals from up the river, beating them both on the foreign field and on Mount Olympus. Starting tomorrow's game will probably be the reliable lefty, Buck Byham. Buck was the backbone of last year's fine mound corp, who lost but a few games, and had run their streak to 18 consecutive victories over the 1949 and 1950 seasons. Redman is the first to admit that this year's pitching staff isn't as strong as it has been in the past two years, but we can all hope for the best, and possibly get it if the new additions to the team perform as well as the veterans of the past have done.

Shelly's trackmen start their improved schedule in the middle of the week. The B.S.T.C. thinclads will travel to Scranton to meet that city's university. Shelly has more material with which to work this year, so an improvement in the record books is in the offing despite the very difficult schedule which faces the team. In addition to the early schedule released, Bucknell University will battle the Husky thinclads on the Bison track on May 14th. This, by the way, is the first time in the history of the schools, who are only some 30 miles away, that the varsities of the two institutions have met in a regularly scheduled athletic contest. In practice tilts, the Bloomsburg football varsity have swamped the Bisons. In turn, the Bucknell Frosh have consistently romped over the Maroon and Gold Freshmen on the basketball courts during the past few seasons.

Major league activity begins next week, both in the National and American circuits. The press writers are generally sticking with the annual favorites, the Brooklyn Dodgers and New York Yankees. What do you think?

Newly-formed Spring intramurals under the direction of Dr. Wagner will soon begin, with softball, tennis, and possibly a few other sports embracing the card. One thing can be said about this; if the intramural Spring sports are handled in as fine a manner as the recent basketball intramural leagues were, this will be the most successful program in the college's history. Congratulations to "Doc" Wagner and his assistants. They are really doing a swell job.

Absentee Voting

In the very near future there will be circulated upon this campus a petition urging the State General Assembly to amend the constitution allowing absentee voting. This petition is one of many that will be circulated on various campuses in this State by members of the National Students Association Committee.

The arguments advanced in favor of absentee voting are as follows:

1. 43 states now have absentee voting in one form or another. Pennsylvania has none.
2. Most students are denied the opportunity to vote since they can afford neither the time away from their studies nor the expense involved in traveling home to vote.
3. Students attending college are denied residence in their college town, according to past court rulings.
4. One's right to vote should not be jeopardized because of:
 - (a) his attending school or working away from home,
 - (b) being bed-ridden because of serious illness, or
 - (c) fighting for his country in a time of emergency.
5. Absentee voting, by expanding the franchise, can be an undisputable answer to Communist charges that only the privileged in America have a voice in Government.

If the petition should prove successful, it would be a major victory for the student movement, in that it would set up machinery which would make it possible for students of voting age to cast their ballots without having to make trips home.

There is no good reason why students, or anyone temporarily living away from home, should be forced into the inconvenience of a trip home in order to vote in an election. A system of absentee voting would be far better than a student holiday on election day, or the present practice of excused absences for students going home to vote.

Every student of this institution should be ready and willing to sign the NSA petition and to give it his support until the issue is fought through to its conclusion. (SY)

Husky Baseball Team Goes to Wilkes Tomorrow for Season's Opener

Dean John Hoch Announces Final Tourney Results

The high school invitation basketball tournament concluded on March 17. Shamokin received the Class A honors; Mifflinburg gained the Class B trophy; and West Wyoming was awarded the Class C trophy.

In the finals the results were:
 Shamokin—51
 Newport Township—44
 Mifflinburg—62
 West Mahanoy Twp.—54
 West Wyoming—67
 St. Joseph's—54

The outstanding player of the tournament was Jake Hanzelek of Shickshinny. He received a trophy for this honor. The All Star Team was composed of:

- Jake Hanzelek — Shickshinny
- Dan Grohoski — Newport Twp.
- David Herman — Mifflinburg
- Jack Paucke — St. Joseph's
- Duane Robbins — West Wyoming
- William Thomas — Mifflinburg
- Ronnie Bush — Butler Twp.
- H. Kerstetter — Shamokin
- Richard Sherry — Sch. Haven
- William Jones — Tremont
- Jack Riley — Fairview Twp.

Dean John Hoch, who was in charge of the tournament, announced that the gross receipts were \$1700. The paid attendance was 3850, of which 785 paying customers were in attendance at the finals.

The income of the tournament was absorbed in paying the expenses arising from purchasing trophies, paying teams traveling allowances, and providing others comforts for visiting team members.

Jack Williams, student manager of the tournament, received the help of 50 college students and faculty in performing the necessary tasks of producing the tournament. These people all worked together and did an excellent job. At least 20 members stayed at B.S.T.C. for the first two days of their vacation in order to help with the final games.

Mitchell First in Women's Intramural Basketball Tourney

The close of the Women's Intramural Basketball Tournament on Thursday night, April 5, found the undefeated team of Kitty Mitchell in the first-place spotlight, followed by Janet Price, with one defeat and six wins, and Jean Meier and Eleanor Young tied for third place with three defeats against four wins.

Mitchell's team is, beyond a doubt, one of the best in the history of women's intramural basketball competition at B. S. T. C. The beautiful dribbling of Winnie Sharkey, plus the neat shooting of Kitty Mitchell and the deadly set-up shots of Nancy Heebner combine with the exceptional talent of the team's guards, Lillian Milkvy, Wilma Jones, and Shirley Ashner to make the team really stand out.

Price's team, in second place, also has a nice, although less spectacular array of basketball skill. Forwards on this fast-moving team are Shirley Walters, Sarae Ulrich, Janet Price, and Nancy Tovey. Most valuable of the team's players are Janet Price, hard-playing, sharp-shooting forward, and Ann Gengenbach, whose tight, close guarding and all-around playing have done much to keep down their opponents scores. A zone defense, rare to our games, is used by this team's guards, Priscilla Abbott, Marilyn Evans, Ann Gengenbach, and Mickey Macgill. The prize package on Meier's

Lock Haven Scheduled to Play Here Wednesday for First Home Game of Season

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 P.M. the cry "Play Ball" will open another season of baseball for the B.S.T.C. Huskies. They face the Wilkes College Colonels on the Edwardsville diamond, which is located just this side of Wilkes-Barre.

This first game will mark the beginning of Coach Bob Redman's fourth year in charge of the diamond. Although not hired as a baseball coach, Mr. Redman has established an enviable record which now stands at 26 wins against 9 losses. His first year was the toughest he has experienced; his club, hampered by bad weather and lack of pitching ability, won only 4 out of 10 contests. Veterans of the 1948 club, bolstered by experience and some new faces, pulled off the first unbeaten Husky baseball season since 1935, when the famous Danny Litwhiler led the Huskies to an unblemished record. The 1949 Huskies recorded 13 wins in a row. Last season, the Huskies went on to win six more games before the streak was broken; after 19 wins, Shippensburg came from behind to win in the last inning. The Maroon and Gold went on to establish a record for the season of 9 wins and 3 losses.

The coming season should prove to be an interesting one to watch; the Huskies face aroused foes of previous seasons, who have been victims of the locals, and also new and formidable foes such as Temple and St. Francis. Coach Redman stated last week that the veterans would open the season at their last year's positions. This will show the keystone duo of short-stop Jimmy Thompson and second baseman Dick Hummel, along with Don Butler in center field. The rest of the lineup is still in the hands of the candidates. Danny Boychuck and Dick Ledyard are battling for first base; keen competition marks the fight for the five outfield positions as "Mouse" Babb, Joe Glosick, "Verb" Verhousky, and Joe Barkley vie for the jobs. Dave Linkhorst has eliminated all competitors and will open the season at third. As for the battery, it is still a toss-up. The catcher could be either George Lambrinos or hard-working Stan LeVan, and the hurler will be the choice of Coach Redman at game time. Mike Evans, Don Kearns, Danny Fitzpatrick and Bill Byham are the four possible choices for the first start of the campaign.

The Huskies will open their home season with the always-tough Lock Haven team on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The hope of avenging a loss to that club last year will make that game a real heart-pounder.

team is Martha Bronson, one of the fastest, best forwards in our intramural competition. The other forwards, Pat Kistler and Jeanie Meier, plus the guards, Winnie Mericle, Joanne Vanderslice, and Nan Wynnings, make up the team that surprise many fans by tying third place.

Young's team dropped its record of two years of intramural competition without a defeat by losing to Price, Mitchell, and Meier. The team seems to play a much slower game than it did, and has lost some of the fighting spirit which kept it at the top of the ladder. Laura Philo's height and accuracy make her almost impossible to stop, and she is well supported by Peg Bourdette and Ruth Glidden. The guards, Eleanor Young, Barbara Harmon, Joan Eham, and Pat Penney also play a good game, but this year's competition proved too much, and the champions fell.

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School Spirit—Where Is It?

Not many weeks ago our boys of Bloomsburg State Teachers College were out on the football field playing their hearts out for their school. Not many days ago they were running their heads off on the basketball court. Now they are at it again—this time on the track field—and presently on the baseball field.

Has it ever occurred to you what a discouraging blow it is to be greeted, as a cheerleader, by nine or ten voices out of seven hundred? Think of it—nine or ten voices willing to exert a little effort to support their school!

No one will challenge your statement when you say that you are tired after a hard day of classes. Are you, however, so worn out that you can't even open your mouth? Those boys out on the court are worn out, too; they had classes just as you did, but they are never too tired to let their alma mater down.

Think about what I have said, and try to cooperate with YOUR cheerleaders a little—it involves your school's reputation in the field of sports. (DD)

.. SERVICE MEN'S CORNER ..

Hi Gang,

Thanks for sending me the B.S.T.C. paper. They were both a surprise and a delight which I did not expect . . . I am working in a battalion dispensary as medical N.C.O. in charge. I am in Pusan, Korea at the big ordnance depot . . . Since I left B.S.T.C. I have been in Camp Campbell, Ky.; Camp Stoneham, Cal.; Camp Drake, Japan; and now I'm here in Korea . . . I would like some pictures of the campus. I would like to show my pals how beautiful our little college really is. I showed them the picture you had in the Feb. 16 edition and they thought that B.S.T.C. was a very beautiful place . . . In closing, I would like to express my most sincere thanks for sending me the M. & G. I am sending my best wishes to all my friends at B.S.T.C. and may God bless you all.

Sgt. Joe Gavis
Medical Detachment
Hq. and Hq. Detachment
192 Ord. Battalion, APO 59
c/o PM, San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Miss Ruckle,

Although I was at B.S.T.C. for only a short period, and considering the fact that I knew only a few people there, I think that you are very thoughtful for sending me the M. & G. At the present time I am a laboratory technician in the Medical Corps at Fort Story. To my knowledge I am the only laboratory technician on the post . . . Mainly my duty calls for work to be performed in chemistry, hermatology, urinalysis, serology, and parasitology . . . My knowledge of parasitology has been overworked lately for there is a prevalence of worms in the enlisted reserve people coming in from Florida . . . For those interested in my work, I will be very glad to drop them a line explaining my various laboratory experiences . . . This work is very interesting if you have your heart and soul in the work . . .

Cpl. Joseph Froncek
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U. S. Dispensary
Fort Story, Va.

Speaking of Operations

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Shaw-more . . .

Blanche Patch, George Bernard Shaw's secretary for 30 years, says that the great man could never in his whole life change a typewriter ribbon. This should make all you business students who experience similar difficulty feel somewhat better now, Miss Patch also reports that the great G. B. massaged his head daily with the yolks of fresh eggs. Could this have been the secret to his success in hatching so many new plots?

Watch your English! . . .

A teacher of English was taught a lesson by a Camden policeman recently. Confused by the new traffic lines, she asked: "Can I turn around here?" With gentle sarcasm, the officer of the law answered: "You may if you can." She did.

It may be so . . .

According to a news item, the British are going to reenact the historical ride of Lady Godiva. In selecting a young woman to act the part, a British board says: "The top requirements were a good education, cultural background, and ability to ride a horse." Ya wanna bet?

Fiction or fact? . . .

The cops grabbed a chap in Utah for hunting cockroaches in his home with a rifle. He's one fellow who is determined not to take any chances . . . Syria seeks to appropriate \$250,000 to repel an air invasion. However, the air armada it fears is composed of locusts not airplanes . . . Man eating tigers are usually old and no longer able to catch and kill forest game. When once they find how easy it is to kill men, they never stop . . . The sun, according to astronomers, burns up four million tons of matter per second. Apparently Old Sol hasn't heard of fuel conservation . . .

Operation lounge . . .

According to reports circulating hereabout, next week shall be known at B.S.T.C. as "Better Lounge Week." The idea of this special period is to foster in each student the desire to improve the general condition of the favorite loafing place. This seems like a worthwhile venture in which all should be willing to cooperate. Personally, we will be interested to see what develops.

Here we go again . . .

Once again the Old Gym is being blessed with melodic strains from the 'top bands of the land.' The college students have proved themselves more than a match for several juke-boxes this year. The current contender seems destined to stick it out to the end of the semester. This may be accomplished in spite of the tinkering of the many would-be electronic technicians. The only thing that puzzles us is the way in which the present sound system blasts away when the gym is practically empty and then fades to a mere whisper when students begin to congregate in the area. One science major offered this as an explanation for the condition: "The more people in the room, the more clothing present which absorbs the vibrations emitted by the amplifier, thereby producing a small volume." Maybe we should all wear bathing suits when going to the lounge?

Francis Galinsky

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tary; Warren Raker, treasurer; and Peggy Bourdette, historian.

The program for the meeting was in charge of a freshman committee. The committee showed the group the latest film on "Living and Learning at Bloomsburg."

Club members drew up further plans for the annual banquet; this year's banquet will be held on April 19 in the Bloomsburg Moose Home.

Junior Prom Proves Successful Dance

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Clarridge headed the orchestra committee. The refreshment committee was composed of Marie Yozviak, Richard Laux, Nancy Williams, Gloria Mazzetti, and Constance Stanko. Decorating committee members were Marilyn Evans, Lois Newman, Barbara Hessert, Jeanne Krzywicki, Geraldine Funk, Janice Rider, Mary Anna Wright, Delores Wachowski, George Smith, Russell Looker, Thomas Jones, Milton Hughes, William Ginter, Atwood Badman, Peggy Dorasavage, William Gilbert, and John Stonik. Juniors who comprised the ticket committee are Jeanne Ruckle, Joanne Vanderslice, and Jean Meier. The publicity committee was made up of Thomas Anthony, Philip Search, and Lola Deibert. The finance committee was headed by Walter Troutman.

Bloomsburg Players Present "Our Town"

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Electricians — Dave North, John Haddon
Stage Crew — Philip Weinstein, Alex Kubic, Gerald Housenick, Lee Benner
Sound Effects — Russ Davis
Props — Priscilla Abbott, Pat Boyle, Dick Ewing
Book Holders — Nancy Powell, Peggy Dorasavage, Paul Keener
Publicity — Dave Newbury, Dick Kressler, Marie Mattis, Al Chiscon

There will be no admission fee to members of the College Community, their wives and husbands. However, the tax fee per ticket will be twenty cents. Presenting a play each year at no expense to the students is one of the many services of the College Dramatic group.

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What Do You Think?

by Robert Price

Although money is the root of all evil, most of us would like to have more of that kind of trouble. The question for this week is, "What would you do with a million dollars?"

Lee Benner: "I'd build a house on top a hill — then surround it with a wall. With a harem would it I fill — brother, that's all."

Al Hitchings: "I would buy myself out of the reserves and save what was left, if any."

Ron Bushick: "Travel and live a life of Riley, everything the best, and probably invest some to make more."

Mary Grace Almers: "Establish a fund to give young people a chance to have an education no matter what their race or religion."

John Bogdan: "Buy a baseball team and outstanding stars so that a pennant would be eminent. Also complete my record — long-hair, that is — collection."

Eloise Symons: "I'd really live. The sky would be the limit!"

A. Swaboski: "Continue attending B.S.T.C. to find all the ways and means of spending the million."

Donald Richardson: "If I had a million dollars, I would continue my education to the nth degree, donate to charities, and buy a good baseball team."

Charles H. Henrie

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will supply the setting. The stage committee is composed of Lewis Ballentine, John Rodeback, and Frank Perry.

The show will provide the latest styles in evening gowns, suits, date dresses, street dresses, tailored dresses, sportswear, cotton sun-baths, bathing suits, and tennis and golfing attire.

Models for the Fashion Show will be Mary Lou Todd, Mildred Mervine, Carmen Darby, Margaret Shultz, Barbara Sherman, Olive Mouery, Dolores Doyle, Olive Fedrigan, Joanne Vanderslice, Helyn Burlingame, Shirley Eveland, Jane Seeley, Regina Herchel, Joan Enama, Phyllis McLaren, Laura Philo, Barbara Gulick, Mildred Pliscott, Ann Conwell, Derlene Keller, Dorothy Cedor, Kathleen Mitchell, Shirley Andrews, Marlene Wetzel, Joanne Heisley, Joyce MacDougall, Annabelle Brobst, Myrtele Megargel, Nancy Unger, Elizabeth Patton, Patricia Boyle, Lois Dzuris, and Judith Fry.

Former Dean Sutliff

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the students, I am convinced that students yearn for words of appreciation."

Mr. Maurer, in his article, reveals his consideration of Dr. Sutliff as being close to the ideal teacher. He indicates that he has attempted to pattern his life after that of the former B.S.T.C. dean.

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CLUB NEWS . . .

The Business Education Club held a meeting on Thursday, April 5, to elect new officers for next year. Plans were also completed for the club banquet to be held on April 19, at which a large turnout is expected. A film entitled "College Life at Bloomsburg" was shown. The following are the newly-elected officers for next year: President — Francis Galinsky; Vice-pres. — Richard Knause; Secretary — Midge Wrznewski; Treasurer — Warren Raker; Historian — Peg Bourdette.

An article by Mrs. Janet Worthington Engelhardt, who teaches English in the Muncy-Muncy Creek High School, appears in the March issue of the Pennsylvania School Journal. The article, titled "Why Not Decorate Your English Room?", contains many useful ideas on pupil participation in classroom projects which Mrs. Engelhardt has worked out in her English classes. Mrs. Engelhardt is the wife of Dr. Ernest Engelhardt, Director of Secondary Education at B.S.T.C.

The Men's Glee Club and Women's Chorus are practicing together for the joint concert which they will give on April 27. Both organizations are discussing the possibility of a merger of the two groups next year.

The B club held a meeting on Wednesday, April 4. Plans were discussed for the annual trip to Eagles Mere, which will be made on the weekend of May 12. Janet Price gave a summary of the activities in which the group participated on the trip last year. The trip, which the club will help to finance, is open to all members of the B club and to freshman and sophomores who have earned 800 or more points in athletics.

Answers To Quiz

Here are the answers to the quiz on page 2.

1. Mount Everest
2. Mount Whitney
3. Asia
4. Hawaii
5. The Amazon
6. Acadia
7. Australia
8. Bering Strait
9. Superior, Michigan, Huron, Erie, Ontario
10. Africa

HOW DID YOU DO
9-10 — You're in the know
7-8 — You're doing all right
5-6 — Could be better
Less than five — Better luck next time.

There is a correction to be made on the quiz concerning our Presidents. It was Andrew Johnson not Andrew Jackson who was tried for impeachment.

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Wesley Fellowship Holds Meeting

The Wesley Fellowship held its meeting on April 9, at 7:30 P.M. President Dick Powell presided.

The speaker of the evening was Mr. John MacDonald, Lt. Colonel, U.S.A.F.R., who spoke about the atom bomb. During the last war, Mr. MacDonald was on the official investigating party that went into Hiroshima after the A-bomb blast. He gave an eye-witness account of the destruction there.

The meeting was concluded with the serving of refreshments by the women of the church.

Members present were: Dick Powell, Harriet Williams, Charles Andrews, Edgar Nunn, Russell Hons, Evelyn Livsey, Alice Jacques, Carl Grimes, Janice Johnson, Arlene Moyer, Leota Williamson, Marilyn Evans, Lola Deibert, Mary Jane Dorsey, James Babcock, Raymond Grimes, Merlyn Jones, Harold Hartley, Charles H. Henrie, John MacDonald, Dr. Elvin Clay Myers.

Mitchell First

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The other four teams accepted their status with characteristic good sportsmanship. Of the many good players on these teams, the most noteworthy is Rose Korba, peppy freshman, who plays a terrific game of basketball.

Team standings at the end of the tournament:

	Won	Lost
Mitchell	7	0
Price	6	1
Meier	4	3
Young	4	3
Felker	3	4
Thompson	1	6
Baer	1	4
Stec	0	5

The fourth floor of the Women's Dormitory was well represented with a second group of co-eds going to New York City for a weekend. Those women who visited New York City were Suzy Reeser, Leah Wertman, Helen Hartline, Fay Roberts, Olive Hunter, and Patricia Kringle.

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