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STUDENT BOX HOLDER

Curie Starts Forum Series

Eve Curie, author, war correspondent, and daughter of the famous discoverers of radium will present the first program in the 1942-43 Forum Series Monday, October 5, in Alumni Hall at 8:15.

Miss Curie's program, which will be presented in the form of a lecture-forum, is entitled "The Theatres of War." Her recent dispatches from the Libyan front on the war in the desert, her stories of the heroic ef-

First Forum Speaker



Miss Eve Curie

forts of the Russians last winter to drive out the Nazi invaders, her trip over the fabled Burma Road, her many accounts of the fighting in the Far East have earned her a place among the top war correspondents of World War II.

Wrote Mother's Biography

Eve Curie first won fame in her own right with her biography of her famous mother, Madame Curie. Since then she has earned a reputation for her work in interpreting the present war effort. She visited the fronts in Libya, Russia, Burma, India and China. She had planned to go on to Malaya and the Philippines but they had fallen to the invader before her arrival.

The impression that Miss Curie received throughout her travels was the necessity of opening up a strong offensive action by the United Nations. In this connection she expressed great admiration for the Russians and their all-out effort to win the war. "Our plans for 1943 depend on the fact that Russia exists in 1942," she said. "It is Russia that enables us to make any plans for the future at all."

Born in Paris

On December 6, 1905 Eve Curie was born in Paris. She was graduated at the Secigne College as a Bachelor of Science and later with a Bachelor of Philosophy degree.

Actively interested in music, Eve Curie devoted several years to the study of the piano. She became a virtuoso and gave her first concert in 1925 in Paris. Later on she devoted herself to musical criticism. Besides French and Polish, Miss Curie speaks admirable English.

Notice To Servicemen

Men in the armed services who are now receiving the Fiat Lux and wish to continue to do so should send a letter to this paper indicating that they wish to continue receiving it.

The subscription form in this issue may be filled out to give correct address. The Fiat will be mailed to men in the service free if they ask for it. Anyone who knows an Alfred man in the service should advise them of this offer.

The papers will be sent only to those who request it in the future because many papers are now being returned by postoffice as undelivered. A new mailing list must be compiled and this can be done if interested men send in their addresses. Service men who do receive the Fiat will please keep this paper advised of their correct addresses.

Assignments Due 7:00 Thursday

Murray Schwartz, co-editor of the Kanakadea, has announced that all assignments are to be handed in at the Kanakadea office in Burdick Hall at 7:00 Thursday.

Blue Key Sets Oct. 3 and 10 For Social Events

Saturday night from 8 to 12, in South Hall, Blue Key will sponsor the first in the series of War-Scholarship dances. The entire proceeds from this dance will go into the War-Scholarship fund.

Dancing will be to the tune of the Schuster Sound System. The War-Scholarship fund was established last year for the benefit of students who return to school after the war. Money raised for this fund is being invested in Victory Bonds. After the war the Bonds will be cashed in or re-invested and the proceeds will be used for a scholarship fund.

At their meeting Sunday, Blue Key also discussed plans for an all-college entertainment program for October 10. This date was originally set for the annual home-coming celebration, but because of the elimination of football, some other program will have to be substituted. Some sort of entertainment is being planned for the afternoon and a dance with an orchestra has been suggested for the evening. Guy Rindonee '43, is in charge of the committee to plan the affair.

No Extra Day Thanksgiving

"There will be no extension of the Thanksgiving vacation this year," stated President J. Nelson Norwood.

The State of New York requires that sixteen weeks of academic work constitute a semester or trimester. Because of the need for acceleration, Alfred was allowed to shorten her trimester to fifteen weeks. These fifteen weeks include the two block days as academic days even though review work is covered at that time.

"As the calendar stands today we are still short one day," stated President Norwood. "This will have to be made up in some way before January. The administration has endeavored to arrange the best possible vacations and yet begin the semester after Labor Day and end it before Christmas."

"After discussing the problem with Dr. Norwood and members of the faculty, the Student Senate has decided to abandon the plans for petitioning an extra day of vacation at Thanksgiving," stated Schuster.

Alfred Alumnus In Many Productions

Robert Beers '40, has been with the Senior Players' producing unit at Pasadena Community Playhouse. He was in "Stage Door", "Sporting Pink", "Beauty", "Lady Lena" and on the playbox stage in the classic "Tusitala."

Beers has been playing in, as well as producing, radio programs over stations KPAS and KPPU of Pasadena.

In addition to his acting, he has been studying drama at the Playhouse School of Theatre in Pasadena, and was awarded his diploma in June.

Well known in Alfred for his dramatic work, Beers was president of the Footlight Club and a member of Theta Alpha Phi, honorary dramatic fraternity. He also played leading roles in many campus productions, including "Our Town", as well as directing Frosh-Soph plays.

U.S.O. Dance To Be Hallowe'en Dance

A USO dance, sponsored by the non-affiliated students will replace the annual all-campus Hallowe'en dance.

The dance, to be held in Firemen's Hall, will be a costume affair, and will be built around the gay nineties theme. Round and square dancing and old-time floor shows will be featured.

Committees from both the non-affiliated group and the newly organized Student Recreation Committee are working on the plans.

Dinner Guest

Dr. Arthur J. Elliott, assembly speaker and guest preacher at the University Church Sunday, was a dinner guest at Kappa Psi Sunday.

\$2,850 In Bonds Sold Thursday

A total of \$2,850 worth of Victory Bonds was bought by Alfred students and townspeople last Thursday night when the Hollywood Bondmobile visited the campus. Alfred University was the only university visited by this group during their cross-state trip from Battery Park to Niagara Falls.

The first bond purchased was a \$500 bond sold to the University to be applied to the War Scholarship fund; Kian Alpine fraternity and President J. Nelson Norwood purchased \$500 bonds.

Pat O'Brien '46 was the first student to buy a bond. A \$25 bond was purchased from money collected at the bonfire. This was presented to President Norwood, who later donated it to the War Scholarship Fund.

Effigies of Hitler, Mussolini and Hirohito, made by the three sororities, were burned in the bonfire which accompanied the bond sale. The American Legion Band of Hornell provided music for the celebration.

Christian Leader To Visit A.C.F. Meeting Here

Kay Duffield, traveling secretary of the Student Christian Movement in New York State, will again visit the Alfred campus on Sunday, October 4.

Miss Duffield will meet with the A.C.F. Cabinet on Sunday afternoon and will speak on "Your Fellow Students in War Time" at the A.C.F. meeting at 7:15 in Susan Howell Social Hall.

A graduate of Wellsley, Miss Duffield has for several years been visiting various New York State colleges and universities which belong to the Student Christian Movement. She comes here from the University of Rochester and will leave for Elmira College.

Plant Manager Undergoes Successful Operation

Mr. Ward Tooke, plant manager, underwent a successful major operation September 14 in Hornell's Bethesda Hospital. He is recuperating rapidly and he may receive visitors.

Registrar Releases 155 Names; Addresses Of Freshmen Class

A complete list of freshman students and their home town addresses has been released by the Registrar's office today. There are 155 freshman students registered.

Abramson, Edgar Allen, New York City; Adams, Ralph Joseph, Waterloo; Adams, Eunice Margaret, Spencerport; Albiston, Charlotte Monell, Pittsford; Alverson, Donald Rennel, Jr., Dansville; Anderson, Herbert Harold, Port Alleghey, Penna.; Babcock, Bruce Duffin, Newark; Banks, Caroline Elizabeth, Niagara Falls; Barber, Jean Eleanor, Conesus; Barrus, Mae, Ithaca; Basciani, Marie, East Rochester; Beals, Rtlph Winthrop, Jr., Niagara Falls; Beazell, William Henry, Jr., Bradford, Penna.; Becerra, Maria, Pelham; Bell, Wesley Everett, Yonkers; Bemis, Donald Melvin, Silver Creek; Bennett, Marion Sisson, Wayland; Betts, Richard Henry, Delmar; Bloss, Kenneth Churchill, Canisteo; Blum, Seymour, Brooklyn; Bovee, Frances Evelyn, Niagara Falls; Bradley, Phyllis Jeanne, Bradford, Penna.; Breitsman, Willis John Jr., Medina; Brennan, Constance Gratian, White Plains; Burdick, Dorothy Jean, Little Genesee; Bruner, Edward, New York City; Carpenter, Eugene Ellis, Middletown; Carson, Cora Margaret, Rushville; Chapman, Coreene Louise, Genesee, Penna.; Clemens, Alyce Marie, Hornell; Comfort, Doris Florence, Canisteo; Conroy, Peggy Jane, Northville; Cottrell, Henry Loomis, Brooklyn; Crawford, Charles Russell, Cameron Mills; Crump, Malcolm Lowell, Alfred; Currey, Alan Conklin, Pleasantville; Daily, William Burton, Wellsville; Davis, Nancy Ellen, Baldwinville; DePuy, Brewster Larson, Nunda; Dick, Edward Francis, Garden City; Diefendorf, Charles, Silver Creek; Doyle, Alton Bailey, Elmira; Dunbar, Violet Knauth, Kingston;

Middle-aged Boggled Down Says Dr. Elliott

"It is the middle-aged group that is bogged down," declared Dr. Arthur J. "Dad" Elliott, graduate of Northwestern University and worker in the world student movement, in assembly Thursday as he discussed "What Will We Be?"

"The difficulty with my generation is that we have failed to set up criteria for judging right and wrong," he added.

As a philosophy he advocated "Whatever has proved universally good for the species is morally right; I must stand for it. Whatever has proved universally bad for the species is morally wrong; I must oppose it."

"It is a great gift of grace to be able to say 'No' at the right time and place," he observed.

"The attitudes we have formed are of the greatest significance in deciding what we will be," he stated, adding that "one out of four changes his attitude after high school but only one out of seven after college."

Of 20 college men well-known to him in his generation only nine have changed their attitudes. The light-fingered fellow, the athlete who broke training; both died in disgrace and despair; the man voted the most unselfish in his college class is the most popular and most highly respected man in his community.

"The biggest problem today is not youth; it is the leadership."

Following the World War in the '20's, he recalled, an influx of dishonest students forced the honor system out of his Alma Mater. The proctor system was established "and we're still in it—back in the kindergarten" and that group is now stepping into leadership, often with attitudes unchanged.

"The elder generation has foisted upon youth the greatest force of propaganda ever seen, to make you their dupes," he declared, referring particularly to liquor advertising. "A glass of beer, all advertising to the contrary, slows human mental reactions the amount of time that it takes an automobile traveling 40 miles an hour to go 40 feet. Alcohol and gasoline don't mix," he asserted.

"We haven't the mental and moral sense to use the developments of science," he said.

Men Outnumber Women According To Figures

Liberal Arts Sophomore Class Shows Only Class In Reduction Of Men Students

World War II hasn't changed Alfred into a seminary for women yet, according to registration figures released today by Registrar Waldo Titsworth.

CLASSIFICATION 1942-1943

FIRST SEMESTER September 25, 1942	LIBERAL ARTS			CERAMICS			TOTAL		
	Men	Wom	Total	Men	Wom	Total	Men	Wom	Total
Graduates	1	2	3	2	1	3	3	3	6
Seniors	19	27	46	38	8	46	57	35	92
Juniors	19	16	35	50	15	65	69	31	100
Sophomores	17	32	49	55	18	73	72	50	122
Freshmen	34	36	70	59	26	85	93	62	155
Specials	5	4	9	0	0	0	5	4	9
TOTALS	95	117	212	204	68	272	299	185	484
Theology							7	0	7
GRAND TOTALS							306	185	491

Registration figures show that there are 306 men and only 185 women registered at Alfred University in the College of Liberal Arts and in the Ceramic College. The only deficiency of men shows in the sophomore class in the College of Liberal Arts. There are only 17 men against 32 women.

Trembling Frosh Receive Penalties From Frosh Court

Chief Justice, Benny Soldano called Frosh Court to order Sunday night at 7:30 in Alumni Hall. Trembling Frosh, charged with numerous offenses, stumbled forward. They were tried for failure to tip their caps, walking on the grass, failure to wear frosh buttons, and insubordination to upper classmen.

The sentences ranged from giving free shins, to wearing strange apparel such as a bird cage, a barrel, a bathing suit, and a pair of red flannels. One culprit must wear his clothes backward, another must dress like a lady and dance the conga, while still a third must dress like Little Lord Fauntleroy.

Walking signs will be in evidence. Poles of various lengths, with caps, eight balls, and buckets of water attached to their ends will be carried around the campus.

When you see Little Lord Fauntleroy wheeling a baby carriage and wearing a sign which reads, "I finally settled down," don't think you are suffering from a hangover—it's merely the Frosh Court seeing that justice is given to those who deserve it.

Forensic Society To Work With Key Morale Committee

The Alfred Forensic Society will work in conjunction with the Alfred Key Center of Civilian Morale as a part of its program for the coming year.

Forensic members will speak to outside groups in order to help make the citizens of Western New York active supporters of our country's war effort. In addition to this and several planned debates, it is expected that a comparatively large number of round-table discussions will be held on the campus.

A membership drive will be started in the near future during which all freshmen and upperclassmen who are interested in debating will be contacted. Anyone who desires to participate in this year's program who is not contacted should communicate with any of the Society's officers and watch the Fiat Lux for further announcements.

The officers for the current college year are: President, Robert Meyer '44; Vice President, Richard Rulon '44; Secretary-Treasurer, Doris Thompson '44.

One Professor, Six Frosh Collected 1 Ton of Scrap

Professor W. M. Burditt and six freshman boys can boast of obtaining one ton of scrap metal as a result of the scrap metal drive which occurred on Saturday, September 26.

The following freshmen boys aided in the roundup of scrap metal: Arthur Schwartz, James Whitcomb, John Whiteford, John Kourian, Richard Betts, and Horst Rodies.

The freshman class leads with a total of 155 students, 93 of which are males. Sophomores have 122 in their ranks with 72 men and 50 women. There are 100 juniors, 69 men and 31 women. The seniors have 57 men and 35 women making a total of 92 students.

It might also be interesting to know the following statistics about freshman applications:

	Liberal Arts	Ceramics
Admitted, enrolled	70	83
Refused Admission	13	10
Withdrawn	18	4
Total	101	99

More than half the persons withdrawn from Liberal Arts were scholarship applicants who found assistance available to them here either inadequate to enable them to go to college, or less than they could procure at other colleges. Most of the remaining withdrawals in both colleges were caused by "unforeseen circumstances", of which financial difficulties probably predominate.

There are nine special students registered and seven theology students. Complete registration figures are shown in the table below.

NEWS IN REVIEW

By Doc Manchester

One more week has gone by and Germany has not yet reached her main objective—Stalingrad. The battle has turned from the use of guns and tanks to hand battles in the city streets. When Germany first started her drive against Stalingrad, she measured her gains in miles, but this last week she measured her advances in yards. In some sectors of the city the two armies were only 35 yards apart.

The future history of Russia lies in the ability of the Russian troops who are still holding Stalingrad. If Hitler should be victorious, he would dominate the lower Volga region, the entrances to the Caspian and the oil wells at Baha. He would also have a vital base from which to work in view of the fast approaching winter; and if he could be well situated, he might ask his Nazi friends, the Japanese, to invade Siberia.

But the Nazi troops are paying heavily for their gains. In one report Moscow claimed that some 7,200 Germans and 109 tanks had been destroyed in just one day. We can also read between the lines and figure that the Russians, too, are losing large numbers of men and material.

Many people are saying both in Europe and the United States, that the fast approaching Russian winter will stop Hitler because he will not be able to stand the cold weather in Russia. However, Soviet spokesmen seem to believe that the Germans have prepared themselves for a second winter. How true this statement is remains to be seen.

Out of the partially conquered Russia came calls for the opening of a second front this year. This last week, Wendell Willkie and Joseph Stalin met and talked for two hours. What they talked about was not disclosed, but we can well imagine that

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Living On Borrow Time

"American students are 'living on borrowed time'. There is no commitment that any man may complete his college education," said Harvey H. Bundy, assistant to the Secretary of War, in an address to Yale freshmen. Willingness of the government to permit young men to enter college rather than go into the fighting front was described by Bundy to be a "loan" and an "experiment".

Apparently the government has not made up its mind what the role of the college student will be. Government officials have announced at various times that we must keep our men in college to train in professions vital to the war effort and to insure our supplies of educated leaders for the post-war reconstruction. In the next breath, they clamor for more young men in the services. This leaves the average male college student "out on a limb." His duty is not clear to him.

One thing is clear, however; all able bodied males are bound for duty in the armed forces if this war lasts, and it certainly appears that it will last. Already announcement has come that the student members of the enlisted reserve of the army will not be summoned at some indefinite time in the future but will be called up at the end of the present college term as they reach the draft age of twenty.

All of these facts point to one thing. College men owe it to their country to get the most that they can for the time they are here. Men must get as close as possible to their educational goal before they are called.

Man Is Not A Little Cog

If anyone ever tells us that man is small and insignificant after this, we will not fall for his line. If he says that man is a little cog that can be pushed this way and that, we will take issue. We still think of the job that the small garrison defending Stalingrad and the people of the city are doing now and the detractor of man will have to eat his words.

We have seen the farm bloc in Congress sabotage the fight against inflation. And it makes us sore when we think of men in a far corner of the world fighting for over a month against tremendous odds with little hope and less equipment.

Maybe it is necessary for the enemy to batter at our front door before we realize that only a concerted effort on all our parts plus a realization that this war can be lost very easily will make us get down to business and apply ourselves to the job of stopping Hitler as the armies and people of Russia are doing.

Meanwhile, we can just feel a little ashamed at ourselves when we read the stories about the resistance in Stalingrad.

Wanted, . . . Ideas

The All-Campus Recreation Committee which was recently organized as an advisory committee to conjure new and better plans for campus recreation this year has a big job on its hands. It is the duty of this committee to think of ideas to replace the usual run of entertainment and to fill the gap left by football. The committee isn't organized to carry out any of these plans. They merely originate them and then suggest them to the proper organization through Blue Key to be executed.

Already the committee has had several novel ideas to entertain the poor overworked students in their idle moments. Plans were discussed to suggest more skating this winter. A treasure hunt for the whole campus was suggested. Street dances, hikes, hay and sleigh rides, variety shows with local talent have been mentioned as possibilities.

This committee exists only on the suggestions of the students; therefore they must have your ideas. They must know what you would like to see on campus. Any students who have any suggestions should tell their representative in their residence about them so that he can take the suggestion to the committee.

To start the ball rolling with suggestions we would like to mention one which a faculty member's wife told us. An all-campus outing club was suggested as a source of good times. This club could be organized on the lines of those in many other colleges. The clubs usually have a varied program of winter and summer sports events including plenty of hikes and week-end parties at nearby farms or cabins. Most of these clubs organize and raise money to buy a small plot of wooded ground with a cabin (preferably with a giant fireplace and a bearskin rug) to which the groups send weekly safaris. More information on this suggestion and its originator can be secured from the editor.

Rack your skulls, students and give the committee some ideas from those cobwebs around your grey matter.

Editor's Mail Bag

Editor Fiat Lux,

Before I get down to business there is the little matter of one anatomically impossible squirt (who or which) at the moment resides among the lilies at prexy's morass. He (or it) is the gift of the class of nineteen forty—"the evil that men do" Prior to the war NYC had a similar eyesore entitled "Civic Virtue", and even tho it didn't spout water too, the efficient "little flower" had it transported to Queens. If it were not for the exigencies of World War II, I would suggest the same treatment for that little abbreviated gargoye, but now we are blessed with a more patriotic method.

Let's not let a three year old metal monstrosity get the best of our attempt to scrap the Jap.

Even since the advent of Mrs. Amelia Bloomer and Marlene Dietrich it has been the custom of people in the Western Hemisphere to wear costumes whose general outer appearance made it possible for one to tell at a glance the sex of the wearer.

Until the advent of the class of 1946 on Alfred's campus it was still possible for the trained observers to distinguish at a glance a person's gender.

But now a terrific problem has arisen.

A new brand of being has appeared on the American Scene. It brazenly marches about in the traditional garment of masculinity and yet demands for its obvious physiological differences certain attention and activity on the part of others which is not accorded to men. After intensive investigation into details . . . a few upperclassmen arrived at the astounding theory that this was no new being, but just a little bit of femininity that got into the wrong cocoon and metamorphized into the wrong butterfly. While mulling over the state of affairs, it occurred on further observation that:

(W.P.B. please note) A skirt-short enough to be interesting, long enough to be modest—still contains less material than a pair of dungarees tight enough to be interesting, loose enough to be modest.

So dear butterflies back to your cocoons and metamorphize from whence you came, out of *Our pants* and back to your skirts.

Girls of Alfred! *Pro Bono Puffico* Doff the dungarees, don the skirts, for on you they look good.

Hat Roberts '44

Beyond The Valley

By George Hyams

The people of 'the State of New York are in one tough spot. The coming gubernatorial election is going to leave them behind the eight-ball, no matter who wins.

Also it is rather silly to say "no matter who wins", because Dewey is to this election what the Yankees are to the American League in respect to hope for victory.

But it is too bad that, in times like these the voters of the state are not being given a square deal, Jim Farley is on the outs with Roosevelt so he gets John Bennett the nomination. Bennett is a nice fellow who was a good Attorney General, but he is the Farley boy and promises nothing much as Governor. Dewey is a straight politician, who never says anything or does anything that will hurt him in any way and wants very much to be President. He is a fence-sitter of the first water and it is not the fence-sitters of this world who win wars or get things done.

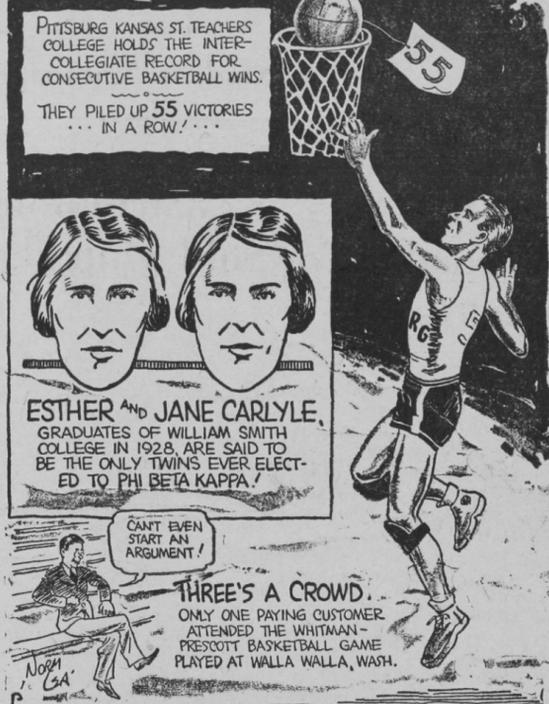
Then along comes the American Labor Party. Certainly an admirable and idealistic group, it cannot win, but will help Bennett to stay out of the Governor's chair. With Alliance in we could at least be sure that Albany would not be planning how to sabotage Roosevelt or how to get the Republican Presidential nomination in 1944. But he will run a bad third, just good enough to kick the Farley-Bennett duo in the pants.

New York 'has had some good governors in recent years. Smith, Roosevelt and Lehman initiated reforms and given the state excellent administrations. At any other time we could stand a man who is not up to their calibre, but with a war going on it will not help matters much.

We are not trying to say the election of either candidate is going to mean a Hitler victory. Not at all. We will win with either man or in spite of either man, but it does seem a shame that, while we hear so much about the need for an all-out war effort and the need for unity of purpose, a few politicians can minimize a national danger and run their merry way, no matter what the cost.

Both the Democratic and Republican party leaders in New York join hands with the farm bloc and sit back to laugh at the American people. And it's a damned shame.

Campus Camera



IN THE SOCIAL SWIM

By Jeanne Sherman

Once again Alfred Frolics are brightening up the campus, as Autumn begins to make its appearance. Leaves will soon begin to show their brilliant colors. Already, fall informals have been inspired by the essence of Autumn.

Rhythm will hold sway this Friday evening at Kappa Nu open house. The sound system will provide music for dancing. Faculty guests who are to be there include Prof. and Mrs. Don Schreckengost, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Seidlin, Dr. and Mrs. Roland L. Warren, and Prof. and Mrs. Lloyd L. Lowenstein.

Week-end guests at Sigma Chi included Mary Stein, ex-'44, from Scarsdale, N. Y.; Doris Dascomb Rhodes, ex-'44, from Oakfield, N. Y., and Jane Watkins from Rochester. Beatrice Nash, '42, who is teaching at Cohocton, was also a guest last Thursday.

Kappa Psi House was decked in Indian regalia last Saturday evening. Music was provided by the house sound system. Chief Ray Dry '44, was in charge of refreshments. Soft drinks and cookies were served. On the social committee were Loren Manchester '44, Guy Hartman '43, Robert Williams '44, and Daryl Beard '45.

Pfc. James Lynch '41, and Paul Miller '42, were week-end guests of Lambda Chi. Miller will be inducted into the Navy within a week.

Prof. and Mrs. John Reed Spicer were dinner guests at Kappa Nu Sunday.

Jack Rainear '43, Klan Alpine, Fred Kaplowitz '44, Kappa Nu, Frank Klein '44, Kappa Nu, John Tiftickjian '44, Lambda Chi, Burrill Friedman '43, Kappa Nu were guests at Kappa Psi's Open House Saturday.

Lambda Chi Alpha pledged Marian Nadler '44, in a ceremony held a week ago last Monday night.

Dr. and Mrs. Murray J. Rice were dinner guests at Pi Alpha last Wednesday evening.

A good time was had by all at Klan Alpine's fall informal last Friday evening. Faculty guests were Prof. and Mrs. John Reed Spicer, Dr. and Mrs. Paul C. Saunders, and Dr. and Mrs. Murray J. Rice. Other guests were Reginald Miner '45, Delta Sig; Arthur Powell '43, Kappa Nu; Stuart Davis '43, Kappa Psi; and Robert Sinclair '43, Lambda Chi. There were also three men from the Navy Air Corps: William Hogue, Tracey O'Tooney and John Law.

Barbara Hill '42, and Harriet Klees '42, were guests at Theta Chi last week-end.

Music of the house sound system provided dancing at Delta Sig's open house last Saturday evening. Apple and cherry pie a la mode were served with coffee. Reginald Miner '43, George Schmidt '44, and Grant Merriam '44, were in charge of refreshments.

Virginia Engbers '40, was a guest at Pi Alpha Pi last week-end.

Formal initiation was held Sunday morning at Kappa Nu for Laurence Weinstein '45, Mortimer Friedman '45, Bernard Bloom '43, Warren Lewin '45, Aaron Small, a graduate student, Joseph Rabinowitz '45, and Martin Davideon '45.

College Town

By Al Sax

We had to go home last week on important business. Therefore, it was impossible to write a column. And when the "Mole" complained about the absence of "College Town" it did my heart good to know that we had one regular reader. That's more than Hyams can boast.

The best description of the popular opinion of the physical education program for men is expressed in the "envious look of the man who went to 8:00 a. m. gym upon the man who didn't." (Direct quotation from one of our wiser Juniors.)

In one fell swoop, the Greene Block is losing its name and old, familiar physiognomy. The new name would not be bad except for the fact that it's a direct steal from one of the nicer female organizations in town. But the new appearance destroys the source of the odd remark that came from many a Liberal Arts frosh, "I've attended classes in all sorts of buildings and rooms but never before in a store."

The illustrious Mr. Berger, of the Bronx and Dana Peck's, crashes the news this week with the most unusual sports feat of the current season. Our hero and Johnny Price (of the Navy gang) were on a practice run for cross country training the other day. Their enthusiasm was so great that they ran on heedless of time, distance and direction. There they were, babes in the wood. After due time, along came the woodchopper (Coach McLane) to rescue them from peril. Making use of their combined knowledge of navigation and with the aid of the speedometer they discovered that they were merely 7 1/2 miles from home, on the road to Wellsville.

Is that all Berger did? Not by a long shot. Why, when Uncle Bobby was talking about stuff and things in Pyrometry the guy who gave him all the right answers and put the right words in his mouth was . . . of course. But Uncle B. with a broad grin woke the class up by saying, "It won't help you a bit, Berger", to which even Chick guffawed.

Coming down from Alumni Hall at night, we tripped on a rough spot in the road. Upon investigation by match light, we discovered that that was the spot that was burned by the class of '45. Taxing our mental powers we tried to recall the circumstances of the affair and it seems that the frosh paid to have the road repaired. Merely out of personal curiosity, we would appreciate some enlightening facts on why the road is in the same condition of disrepair, and whatever did happen to all those dimes the '45'ers paid.

English Boy Writes Foster Parents

10 May 1941 (?)

Dear Foster Parents
I have just come back from Baby Woods, it is a large wood just outside Daventry I got a lovely bunch of flowers there. The weather is lovely and sunny here in the Midland country-side. We have started running for sports day which is sometime in June. I have been promoted in the scouts to a second which is second in command of a patrol of boys; We go tracking in the bushes and fields and roads. I am getting on fine at school and I like it very much. We have started to play cricket this term we had our first match last Saturday against the B.B.C. station of Daventry we won it by about 10 runs and 2 wickets. I will close now

Yours Sincerely

John.

Those of us who are friends of John's on this side are most grateful for the help that is being sent from America. You will be glad to know that he is doing really well at school, and that his father and his sisters, who still live here in East London, are very proud of him.
(The Rev. Alexander Miller.)

draft age would be called in active service at the end of the present semester) would almost have welcomed a revival of World War I's fumbling Student Army Reserve Corps. Despite its inefficiency SATC put the boys in uniform . . . and saved the colleges from bankruptcy."

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Klan Upsets Delta Sig; Kappa Psi; Lambda Chi Also Winners

Two-handed touch intramural football smashed into its second season last Saturday afternoon with three closely-fought games being waged.

In the battle between the two strongest appearing teams of the league, Klan Alpine nosed out a fast finishing Delta Sig team, 13-6. Kappa Psi trimmed Kappa Nu with a 7-0 score and Lambda Chi squeezed through with a 6-0 last minute victory over Bartlett in the other two games. The Independents drew a bye.

Delta Sig Upset

After a scoreless first period, a sleeper play with a pass going from Deyerling to East caught Delta Sig completely unaware and East scored easily. Deyerling kicked the extra point to send Klan ahead 7-0.

Klan scored again in the third quarter with a pass from Barnes to Olsen clicking for the six points. A pass for the extra point failed.

Delta Sig came to life in the final period as their hard-charging line blocked a punt which Miner recovered. Several minutes later Golden passed to Brady for the Sigs' only score.

Kappa Psi Comes Through

A fifteen yard penalty against Kappa Nu for catching their own punt set the stage for the last quarter 7-0 victory by Kappa Psi, a last down flip from Cottrell to Powell netting the touchdown. Cottrell skirted his own right end for the extra point.

Kappa Nu was unable to open an offensive against the Kappa Psi defense, completing but three passes throughout the game. Most of the action occurred between the 40-yard lines.

Afternoon Game Closely Fought

In the afternoon tilt, the newly-organized Bartlett team fumbled deep in their own territory with but forty seconds of play left to set up the stage for a Timke to Moebus victory pass for Lambda Chi.

Lambda Chi maintained the offensive during the first half but Bartlett came out in the third period with an aerial attack which set the Lambda Chi team back toward their own goal.

Both teams threatened in the final period but neither could push across until the fatal fumble took place.

Alfred Graduate Selected Among Top Educators For Service

Harry Langworthy, a graduate of Alfred University with the class of 1907, was recently accepted in the new division of the War Department Special Services, Division of Services of Supply, Educational Branch. He was former superintendent of schools in Gloversville. He was picked among the 150 leading educators of the nation for this service.

The Army Specialists Corps is a new group within the Division of Service and Supply. Formed during the summer, it is a group in which 150 well-known educators of the nation are to be enrolled to set up and conduct an educational system for the U. S. Army. This educational system is to prevail not only for the duration of the war but probably will be continued after the war if the nation continues to maintain a large army.

Only men who have been active in the administration of educational matters have been accepted for this service. The enrollees are all civilians, will be under army discipline and be provided with uniforms. The group is subject both to home and overseas service.

Mr. Langworthy was enrolled in somewhat similar education work during the first World War and was overseas. It is said that the new service is a decided elaboration of the first group and it is expected to be developed into a most important service to educate soldiers and to get them back into civilian life after the war.

Mr. Langworthy has been a frequent visitor on campus since his graduation

Trackmen To Meet Buffalo

Coach McLane's harriers are eagerly awaiting their first test under the fire of competition. This is tentatively scheduled to come Saturday, October 10, with a dual meet against the Buffalo State Teachers at Buffalo.

Originally set for Nov. 7th, the meet had to be moved up so that Alfred might participate in the Mid-Atlantics on that day.

Word has not been received from State as to their acceptance or refusal of the change. A definite announcement concerning the meet will be made as soon as possible.

Meanwhile the fight is on for berths on the varsity squad. On the basis of trial runs, among them a seven-mile grind on Wednesday, the following men have shaped up as varsity material: Marks, March, Breckon, Cooper, Fox, Wilson, Berger, Heebner, Ludwig, Reisman, Mooney, Rodies, Kent and McIntyre.

University Church Celebrates 20th Anniversary

Last week marked the celebration of the twentieth anniversary of the present organization of the University Church. A supper was served in the Parish House for all members and friends of the church, Thursday.

Honor guests included some of the original founders of the church, including Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Seidlin and Miss Elsie Binns, whose father was one-time minister of the church. Dr. A. J. Elliott was also present.

Greetings were brought by President Norwood from the University; Pastor E. T. Harris of the S. D. B. Church; Mrs. Mord Corsaw, president of the Women's Guild; Mrs. Grace Nease, superintendent of the Church School and Dr. S. R. Scholes, chairman of the Executive Committee of students and faculty which guides the church.

Mrs. Mord Corsaw and Mrs. G. Stewart Nease were the general chairmen of the affair. Miss Marion Fosdick had charge of decorations and Miss Lois Creighton of the student waitresses.

The anniversary exercises were concluded with a special worship service on Sunday morning at which Dr. A. J. Elliott was the guest preacher.

Colleges Will Be Cooler This Fall

Students in Eastern and Midwestern colleges are not going to have as warm rooms as in the piping times of peace, but they need not freeze.

Reason: The East normally consumes 1,500,000 barrels of oil a day. Submarines and the need for tankers in our overseas supply service has cut the supply by water to almost nothing. Overland facilities are taxed and the Midwest share its tank cars and other facilities. As a consequence, use of all fuel in those regions must be kept at a minimum.

Tip: In buying new clothes, get them warm!

and has always shown a great interest in Alfred's affairs.

Girls' Hockey Opens With Practice Tilt

A practice scrimmage between the upperclassmen and the freshmen last Saturday morning marked the opening of hockey season. There was a large attendance of Frosh, and according to Miss Creighton, a considerable amount of ability was displayed.

Class team managers were appointed. They are as follows: seniors, Mary McCarthy; juniors, Peg Hopkins; sophs, Peggy Long; frosh, Sylvia March. Jeanne Heckman '45, is general manager of the sport.

Faculty Members Attend A.C.S. Meets

Four members of the faculty of the Ceramic College attended committee meetings of the American Ceramic Society recently.

Prof. J. F. McMahon, R. M. Campbell and C. W. Merritt met with the committee on Whitewares, Materials and Equipment at State College, Pa.

Dr. S. R. Scholes attended the meeting of the glass division of the ACS at Absecon, N. J.

Dean Major E. Holmes will leave for New York City Saturday to represent the ACS at the inauguration of Dr. Harry Noble Wright as president of City College.

Alumni Write Ceramic Article

An article entitled "An Argument for Technology of Ceramic Design" by Kenneth E. Smith '29, and Paul E. Cox '05, appears in the September 15 issue of "Ceramic Abstracts" and the Bulletin of the American Ceramic Society.

Pres. Norwood Speaks At Canistota

President J. Nelson Norwood was the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Canistota Rotary Club, September 23.

The University of Michigan is offering courses in Siamese and Malay.

Graduates Get Various Jobs

Pottery, teaching, research and the ministry are now occupying the time of several of Alfred's recent graduates.

Eloise Bassett '42, and Cleo Crawford '42, both of Pi Alpha Pi, are now employed by the Stangl Potteries in Trenton, N. J. Rachel Peterson '42, of Sigma Chi Nu, is teaching French, Spanish and English at LaFargeville High.

Barbara Hill '42, of Theta Theta Chi, is in charge of the Commercial Department in the Penfield High School. Mildred Pivetz '42, is teaching mathematics in the Addison High School. Ruth Evans '40, has resigned her position as English teacher at Angelica and is teaching English at Pembroke High School. Josie Procopio '42, has a position in the Granville High School teaching Spanish and French. Alice Lundy '42, is now teaching English and French in Arkport.

John Ray of Kappa Psi Upsilon, Arthur Cohen and Robert Dows, all of the class of '42, are now working for the Hygrade Sylvania Corp. in Emporium, Pa.

Huber Watson '41, has accepted a position with the Eastman Kodak Co. in Rochester. He is doing research work in photo-micrography.

Adrienne Owre '40, of Pi Alpha, is a candidate for an ensign's commission in the U. S. Navy as a member of the Waves. She was sworn in as an apprentice seaman, September 9, at the office of Naval Procurement in Manhattan. After a four months' training course, she will receive her commission.

While at Alfred Miss Owre figured prominently in many campus activities. She served on the Fiat staff as news editor, associate news editor, and editorial page editor. She was also W.S.G. treasurer, a member of the French Club, Choir, Y.M.C.A., and W.A.G.B. Serving on both the hockey and basketball teams, she became a prominent figure in sports also.

Chapter houses are owned by nearly 3,000 fraternities and sororities.

Orchestra To Play On Founder's Day

The Alfred University orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Ada Becker Seidlin, has begun rehearsing in preparation for this year's work. The orchestra's first public appearance will be at the Founders' Day Program early in November.

The orchestra as yet is small and Mrs. Seidlin has announced that new members are especially needed in the violin and brass sections. Those interested should come to rehearsals at South Hall on Tuesdays at 7:30.

Brent Fellowship Sponsors Dinner

The Brent Fellowship sponsored a dinner at Professor H. G. Schurecht's home last Sunday evening at six o'clock after the Episcopal service in the Gothic Chapel.

Miss Elsie Binns was in charge of the program after supper. She gave an illustrative talk, sculpturing in clay to emphasize the points she made in her speech.

The officers of the Brent Fellowship are: Ailsa M. Johnstone, president and Donald Bard, secretary-treasurer.

Thanks, Students!

The cooperation of the students of Alfred made the trip of the Bondmobile here a success.

I wish to thank all the students, especially the members of the sororities, the president of the Student Senate, William Schuster; the president of the Blue Key, Roger Marks; the frosh handymen, and Lambda Chi Alpha for the use of their house and the sign they made.

I appreciate very much this fine spirit of cooperation.

-E. Fritjof Hildebrand.

To train replacements for hatchery men lost to the armed forces, Iowa State College recently offered a hatchery operators and managers' short course.

Meyer To Meet President Of Princeton U.

Robert Meyer '44, attended the Lackawanna Presbytery in Tunkhannock, Pa., on September 20-24. The Lackawanna Presbytery is composed of about 150 ministers and elders of the churches around Tunkhannock.

During his stay there, Meyer was examined by a special committee of the Presbytery on theological questions and given an opportunity to speak to the entire body on the topic, "Ministerial Concepts". Following this, he was made an official candidate for the Presbyterian ministry and accepted for admission to Princeton Seminary in 1944.

On September 30 he will go to New York City to meet the president of Princeton and to make final arrangements for graduate study in theology there.

March Of Time To Be Featured On Thursday

The latest March of Time, on the F. B. I., will be featured at the University Assembly, Thursday, Oct. 1, at 11:30. Most critics regard this as the best March of Time in years.

Also included on the program will be a technicolor reel on Mexico and music by the California Junior Symphony, made up of children in their early teens.

Haile Accepts Position From U. of Michigan

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Haile will soon leave for Ann Arbor, Mich., where Mr. Haile has accepted a position on the faculty of the University of Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. Haile have been graduate instructors in the Art Department of the Ceramic College for the past year. Their successors have not as yet been chosen.

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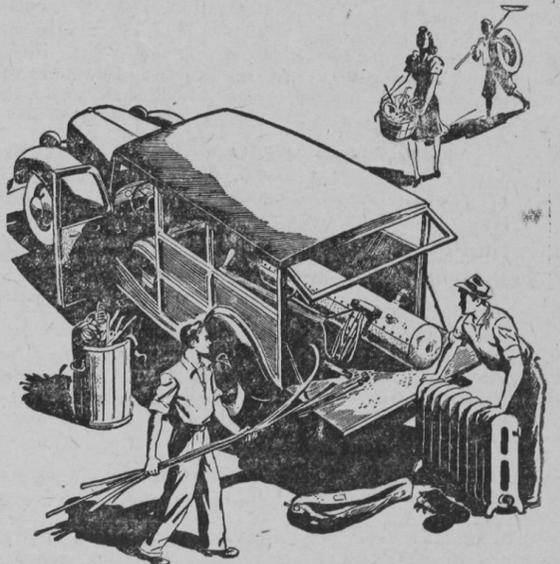
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Frosh Diary

Sunday evening I returned from Hornell at about 11:00 p. m. When I arrived in front of Bartlett Hall, I saw a huge pile of rags. My! How my heart thrilled to see how patriotic the sophomores were to leave their old clothes in front of our establishment in cooperation with the "old rag drive." They tell me the freshmen boys were not half so generous, and kept most of theirs.

Something happened to me on Monday which I cannot comprehend. I disclosed to one of the upperclassmen that I had been in Hornell over the week-end. When he inquired what I had been doing, I replied, "Visiting my grandmother." He smiled and said, "That reminds me of the tale of Red Riding Hood, who visited her grandmother." I fall to see the parallel. I know the little girl's grandmother turned out to be a wolf, but my grandmother is gentle and kind. Besides, she couldn't bite me if she wanted to, for she has no teeth.

Tuesday I arose to enjoy the scenery of the valley in the early morning, and looking on the opposite hill from Bartlett, I saw the barn with the date 1945 had been changed to 1946. I suppose the farmer who owns that barn is a case for the asylum. Every morning there is a different date on the side of that barn. I shall go up to see him in the near future, and give him one of my insurance calendars. That will prove to him that this is 1942. I suppose one does get out of touch with the dates up here.

Wednesday I went in search of Frosh Court. At first I thought it was a courtroom, but someone told me it was a very lovely place, with fishpools, birds, and flowers, fashioned somewhat after the old Roman court-yards. Unfortunately I could not locate it, and after consulting my guide book, I was no better off. The only court I could find was the tennis court. I got a postcard in my mailbox inviting me to a session at Frosh Court. I hope it is not a jam session for I would like to wear my tuxedo. They did not say whether it was formal or not, but I would prefer a masquerade ball.

Thursday I was walking along on the campus when a strong gust of wind blew my Frosh cap on the grass. I was told to keep off the grass so it could grow, and therefore had some difficulty in regaining it. I was very careful to tread lightly on the emerald tufts and someone very politely invited me to go to Frosh Court. Just think! *Two Invitations.* I never realized how popular I am.

Friday I assisted the boys in obtaining wood for the victory bonfire. We traveled all about the campus and down in the village gathering what wood we could, and what we could we would. However, some of our donors got a bit too generous and started throwing trash on the truck. I resented being a common garbage man!

—Hector Fuddle

Ceramic Guild Christmas Sale To Be Held This Year

The Ceramic Guild Christmas sale will be held again this year. The Ceramic students will make inexpensive and individual gifts such as: flower pots, cereal sets, large coffee cups and saucers and serving dishes of all varieties. Some of the articles will be made from native clay found in the Kanakadea behind the Ceramic buildings. A definite date for the sale has not yet been set.

Dr. Seidlin To Speak At Corning

Dr. Joseph Seidlin will represent the Key Center at the Kiwanis Club in Corning on Tuesday, September 29. His topic will be "To Win Or Not To Win, That Is The Only Question."

Prof. Gregg M. Sinclair, new president of the University of Hawaii, was graduated from the University of Minnesota in 1912 and taught English in the schools of Kyoto, Japan, for three years.

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The University of Texas has received a special grant of \$2,000 from the general education board to finance a workshop in junior college education.

To be "right-eyed" makes reading easier, according to Dr. H. R. Crossland, associate professor of psychology at the University of Oregon.

Although business and finance are not generally regarded as woman's province, courses in banking and in corporation finance are popular at Vassar.

Endowed with the income of a fund of more than \$100,000, the Charles Fremont Dwight Institute for Promotion of Human Genetics is now in operation at the University of Minnesota.

A machine that picks clover tops as fast as 2,400 hand pickers has been developed by two Illinois professors.

Anyone who can "doodle" can learn to draw, believes Dr. Arthur M. Johnson, associate professor of botany at the University of California.

Blind Winifred Moore, 23, and Rex, her shepherd dog, received sheepskins together from Mississippi Southern College.

A tobacco plant that grows to tree size has been brought back from prehistoric eras and is growing in the botanical gardens of the University of California.

Schurecht To Conduct Fencing Classes On Tuesday From 8 to 9

Professor H. G. Schurecht is now conducting two fencing classes for women on Tuesday night from eight to nine and from nine to ten. An additional class is being conducted on Saturday mornings by Ann Mitchell '45.

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Norwood To Represent Alfred Univ. At Geneva

As official representative of Alfred University, President J. Nelson Norwood will attend the inaugural ceremonies of Dr. John Milton Potter as president of Hobart and William Smith Colleges, Geneva, New York, and will be present at the luncheon following the ceremony given in honor of the new president, Saturday, October 3.

Commissioned 2nd Lieutenant

Hollis S. Saunders '40, a member of Lambda Chi Alpha, received his commission Friday as a second lieutenant in the Artillery at Camp Davis, N. C. He is at present spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Saunders of East Rochester.

Danger the war emergency will lead woodland owners to "slaughter" their timber lands has been pointed out by J. D. Pond, assistant extension forester at Cornell University.

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News In Review

(Continued from page one)
The second front was an important topic.

Germany is not only busy killing people on the Russian front but also on other fronts as well. In the last few weeks, the German Gestapo has been rounding up people of the conquered countries for hindering their war effort. These people have either been put into concentration camps to rot or else have been put in front of firing squads to be killed like "dogs". What have these people been doing? Well, in Luxembourg, 97% of the people were firmly opposed to the Nazis and sabotage had cut iron production to one-fourth the pre-war total.

In Yugoslavia, guerrilla armies were fighting battles with Nazi garrisons. In Holland, sabotage again was found. The Hollanders derailed munitions and troop trains, ruined the tires on German army cars and attempted to cut telephone wires.

And there are tales we could tell of people in other countries, also. These people know what their fate will be for interfering with the Germans, but they would rather try to do some little thing that will offend the Germans as the conquered people try to save their homelands. They know that some time the day will come when they can all rise against the strong hand of the Nazis, and will not have to fear the Gestapo, the concentration camps and the firing squads.

W.S.G. Forbids Smoking

The members of the W. S. G. have announced that in the future smoking in the Collegiate will be strictly forbidden for women of the campus.

Rev. Alty Appointed To Conference

Rev. Glenn V. Alty '40, former pastor of the Methodist Church at Mt. Morris, has been appointed by the Genesee Conference to Waterport, N. Y.

President Norwood Speaks At Bath

"Some Personal Reactions to the Problems of Our Time" will be the subject of an address by President Norwood at the Rally Get-Together, October 1 in the Bath Presbyterian Church.

White '95 To Represent A.U. At N. Y.

Mr. Fred C. White, A. U. '95, will be the official representative of Alfred University at the inauguration of Dr. Harry Noble Wright as President of the College of the City of New York, September 30.

Experts at Michigan State college have developed a cellophane wrapping for ears of sweet corn.

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Geology Students Study Formations In Alfred Area

"No, I don't expect to find any dinosaur fossils around here," said Dr. Fred W. Ross in a recent interview. Dr. Ross has been taking his students out into the surrounding country on instructive field trips.

"The reason that there were probably no dinosaurs here is that at one time this climate was very cold, too cold for their existence."

Dr. Ross' classes, which include geography, geology, botany, and physiography, have studied plant formations south as far as the gorge. The students travel by foot. Although they don't go digging in the ground for the fossils of some ancient monster, they find equal interest in studying the effects of the glacier.

The students study rock and mineral formations and the general topography of the country when the weather doesn't permit field trips. In this way they know just what to look for, but so far the weather has been suitable for such expeditions.

"This country is especially suited for the study of glacial phenomena. We can see just where the hills have been cut away," disclosed Dr. Ross. "We can't seem to find any relics of Indians, though. There was nothing here to attract them—no lakes for fishing. The land about here was densely forested, and practically impassable."

When asked to estimate the probable size of the Kanakadea in past times, Dr. Ross said that it was never larger than its present size, except for occasional overflows, as happened recently.

Faculty Members Urged to Attend All-Campus Dances

Faculty members are urged to attend all campus dances such as Blue Key dances. At a Blue Key meeting recently it was mentioned that faculty members didn't always feel free to attend student functions. The Blue Key wishes to make it known to the faculty, on behalf of the students, that they are welcome at such student functions even if they are not chaperones.

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