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# Three One-Act Plays By Students

The Bloomsburg Players will present Two six foot youngsters are expected There is plenty of comedy and a little the leading favorites in the tourney. seriousness in these plays. The plays Club, and they form a very entertaining and enjoyable evening's program.

Casts of the plays are as follows: Wedding Presents:

Judge Morrow—Elfed Jones Mrs. Morrow-Elizabeth Roberts Mary Morrow-Margaret Besecker Cousin Octavia—Marjorie Hofmeister Raymond Oliver—Hugh Van Aernam Miss Mercy:

Miss Mercy—Dorothy Richards The Captain—Theodore Davis Hannah-Mary Kershaw John—Charles Wadas Benjamin-James Davis

Speaking to Father: Septimus Pickering-Maynard Pennington

Mrs. Pickering-Mary Phillips Caroline Pickering-Elizabeth Colley. Professor Bliss-Haven Fortner Edward Worthington-Francis Garrity

Here is a chance for everybody to help along the Lobby Fund and to have a good time while doing it.

Student General Admission: cents; all others, 50 cents.

## TRESHMEN IN CROSS-

## COUNTRY RACE

the Freshmen will be seen next Tuesday at 11:00 A. M. attempting to over come their ancient rivals, the c. This time it will be in a 30033-country race with the Freshmen having the avantage. They are depending on the well-known Allan Parr, noted long distance runner, to bring home the bacon. The Freshmen were beaten in the annual football game with the seniors by a score of 13-0. Now is their chance to come back and they should make good.

The course will be from the College he Country Club, down the B. and cilroad, up through the town to the school, a distance of about four miles. This race is a standard requirement in order to pass the Physical Education Course.

From all rumors, this is going to be team win. Low score will prevail.

# Three Fast Five In Teachers Lose The Women's Tournament

their second annual play tournament to furnish some outstanding basketball on Thursday evening, March 22nd, at at the Bloomsburg State Teachers Col-8:15. The plays are "Wedding Pres- lege seventh annual tournament when ents" by John Rogers; "Miss Mercy," they appear here this Friday as mema Harvard Workshop Play; and bers of the quintet of G. A. R. Mem-'Speaking to Father" by George Ade. orial High School, Wilkes-Barre, one of

Captain Albert Dobushinsky, forpromise to be of the usual high type ward, who is six feet, one-half inch in that we expect from the Dramatic height and weighs 175 pounds, while Adam Miller, center of the team, towers at six feet four inches, and tips the beam at 195.

> Both of these boys were picked on the all-scholastic team of Wyoming Valley by the Wilkes-Barre Evening News which described Dobushinsky as "the cleverest, most aggressive, and best slip-by forward ever developed in that section." The G. A. R. Captain scored 205 points in 14 league games.

J. S. McCracken, former Berwick High coach and well known in this section, is coaching the G. A. R. five and other members of his varsity squad are Levy, forward, Blaum and Meredith, guards and Jones, Katz, Moffitt and Harley substitutes.

The team finished second in the Central League which is class A in Wyoming Valley and holds a decisive victory over Newport, champions of Luzerne County and winners of the Central League title. The team twice defeated Nanticoke and split even with Plymouth, while Berwick was easily defeated 46 to 21 in a game played at Berwick.

The team closed its regular season with ten straight victories and defeated Plymouth, Nanticoke, Newport, Wilkes-Barre Coughlin High Schools all away from home during the winter, thus establishing a new record.

## Nanticoke Has Good Team

Confident of retaining the championship they won last year Nanticoke High School will be here Friday to take part in the seventh annual basketball tournament of the Bloomsburg State Teachers College.

The illness of two varsity men during some of the most important games took from Nanticoke the opportunity of bidding for the championship of the Central Ieague. These men are now in shape and Nanticoke will be at its best on the court when the games open.

A. R. and holds two victories over Plymouth. Plymouth and G. A. R. split even in their games. There promises just in front 19 to 18 at half time. to be some flashy basketball when these teams get together here.

a race that will stand on a par with Leary, veteran basketball player and size of the local court and that hanall cross-country races. May the best coach, who has had consistent success dicapped the boys to some extent.

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Journeyed to Shippensburg, Friday, March 9; the locals lost a hard fought game in closing minutes of play.

· Kirker started the scoring and the game see-sawed throughout until the closing minutes of the first half. Just before the first half ended, one of their men dribbled the ball down the floor, and after taking a few extra steps he shot and made it count; then given two free shots from the foul mark, which accounted for the five point margin as the first half ended.

The boys got back strong the second half and tied the score but Shippensburg managed to keep a one point lead until their rally in the closing minutes of the third quarter. Here they scored a few goals and made the lead increase to nine points. Wadas, who was not feeling well and could not start the game, was sent in to replace Yocabonis at forward. Though "Yoc" played his hard fighting game, he couldn't get his eye on the basket to score. The boys got back their fighting pep this last quarter and began a scoring rally. With a few minutes to play the score stood at 43-44 in their favor. Captain McGrath, though arguing throughout the game over the decisions called by the referee was at last called on for a technical foul and their captain made it count, giving them a two point lead. McGrath was fouled and made it count, while Van Buskirk missed his chance on the foul mark to tie the score.

Our boys made several atempts the last few seconds to tie the score but the referee called our boys running with the ball and the ball taken out of bounds. Just as Garrity was to take a shot from the center of the floor, the whistle was heard and that ended one of the exciting games to be played on that court.

Kirker led the team in scoring and "Red" Garrity played his usual hard game guarding the opponents by his clever dribbling and pivoting.

## Millersville Game

Unable to continue the excellent work which they displayed in the first quarter the Teachers closed their 1928 season at Millersville Saturday afternoon by losing to the teachers' college there by a score of 40 to 32.

Locals started with a rush and had Nanticoke was twice defeated by G. a top heavy lead of 15 to 3 at the end of the first period. Millersville then started closing up and Bloomsburg was

In the second half the home team took the lead and kept it. The Mil-The "Nans" are coached by Dick lersville floor is small compared to the

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# Final Games Student Government

The government adapted by the women students of Waller Hall is well under way. There has been no time lost in electing officers and a governing board.

The governing board was chosen upon a basis of class representation as follows:

Freshmen-Esther Harter, Florence Jones.

Three years students of the four year course-Dorothy Mang.

Two year students of the four year course-Norma Knoll.

Three year Seniors-Martha Laird. Two year Seniors-Ruth Aslander, Ruey Kenworthy, Ethel Price, Doris Semms.

Four year Seniors—Esther Lloyd. After the governing board was elect-

ed they at once elected their officers which are: Pres. Mildred Phillips; Vice-Pres., Margaret Lewis; Sec., Ruey Kenworthy; Treasurer, Doris Kemble.

Both the governing board and officers went to work immediately and we wish them the best of success in all they undertake.

## TEACHER'S ART GUILD NEWS

Last Thursday the officers for the Art Guild were elected. The club was organized last year, under the direction of Miss Robinson. Its object is to give those students who are interested in Art a chance to express themselves through their favorite medium under efficient direction.

The results of the meeting were as follows:

President-Ruth Baxter. Secretary—Catherine Hayes.

Treasury—Dorothy Voight. Faculty Advisor—George Keller.

The other members are: Madge Terwilliger, Helen McGuire, Virginia Lewis, Veda Eshleman, Esther Harter, Elzabeth Labauch, Margaret Handlong. NEW MEMBERS ARE WELCOME!

## AUGUST GRADUATES

An announcement from the Dean of Instruction's office was to the effect that all students who can complete their courses in August will be permitted to graduate with the June Class. It has been the custom for several years past to grant diplomas in June and August. This system will be abondoned this year on account of the shortening of the summer session to six weeks. All Seniors should make themselves acquainted with this information.

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#### ALPHA PSI OMEGA, THE DRAMA-TIC FRATERNITY ORGANIZED

Alpha Psi Omega is a National Dramatic Fraternity made up of fifteen selective members working within the Dramatic Club. They were entertained with dinner last Wednesday at the Elk's Home by the Grand Director, Miss Johnston. Initiation followed with a very impressive ceremony witnessed by Dr. Kehr, Mr. and Mrs. Sutliff. The following officers were elected:

Worthy Business Manager: Vid Jones. Worthy Playwright—Dorothy Richards Honorable Prompter—Sam Fortner

The charter members are working on plans for the remainder of the year. It is quite possible they will take in these members of the Dramatic Club who are eligible in all requirements. The chapter consists of the following students: Helen Jenkes, Ruth Hildebrand, Karlun Hoffman, Dorothy Richards, Clarence Ruch, Charlotte Mears, Armand Keller, Francis Garrity, Elfred Jones, Alice Pennington, Haven Fortner, Jack Fortner, George Bamford, Blake Stokes and Mildred Rhiems.

# DRAMATIC CLASS PRESENTS "RISING OF THE MOON"

Miss Johnston's class in Dramatic English presented an Irish play called the "Rising of the Moon" written by Lady Gregory. The play depicted the political life in Ireland during any period of rebellion. The sentiment of the Irish people toward independence and the rebellious leaders was shown to be in favor of the cause. The cast of characters were:- Sergeant-Francis McHugh; Policeman X.—Theodore Davis; Policeman B.-Leo McGrath; Ballad singer-George Mathews. Miss Moore ably assisted Miss Johnston with the music and the coaching of the characters. Mr. Rowlands assisted by Theodore Vital did splendid work in the setting of the stage and the securing of stage properties. Of course we can not forget the work of the person who made it possible to put on this play before the students of the college, Miss Johnston.

A sergeant and two policemen enter on the quays in search of one of the leaders of the rebellion who has broken out of jail. They post a notice on a barrel on one of the docks. The man that they are looking for comes along the quays dressed as a ballad singer. In order to divert the attention of the sergeant who is alone on the dock from inquiring too much into his identity he sings songs of the Irish rebellion. The sergeant does not wish to cater to these songs and therefore at first tells him to be quiet. Later on he joins with him in one of the songs. About this time the policemen return who have been posting the placards of the reward offered for his capture. He shows the sergeant his identity. He is surprised. The policemen enter but the sergeant does not give away the ballad singer who is hiding behind the barrel. After the policemen leave the ballad singer chanks the sergeant and tells him that he will never forget the deed that he did for him that night. The sergeant reflects on the thought that he was a fool.

Mack—"Some students love to go to the movies."

Lemons—"Yes, and some go to the movies to love."

Miss Jeffries—"Give a sentence using the word 'indifferent'."

Duke—"Every night when I go to North Hall I have to go indifferent."

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When this school year is over I'll then go home to see Within the parlor's cozy glow, Two arms outstretched to me; Oh how I've missed those lovely arms So soft they are and so fair, That I have often dreamed of them-My dear old easy chair.

Vital—"This ring I offer you is a symbol of the love I bear for you. It has no end."

? ? —"It is also a symbol of the love I bear for you. It has no beginning."

Fischer—"That was a nice party you held last night."

Poole—"Wasn't she tho?"

Gallagher—"There is a telephone! call for you."

Hawkins-"Tell him I'm taking a bath."

Gallagher-"I did, but he doesn't be-

Hawkins—"I better answer, it must be someone who knows me well."

girls who prefer not to marry."

Matthews-"How do you know?" Siesko-"Because I've asked them."

Muley-"Wise men make proverbs and fools repeat them."

Plug—"What wise man made that proverb?"

Eck-"Van has ten suits." Beck-"Is that so?"

Eck-"Yes, a blue serge and nine suits of red flannels."

Archie-"Are you sure you can spare it?"

#### THE BRIDGE OF SAN LUIS REY

In the story of "The Bridge of San Luis Rey," Thornton Wilder has written a master impression of the passions, love, hate, jealousy and envy. The five characters, who are so vividly portrayed, are brought under the reader's eye by an unusual happening. An people that anyone else would consider fect. common or crazy and make five most ugly as well as beatiful, but all tragic. was perfect.

precision.

According to this book, the land of the the dance. Incas holds a never ending supply of Castile, but heretofore I've never read Miss Turner and Miss Mason. anything that has outdone this old brilliance of the Argentina tales of the swash-buckling, bull-fighting, tango dancing country before.

Lima here is glorified, as is so much of Peru. Her theatres shine in presentations of old Spanish masterpieces of drama interpreted by a Perichole, who fascinates the reader throughout the whole tale. Her streets are quaint with ancient stucco buildings. Each Peruvian amazes, delights and shocks us with daring happenings.

Although the story is heavy with Siesko-"There are an awful lot of satire and irony, it is pleasingly balanced with light Spanish romance.

> "The Bridge Of San Luis Rey" is philosophic enough to satisfy the sage, pessimistic enough for the cynic, and airy and thrilling enough to suit any twentieth-century flapper.

### INTERESTING FOREIGN **EXCHANGE**

Two years ago, members of Miss Shaw's classes in English Composition prepared a portfolio illustrating life at Bloomsburg Teachers College. This portfolio was sent to a normal school in Belgium through arrangements made with Miss Ferguson and the Junior Red Cross. The acknowledgement of this portfolio, together with Dot—"I've got a notion to give you a most interesting collection of letters. pictures, and other illustrative material, has just been received. It will be on exhibition at the library. Ask for it at the desk.

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#### Y. W. C. A. DANCE

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More than a hundred couples attended the Y. W. C. A. dance in the gym on Saturday evening. Tho' a little previous in date, it was a St. Patrick's dance, and green and white deold Inca bridge that has been hitherto corations appropriate for the occasion one of the landscape's most stable were very effectively used, and many ornaments, collapses suddenly and compliments were given on the atdashes five people like squirming ants tractiveness of the gym. Green Balinto the val'ey below. From that loons and balloons of varied colors happening Thornton Wilder takes five added enormously to the general ef-

Don Hower's William Penn Orcheseccentric, dramatic and picturesque tra furnished the music, and it was individuals of them; he paints them unanimously agreed that the music

He handles religion tactfully and A balloon dance was the feature of makes one almost believe that certain- the evening. Each girl had a balloon ly there is a great Plan that rules us tied to her ankle and was permitted to all, and that things do not happen dance with her partner until the balaccidently, but are planned by a great loon was broken,—at which time she intelligence with forethought and was eliminated from the floor. A prize of a box of chocolates was awarded to I should think old Peru might have Miss Mildred Phillips for having the been written about long before this. only unbroken balloon at the end of

The chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. tales. One reads varieties of yarns Sutliff, Mr. and Mrs. Shortess, Mr. about Argentina and its glamour of and Mrs. George Keller, Miss Kehr,

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#### TOURNAMENT

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in his four years at Nanticoke. During his second year as coach, Nanticoke took the State title and was eliminated in the National tournament at Chicago by Fitchburg, a team which later won the championship. Mr. Leary is unassuming, and by his manner and general understanding of his men, has won their respect and admiration.

Alex Grudkowski, who played in Bloomsburg last spring, is Captain of the team. Anthony Diksa, another veteran, is his defensive mate. Harold "Dutch" Wermuth, the Nanticoke pivotman, established a record in Wyoming Valley Scholastic circles by scoring 42 points in a game against Kingston.

The forwards are Charles Maximovicz, football captain elect, and Henry williams. Stanley Galazin, Anslem Reilley, and Henry Pinarowicz are substitutes.

On the whole Nanticoke has a fast, smooth working combination with every man capable of holding his team in front by virtue of his good floor work, passing and shooting. Leon Taarski is the efficient student manager of the team.

#### Freeland After Title

Holders of two victories over Coal Township High, twice victors of Teachers College Junior Varsity, Freeland High School is expected to make a real bid for the title when they play in the Teachers College seventh ar.nual tournament which opens today.

Playing in the fast Anthracite League, Freeland is in four position. They were defeated by Keystone Academy by a single point and hold a 38 to 32 victory over Blythe Township, another tournament entry.

The team is captained by Charles Coxe, one of the two veterans of last year, and John Karlick is the manager. H. E. Rathey, the coach, will be remembered as twice captain of the West Chester Teachers' College teams which defeated Bloomsburg Teachers' College teams during the seasons of 1926 and 1927.

Captain Coxe and Pierson, the two veterans, are Seniors. All other members of the squar are Sophomores. The varsity squad is as follows: Forwards -Martin Nocchie, Albert Marchetti, and Geo. Saricks; Centers-George Abraham and Glenn Pierson; Guards —Frank Lorenzetti, George Oruschuck and Charles Coxe.

## PHI LAMBDA HIKE

The members of the Phi Lambda and their friends enjoyed a hike to Buck Horn Quarry in Frosty Valley. Professor Hartline, the club's advisor, made the trip very interesting by his explanation of the wonders of Nature. The club partook of an enjoyable repast prepared by the refreshment nasium is always in a deplorable concommittee. Everyone present voted it a fine time. The members are looking forward to another hike in March

## TEACHERS LOSE FINAL GAMES

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Gochley, Millersville forward, had nine field goals and three foul goals in pig tails and boys in rompers etc. for 21 points. He played an excellent game and led the field in scoring.

Kirker played his usual brilliant game and had 15 points. Wadas, varsity forward, was ill and could be used but little by Bloomsburg.

Kraynack started the game and showed his ability as a player and his usual fighting spirit.

This game was the last for VanBuskirk and perhaps for Garrity, to ever play with our college team. The remaining to return, the prospects look good for a more successful season next year.

The summary:

Shippensburg S. T.	C.	
g.	fg.	pts.
Larimer, f3	0-0	6
White, f	5-9	15
Miller, c5	3-4	13
Matew, C0	0-0	0
Hintz, g	0-1	. 2
Slayburg, g0	0-1	0
Fenstermacher, g (C)4	1-1	9
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Totals18	9-16	45
Bloomsburg S. T.	c.	
g.	fg.	pts.
VanBuskirk, f4	4-7	12
Yocabonis, f1	1-1	3
Wadas, f1	0-0	2
McGrath, c2	2-3	6
Garrity, g3	1-1	7
Kirker, g5	4-6	14
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Totals16	12-18	44
Half time score: Shipper	nsburg	26;
Bloomsburg 21. Referee	— Shoo	key.
Umpire—Ehere.		
The summary:		

Millersville S. T. C	<b>).</b>	
g.	fg.	pts.
Rudy, f4	1-3	9
Gochley, f9	3-4	21
Kraft, c3	2-4	8
Riest, g0	0-1	0
Witmer, g0	1-1	1
Hochman, g	0-0	0
Wenger, g0	1-1	1
Trotale 16	8-14	40
Totals16		40
Bloomsburg S. T. C		40
Bloomsburg S. T. C		pts.
Bloomsburg S. T. C g. VanBuskirk, f2	•	pts. 5
Bloomsburg S. T. C g. VanBuskirk, f2 Kraynack, f3	fg.	pts.
Bloomsburg S. T. C g. VanBuskirk, f2 Kraynack, f3 Yocabonis, f0	fg. 1-6	pts.
Bloomsburg S. T. C g. VanBuskirk, f2 Kraynack, f3	fg. 1-6 2-4	pts. 5
Bloomsburg S. T. C g. VanBuskirk, f	fg. 1-6 2-4 0-2	pts. 5 8
Bloomsburg S. T. C g. VanBuskirk, f2 Kraynack, f3 Yocabonis, f0 McGrath, C0 Fischer, c0 Garrity, g2	fg. 1-6 2-4 0-2 0-1	pts. 5 8 0
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## MUDDY WALKS A NUISANCE

A very noticeable and appreciated improvement to this college would be the laying of ashes in the muddy spots on our campus.

The section on the side of the Gymdition on rainy days and if this condition were remedied, students would be more at ease in going to and from classes:

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On Saturday night, March 31, the Gym will resound with childish glee. The Freshman's Kid Party will be under way. The fashion will be girls Committees have been appointed and all preparations are being made to assure everyone a good time. Freshmen, this is your party! Make it a success by turning out in full force.

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