

## The Word Is "Hello"



Frosh Court met on Sunday afternoon for the first time during the 1956-57 school year. One of the freshmen sentenced to the court by an upperclassman, was pert little Carmen Arrau, who forgot to say hello to said upperclassman.

Her case having been presented, Miss Arrau is shown facing the judge who is passing sentence on her.

Many of those convicted in frosh court will be seen completing part of their sentence by working on the Blue Key fall project. They will assemble behind the Brick and Kruson dorms at 8:30 a.m., on Saturday morning and aid in cleaning up the area.

Besides this work project, the usual stunts were also handed out to the frosh by the court, before a large turnout in Kenyon Chapel.

## Red Cross Bloodmobile Visits Alfred U. Campus Next Week

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at the Campus Union, Tuesday, October 16, from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., according to Dr. Clarence Klingensmith and Mr. Wesley A. Parish, co-chairmen.

The quota for this visit is 150 pints of blood. This is an increase from 125 pints due to the fact that the Rochester Regional Blood Program, of which Alfred is a part, has been asked to collect 400,000 units of whole blood to be processed in-

to serum albumin for Civil Defense. Serum albumin is a blood derivative used in emergency treatment for shock. Blood derivatives are the individual parts or fractions into which blood may be separated in a laboratory.

All donors who are between the ages of 18-21 must have a waiver signed by the parent or guardian. These waivers have been placed in fraternity and sorority houses, dorms, and all libraries.

## Area Teachers Meet Friday

Secondary school teachers from the surrounding area will meet Friday, October 12, in Howell Hall with Alfred University's English department for their third annual conference. The purposes of these meetings are twofold; first, our faculty wishes to inform its colleagues of the way in which English is taught at Alfred, and secondly, they hope to close the gap between high school and University instruction.

Specifically, this conference will deal with values the University stresses in its literature study. During the morning session, at 10:30, Alfred's English staff will review the criticism on "Macbeth" that they have found most valuable in teaching. After luncheon, the guests will be invited to discuss those values which can easily be conveyed to high school students.

The English department expresses its hope that this conference will be as successful as those in the past, and that common ground can be reached between secondary schools and the University.

Seniors may pick up caps and gowns for Founder's Day on Tuesday, Oct. 16, in the office of the dean of women. A \$5.00 deposit is required. It will be refunded when the gowns are returned in the spring.

# Parents' Day Attracts 360; Reaction Believed Favorable

On Saturday, Oct. 6, the first official Parents' Day drew an impressive attendance of 360 parents.

At 9 a.m. registration began and continued throughout the day in Howell Hall. The guests were greeted by Dr. Lyman Judson. Members of the Student Senate conducted campus tours. All buildings on campus were open and in each was a representative of the department it housed, ready to greet parents and answer questions. Conferences with faculty members enabled parents to discuss the progress made by their son or daughter and to learn about the methods of education used by the individual professor.

At noon parents assembled in the

Brick for a luncheon. President Drake gave a welcoming address and stressed the need for an active Parents' Association. A vote was taken which approved the establishment of a planning committee. Then Dr. Seidlin, Dean Gertz, Dean Gullette and Dean Rogers were introduced by the President, as were Erford Porter and Gretta Hanson, who represented the student body.

After presenting a brief history of Alfred, President Drake explained the workings of the University. This year Alfred employs 300 staff members in all departments and has a total budget of \$2,212,499 of which \$1,046,538 is absorbed by salaries. Enrollment over the last few years has increased the need for new buildings, and since 1950 approxi-

mately \$3,817,000 has been expended for construction. He also stated that at present plans for a new student union are being discussed.

At 2:30 parents and students watched Alfred beat Colgate in cross country. President and Mrs. Drake and members of the faculty greeted parents at a tea held in Howell Hall at 4 p.m. The general reaction of the parents to the day's activities was extremely favorable. They felt that the few hours spent on campus had provided them with an opportunity to better understand the University's aims. Many spoke with enthusiasm about the proposed Parents' Association.

A 53 to 6 victory over Kings Point in football and open house fraternity parties ended the Parents' Day festivities.

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## Kanakadea Pictures

The Kanakadea has announced the schedule of formal group pictures for the year.

Members of the following groups are asked to report to Howell Hall on Monday, October 15 on time for the picture. The FIAT will be taken at 1:40 p.m.; Kanakadea, 2:00; Student Senate, 2:15 p.m.; junior class, 2:30 p.m.; sophomore class, 2:45 p.m. and freshmen at 3:00 p.m.

All seniors will be notified by mail as to when to report for their pictures. Fraternities and sororities will also be notified by mail as to the time and place of their group picture.

## Glidden Galleries Show Fifteen Weston Prints

A collection of fifteen prints by the famous photographer Edward Weston opened for exhibition at the Glidden Galleries on October 7. A circulating exhibition borrowed from the Museum of Modern Art in New York, the prints will remain on view until October 27.

Today one of America's best-known photographers, Edward Weston has been photographing since 1902, when he began at the age of 16 in his native town of Highland Park, Illinois.

Shortly afterwards he moved to California where he has done the greater part of his work and where he lives and works at the present time. He was the first photogra-

pher ever to receive a Guggenheim Fellowship, which was awarded to him in 1937.

Weston spent three years, 1923-26, working in Mexico; and it was during this period that his work became known to the Mexican painter Siqueiros, who has written his vivid appraisal of Weston's work: "In Weston's photographs the texture, the physical quality of things is rendered with the utmost exactness; the rough is rough, the smooth is smooth, flesh is alive, stone is hard. The things have a definite proportion and weight and are placed in a clearly defined distance one from the other . . . In a (Continued on page 2)

## SPONSORS, BAND CHOSEN FOR BALL



Alfred's ROTC sponsors gather together after having just been notified of their election. The girls are Dorothy Ormsby of Alfred Station, Dianna Graessle of Buffalo, Ann Hopkins of West Orange, New Jersey, Nancy Cashimere of Olean, Rosemary Bracker of Setauket and Dorothy Baxter of Valley Falls.

Homecoming and the 121st social season at Alfred will be started with the fifth annual Military Ball on Friday, October 19 in the Men's Gym.

Six girls have been chosen by the ROTC students as sponsors for the coming year. Ann Hopkins, a senior nurse from Sigma Chi Nu has been elected as battalion sponsor and will have the rank of honorary Lieutenant Colonel. Ann was also a sponsor in her freshman year at Alfred.

There will be five honorary Cadet Captains for the school year. They are Rosemary Bracker, Diana Graessle, Dorothy Ormsby, Nancy Cashimere and Dorothy Baxter.

For Rosemary Bracker, this will be her third year as a cadet spon-

sor. A senior from Sigma she is an English major. The two juniors chosen, Diana Graessle and Dorothy Ormsby are also members of Sigma. Diana is an English major and captain of the cheering squad. She is also a member of the FIAT. Doty is a sociology major and is a member of the Student Senate, WAGB and is working on the Kanakadea. Dianna was a sponsor last year.

The lone sophomore selected is Nancy Cashimere who is a history and political science major. She is a Student Senator from Kruson and is also a member of the Union Board.

Doty Baxter, a future business major is the only member of the freshman class chosen. The girls will be presented with their hon-

orary commissions during the intermission of the Ball.

The Ball committee also has announced that Syl Novelli and his orchestra will provide the music for the affair. Novelli has an eight piece orchestra and features a girl singer who will sing most of the numbers for the evening.

The group comes from Rochester and Syl Novelli is probably more known for his piano playing on radio station WHAM where he was program and musical director. He was also featured on that station's "Tower Clock Time" program.

He is now the program and musical director of WROC-TV in Rochester and his orchestra can be heard on many band dates in and around the city.

## Shaw Comedy Is Scheduled For November

For its first major production of the year, the Footlight Club will present "You Never Can Tell," a comedy by George Bernard Shaw. The play, which will be Alfred's contribution to the international celebration of the Shaw centennial year, will be given November 23 and 24 and will be directed by Professor C. Duryea Smith III.

The casting schedule is as follows:

Thurs., Sept. 11, 7-9, Alumni Hall  
Fri., Sept. 12, 4:30-5:30, Alumni Hall  
Sat., Sept. 13, 19-12, Alumni Hall  
Sun., Sept. 14, 3-5, Alumni Hall  
Mon., Sept. 15, 7-9, Alumni Hall  
Tues., Sept. 16, 7-9, Alumni Hall

On October 16, two days before the Stratford Canadian Players present the first Forum, "Peer Gynt," the Footlighters will give a dramatic reading of Sophocles' "Antigone" for the civilization class. This will be the first of two assemblies given by the club in conjunction with the civilization department.

## Dr. Gross, University Staff; Once Chemist Now Theologian

by Joseph Baim

Experience as a chemist has led men into diverse fields of endeavor, but seldom has it led one to the doors of the ministry.

Dr. Alfred J. Gross, Professor at the School of Theology, became interested in the clergy after having worked with cellulose materials at DuPont. He found that his work in industrial chemistry was not like the laboratory work which he had enjoyed in technical school in Buffalo; it seemed narrow and unfruitful to him.

Beginning to acquire an insatiable appetite for knowledge and an appreciation of the fact that "there is a joy in learning," Dr. Gross matriculated in Houghton College, Houghton, New York, where he earned his Bachelor of Arts degree. He then studied at the School of Theology here. After receiving his Bachelor of Divinity degree, he left to attend the Auburn Theological Seminary and finally the University of Chicago where, in 1947, he received his Doctor of Philosophy degree. All through his college career, Dr. Gross earned his expenses as a student chaplain.

The tall, stocky, blue-eyed gentleman graced the campus of Geneseo Junior College as Dean in 1948. The congregation of the First Methodist Church of Wellsboro became well acquainted with his greying crew-cut and quick smile in the four years that he was their minister.

Last summer Dr. Gross returned, this time to teach in the School of Theology. Sorry to see the old Gothic gone and its memory lost



Dr. Albert J. Gross

to all but those who knew it, he was, nevertheless, happy to discover that the chapel had been saved through the generosity of Miss Hazel Humphreys for the use of future generations of Alfredians.

Born in Buffalo in 1907, married, and the father of three children, Dr. Gross is now residing in Andover. During Chaplain Bredenberg's absence, he will assume his duties as instructor at Alfred University. Students will now be able to come in contact first-hand with Dr. Gross' wit and effervescent personality.

## New Faculty Informal Briefs

A new member of the English and Civilization Departments, Mr. Leonard Rakowski, is taking over classes in sixteenth, seventeenth and eighteenth century literature. He comes from Scranton, Pennsylvania and is a graduate of Syracuse University. Mr. Rakowski also attended the University of Pennsylvania and Columbia University, where he received a Master of Arts degree. Mr. Rakowski is presently working for his doctorate from Syracuse University in the field of English literature.

Another addition to the English and Civilization Departments is Mr. John Kelley. Mr. Kelley received his B.A. from San Diego State College and his M.A. from the University of California. He has done graduate work in Texas and is working toward his Ph.D. in the field of Victorian literature. For the past three years, Mr. Kelley has been teaching at Texas Techno-

logical College. While there he sponsored a national fraternity, Phi Delta Theta. Mr. Kelley is teaching Modern Literature. He is very much interested in drama.

Among the newcomers to Alfred this fall is the Reverend James M. Dick, who became pastor of the Union University Church. Rev. Dick assumed his new duties on Sunday, September 9.

After graduating from the University of Pennsylvania in 1948, Rev. Dick worked for the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States and later served in the Navy Air Corps. In 1954 he graduated from Colgate-Rochester Divinity School and until receiving his new position here, he served the American Baptist Council in an editorial capacity.

The new pastor is available in his office in the Church Center, every morning and afternoon by appointment.

## Fiat Lux

### Alfred University's Student Newspaper

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## Social Workshop Holds Discussion

The Social Events Workshop met on Thursday evening, October 4, 1956 at 7:00 p.m. in Howell Hall. The workshop was inaugurated last year at the suggestion of Dean Marshall to "promote better social and moral standards on the Alfred campus" and is a part of the University Personnel Committee.

The Workshop is composed of faculty members and representatives from the fraternities and sororities on campus. While it is not a legislative society, it has the capacity to transmit ideas and opinions for consideration.

At this first meeting of the year the co-chairmen were Professor Joseph Norton of the education department and Ed Spirko, president of Interfraternity Council. The issues discussed were drinking at athletic events and chaperoning of campus functions.

A proposal was brought up to have the fraternities and sororities be responsible for the conduct of their members at all events and to decide among themselves who would be the best available chaperones for their parties.

These workshop meetings will be held once a month but there will be a special meeting on Thursday evening, October 11, 1956 to decide on a plan to be put into action starting with the Homecoming football game on October 20, 1956.

## BUSINESS CLUB SCHEDULE

1956

Oct. 4 — Organizational meeting 7:30 p.m., Room 21, South Hall.

Oct. 11 — Speaker from Westinghouse Electric Corporation on "Career Opportunities in Personnel Management."

Nov. 8 — Simulated job interview with a recent Alfred business graduate, a representative from the personnel department, Eastman Kodak Company, and Dean Gertz, Director of Alfred's placement bureau. General topic — "What to expect in a job interview."

Dec. 13 — Speaker from the Life Insurance Agency Management Association on "Career Opportunities in Life Insurance."

All meetings with the exception of October 4, 1956, and February 14, 1957, will take place at 7:30 p.m. in Susan Howell Social Hall. All business majors are invited to attend as well as other interested personnel.

This schedule is set up primarily to aid in job placement and in choosing specific areas within the business field.

## Weston Collection

(Continued from Page 1) word, the beauty which these photographs of Weston's possess is photographic beauty!"

Weston's own statements and comments on photography and the practice of his art are illuminating regarding his work.

"... The photographer must be complete master of his tools and processes; he must be so familiar with their potentialities and limitations that his seeing will be automatically translated into the physical facts of lens, aperture, exposure, etc. . . . Until a photographer has achieved this disciplined co-ordination, he cannot have full command of his medium, and his work will be governed to a greater or lesser degree by the accidental. When he has achieved it, the quantity as well as the quality of his work will be limited only by his ability to see — by the quantity and quality of his vision."

## Prints to be Available For Purchase or Rent

Scene of everything from midnight study-breaks to afternoon teas, still another aspect of the Union will be evident between 1:00 and 4:00 p.m. The semi-annual exhibition of the Alfred University Print Collection will be in progress and students and faculty will have an opportunity to purchase or rent reproductions of the works of such world renowned masters as Renoir, Gauguin, Dega, Picasso, Rembrandt and others.

A student has the alternative to purchase a print, or to rent one on a semester basis for 50 cents to one dollar, depending on the print. After having the print in your possession for a semester, you can decide to buy. Rentals will be made on a first come, first served basis.

It was in 1947 that the University obtained from a prominent alumna and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Openhym, a fund to be used to acquire reproductions of some of the world's most famous paintings. Sixty-four of the best prints available were bought from the New York Graphic Society at a great reduction.

The response was very enthusiastic, and the entire collection was rented in an hour. The plan was so well received that Dr. Walters, president of the University at the time, presented it as a project for the Commission on the Arts of the Association of American Colleges.

After 1951, the pictures, which had originally been shown at Howell Hall, were displayed at the Union which afforded more room for the expanding collection.

A debt of gratitude is owed to Miss Clara Nelson, former chairman of the Fine Arts Committee. Prior to her retirement this year,

Miss Nelson was in charge of the collection and was instrumental in perpetuating and increasing the size of the collection.

Dr. Theodore Klitzke, of the Department of Ceramic Design, and Dean Gullette are in charge of the print collection this year.

This summer, racks were built in the print room and all of the reproductions have been catalogued. The purchasing committee is headed by Dr. Klitzke.

The Print Fund, according to Miss Gullette, now totals approximately \$1000 from sales and rentals.

## Intersorority Elects Ellsworth

The Intersorority Council's meeting last Tuesday night had as its main purpose the explanation of duties of the Advisory-Judiciary Committees. Also, a new rush chairman, Lucyanne Ellsworth, was elected.

The Advisory-Judiciary Committees, elected last year by each sorority from among its honoraries, serve as advisors in five categories: scholarship, standards, finance, rushing, and alumni. It is hoped that this new system will bring about a closer honorary-sorority relationship, and also clarify the functions of honoraries.

Rushing of sophomore girls began on October 1, with an informal season, which will last five weeks. Formal rushing will then begin and will last two weeks. A meeting of the sophomore rushees was held last night at Kruson Hall to explain the new rushing policies.

There are 14 lettermen on the football squad this year.

## Stars As "Peer Gynt"



Bruno Gerussi (above) will appear in the lead role in Ibsen's "Peer Gynt" to be presented by the Canadian Players at the first Forum program to be held Thursday evening, October 18 in Alumni Hall.

Gerussi's life is best described in terms of hard work. Into his 28 years of existence, he has packed experience as a stone mason, a bartender, a short order cook and a salesman. The field in which he worked the hardest however, is acting. For example, he has worked on his role as Peer Gynt since he read the play eight years ago. He is a product of the training of Tyrone Guthrie, world famous director.

"Gerussi seems ideally cast as Gynt, he is as much Everyman as Gynt is, and he has longed for the opportunity to play this role. He is a blend of simplicity and egoism, which with his ability and basic training are the makings of a great actor. There is no doubt in the minds of the many people who know his work that he will make a vibrant, magnificent "Peer Gynt."

# Poli Sci Debates Begin; Foreign Policy Probed

The first of a five-week election debate was held at 8:30 Tuesday, October 1, at Kanakadea Hall. This meeting on foreign policy was opened by Dr. Frederick Engelmann, faculty advisor to the Poli Sci Club. After a few opening remarks, Dr. Engelmann turned the meeting over to Raja Ajluni, moderator for these debates. Raja introduced the bi-partisan panel for the evening. (This panel included Dick Phelps, Bob Tompkins, Bud Pepitone and Rikki Ansel for the Republicans and Paul Sheldon, Ann Bergman and Maxene Gorewitz for the Democrats.)

Each side was then given an opportunity to speak about those issues beneficial to their party, after which they were able to question the other's position. Among the issues brought up by the Republicans were those concerning the peace and prestige enjoyed by the United States under President Eisenhower. The Republicans brought out the facts that the Korean War has been ended, Communist aggression has been deferred, our world security has been strengthened, and trade has been extended. The Democrats, on the other hand, declared that only a temporary peace exists in the world today, and that the Communists have been only partially turned back. They also stated that as a result of the Suez problem, the Communists, in the past few months, have gained a foothold in the Middle East which they have wanted for centuries.

The Republicans' main point con-

cerned the fact that the Eisenhower administration stands for "peaceful discussion" to maintain peace in the world. They stated that all crises that appeared during the Republican administration have been settled peacefully, without bloodshed, using the Suez Canal situation as an example.

The Democrats' theme centered around their statement that mere absence of warfare does not mean that there is peace and security in the United States and in the world. They declared that the United States is concentrating too much on military aid and not enough on economic aid.

During the audience's question and answer period, many queries were brought up concerning the bipartisanship of Congress and the seeming neutrality of the United States.

This evening's meeting will have as its topic the Congressional campaigns with emphasis on the New York senatorial race between Jacob Javits and Robert Wagner.

# Student Outlook

by Dwight Otis

## Fulbright Scholarship

November 1, 1956 is the closing date of the competitions for United States Government educational exchange grants for graduate study abroad for the 1957-58 academic year. Scholarship application blanks and a brochure describing the overseas study awards are available at Dean Gertz's office.

Eligibility requirements for these foreign study fellowships are: U.S. citizenship; a college degree or its equivalent at the time of the award; knowledge of the language of the country of application sufficient enough to carry on the proposed study; and good health. Final selection of Fulbright grantees is made by the Board of Foreign Scholarships, ten leading educators and educational administrators appointed by the President of the United States.

## Rhodes Scholarship

Elections to Rhodes Scholarships will be held in all states in December, 1956. Scholars elect will enter Oxford University in October, 1957.

To be eligible a candidate must: be a male citizen of the United States, for at least five years, and be unmarried; be between the ages of nineteen and twenty-five on October 1, 1957; by the time of application have at least junior standing at some recognized degree-granting college or university in the U.S.A.; receive official endorsement of his college or university. For further information, see Dean Gertz.

## Mexican Scholarship

The Mexican Government through the Mexico-United States Commission on Cultural Cooperation, offers sixteen grants to United States students for study in Mexico, during the academic year beginning March 1, 1957. Preference will be given to graduate students. Eligibility requirements are as follows: U.S. citizenship; good knowledge of Spanish; good academic record; good moral character, personality and adaptability; and good health. Only junior and senior year students are eligible to apply for undergraduate scholar-

## No Weak Sex Here

As the group gathered in front of the Union Saturday morning for the annual Alfred Outing Club Letchworth trip, a surprising thing was noticeable. The men were conspicuously absent. As a matter of fact, the girls outnumbered them five to one.

This raises an interesting question. Are the women beginning to take over activities like hiking, camping, canoeing, mountain climbing—activities to which they have only recently (and reluctantly) been admitted by the males? The girls are ahead in signing up for this weekend's Lake George canoeing and camping trip, too. What's happened to the outdoor man?

## Movies

Wednesday

"The Eddie Duchin Story"

Friday

"Jubal" and "The Informer"

Saturday

"The King and I"

ships. Applications, may be secured from the U.S. Student Department of the Institute of International Education, and must be filed, with all supporting documents, not later than November 1, 1956.

## Calendar

Tuesday

Political Science Club, 8:30 p.m., Howell Hall

Thursday

Social Workshop, 7:15 p.m., Howell Hall  
Alpha Phi Omega, 7:00 p.m., Howell Hall  
Business Club, 7:30 p.m., Howell Hall

Friday

Alfred Student Christian Fellowship Fall (Weekend) Retreat

Saturday

Military Outdoor Picnic

Sunday

Kruson Hall Faculty Tea  
Castle Faculty Tea  
Alfred Student Christian Fellowship, 6:45 p.m., Howell Hall

What young people are doing at General Electric

## Young mathematician helps pace engineering advances

Recently General Electric developed a compact, new motor for industrial use. But before the motor could be put into automatic production, one difficulty remained: to design a protective end shield that would confine any possible explosion to the motor itself.

The man who solved the tough mathematical problems involved is R. A. "Pete" Powell — a mathematical analyst whose job is to assist other engineers in math problems which arise in any number of different projects.

### Powell's Work Is Varied and Important

Because he is not tied down to any one project, Powell seldom has two similar assignments. Taking established engineering and mathematical principles, some of them extremely complicated, Powell applies them to advanced engineering problems. In doing this, Pete is able to make such calculations as the distortion of a small part of a jet engine caused by vibrations, the deflection occurring in a turbine part when it runs at operational speeds, or the forces exerted upon a rotating shaft by lubricants.

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R. A. "PETE" POWELL joined General Electric in 1953 after receiving his B.S. in Physics in '47 and his M.S. in Mathematics in '49, both from Purdue. From 1949-52 he completed further study in Physics again at Purdue.

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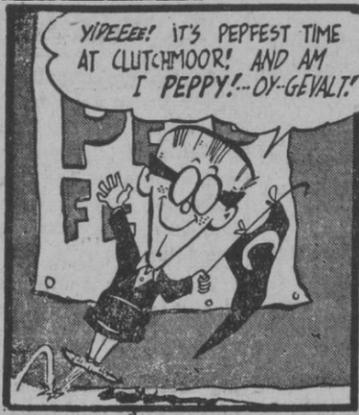
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**Club News**

**OUTING CLUB**

The Alfred Outing Club will participate in the annual Intercollegiate Outing Club Association Lake George retreat on October 12-14. Students from several colleges will embark to an island in Lake George for a weekend of hiking, canoeing and camping. Alfred students are invited to sign up for the outing on notices which have been posted throughout the campus.

On September 29 the AOC sponsored its first trip of the season. About 30 students from the University and Ag-Tech chartered a bus to the park where they spent the day hiking, taking photographs and singing. The group began its 5-mile excursion at the lower falls, tramped up to the railroad trestle and returned on the other side of the stream to the lower falls.

**FOOTLIGHT CLUB**

The annual coffee hour held by the Footlight Club last Sunday in Howell Hall was the club's first general activity this Fall.

The program included a social hour, a talk by Professor C. D. Smith III, an exhibition of slides depicting scenes from various University Theatre productions and a one act play written and directed by Eugene F. Lane.

Professor Smith introduced the new club officers. They are Eugene F. Lane, president; David Morris, vice-president and construction; Ellen Lipsey, secretary; Barbara Long, business manager; Roger Eiss, lighting; Jenny Floch, make-up; Linda Rahl, costumes; Martin Feierman, publicity; and Moe Kotick, stage manager.

After viewing the slides the audience adjourned to Alumni Hall to see "voices of darkness," an original play based on one of the playwright's short stories. Employing a chorus, offstage voices, feedback sound, expressionist lighting and acting, and a set designed by David Morris "voices" was an attempt to record the growth and destruction of the sensibilities of a city-dwelling man. Included in the cast were Warren Mintz, Anita Biren, Joan Harnet, Pat Giess, and Eugene Lewis.

**HILLEL**

The Hillel Club held its first meeting of the semester on September 29 in Howell Hall with an attendance of over sixty people.

After a few words of welcome from Trudy Wolkenberg, last year's president, Dr. Bernstein, Hillel faculty advisor, spoke about the history and position of the Jewish group on the college campus and outlined possible plans for the coming year. These included guest lecturers, holiday dances and student discussions.

The meeting was highlighted by election of officers. Doug Kaplan was elected president; Meryl Hermann, vice president; Maxene Gorewitz, secretary and Fiat Lux representative. George Bailenson became the new treasurer. Religious chairman, publicity chairman, program chairman and Student Senate representative were also elected.

The next meeting is scheduled for October at which time a representative from the Seventh Day Baptist Church will be guest speaker.

Hillel hopes to bring to the campus many new programs during the year. All students are cordially invited to attend these functions.

**S.C.F.**

The Alfred Student Christian Fellowship will hold its annual fall retreat at Silver Lake, October 12-14.

Buel Trowbridge of Washington, D. C., will lead inspirational addresses on the topic "No Man is an Island." Other activities slated for the weekend include meditation, group discussions and recreation.

The organization is centering its activities for the year around the general theme "Learning to Live with Others" and the retreat is an integral part of this emphasis. The cost for the weekend is \$2.50. Anyone who desires reservations may contact Phyllis Hutchinson at Theta Chi.

**BUSINESS CLUB**

The first Business Club meeting of the semester was held on October 4th, at South Hall. Chairman Ken Myers directed the proceedings, which included the election of officers, and explained the basic functions of the organization.

The new officers assisting Chairman Myers are: Co-chairman, Ron Anderson Corresponding Secretary, Mary Cavanaugh; Treasurer, Bud Pepitone.

The Business Club's primary purpose is to help freshmen and sophomores become familiar with specific areas in the business field. All members become more familiar with various aspects of the field through the many speakers who augment club programs.

There, little luxury, don't you cry—you'll be a necessity by and by.

**I.F.C. Briefs Frosh**

Rushing rules and procedures were explained to the new men on campus by Ed Spirko, Interfraternity Council president, at the I.F.C. smoker, September 26. Dean Gertz, principal speaker at the smoker, stressed the importance of attending all rush parties before making a final decision as to which fraternity to join.

**JIMMY RYAN**

Flashy Fullback



Says:

Ryan ain't lying — The Kampus Kave is where I do my buying.

Any man more right than his neighbors constitutes a majority of one—Thoreau. Freedom is not worth having if it does not connote freedom to err—Ghandi.

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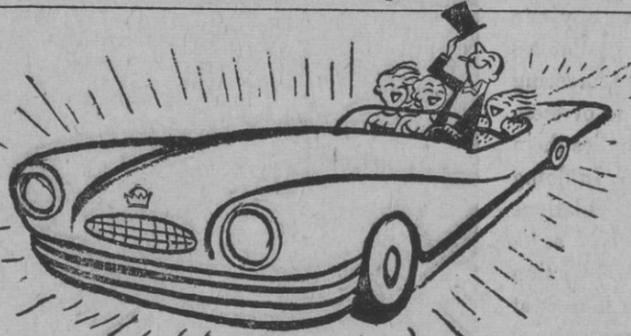


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# The GOLDFISH BOWL

by Judy Dryer

Saturday night was Klobber Kings Point night, and I guess we kind of did, by a few points or so. So anyone with half an eyeball could see, early in the game, that we were going to win, so celebrations started early and lasted on into the night, at fraternity houses and points north.

Delta Sig had open house after the game. The house has a new cook, Mrs. McAndrews, and a new house mother, Mrs. Kelly. Gary Childs was married last summer. His wife's name is Esther.

Kappa Nu had a party after the game. The house is looking forward to Homecoming, when there'll be a combination Homecoming and housewarming party, to celebrate the opening of the new wing, and the new basement. Stu Kapner is going steady with Arlene Kaminsky of the Brick.

Lambda Chi came back to a glug party after the game. Open house was held Friday night. The house is glad to see Mrs. McCormick back again. Dick Thomas Mike Randle, Chum Larsen, Dick Tomer and Dean Elliot (in case you didn't see him) were back for the weekend. Lambda Chi has acquired a new mascot, a great dane named Violet(?) Open house was held Sunday for the freshman girls and sophomore transfers. Got a start some way.

Kappa Psi had a buffet dinner Saturday afternoon for members and their parents and dates, and an open house after the game.

Klan had a party Saturday night. Bob Meer, Gus Lydahl, Ed McN-

mara and Goody were back for the weekend.

Tau Delt had a buffet for the parents before the game, and a party afterwards. Our managing editor, Marv Bell, is going steady with Judy Koshetz, of Kruson, which perhaps explains why he hasn't had his mind on his work lately. Marv Mansky is going steady with Anita Biren, of the Brick. Pete Slomsky is pinned to Marian Bednoff (Stu's cousin). Slomsky and Fagen are both attending New York School of Podiatry. (The Sponges meet again.) Gerry Wuttke, a new member, was initiated last week. Jack Friedland and Pat Goodman were married last summer.

Omicron's honoraries gave the house a "progressive" dinner Monday, the first. Appetizers were served at the Ogdens', main course at the Zulias', and the party ended up with dessert at the Langers'. Dean Gullette was a guest. Four of the honoraries became mothers last summer — Mrs. Robert White, Mrs. Fred Englemann, Mrs. Teo Paliouras and Mrs. Hal Snyder. AKO's house mother, Mrs. Boyce, became a grandmother early Sunday morning. Congratulations, Grandma! Valerie Eva was married last July to Hank Potter, of Corning. Sharon Pettit (Class of '55) was married to Lou Sullivan.

Connie Abbey (Castle, '56) and Doug Wilson (also '56) were married last August 25. Marg Deck and Leon Ablon were married.

Debbie Benedetto, of Kruson Hall, is pinned to George Lee Richardson, of West Point.

Pi Alpha held a coffee hour last Wednesday night, in honor of the new house mother, Mrs. Kage. Honoraries and some new faculty wives were invited. There was a buffet supper Saturday night for the parents. Carol Steinberg and Eddie Kleban (KN, Class of '54) are married. Grace Hotaling is going steady with Kenny Yeaples, of Corning. Fran Flood and Harvey Mandel (Tau Delt, '56) are engaged.

Sigma had a buffet Saturday night for parents, and open house in the afternoon. Wednesday night, there was a dessert with Lambda Chi. Jean Fields Rogers had a baby boy, Bradley, during the summer. Theta held open house Saturday

## Campus Briefs

### PERLE MESTA SCHOLARSHIP

Joe Bloch, class of '56 was awarded a law scholarship to American University. The scholarship was one of three given out by Perle Mesta.

### SEARCH FOR TALENT

The University chorus welcomes all students, faculty, and townspeople to join and participate in its many activities. The chorus will sing frequently with the chapel choir, and will present "The Messiah" later in the year.

The Men's Glee Club has been re-established this year. All men interested are invited to join. The orchestra, which meets once a week, is also eager to have new members. Anyone interested is asked to contact Mr. Purga.

### BIO-GAR GAR PIKE

The Biology Department has been presented with two long-nosed gar pike for use in experimentation. The primitive fish were collected in Lake Chautauqua, and were given to the school by a ceramic student. Experimentation is expected to start very soon.

### GRANTEE VISITS

Tuesday, October 2, the Ceramic Design Department was visited by Professor Tower, a grantee of the Steuben-Corning Travel Fellowship. Grants are made to architects, potters, sculptors, and other craftsmen. Professor Tower is studying pottery at the Bath School of Art.

### ALPHA LAMBDA DELTA

On Sunday night, October 7, the Alfred Chapter of Alpha Lambda Delta, National Freshman Women's Honor Fraternity, pledge Betty Jane Knight to membership.

The organization also elected officers for the coming year. Camille Crofoot is the new president, and assisting her as vice president is Georgia Machotka. Carolyn Ashley is secretary, and the treasurer is Linda Furman. Maxene Gorewitz holds the position of historian.

### INAUGURATION ATTENDED

On Oct. 12, Dr. Drake and Deans Marshall and Gertz will be attending the inauguration of the Reverend Louis M. Hirshson as president of Hobart and William Smith Colleges at Geneva, New York.

Dr. Drake will be representing Alfred University, Dean Gertz, his alma mater, Beloit, and Dean Marshall will be representing Rollins College of Winter Park, Florida.

afternoon, and had a buffet supper in the evening.

## Disa and Data

by Al Siegel

The past few years have seen lots of confusion in regard to the Intramural Board.

Last year the confusion came to a head when the Student Senate voted to take over control of the Board. This move was later revoked and the Intramural Board was back to normal.

The general feeling of the Senate members last year seemed to be paraphrased by Senate President Erford Porter when he told of the past attitude at the last Intramural meeting. His statement and the attitude of the Senate was that of "... if it didn't shape up we'd take it over."

The other night Mr. Porter and I attended the Board meeting. At this time I had a short talk with Erf and as a result of it I believe we both have learned a lot about the problem and that it will be solved in the very near future.

The confusion seems to stem from lack of knowledge or of some misunderstanding. The constitution of the Senate states that it may act as an overseer in all campus student organizations.

As a rule this is true, but the Intramural Board is the exception to the rule. The IMB is not an independent group covered by the Senate but it is a group directly responsible to the athletic department. It derives its power from the department and it functions through the efforts of the department.

Erf said that had this been known before the problem "... would never have come up." He further stated that the Senate "will amend" its constitution so as not to include the Intramural Board under its authority.

This column is not being written to try and show that the Board was right or wrong. As Board members for the past few years both Erf and I realize that the group will welcome suggestions from anyone, especially from the Senate.

Now that the new Board under Stan Ren is running smoothly there should be no problems. The suggestion made by the Senate in regard to a team forfeiting out of the league will probably be acted upon at the next meeting.

With all of this confusion as to just what is to be done with the Board all solved, Erf Porter made the following statement for the FIAT.

"Realizing the past situations involving the amount of confusion caused by intramurals and recognizing the efforts made by the members of the last two boards I personally took it upon myself to bring to the attention of the student body, through the Student Senate the gains made in re-organization of the Intramural Board constitution. The revamping of the constitution will provide simplicity and clarity for organized intramurals which will inevitably benefit all concerned."

With that statement let's all look for a bigger and better intramural season for the coming year.

Basketball tryouts — Monday, October 15.



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## AU Attack Nets 532 Yards As Team Wins Tenth In Row

by Allen Siegel

Have you ever had a day where you could do no right and everyone else seemed to do no wrong?

If this has ever phased you just think how the Kings Point team feels. They weren't world beaters. They had a nice football squad with some potential.

They came up to Alfred hoping for a win. They pulled an upset in just about the same position two years ago. Then what happens. Four minutes after they take the field Jimmy Ryan cuts thru tackle and they are down 6-0. After he kicks, yes kicks, Alfred's first point after touchdown in ages the score goes to 7-0 and they never knew what hit them.

You think that's bad. Three minutes later they're losing by twice that margin. This time it's Johnny Zluchoski who scampers 4 yards for the score. Ryan adds insult to injury and kicks his second PAT.

This TD should makes things easier for KP because the starting team leaves the field for the night as they become spectators for the remainder of the clash.

It should make things nice but the next time the Saxons get the ball it takes Jimmy Hartnett three plays to get another TD. The score comes when Jim races 75 yards on

### McAlee Out For Year

Bill McAlee, Saxon guard will be out of action for the remainder of the season because of a broken bone in his leg. McAlee received his injury the second half of the game with Cortland State.

a keeper play. To make things nice he runs the ball over to up the tally to 21-0.

Things don't stay that way for very long. One play before the quarter ends Jim Hartnett tosses a 6 yard pass to John Farnan in the end zone and the fourth TD goes up. Freshman Ralph Talarico gets the 28th point and the quarter ends.

Midway thru the second quarter Kings Point gets the ball on the Saxon 36 and 7 plays later they hit paydirt. The six-pointer comes on a pass from Bill Harries to Hank Schroeder for 13 yards.

This new found life wasn't long to last for Kings Point as Coach Yunevich now had a third team in action. Just to show that the younger Saxons weren't to be denied a fellow named Ray Frisbee took over.

The first time he put his hands on the ball was on the seven yard line. He wasn't there long because he scored a TD on that play. That got the score up to 34-6. To make things natural the conversion attempt was missed.

Alfred must have been tired at the start of the second half. It took them all of eight and a half minutes before they hit paydirt again. This time that fellow Frisbee touched the ball for the third

time in the contest. He got it on the AU 46 and ran away from the field for 54 yards and the score.

Just to make things nice freshman quarterback Lou Thrasher called on number 26 again a little later in the quarter and Mr. Frisbee ran the 35 yards necessary for his third touchdown of the game and a 46-6 score. Thrasher then passed to Steve Kelly for the PAT.

To set up this third Frisbee TD Thrasher and Tom Cechini and Ralph Talarico had two fine pass plays of 17 and 43 yards, respectively. The bombardment against the Merchant Marine came to a halt early in the fourth quarter when Thrasher and Cechini combined on an 84 yard touchdown pass play. Cechini ran about 65 yards on the play after catching the ball.

Statistics wrap up the game and show why Kings Point never should have left their hotel in Elmira. The Mariners gained 112 yards on offense. They threw 30 passes and completed 13. All of this sounds impressive but their offense on the ground sputtered for all of 14, count them, 14 yards. During the second half they amassed a total of minus 7 yards.

While this "attack" was going on Alfred had 335 yards rushing and 197 yards in the air for a grand, and it was, total of 532 yards.

The win gives Alfred a two-zero mark for the campaign and the squad is now undefeated in ten straight. It's also the 42nd game in a row in which AU has scored.

The contest also marked a milestone for Coach Yunevich. This was victory number 80 for him since he started at AU in '37. He has had only 24 defeats and 5 ties.

## Harriers Stop Colgate; Squad Undefeated, 2-0

The cross country team of Dr. Milton Tuttle helped celebrate Parents' Day by routing the Colgate University squad to the tune of 20-40.

The undefeated harriers, winner of their first two matches, had little trouble in recording their victory. These same two teams met last year and the score was a little closer with AU also taking that one 20-35.

### Football Squad; Harriers On Road

St. Lawrence University will feel the bulk of Coach Alex Yunevich's Saxon grid machine when the Larries play host to Alfred in the one-hundredth anniversary homecoming clash at Canton Saturday.

St. Lawrence opened the '56 season as they bowed to Upsala 22-0. Hofstra topped the Cantonites 19-7 in their game at Hempstead and last Saturday the Larries were at Norwich College.

In his first year as coach at SLU is Homer E. Merrifield, a graduate of Colgate '52 where he earned letters in both football and basketball.

This will be the seventeenth meeting between the two ball clubs with Alfred having taken six. In the last homecoming clash at Canton that Alfred participated in the Warriors, with a good team, took a tightly contested 7-6 win.

Saturday the harriers of Dr. Tuttle will have their one big hurdle on the schedule, with a dual meet with Syracuse University on the Syracuse golf course.

The Orange was one of the two squads to beat Alfred last season

Once again Frank Finnerty led the way as he took the 4.3½ mile course in 22:17.5. For the Saxon sophomore this was his second consecutive victory.

Larry Sweet, Alfred's freshman flash from Buffalo came home eleven seconds behind Finnerty to get the number two spot. Frank Schuerholtz was the first Red Raider over the line as he just did beat out Alfred's Frank Gilbert by nine seconds.

The number five slot went to the Maroon captain, Bill Yandel, who came in ahead of an Alfred trio of Carl Blanchard, Larry Eaton and Doug Smith. Fred Woodruff of Colgate was ninth and the Warrior's Joe Connor rounded out the top ten.

The 20-40 victory gives the Alfred team a perfect record as they prepare to take on their biggest opposition of the year when they travel to Syracuse this Saturday.

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Both the footballers and the cross country men return home for the homecoming contests October 20.

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