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STUDENT BOX HOLDER

## 6th War Loan Drive **Opens In Alfred With** Local Vets Backing It

### Drive To Continue Through Dec. 15 As Veterans Push Sale Of **Bonds For Fighting Buddies**

The 6th War Loan Drive is being given an immense push on the campus and in the town of Alfred by the veterans who are studying here at Alfred. The active phase of the local drive began last Monday and will continue through Dec. 15

Abbott Pozefsky '45, Glovers-

ville, New York, was recently ad-

mitted to the United States Coast

Guard Academy, New London,

Conn., as a member of the new

quahic High School in New Jersey

and Gloversville High School before

enrolling in Alfred University, where

he was a student for three years prior

to winning his appointment to a cadet-

While attending Alfred, Cadet Pozef-

sky was a member of the Freshman

ketball teams, President of Keramos,

vice president of the student branch

of American Ceramic Society, and bus

iness manager of the "Alfred Engin-

ed his BS degree, cum laude, in ceram-

in May, 1945, has a brother, Leo, pri-

vate in the Army of the United States.

interests of his new Coast Guard life.

Two Students Will

Fredonia Conclave

Margaret Long '45, president of the

Women's Student Governing Board,

and Ruth Ann Weitz '45, a member of

the Board, expect to represent Al-

fred University at an intercollegiate

meeting December 5, at Fredonia,

The Fredonia State Teacher's Col-

N. Y.

class of 1948. -

inations last May.

The veterans who have given their best to their country, some of them in overseas duty, have undertaken the task of sponsoring the latest bond Now In Coast drive because they want to assure their buddies who are still out there fighting that they will have the best equipment at the right time and at the right place.

Unfortunately many people, now that victory seems near, question the necessity of buying more bonds. They think that the armed forces need no more support. Veteran Ralph Gestwicki, formerly of the Air Force, wellrefuted this misconception when he recently gave a talk before a group of fellow Ag-Tech students: "Let me tell you a story" said Gestwicki "that really happened to all of us in one or the other of the combat areas. We were in a certain part of Africa and as usual were making our regular bomb runs. Then one day we were told that our raids were to cease for there were no more "eggs" to be had.

"Later I was told what happened," football and freshman and varsity baswent on Gestwicki. "A convoy had been sunk not far off the coast of our combat zone. These ships had been carrying troops, ammunition, medical and other vitally needed supplies."

The veterans express the hope that people will realize that every bond and stamp they sell will help to shorten the war and bring the fellows back that their efforts will net several thousand dollars toward the financing of

The veterans were honored at a luncheon sponsored by the Lions Club nected with engineering, led Cadet of Hornell last Monday. Each of the attending vets gave a short talk relating to one of his experiences in the service. Accompanied by Profs. Parish, Hinkle and Whitney the following veterans attended: George Klinetsky,, Edmund Jurkowski, James Farrell John Koskie, Pat Pulvino, Bill Gaul, Represent Alfred At Samuel Guarino and Ralph Gestwicki

Other veterans present were Frederick Miller, Dave Goldman, Bill Murphy, Charles Hampton, George Bennett and Robert Johnson.

## Daily Practice Is Scheduled

cember 10, in the village church. In

Mrs. Samuel R. Scholes, director of

### Campus Calendar

Fiat meeting 7:15, editorial staff; 7:30, editors, Fiat Office Math Club, 8:00 p.m., Physics Hall W. S. G., 7:45 p.m., Kenyon Hall D'Artagnan Fencing Club, 8:00 p.m., South Hall

### Wednesday

Chapel, noon, Kenyon Chapel Men's Glee Club, 1:00 p.m., Music Orchestra Rehearsal, 7:00 p.m., South

Hall Movies, 7:00 p.m., Alumni Hall Senate, 7:30 p.m., Physics Hall

Thursday University Assembly, 11:00 a.m., Alum ni Hall

Al Pozefsky '45 Men's Glee Club, 1:00 p.m., Music Studio Veterans Meeting

Church Choir, 7:00 p.m., Church Guard As Cadet Girls' Glee Club, 8:00 p.m., Music

### Friday

El Centro Luncheon, 12:15 p.m. Movies, 7:00 p. m., Alumni Hall D'Artagnan Party, 8:00 p.m., Social

### Saturday

The new Coast Guard cadet attended Movies, 7:00 p.m., Alumni Hall the Chancellor Avenue School, Wee-Dancing, 8:00 p.m., Social Hall

A. C. F. Music Hour, 2:00 p.m., Social Hall A. C. F. Forum, 7:15 p.m., Social Hall

Men's Glee Club, 7:00 p.m., ship in the annual competitive exam-Music Studio Girls' Glee Club, 8:00 p.m., Music Studio Men's Sports, Evening, South Hall

### **Edits News Letter** For Ag-Tech Alumni

Mrs. Helen Cottrell, secretary to Mr T. A. Parish, Acting Director of the Cadet Pozefsky, who is to be award-Ag-Tech School, has for some time been composing and editing a news ic Engineering from Alfred University letter which is sent to the Alumni of the New York State Ag-Tech Institute, who are now serving in the armed forces of their country.

A desire for a permanent career con-Pozefsky to seek an Academy appointment and he anticipates scientific studies and sports will be the chief and news centering around the alumni. place.

## Prof. Benardete Is Guest At El **Centro Meeting**

Prof. Mercedes Benardete, principal Spanish lecturer of Columbia University, spoke on "Relations with Argentina" at the luncheon of El Centro Latino-Americano on Friday, November 24, at the Coffee Shop. This marked his second appearance with El Centro, as he was guest speaker at the second regular meeting held Saturday evening, November 14, at the home of El Centro's faculty adviser, Prof. Paula Ovadia

The personable professor gave his talk in Spanish with appropriate ges tures to make himself clearly under stood. He traced briefly the history of the economic and political relations between Argentina and the United

As one practical way to come to real understanding of each other's cultures, Professor Benardete advocated a much more extensive exchange of students with Central and South Amer-

In the open discussion that follow ed, Javier Fuenzalida, graduate student from Chile, explained the conception that Argentina and the other South American nations have gathered of the United States from the things they know of this country-cowboy

Special guests at the luncheon were Mrs. Dora K. Degen, dean of women, and Miss Eva L. Ford, professor of

The coming luncheon is scheduled for Friday at 12:15 p.m., in the Collegiate. Everyone planning to come should give their names to Professor Visé by Wednesday.

El Centro is preparing to present a tableau for its part in the Christmas program being sponsored by the Language Department on Wednesday December 13, in Social Hall at 8:00 p.m.

Several gay Christmas songs from Each month, Mrs. Cottrell, with the the lore of Spanish folk songs were reassistance of Miss Peggy Wingate and hearsed at Professor Visé's home last Miss Mildred Vars, issues approxi- week on Wednesday and Friday nights. mately a twenty-page letter in which The group relaxed enough each time she includes all items of interest con- to enjoy coffee, tea and cookies, before cerning recent happenings at Ag-Tech the comfortable warmth of the fire-

### Dr. Willard Sutton Tells Class Of Forces In Modern China

"Our treatment of China has been more tragic than the Chamberlain appeasement or our pre-war shipping of goods to Japan," stated Dr. Willard Sutton of Alfred while speaking on the subject "Present Day China in World Affairs" at last week's class meeting of "Our Changing World."

Dr. Sutton, who has spent 18 years lectures to even present the forces which make up the great nation which iences he told of meeting an American its use. soldier, using his pay to do some desired traveling in China, who prophesied from his limited experience that China was gasping her last breath. far from the truth, according to the

ing the Augustan Age. Dr. Sutton also

It is necessary to remember also that China's republic has only been in existence since 1911 when one considers prospects for her future. Dr. Sutton Such an opinion, though popular, is admitted that it has largely been a banditry government so far, illustraspeaker, who then proceeded to out- ting his statement with a tale about line the basic reasons for his assump- a warlord who taxed the peasants in his vicinity for 64 years in advance A glimpse of China's power can be and then fled with the money. Such seen in her long and glorious history, a situation is not permanent, how-

# Weekly Assembly Will Bring Louis J. Alber To Campus As Guest

## With Unusual Experiences As Background, Lecturer Will Speak On Britain's Churchill

Louis J. Alber, author, world traveler, and businessman, will speak on the subject "The Irresistible Winston Churchill" at the weekly assembly program, Thursday, November 30.

# Accept New Students In Feb.

Instituting a new policy, Alfred University will offer several courses beginning February 6, 1945, the opening date of the regular second semester, to accommodate January high school graduates, Prof. John Reed Spicer, Counselor to Prospective Students, announced today.

This practice is being introduced at the requests of many high school students and seems to be necessitated by the increased pace of the world during wartime. Those who enroll will find it possible to finish a regular four-year course by June 1948, if they attend one or two summer sessions.

In the College of Liberal Arts, the following courses will be offered: Analytic Geometry, College Algebra, Freshman English, Freshman History, Fundamentals of Speech, General Inorganic Chemistry, General Physics, Trigonometry, and Wood Shop.

Courses in the College of Ceramics will be arranged if there is sufficient

## **Bulletin For Vets Published**

A bulletin entitled "Veterans' Education" was recently published by Alfred University under the direction of John Reed Spicer, Veterans' Adviser, to summarize and clarify the available educational opportunities for returned servicemen.

The leaflet is intended to supplement the information of Alfred Alumni and students who left the Alfred campus to enter the armed forces, and all soldiers and reservists who studied here under the ASTP and ASTRP.

It includes an explanation and comparative table of the financial aid which is due to veterans under the G. I. Bill of Rights, Public Law 16, and New York State provisions. The amount of credit for studies while in service and, more specifically, Alfred's entrance requirements and provisions for veterans are described. The bulletin also outlines the main features of the University itself.

### Pres. and Dean Repeat Discussion On Germany

President J. Nelson Norwood and Dean M. Ellis Drake presented a discussion on the subject, "Partition of a glance at the subjects on which he Germany After the War," before the lectures. The list includes "Blueprint Dansville Rotary Club, Dansville, New for World Conquest," "The War-And York, on Tuesday, November 21.

This discussion, which was first given for the Political Science 21 class, "Our Changing World," was also given recently for groups in Hornell and Canisteo by the two faculty ploring the Explorer" and "Where Did

The speech which Mr. Alber will University Will present before the Alfred student body has been described as a colorful wordpicture of Britain's great war leader by one who has known him for many years and who lived with him for six months under unusual circumstances Although primarily a businessman, Mr. Alber has a natural flair for telling in an absorbing manner about the many famous men and women he has known, as well as for pointing out the lessons in their lives.

Mr. Alber's background is full of interesting and unusual experiences He was a member of the Executive Committee of the League to Peace, organized by William Howard Taft in 1915, and served with a dis tinguished group of famous Americans for five years. While celebrity-hunting in foreign lands, he has had talks with Prime Ministers, Presidents, Kings, Cabinet Ministers and leaders in every field of inportant endeavor.

A student of economics, world affairs, and business problems, he has been a traveler since his sixteenth vast store of information and experience. Mr. Alber has spoken before a large number of colleges and universities including Union, Colgate Layfayette, Vanderbilt and Rollins. This will be his first visit to Alfred

Among the many favorable comments which have been made by leading educators of the nation is a statement by no less a person than George V. Denny, President of the Town Hall in New York City, who said, "Our audience was enthusiastic about Mr. Alber's interesting material as well as the manner in which he spoke."

The late Dr. Arthur E. Beston, of

the Chautauqua Institution, Chautauqua, New York, has also praised Mr. Alber's ability, having made the remark "I can't remember any lectures at Charauqua more popular than the six given by Louis J. Alber." Dr. Carl Kallgren, Dean, Cornell University, called his address at that school "A brilliant, outstanding, intimate wordpicture of one of the world's foremost figures," Mr. Alber having delivered the same address there that he plans to give here next Thursday.

"I went three times to hear Louis Alber talk on "The Irresistible Winston Churchill" and if he gives the lecture the fourth time anywhere in my neighborhood I shall go a fourth time, for it is without doubt one of the most fascinating and interesting talks that I have ever heard," enthused William H. Huff, Executive Director of the Philadelphia Forum.

An idea of the wide range of Mr. Alber's interest can be obtained from When It Ends," "Is World War III in the Making?" "Light and Wayward Spirits," "Great American Humorists" "Laughing with World Celebrities." "From Theodore to Franklin," "Ex-You Get Your Name."

These daily meetings will be in the form of special practices for the Christmas Candlelight Service which will be presented Sunday evening, Depast years these Christmas programs have highlighted the holiday season at Alfred and this year it is again expected that the Choir will furnish instudents and townspeople.

The regular choir rehearsals, scheduled for Thursdays at 7:00 p.m., at the University Church, will be held as

Main street at 5:00.

lege has issued an invitation to Alfred University and other schools to send two representatives to participate in an assembly program on this date. While in Fredonia the two Alfred

students will be guests of the school attending classes and a luncheon after

The subject to be discussed is "Stuspirational music for the enjoyment of dent Government." Their expenses will be paid and they will be entertained on the campus. The representatives have not as yet been chosen.

### New Phone Book Is Published

The 1945 edition of the Alfred Telethe University Church Choir, announ- phone Directory, published by the of which the inhabitants of the west- ever, said Dr. Sutton, for even now ced today that beginning with the Kanakadea in cooperation with the ern world know comparatively little. "the old order is changing" and "China meeting yesterday afternoon the Choir local merchants, was issued to regular The glory of the Han period, during has often had periods when it has will practice every afternoon, Monday subscribers this past week. The names which the cultural and military might been the cultural light of the world through Friday, at her home, 5 South of Mrs. Nellie Parry and Mr. Gregory of China surpassed that of Rome durwere omitted from the book.

as a missionary in China, told his aud- reminded his hearers of the story ience that it would take many such about Magellan's discovering the Filipinos using gunpowder which they had imported from China at a time is China. Drawing on his own exper- when European nations had just begun

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1944

## The Sixth War Loan

"My Thinking . . . . My Money . . . . My Time . . . . will stay in this Gordon Swanson and Ralph Gestwicki. war to the finish" said Ted Gamble, National Director of the War Finance Division. This expression should be adopted and practiced by every individual American.

Many of us have already been thinking about and discussing various phases of the war. Many of us have already bought war bonds. to be held in South Hall, will be a Many of us have already devoted much time and energy to the war program dance open to all campus effort. Most of us are still thinking about the war; still devoting time students. Music will be furnished by to worthy and essential war activities. But are we still continuing to the Champus Cheers. More Fiat arinvest our money in war bonds? We can not afford to not do so. For ticles and campus posters will give war bonds are our means of helping to win the war. They are our contribution to preventing inflation. Not only are war bonds a form of future security but also a source of interest return.

How many of us have simply forgotten to buy war bonds? How many times have we gone to the movies and failed to purchase stamps? How many times have we been guilty of spending our allow- now in the South Pacific. ances on non-essentials rather than investing the money in stamps and bonds?

The veterans' association here in our University has taken it dinner guests at Theta Chi, tonight. upon themselves to sell war bonds and have already sold several-a definite aid in helping our country to reach the \$14,000,000,000 goal of which \$5,000,000,000 is to be raised from individuals.

And with this Sixth War Loan comes the realization that the greater part of our war effort is definitely being concentrated in the Chi; Rita Farnham '43, Sigma Chi; way '47, Pi Alpha; spent the week-end Pacific area. The European war is expensive but almost everything in the Pacific war will cost more: freight transportation, equipment, medical treatment. Without our financial aid, adequate means will not be available to our fighting men.

We must and we shall think about the war and those in the service. And we shall devote spare time to worthy war activity. Above all, we will invest in war stamps and bonds. For these are our own personal contribution toward making a lasting peace and insuring a quick return of those in uniform.

## **Vacations**

The thought of a vaction has always been a happy thought among the majority of us students. The thought of a vacation is still a happy thought but our happiness has been alieviated by the fact that vacations this year have not been scheduled at times when the LANIE ASKSmost happiness can be derived.

This year our Thanksgiving vacation was one day long. The following Friday was a no-cut day. It was thought advisable to have only Thanksgiving Day off in order that we might have a longer Christmas vacation. Another point brought out by the administration is that our course of study would have been interrputed if one extra ing of art in every respect. The unday were added to Thanksgiving vacation. A good proportion of us derstanding of aesthics is more of an would rather have had that extra day even if our Christmas vacation enfoldment, inner feeling, and realizawould have had to be shortened or if the day were taken off from a tion than anything, and Isobel is well short vacation between semesters. As for interrupting continuity in on her way to the fullest comprehenstudy, many students took the liberty of going home for the weekend sion of it. Her clothes, actions, and and cutting on Monday.

And next year we would like to see Alfred University back in one's eyes as an artist. the "examinations before Christmas vacation" system. We would prefer finishing a semester of work before Christmas rather than having 21 years ago, amidst 3 sisters, "Izzie" to face the thought of exams and a few more weeks work on a given led a very normal and usual life. Her unit requiring a reacquaintance with the subject matter rather than a proceeding into a new topic. And need we state that studying takes til she came to Alfred, for she had all the joy out of a vacation? We realize that such a return to exams little, if any training in high school. before Christmas would mean starting college earlier in the year. Here in Alfred, she lives at the Castle Such would be a definite aid, for the sooner we start, the sooner we in 2 rooms on the second floor. finish, and because our college year would end in early spring, the prospects of a job would be much greater for most of us. We are range from simply lined and sophistiaware that high school graduates will not, under such a system, be cated clothes to vegetables, Thomas able to enter Alfred at the beginning of the second semester. The Mann, and good dance music. number who enroll at such a time are so few that it would seem to make little difference to the University and a great difference to us. married and have a home and children we all know, she has left a good space

Next year we would like to have our vacations arranged differently and to someday have her own kiln or to Ceramics for her working method from those of this year. We hope our wants will be considered.

## Alfred's Blue Book

By Shirley Lane

All Freshman and transfer girls were summoned to be inmates at Theta Chi's miniature Sing Sing from 3 to 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon. This prison scene was the first of the series of freshmen parties to be given by the three sororities.

After skits depicting prison scenes, were enjoyed, refreshments of baked beans and brown bread were served. Guests were given miniature balls and chains as favors. Peg Lore '47, was general chairman with auxiliary com-Foltz '45, Jackie Carlanzo '47, and Alice Van Gaasbeck '46; Decorations, Peg Lore '47, Barbara Guillaume '47, Marilyn Fitzroy '45, and Gloria Burchell '45.

A Thanksgiving party was given at the Castle, Thursday night. Entertainment, planned by Bea Jackson '45, Jean MacDonald '46, and Cynthia Leban '46, consisted of a treasure hunt, cards, games, and round and square dancing. Refreshments consisted of cocoa and cookies, which were served by the committee of Jennie Fiorentino '46. Mary Alice Butler '47. Esther Burdick '45 and Betty Lou Fontaine '46. Among the guests were: Robert Nelson, Stanley and Robert Burdick, and friend Keith MacIntosh, George Lietzke, Herman Miller, William Murphy, Howard Merrill, David Weinrib,

December 9th is the date set for the semi-formal Christmas dance sponsored by the Ag-Tech School. The dance, further details.

The engagement of Eloise Burdick '47, and Tech. Sqt. Gordon Hopkins. U.S.M.C., of Niagara Falls has recently been announced. Sqt. Hopkins is

Dr. and Mrs. Tom Hall are to be

and Connie Brennan '47, Sigma Chi.

Stockwell '44. Sigma Chi.

A surprise birthday party was given at Sigma Chi.

Marion Mason Feeney '44, Sigma Chi. and James Feeney are the parents of a son, born November 21.

Jane Tooke Palton '45, Sigma Chi, was a dinner guest at Sigma Chi, No-

mittees as the following: Refresh- Thanksgiving day were Eloise Burdick week. "Cliff" attended Alfred with ments, Ruth Ann Weitz '45, Barbara '47, and Jane Parvin '45, who went to the ASTP unit last year Ledin '43, and Marylyn Searles '47; Canisteo; Corinne Herrick '47 and Entertainment, Waite Tefft '45, Billie Carol Colway '47, who went to Bolivar; Lambda Chi Alpha, is with a Marine eligible voters. Mezey '46, who went to Wellsville. Southwest Pacific, and would like to Jamestown relatives. Renee Suchora college friends. '47. Bea Rennell '47. Dor's Beswick '45.

guests at Pi Alpha, Wednesday night.

pha; Leah Raptis '46, Pi Alpha; and where he is a navigator. Charlotte Albiston '47, Pi Alpha.

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Mrs. Madeleine Burdick had as her guests for Thanksgiving dinner: Mr. George Hobart, Mary Madeleine Crandall, Bea Jackson '45, Dottie Burdick Indiana. '46, Sigma Chi; Jennie Fiorentino '46, Isobel Dobson '45, Ginny Harley '45, Billie Dunbar '46, and Eva Rodies '47.

Castle girls who went home for the week-end were Dorothy Burdick '46. Sigma Chi; and Mae Barrus '46, Pi Alpha; Eunice Adams '46, Betty Lou Fontaine '46, Ginny Harley '46 and Jenny Fiorentino '46 spent the week- Air Force Pilot, APO, New York. end in New York City.

Jewell Karpell '46 spent Thanksgiving in Syracuse and Cynthia Leban '46, Jean MacDonald '46 and Mae Bar-Mrs. Ellsworth Barnard's.

Helen Dreher '45, Pi Alpha; spent the week-end with Shirley Lane '47, Thanksgiving day dinner guests at Pi Alpha; at her home in Belmont. Sigma Chi included Marilyn Fitzroy Eloise Burdick '47, Pi Alpha; was åt '45, Theta Chi; Peg Long '45, Sigma her home in Canisteo; and Carol Col in Oneida. Margaret Harper '47, Pi Alpha, was in Rochester for the week-Guests for the week-end at Sigma end; and Edith Foster '47, Pi Alpha, Chi were Eileen Hannell '44, Sigma spent the week-end at her home in Chi; Elaine Whitford '43, Sigma Chi; Yonkers. Genevieve Mezey '46, Pi Al-Peg Hopkins '44, Sigma Chi; Bobbie pha, spent the week-end with Marcia Large '44, Sigma Chi; and Nonnie Noyes '47, Pi Alpha, in Orchard Park.

Guests at the Bartlett on Thanksgiving day were Rose Marie Springers' November 20th for Doris Comfort '46, mother and Trudy Epstein's mother from New York City. Both girls are Brick. of the class of '48.

> Miss Harriet Zeamans of Columbia University spent the week-end with 26 at the Brick.

### HEADLINES FROM THE FRONT LINES

Roberta Bliss

University, Notre Dame, Indiana. "Al" was previously stationed at the in Illinois.

Pfc Clifford R. Benson of Camp Kil-Pi Alpha girls that left campus for mer, N J, was a visitor on campus last leaders believe, is to get the people

and Kalope Giopolus '46 and Genevieve Corps engineering battalion in the Correne Chapman '46, was a guest of hear from some of his former Alfred ards. It has been estimated that by

and Virginia Larsen '45, accompanied Lambda Chi Alpha is instructing in that fewer than 50,000,000 persons ac-Phyllis Little '45, to her home in meteorology and navigation at the Columbia (S. C.) Army Air Base.

Minnie Negoro '44, Pi Alpha, and Pvts. David Joerger and Colin Brown, restriction". Jenny Fiorentino were over-night are training at Camp Balding, Fla, with the infantry.

Paul D. Slawter, Jr., ex-'38, has been Thanksgiving dinner guests at Pi promoted to the rank of first lieuten-Alpha were Minnie Negoro '44, Pi Al- ant at the Army Air Base in England.

> Lt. Alden J. Smith '41. Klan Alpine. has been transferred from Fresno. Calif., to Hollywood, Calif.

A/C Jack Rainear '43, Klan Alpine,

Corp Harold Brecken ex-'44, Kappa locally. Psi, is stationed at Camp Siebert, Ala. Second Lieut. Louis Kelem '44, of the Army Air Corps is at Key Field, Meridian, Miiss

Lieut. Laurin March ex-'44, Lambda Billie Dunbar '46, also Bea Jackson '45. Chi Alpha, is overseas as an Army victory. Here indeed we have a pot-

> Murray A. Schwartz S 1/c, is now at the U.S. Naval Frontier Base at Tompkinsville, Staten Island, N. Y.

Sigma Phi, is training in the flexible are typical Americans who, to quote rus '46, were dinner guests at Dr. and gunnery school of the Army Air Forces at Panama City, Fla.

### Movie Time Table

On Wednesday, November 29, "The Conspirators" starring Hedy Lamarr 7:00 and 9:35. Features will begin

On Friday and Saturday, December 1 and 2, "The Canterville Ghost," starring Charles Laughton and Margaret O'Brien, and the hilarious comedy, "In Society," with Bud Abbott and Lou Costello will be shown. First show begins at 7:00 and the last complete show at 8:29. The feature program is scheduled for 7:15 and 10:28.

her sister, Naomi Zeamans '47, at the

Dorothy Terry was the guest of her sister Nancy '48, on November 25 and to the group, she had, in her short

Joan Baird '48 and Janet Matson '48 celebrated their birthdays together November 20th, at the Brick.

Neysa Jean Dixon '48 was the weekend quest of her roommate. Marion Jean Coates '48, in Wellsville.

Grace Congdon '48 was the guest of Prof. and Mrs. Robert Campbell on

Roberta Wells '47, Julianne Sanford '47, Jean Conklin '48, Anne Seeley '48 and Clara Worden '48 spent Thanksgiving day with Burrell Robinson '48. in Canisteo.

Adele Ormsby '48 was home in Alfred Station for Thanksgiving. Lou Phillips '48 spent Thanksgiving day with Patty Crofoot '48.

Edna Levy '46, went home to Flushing, L. I., Thursday. Her mother visited her on campus Monday and Tues-

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Mrs. Paula Visé and daughters Peneguests at Theta Chi.

### .. Of Cabbages And Kings

Stuart H. Pomerantz

I recently read with great relish an article which stated that the Political Midshipman Alfred Cooper ex-'45, Action Committee of the CIO would Lambda Chi Alpha, is in the Navy continue its work in the future. Of Midshipmans School at Notre Dame course, the intense activity which we saw during the past presidential campaign will be missing, but the committee will continue its work of edu-Great Lakes Naval Training Station cating the masses to the political problems of the day.

One of the most important jobs, its out to vote. It is through voting that major political, social, and economic objectives are achieved. There is also Lt. Robert Timke, U.S.M.C.R. '43, the task of increasing the number of

There were nearly 85,000,000 persons who were eligible to vote for presidential electors by the PAC stand-1946 there should be 88,000,000 and Lt. William Bengeyfield ex-'45, 92,000,000 in 1948. Because of the fact tually voted, the PAC has been led to believe that the remaining 35,000,000 potential voters have been routed from Two members of the class of 1947, the polls by what it terms "artificial

While the greatest number of deterred voters were to be found in the South, the registration requirements of many states are regarded as just as unreasonable and restrictive as the

It is the desire of the Political Action Committee to remain non-partisan in its activities. Nothing much has been said, however, about whether representatives of the CIO will run for position in the National, State or is an Army Air Corps trainee at Peru, local committees. It seems evident that such decisions will be made

At the Democratic convention this year the PAC managed to exercise a great deal of influence Such influence was not exerted at the Republican convention; but several Republican can-Pvt. Carl Johnson is training with didates were apparently aided by its the Marine Corps at Camp Lejenne, campaign efforts. It was also through the facilities of the PAC that Hamilton Fish was defeated even though he seemed by all odds to be assured of ent political force.

It is good that the committee is continuing its activities because of the fact that, since it is affiliated with the Labor Union, it reaches so many Pvt. Warren Sephton ex-'44, Delta people. Many of these union members Selden Menefee, must be given credit for "a maximum of intelligence, but a minimum of knowledge." It is to these citizens that the PAC will project its beam of education. Since the majority of the people enrolled in labor unions make a pretty complete example of and Paul Henreid will be the main at- American public opinion, it seems to raction. Complete shows start at me that they should also be given litical viewpoints. The PAC is just such a mechanism and seems ideally suited for the task at hand.

Whether it will be easier to influence a party's choice of a candidate by operations conducted from outside rather than from within the party organization remains to be seen.

### In Memorium

As it must come to all God's creatures, death came to a prominent member of P Alpha quite recently. It was a sad day for that serority, for though she was a comparatively new addition stay, endeared herself to all.

In case you didn't have the pleasure of making the acquaintance of the deceased, I will give a short biography here—at least as much of her past as is known.

She was a native of California, making the long trip from there to Alfred in about a week and arriving here about a month ago. Shortly after she made her home at Pi Alpha, she got lost and brought a great deal of anxiety to the other members. Before very long, however, she was found reclining comfortably under a convenient bed, much to everyone's relief.

Visitors at the house found her to be quite charming and were won over immediately by her sweet personality. She was inclined to be a little shy, but this only tended to enhance her allure. Thus, her circle of friends was enlarged and thus her mourners are

On Tuesday afternoon, November 14. funeral services were held at Pi Alpha's residence at 6 Sayles Street. after which she was solemnly buried in the yard behind the northwest corner of the house.

Yes, Kappa, the little blue turtle, lope and Electra were Tuesday dinner has been laid to rest, but she will not be forgotten.

### Have You Met . . .

"Izzie" in my estimation is one girl who lives and applies her understandlikes all go to classify her in every-

Born in Richfield Springs, New York, artistic talents were not developed un-

Her likes, as you would expect,

Her thoughts for the future?—To be ing, but from the outcome of her work, perhaps to teach pottery and art.

Marilynn Miscall Fitzroy

Another Senior Ceramic Artist whom you all should know or do know, is Marilynn Fitzroy. Not many times in my life have I met up with anyone with such a wonderful sense of humor and personality. I asked her if she liked to travel. "Well," she said, suddenly, "Yes!, I like to travel, I'm going to travel after the war is over-to find someplace to sit down."

Blonde, blue eyes, fair complexion, 22 years old, Marilynn makes a striking appearance. She lives at Mrs. Crandall's here in Alfred, and is Vice-President of Theta Theta Chi. The name of Fitzroy was acquired one and onehalf years ago when she married George Fitzroy, now stationed in New

She claims to have spent one half of her life eating and the other half, rest- day. is perfection itself.

## Gloria E. Woodward Is Chosen By Staff As **News Desk Assistant**

## Fiat Lux Takes On New Vigor By Accepting Several Students

Gloria Elizabeth Woodward '46 was elected Assistant News Editor of the Fiat Lux at a meeting of the Fiat staff held at the newspaper's office in the Greene Block last Tuesday night.

By Tradition

**Hockey Defeat** 

**Causes Misery** 

Having suffered defeat at the

hands of the upperclassmen in a

recent hockey game, the Fresh-

man girls were subjected to an

old Alfred tradition-stooging-

for five long days-November 14

Harassed frosh girls did small.

sometimes unpleasant, tasks, ranging

from shoe-shining to writing love-

letters for tyrannous upperclassmen

run ragged but had proved, beyond a

At week's end some frosh had been

Members of the class who played

on the hockey team were not required

to stooge. "Stooges" and their "bosses'

were: Helen Felt for Mary Aldrich,

Marjorie Ann Magnusson-Toni Allen,

Doris Margolin-Doris Beswick, Jean

Martin-Roberta Bliss, Janet Matson

-Gloria Burchell, Marian Miller-

Dobson, Marilyn Neville-Harriet

Fisk, Phyllis Pelton-Jeanne Hauth,

Jane Rupprecht-Arlene PaPtterson,

Piazura-Eletty Van Gorde, Harriet

Bea Jackson, Shirley Shepard-Isabel

Smith Peggy DeBroske-Jean Barber.

-Dorothy Burdick, Betty Smith-

Alice Clemens, Ellen Smith-Violet

Willey-Edna Levy, Brenda Wilson-

MacDonald, Helen Zornow-Gen Mezey,

And Millicent Albert—Eunice Adams

-Connie Brennan, Joan Baird-Eloise

Burdick, Margaret Baker-Jackie Car-

Belfi-Dottie Freyer, Elise Berg-

Mary Jean Coates—Shirley Lane, Olive

dred Gollan-Beverly Longfritz,

Stella Hungerford-Peg Lore, Jackie

Conklin-Ronnie McKenna, Jean Conk-

lin-Dottie McNeill, Gloria Koppelman

-Marcia Noyes, Phylis Costello-

-Alice Van Gaasbeck,

Cohen-Scotty Large.

Sager-Doris Coutant, Anne Seeley-

Sarah Pepe-Grace Kobernuss.

The new assistant editor was chosen by vote of members of the Fiat staff from a group of three other eligible candidates. Roxanne Robarts '48, Verna Jean Church '48, and Don Martin '48. Each of these would-be news hounds had been recommended by the news editor, Corinne Herrick, for the position, after having survived a trial period of six weeks in which they sleuthed news, wrote articles, and helped on the news desk of the paper

The new member of the editorial staff comes to the Fiat with a wealth of experience in newspaper work having worked on the college paper of the Little Rock Junior College at Little Rock, Arkansas, during her second year in college. She was also a reporter on the "Hamilton Journal-News," a daily newspaper of Hamilton Ohio, during the year 1943-44. Gloria's freshman year was spent at the Alfred doubt, their good sportsmanshp. University Extension at Jamestown. She is a Spanish major.

Nine feature writers have also passed their six week trial period and are now full-fledged members of the Fiat staff. Lanie Locke '46, Don Martin '48, Stuart Pomerantz '47, Joyce Dietrich '48, Jean Bonham '47, Millicent Albert '48, Marcia Noyes '47, Coreene Emma Burdick, Florence Wescott-Chapman '46 and Margaret Harper Helen Dreher, Jean Morgan-Isobel '47 are in this group.

Carol Colway '47 has been selected by Shirley Lane, Society Editor, as assistant in that department and Jerry Price '47 will aid Renee Suchora Sports Editor.

Two seniors, Virginia Larson and Doris Beswick, and five freshmen, Kahn, Roxanne Robarts, Verna Jean Church, and Olive Cohen are the newest newshounds on campus, having been voted on the staff last week. Barbara Adamy is also a new recruit in the news department, her "beat" being the Department of

Three typists, Edith Foster '47, Patricia Crofoot '48, and Marion Miller '48, successfully completed their trial period and are warmly welcomed to Ann Hooker, Pat Spear-Fay Jarg- Joan Gaffney and Virginia Hills-

'48 and Ruth Hartman '48 will prevent errors in the paper in their new positions as proof readers while Betty Banks '46 and Marie Basciani '46 are Adele Ormsby-Jean Moore, Audrey engaged in headline writing.

The Business Staff has been supplemented by several freshmen, Jack Koskie, Doris Weaver, Mary Ann Goodrich, Grace Congdon, Phyllis Pelton, Edith Fagan, and Brenda Wilson.

Another group of student journalsts, including two girls from the Ag-Tech lanzo, Mary Barney-Carol Colway, Institute, are now completing their probationary period and will soon become regular members of the staff.

### SPORTSBULLETIN

Well it seems that the ping pong flame is flickering out on campus. Manager Marty Miner is having trouble setting the date for the November play off. It seems that two girls showed up for the tournament scheduled last Tuesday.

Girls there's been plenty of griping Corinne Pudlin, Mary Dibble-Bea from some of you because the girls' athletic activities on campus are practically nil. I'm sure that if you pitched in and helped start the ball rolling our athletic activities would be brimming full in no time at all.

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## Winter Sports **Enter With 3 Sports Leading**

Attention Sports Fans!

Old man winter has again brought with him a few of your favorite ac tivities. This year, more than ever before, (at least since our intercollegiate activities bowed out) promises to bring forth many a heated battle on basketball court, ping pong table and fencing square.

At the last Intramural Association meeting, presided over by Russ Leinhoes, a group of men were chosen to head the following program:

Archie Farr-Basketball Mgr. Stan Burdick-Ping Pong Mgr. "Joe" Fuenzalida -Fencing Mgr.

The managers were chosen by un animous vote and each has promised to promote his respective branch to the fullest. Everyone is greatly enthused over the coming events, especially the Ag-Tech boys, who will be seeking "hot" revenge for their "unfortunate" losses to the college boys during the football season.

Being a very modest gentleman, Archie Farr retired to his home in Painted Post, for the weekend, without giving us any dope on his past experiences with basketball. However, anonymous sources have informed us that he did a very efficient job as basketball manager of his high school team and, therefore, is highly recommended. Archie has already brought about the appointment of captains for the various basketball teams and promses that play will begin immediately. (This list of captains and players will appear at a later date)

Stan Burdick does not claim to have participated in any ping pong tournaments while in high school or, thus far in college. However, Stan knows his ping pong. If there is any doubt And Loretta Phillips for Virginia as to his ability, step into South Hall Larson, Selma Rapps-Phyllis Little, and see him in action. A few more

Eleanor Schein-Joyce Sayars, Roxy Rennell, Millicent Dietrich-Eva Rhodies, Neysa Jean Dixon-Carol Sampson, Mary Dolan-Julie Sanford, Evelyn Donman-Hannah Saunders, Doris Sick-Mae Barrus, Arlene Smith | Shirley Dulman-Dottie Shaven,

And Joan Ehrens-Nettie Singer, Trudy Epstein-Rene Suchora, Madge Evans-Bobbie Wells, Edith Fagan-And Pam Space-Ada Egbert, Rose- Molly White, Carolyn Fitzpatrick-Gig marie Springer-Jennie Fiorentino, Wright, Carolyn Flowers-Naomi Zea-Helen Squires-Betty Fontaine, Betty mans, Sut Santano-Mary A. Butler, storff, Mary Lou Watt-Peggy Knight, Doris Comfort, Bertha Gallo and Dot Zwicker-Leah Raptis, Miriam Tooke McBride, Mary Harper and Marian Hatter-Patsyann Wildman.

And Ruth Hartman and Dorothy June Allan-Ruth Adams, Linda All- Martin-Esther Burdick, Ann Huntderson-Jean Bonham, Florence Arkus Bovee, Phyllis Hurlburt and Madge and Barbara Lieb-Doris Hill, Barbara Kahn and Rita Eberl-Joanna Folts, Jean Keesler and Madaline Green-Sylvia March, Christine Krusen and Mary Greene, Lois Berlnger-Barbara Edith Knowles-Marty Miner, Gloria Guillaume, Verna J. Church-Bobbie Lempi-Carolyn Banks, Ellen Levy-Hyde, Catherine Clark-Jewell Karpel, Gladys Imke, Marion Limpitlaw-Marie Basciani, Lillian Lombardi-Carolyn Torrey, Mary Lord-Penny And Ann Cohn-Esther Lewis, Mil- Heebner.

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## Clubs Observe Dr. Saunders' Demonstration

Chemistry Department recently breeze through college scarcely liftdemonstrated "Combustion, Smoke and Fire Control," before one and two in the morning, studying the Hornell Rotary Club and the Wellsville Exchange Club.

The demonstrations included series of experiments showing the spontaneous making of flame and fire smoke without fire, fire without smoke, kindling temperature, spontaneous combustion, limits of explosibility and fire control.

Quoting the Hornell Rotary Club: Prof. Saunders' talk and demonstration was both interesting and exciting. To see a burning garment dunked nonexhalantly into a jar of kerosene, and a big trough-full of flaming gas under the other elbow of the demonstration, wasn't exactly a disarming prelude to explosive gasoline and hydrogen mix-

Prof. Saunders has given demonstrations for various schools and organizations in this area, and they all have met with considerable success.

names could be added to the already growing list of candidates for a tournament which will start soon, so, please hurry before it is underway.

"Joe" Fuenzalida, our friend and student from South America, began his fencing while attending the University of Santa Maria, in Valparaiso, in 1939. He studied under a German instructor, Milo, who taught the Italian school of Fencing. Thus, "Joe" natur-1940 and continued doing so until his graduation in 1942. At that time he was seeded number 10 for his country of Chile.

"Joe" has an able assistant in Alex Giampietro, who also uses the Italian their clay pieces and thus gain a

Anyone interested in joining the Marjorie Duggan-Marilyn Searles, fencing club is requested, by "Joe", to see him at the Student Union at 7 o'clock on Thursday evening.

Most persons assume that fencing, not being a team sport, is not very exciting, therefore, not spectacular to assure you that it's not as easy as it Strayer-Kalope Giopulos, Lois Sutton Barbara Adamy-Peg Long, Marie looks, that it takes a great deal of -Ginny Harley, Roberta Guilford- Fuller and Jean Sone-Ruth WeWitz, skill, speed, and coordination to mas-

Special attention should be given to Marjorie Duggan '48, Marion Coats Doris Weaver-Cynthia Leban, Jean Owen-Coreene Chapman, Ruth Gal- the fact that schedules will appear in loway and Gracie Richardson-Evelyn the Fiat at another date and will be Elaine Locke, Clara Worden-Jean Grossman, Mary Ann Goodrich and adequately posted on all bulletin Shirley Thompson-Gen Polan, Marie boards for the benefit of the public. Cherichetti and Marion Salzer-E. J. Everyone is welcome to attend these games; in fact the players prefer an audience. So come on everyone!

> On Tuesday, November 28, at 4:30, a cross country race has been schedulardt-Charlotte Albiston, Ingrid An- ington and Sally Richards-Frances ed. Manager Jim Heasley and the followng boys will run; Bob Burdick. Kovach-Jane Parvin, Rosyln Banks Vic Burdick, Baker, Stan Burdick, Jim Thompson and Fred Clark.

> > After Christmas vacation other activities such as boxing and wrestling

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"Life, for the ceramic artists, is just one long picnic-a cinch! They never have to do homework. They attend their classes each day, and then fritter away their evenings knitting, reading Dr. Paul C. Saunders of the playing pool, or bull sessions. They ing a finger while the poor liberal art students slave over their books until even while they perform such neces sary operations at taking baths!"

> Many are the times we have complacently and thoughtlessly nodded our heads in agreement when other liberal artists have voiced these, or compara ble sentiments. There are, scattered over the campus, nevertheless, a few liberal artists who would violently ob ject to such an expression of opinion They know the struggles of the artist; they know that the ceramist's life is not the commonly conceived "bed of roses". They too have tried to draw a still-life that moves through their paper; have attempted to throw pitcher on the potter's wheel: and have learned an understanding of the Egyptians' frank use of their materials. Exploded, for this comparatively small group of liberal artists is the myth of the Ceramic Artists' "Life of Riley". They are taking art classes themselves; they are sympathetic.

Each Tuesday afternoon some of these art-minded L.A.'s meet in the west room of the New Ceramic Buliding amid the easels, the charcoal erasers, and the carefully arranged still lives and draw-or rather, attempt to draw, under Miss Nelson's discern ing-eyed guidance. Theirs is the blood sweat, and tears of giving their draw- Gloria Woodward. don't scoff at the artists: they know.

The "pottering" Liberal Artists ally favors the Italian art of fencing. meet in Miss Fosdick's small studio 'Joe" began participating in tourneys at 100 N. Main St. For four hours against other Chilian Universities in each week, in a quiet, calming atmos phere, they learn to know clay-to know it as the wonderful plastic ma terial which it is-to learn how to make it fulfill its marvelous potenti alities. They build, throw, and mold knowledge of the fundamentals of the art of the potter. They don't look with disdain on the ceramic artist; they understand the materials with which he works.

> A third group of Liberal art stu dents, traces, with Miss Binns, the history of art from pre-hostoric times to the present. Greek art, expressionof Cézanne no longer merely recall some vague, misty, half-formed thought to their minds. The half-formed thought is now a definite idea. They study the achievements of past masters of art and through this study understand the aims of artists today. Here's to more art for the Liberal

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## Recognition At Last Fencers Will **Drop Foils For** Friday's Party

A party for this Friday at 8 p.m., in Social Hall was planned by members of the D'Artagnan Fencing Club at their business meeting held Monday night, November 20, at South Hall, following the period of instruction by Ann Mitchell and Alessandro Giampietro.

Round and square dancing will be held at the party Friday night, the group decided, with invitations to be extended to several students as honorary members for the evening. Chaperons will be Prof. and Mrs. J. A. Mc-Lane, Prof. and Mrs. Don Schreckengost, and Dr. and Mrs. B. Davie

Officers were also elected to assist Miss Mitchell in her duties as president, to which she was elected at a previous meeting of the formally-enrolled members. The newly-elected officers are: Vice-president, Alessandro Giampietro: secretary. Daphne Phillips; treasurer, Neysa Jean "Dixie"

Committee members for the party were chosen as follows: Refreshments, Jean Willey, Verna Jean Church, and Corrine Herrick: Entertainment, David Weinrib, Mr. Giampietro, and Brenda Wilson: Decorations, Doris Coutant and Ruth Adams: Invitations, Eva Lushka Rodies, Millicent Albert, and

The next meeting of the club will be Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in South

### French Club Makes Plans For Christmas Pageant

A meeting of the French Club was held Monday evening at 8:00 o'clock during which plans were made for the coming French Christmas pageant.

On the program Monday evening was a skit, followed by short talks by club members and a discussion of the contrasts between French and Ameri-



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A/S Kevin P. Bunnell Ex-'47 Now that the end of the war is defi-

nitely in sight, the armed forces of the United States have begun to turn with real concern toward the problem of caring for the veterans of World War

Education has long been recognized as one of the most vital necessities to the successful operation of a democracy like ours. Suspending the educational activities of as many men of school age as are in the U.S. armed services would be a serious threat to the future of the nation unless the proper steps were taken to nullify that

In recognition of this fact, the Veteran's Administration of America already has taken large strides toward the goal of making a completed education possible for all honorably discharged veterans.

Ex-service men are eligible for educational benefits provided: 1. They were not over twenty-five upon entering the service or if over twenty-five that they can demonstrate that their education was interrupted by an entrance into the armed forces. 2. They have served 90 days or more not count ing time spent in Army and Nazy College Training Programs or in Cadet or Mid-Shipman Schools. 3. They start such education not later than two years after discharge from active duty.

Each man may go to school under government sponsorship for a period equal in length to the time spent in active service-not to exceed four years. Here again, time spent in Army or Navy Training Programs does not count as active service.

Recipients of educational benefits may take any courses for which they are qualified in any institution which is on the list approved by the Veteran's Administration,

All expenses up to \$500 for an ordinary college year will be paid by the Two students have entered the armed government. Such expenese may in- forces, two have graduated and a school who know people who attended clude tuition, library and laboratory newcomer, Herman Miller, has enrollfees, books, lodging and other necessary expenditures.

In addition, veterans may apply for school or college credit for knowledge gained while still in the service.

the period of military training has end of October, also left the campus. been well recognized by the government. The Navy especially, has made outstanding progress along these Is Wounded In Holland lines. Most people know about the V-12 program and the opportunity it expense of the Navy. However, few people are familiar with the effort on the part of the Navy to further the educational opportunities of ordinary enlisted men.

When the armistice is finally signed, there will be several million men anxious to return to civilian life. To release them all at the same time will be impossible, and as a result, these men will be retained in rehabilitation camps until they are ready to become civilians again. During this lay over time, each man will be given an opportunity to engage in an almost unlimited educational program under the direction of experts trained by the

This rehabilitation program has already extended to all the larger naval hospitals. At present, incoming patients are requested to fill out blanks giving information about previous education and courses they would like to study while at the hospital. Later, the coopsessors patient is approached by a welfare officer and the necessary schedule is arranged.

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## A U Church World War II Vets Helps Support War Children

Alfred University Church is one of the 78 organizations and individual residents of New York State who have contributed toward the support of children of the United Nations in England and Malto, through the Foster Parents' Plan for War Children.

John Clewly, a sixteen year old English boy, has been the Church's foster child for a period of about four years.

The plan operates 44 children's projects in England and Malta and is caring for British, Maltese, Spanish, French, Czech, Polish, Dutch, Belgian, Austrian, Norwegian, Hungarian, Danish and German children. These projects include the following: The Hampstead Nurseries; the J. B. Priestley Nurseries, Herefordshire; the Sanctuary, Stoke Nowington; the Farm Colony, Market Rasen; the Westfield Colony and the Grange in Great Britain, and the Malta Colony, Siliema,

An International Committee composed of the Earl of Listowell, the Viscount Cecil of Chelwood, Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, Helen Hayes, and Russell Maguire are sponsoring the work of the Foster Parent's Plan for War Children which has helped more than list now 20,000 children since its inception eight years ago.

On the receipt of an application by the Foster Parents' Plan, the Foster Parent receives a photograph and a brief history of the child and pays \$15 per month for his support.

### **Turnover Takes Place In Enrollment Of Institute**

A rapid turnover in enrollment has taken place at the Ag-Tech School. ed in Agronomy.

Bob Merrill, a first-year student in the Ag-Tech School, left Alfred the and Vincent Scharelli left Friday for of a weekly copy of the "Fiat." As right here at Bainbridge. Keep up duty. Bud Klarington and Bud Brown, so many other ex's and graduates have the good work, and thanks again for The importance of education during having completed their courses at the said, it is a paper that really means

## **Noted Carillonneur's Son**

The son of Dr. Kamiel Lefevere, the famous carillonneur, was wounded to know all the news to be sure to provides for men of college age to be- during action in Holland and captured be up on things and to send it on to come "gentlemen and officers," at the by the Germans. According to a let- my husband now based "somewhere in ter just received by Dr. Ray W. Wingate, he was fighting with the Belgium

Dr. Lefevere dedicated the Davis Alfredians. Memorial Carillon and has played several of the Commencement Carillon

ing his studies, the patient may claim college credits equivalent to the work he has completed.

The fact that the armed services have recognized the vital importance of education to our way of life is certainly gratifying. However, it is useless to assume that the government programs will serve as a solution to the nation's post war educational prob-

The only real solution lies with the must become determined to continue his schooling after the war so that our educational system can begin again where it left off.

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### EDITOR'S MAIL BOX

Editor, Fiat Lux:

RIMANDED THE CLASS, SAY-

ING HIS HAT ON THE DESK

WAS A SIGN OF HIS PRES-

FOUND AN EMPTY ROOM ...

In case anyone remembers me around school, I am still at Quonset the control tower giving the stop and go to the hot pilots who come and go

stand Jerry Scwartz is or was in Boston, and I saw Ens. Bob Paskett in for the West Coast. And then there are always people who live near their classwork. our alma Mater. Glad the old gang corresponds so well tho.

In all serousness, I would very a lot to read now that we are all away from the Empire State hills. The day my husband and I go back while he too soon. So in the meantime I want

Best of luck from one of your loyal

Rhoda Ungar Merriman, '43 Editor, Fiat Lux:

the chairborne command to let you my fleet orders. know that the FIAT LUX is being received here regularly. Needless to say it is most graciously received, read and re-read and appreciated no end. Congrats on a fine paper, and also congrats to all those good people who have contributed so highly toward all those new developments on and around the campus.

Several weeks ago I located Chief

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Electrician's Mate Bill Harrison, form-Last year the "Fiat" was faithfully erly of Ag-Tech Institute, and it was mailed to me every week. This a treat indeed to sit and talk over old (school) year I have faithfully missed times at good old A. U. Chief Harriit. Do you still sent it to those in the son was a member of the Ship Repair Services? If so, please put me on the Unit here at Bainbridge and was on his way to a ship yard repair base in New York City.

Just recently WAVE Ailsa John-Point, R. I. Naval Base. Also, still in stone and I almost died of shock when we found ourselves both working in the same building. This month starts my second year's association with the I have run into only a few Alfred- Naval Academy Preparatory School. ians in the last year or so. I under- Ailsa is assigned to this station to do the art work and make the displays for the various libraries here, and she New York a few weeks before he left makes her headquarters here in Tome Memorial Hall-where NAPS meet for

Rumor has it that still another A. U. student is located somewhere on the Center. I'm still trying to locate this newest member, Bob Burdick, and much like to be on the receiving end when I do we can have a reunion the ever enjoyable FIAT.

F. J. Di Laura '42

Editor. Fiat Lux:

staff for the swell issues of the "Fiat" I have been getting regularly. It sure helps to read about Alfred and people I know. It heightens my resolve to return, even though the names I know get fewer all the time.

Secondly, I'd like to report a slight change of address. I expect another soon as my tour of duty as an instruc-Just a note from an old member of tor is over and I'm looking forward to

Please keep the "Fiat" coming, and thanks again.

Ens. Don Drever, ex-'45

## (ACP) R.G. McCutchan SDB Choir Sings Visits Alfred's **Church Choirs**

Robert G. McCutchan, Emeritus Indiana and one of the United day evening. States' -foremost composers of and 19, as guest of the Southern Tier Choir Directors' Association.

At a reception and informal "sing" Saturday evening, at the Ag-Tech library Dean McCutchan was entertain- Dr. Wingate gave ample proof of his ed by the University Church Choir, skill as a musician and musical in-Seventh Day Baptist Church choir of terpreter. Alfred, and the Alfred Station Church choir. On Sunday he conducted a hymn Dr. Sutton Speaks festival at Park Methodist Church in Hornell with the three Alfred choirs participating.

Charming the group with his kindly personality at the reception Saturday, Dr. McCutchan spoke informally and led the singing throughout the evening. Vocal selections were given by the chapel choir, Nellie Bond Parry, and the Rev. Albert N. Rogers, minister of Alfred Station Church, with the Rev. B. Davie Napier accompanying him at the piano. Rev. Napier also sang humerous songs in his own inimitable style and accompanied himself. Games were enjoyed and to conclude the evening's entertainment Dr. and Mrs. Samuel R. Scholes led a grand march ending at the refreshment table where cider, cookies, nuts, and candies were served

The invocation at the Sunday after noon festival was given by Reverend Rogers, the prayer by Reverend Napier, and the benediction by the Rev. William Semple. The organ accompaniment for the choirs was played by Mrs. Merle Greene. W. P. Austin of the Alfred-Almond Central School faculty was chairman of arrangements for this vocal service of praise.

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# Thanksgiving Music

A Thanksgiving Cantata "Give Thanks Unto God" was sung by the Seventh Day Baptist Choir and directed by Dr. Ray W. Win-Dean of DePauw University in gate at University Church, Sun-

The Choir's voices were fully balchurch music, visited Alfred Sat- anced in the opening chorus-"And urday and Sunday, November 18 The Lord Said" Virginia Spicer sang the Soprano Solo in her rich style. 'Praise The Lord, O Jerusalem" and 'The Pastures Are Clothed" was mellow and vibrant. The Mixed Quartet and Duet were beautifully accorded.

(Continued from Page One) "We must recognize that in the Chinese is the greatest democratic spirit in the world," the speaker told the Alfredians who compose the class. He spoke of the deep sympathy which he feels for young Chinese students who know of the rich history which is China's and yet are terribly aware of the filth and incompetency which

exist there today. Dr. Sutton stressed the need for China which the United States has today, although she in her ignorance has promised aid to China only after the European war is won. He also pointed out the aid which China has given us in engaging the Japanese in contrast with the meager help through Lend Lease which the U.S. has given

In closing his extremely wellreceived address, Dr. Sutton prophesied that future history books will contain much more about two nations which have until recently been playing minor roles in world affairs-China and Russia.

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