Vol. 38, No. 19

TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 1952, ALFRED, NEW YORK

Telephone 5402

International Cablegram

St. Pat's Board, Alfred University college of pots-Shure and it nearly broke me green alcoholic heart to hear that Pres. Norwood didn't like me speech. That's the last time I hitch a ride with a brew-

Give me regards to me old friends Dean Drake, Pres. Norwood and

P. S. I hear that things look pretty black in Alfred since the

Mysterious Wire Opens Quandary

The St. Pat's Board was baffled this week by the above cablegram

They were at a loss to explain the references to Deans Drake and Holmes and Pres. Norwood. However a check in the Fiat morgue

Students Asked To Give to **Red Cross**

The Red Cross drive definitely will include students.

That was announced this week by drive chairman B. F. Crump, correct- story?" ingf a mistake in last week's Fiat.

Sunday as the drive started Mr. Crump announced the appointment of 28 student solicitors in the dorms, frats

and sororities. While the student drive has no definite goal, the money will be used to swell the treasury of the two-village drive aimed at collecting \$1200 this

Librarian C. M. Mitchell is treasurer of the drive for Alfred and Alfred Station. Student solicitors and other students not contacted should turn in their money to him at the Carnegie Library by Saturday, the closing date of the campaign. Bob Swart heads the student drive.

Mr. Crump pointed out Sunday that 60 per cent of the money collected will stay in this vicinity for Red Cross work. Much of this is used in the bloodbank program. It costs \$6 to collect, process and distribute each pint of blood given to the Red Cross, St. Pat's promotion project. Mr. Crump said.

Murtry, Klan; Lewis Sonenshine, Kapin Hornell and Wellsville.
pa Nu; Ralph Swanson, Delta Sig; Robert Swart, Lambda Chi.

Adlona Mockus, Pi Alpha; Peggy Kittel, Theta Chi: Janet Black, Sigma Chi; Drusilla Bliss, Omicron; William Dolid, Barry Puchkoff, Richard Atkins,

Elizabeth Constantine, Gwendolyn Shupe, Joan Kingsburg, Brick; Dorothy Carlson, Merriam House; David Jordan, Polan and Eggleton; Beverly Sadin, Dobson; David Schraeder, Rodies; Jack Jadkowski, Pelton; Louise Rowe, Rosebush; Kitty Weinand, Doreen VanNorman, Wheaton; Merrylyn Anderson, Wood; Carolyn Lieb, Henderson; Barbara Shetara,

"MUST" next week:

Operation salt and pepper is aiming for the 1000 mark in making favors; the feature last week got crossed up and listed 100. Be sure to plan on an

Money, Politics Questions to **Face Senate**

The Student Senate tonight is expected to act on two matters which came up last Tuesday.

Art Verney, president of the Sharlatans, the Ag-Tech dramatics club, St. Patrick of Erin has asked for a \$100 appropriation from the Senate treasury. The request was tabled until tonight.

Verney said that the organization, about three months old, needs the money to buy props, costumes, makeup and pay for royalties on plays.

The organization is open to anyone on campus, Verney stated, and has not charged for its performances. It has presented skits in the Ag-Tech assemblies and before several other groups. More Coming

Seven or eight one act productions are on the agenda for next year, Verney said. He told the Senate that the group is not in competition with

the Footlight Club. Senate President Stan Higgins suggested the group present a financial during his shenanigans here in 1940, statement and more information tothe year his speech roused the ire of night. He also suggested that faculty

the faculty and the speech was hence- advisor of the club be present. The other matter expected to come Dave Pixley, board member who re-Dave Pixiey, board member who re-ceived the cablegram Friday afternoon was mystified. He said "I don't get. The political science department has asked the Senate to sample campus opinion on support of the convention before action is taken.

The convention if held would include a key-note address, some nominating speeches and most of the fol-

derol of a real GOP convention.

President Higgins instructed the Senators to take the proposal back to Thinking the wire may have been de- their constituencies and report tonight layed from 1940, local Western Union on campus opinion. Prof. Frederick Engelmann, of the political science department will organize the convention if one is held.

In commenting on the proposal Higgins stated, "An opportunity such as this would be an important experience in citizenship for all of us."

"Career" Book Available To Senior Students

Free books! Yes strange to behold, but free books are being

offered by the Dean of Men.

The volume entitled "Career" is a summary of job opportunities in various corporations.

Fully cross indexed as to fields of endeavor, location, and educational preparation, the book is available to all senior students upon request.

Ag-Techs Trim Windows for Pat A. U. Goes TV;

Hornell and Wellsville store win-ows are turning green with St. Pat's Video Program

Members of the Ag-Tech advertising lab class have made arrangements with Wineburg and Gleason, Tuttle and Rockwell and J. C. Penny in Hornell to deck the windows with Patty promotion.

Two Wellsville stores are also expected to enter the campaign. If the idea catches, the experiment may be a regular feature of the St. may become a regular project of the Pat's buildup.
Involved in the advertising are Ag-Techers, Ralph DiMicco and Jackie

Case, members of the advertising lab instructed by John Gradoni. Working with them is St. Pat's Board member, Dave Pixley.

This is the first year that Ag-

Tech students have played a part in the ceramic engineer's holiday, and is a part of the continuing program of inter-school unity.

Who will St. Pat be and why?

Uniform Drive Nets \$300 With More Plans to Unfold

The band uniform drive got off to a good start and is continuing," said Jack Kaplan collection committee chairman.

Of the \$1400 goal, \$300 has already been collected as of last week, Kaplan announced. Campaign canvassers will contact more students this week.

Other fund raising ideas are in the offing, but are still a secret, Kaplan said. He told students to be ready for anything, though, and watch the thermometer rise.

Patty Makes Little Green **Book Public**

Sure'n the little bit of heaven that arrives in ten days will delight all Alfred leprachauns.

The Irish parade of floats starts at p.m. Thursday afternoon. Faith'n you know you won't be expected in class so don't be a sily shelelagh. When the last residence float moves away, Patty will be searched for in the Alfred air, land and sea; when you're not looking, he'll appear!

The tea dance in Social Hall with O'Rawady and his Shamrocks will be held from 3 to 5 p.m. that day. Closing up the first Festival day of fun will be the traditional open houses by the Ceramic College. Glass blowers from Corning will draw crowds and all are invited to stop in at Merrill Hall, Physics Hall, and research lab in Green Hall, and Allen Lab.

You'll wake up the next day to the exciting new Saroyan play by the Footlight Club, "Elmer and Lily," with premiere music by Mark Bucci. Curtain time is 2:30 p.m. (Mother Facree, don't miss your mornin' classes though.)

Begorra! The Ball is last. Beneke and his Emeralds start at 9:30; the coronation starts at 11 and the intermission starts at 11:30. The gym will empty at 2 a.m. Somewhere between the play and the wee time o' the mornin', ye'll stop off at one of Patty's fraternity houses (not greek organizations that weekend

And that, say the men in the green hats and ties, is the schedule for St.

Shown on WRGB

Alfred University has gone T.V. That is to say the University will be featured in a half hour program Thursday over station WRGB in Schenec-

The program will be shown from 10: 30 to 11 p. m., and will feature a panel discussion, the University choir and an address by president M. Ellis Drake. Included in the panel will be Dr. Joseph Seidlin, Prof. Alexander Kuman, Prof. Henry Langer and Dr. Ro-

The panel will discuss a problem which confronts all parents who have or will have sons and daughters in college. Specifically the panel will discuss how parents can aid their children to get the maximum benefits from a college education.

Engineers Chose Queen, Officers, Hear Speech

At the American Ceramic Society meeting at 8:15, March 13, in Physics Hall, the engineers will elect the St. Pat's queen and make nominations for ACS officers for the coming year. The engineers will hear Mr. James Woodburn, Assistant Technical Director of the Great Lakes Carbon Company of Niagara Falls, who will speak on the practical aspects of carbon and carbon products.

He Should Worry



Mark Bucci

Thurnau, Miller, Small Win Class President Officers

A new president will be installed at Student Senate meeting at 7:30 tonight in Physics Hall.

With a majority vote of 388 Ruth Smith nosed out Rose Sieber who captured 350 votes in the race for Senate prexy. A heavy Ag-Tech vote gave Smith the victory. Smith will be the first woman to head the Senate since 1946-47.

Sieber took a sizeable lead of 258 votes to Smith's 187 in the University. The Ag-Tech votes of 201 swept Smith into office, Sieber garnered only 92 in Ag-Tech,

Smith Wins Senate Prexy Post as

Corkhill Takes AT Council Gravel

In the Ag-Tech Student Council election Tom Corkhill emerged victor-ious over Fred Cornish with John Buckreis taking the vice presidency from Ken Bryan.

The vote for Senate prexy followed the Trot Poll predictions fairly well, but Smith failed to take the 61 per cent majority that the poll had prediced. She captured 53 per cent of the vote.

Friday students will vote for Senate veep and members of the freshman class will choose a veep for men to settle a tie which developed in last week's race. Ronnie Lehman and Fred Ogden each received 27 votes. Union Board

In the Union Board elections Jim Harris won 66 votes and took the liberal arts position from Dave Lockhart who took 42 votes.

The ceramic position on the board went to Bob Spiegal with 35 votes, a considerable lead over Paul Stillman who garnered 17. Bob Thurnau with 46 votes copped

the presidency of next year's senior class. A late entry on the ballot, Thurnau beat out Neil O'Brien who got 34 The vice presidency went to Ethel (Babe) Strong who received 47 votes.

Her opponent, Carol Blankheit re-Winners of the other class positions were Pam Davis, secretary with 43 and Ralph Swanson also with 43 for

treasurer. Marlin Miller took a sizeable lead a fire resistant ceiling; painting cell-over Dale Edwards, getting 80 votes ing and halls, refinishing floor and fur-Marlin Miller took a sizeable lead to Edwards' 55 to win the presidency

of next year's Junior class. In the junior elections for veep, Ron Cipriano took 73 votes to beat Stuart Fries who gained 59. Marion Smith with 56 beat Ed Kleban, 46, and Dick

Amdur, 30. The largest field of candidates was in the race for next year's sophomore class officers. Stan Small won a plurality, 39; to nose out Al Sak, 27; Marv

Janice Jarvis received 45 votes to beat Pris Parsons, 22; Liz Constantine, 12; Lorrie Mallet, 18 and Jeanne Lounsbury, 16 for the vice presidency

Deadlock

In the veep race among the men, Ronnie Lehman and Fred Ogden deadlocked at 27 each. A revote will be held this week. Others in the veep race for men were Ronnie Francis, 20; Frank Warren, 23; Gerry Peterson,

Mary Jane Villereale with 56 votes took the secretary race beating Barbara Green, 23; Susan Stewart, 3; Richard Larson, 14; Kieth Tindall,

In the race for treasurer of the class of '55, a late entry on the bal- by paper ballots, getting away from lot, Joyce Jones with 58 votes de the use of the voting machines which feated Paul Fine, 28; and Rhoda Kaj- had proved unsuccessful in the past

South Hall **Face Lifting Nearly Done**

Repairs to South Hall and the naval reseach laboratory, damaged by a \$15, 000 fire Jan. 25, were scheduled for completion by yesterday.

University treasurer Edard K. Leblohner said the L. C. Whitford Company of Wellsville, general contractors for the repair of the building, should have completed work.

The University sustained an \$11,000 loss in the fire, believed to have been caused by a faulty fuse and one navy furnace in operation at the time. The University loss included \$10,000 damage to the building and \$1,000 in equip-

Loss to the navy project is approximately \$4,000. Director of the naval research program William Crandall says that of this, more than half is estimated in lost time expended by

Repairs and some remodeling of South Hall is being done by the University. The project includes soundproofing of corridors, installation of indirect lighting fixtures in halls and painting the entire inside of the building. Painting should be completed by the end of the spring recess, April 15.

Getting Plastered Repairs to the navy lab include plastering tile walls and constructing niture of the office and repairing smoke and water damage in the high temperature equipment room.

A portable precision potentiameter, a temperature controller, and indi-cating temperature controller, a low resistance thermometer temperature controller and four furnaces are included in new navy equipment.

An automatic dilatometer was re-Rosenthal, 15; Irv Sobel, 19 and Bill ward Ormsby one week after the fire. Milliken, 18 for prexy. constructed by George Plotter and Edmen for their care in fighting fire around this instrument.

P. M. Hackett of Andover is working with the navy laboratory in reconstructing the low resistance thermometer temperature controller. According to Director Crandall, this is a very delicate device which was originally constructed here.

We always save our biggest news for the fillers. Former Fiat editor, now editor emeritus Matt Melko, has returned. He is granting interviews in the Union today from 1 to 3 p.m. Ten minutes, cost only a dollar.

The voting conducted in the Union and Ag-Tech cafeteria was conducted

Mark Bucci Doing Elmer and Lily Score

By Dot Sachs

"I should worry, I should care. I should mary a millionaire" is Mark Bucci's musical interpretation of Elmer and Lily.

Composed of "long hair" and musical comedy music, librettistactor, set and costume designer, amateur painter, lecturer on music, Mr. Bucci is more than amply qualified to write the score of Elmer and Lily-which is just what he hap-

arship, donated by Rodgers and Hammerstein in honor of Berlin's 60th birthday, Mr. Bucci studied four years at the Julliard School of Music. For excellence at the Berkshire Music Center, he received the F. R. Mann Scholarship, in honor of Gregor Piatigorsky, at Tanglewood, Massachusetts. Hhere

he studied under Aaron Copland, Ti-

bor Serly, Frederick Jacobi, and Vit-

torio Giannini.

We Say It Here Ever since, he has been active in every field of music. In 1946, the Cleveland Orchestra performed some of his works. He has composed many musical scores for plays, including Brecht's "The Chalk Circle" which

under Eric Bentley's direction and later at several colleges. His music has been heard in Switzerland and in Salzburg, Austria where some of his theatre music was performed at the International Theater

was done at the Hedgerow Theatre

Seminar in 1950. A New York broadcast of his violin work acquainted Winner of the Irving Berlin Schol-Americans with his works. Besides lectures on music in the

theater at theater conferences and symposiums, he did a version of "The Beggars Opera" which had a three month run at the Carnegie Recital Hall. In this production he took the part of the beggar, and added acting to the list of his talents.

Who Cares

Although he has written concert music, Mr. Bucci's main interest is in theatrical scores. He is now engaged in writing a one-act comic opera for which he has writen the libretto and designed the costume and sets. A children's opera, a tragic opera, and the music and lyrics for an all-negro play are slated for publication in the near

Mr. Bucci had this to say about Elmer and Lily, "It seems to me, Saro-yan is trying to show how little people care about solving any of the problems

(Continued on page three)

power line broke in front of Prof. Seidlin's house.

FIAT

from St. Pat.

found that Pat must have been referring to an incident that occurred

forth banned from being delivered in was mystified. He said, "I don't get it. Why is St. Pat talking about 1940? Last week we got a letter from him and he seemed to be up to date on all the Alfred plans for his holiday. He

was faculty advisor. Now what's the What's Delay?

even knew that Clarence O'Merritt

representative Al Rawady hastily sent an inquiry to the WU cable headquarters in New York.

He received the following answer about one hour later:

"International Cablegram from Dubiin, Ireland was filed Friday, 3:40 p. m. (Dublin time) in Parnell Square telegraph office, Dublin. Received here and relayed to you without delay."

Still baffled, the Board sent a cable back to Pat asking him to explain his first wire and to tell them when he would arrive. A Fiat press time the genial Irishman had not replied.

AT Duet Add To Patty's Fame

Ag-Tech students will work in a

Ralph DiMicco and Jackie Case of The solicitors are: John Cramond, the AT advertising lab will aid con-Psi Delta; Bill Lehr, Theta Gamma; struction of props, signs and planning Hal Renkert, Kappa Psi; Carl Mc- of window themes for various stores

> Arrangements have been made with Wineburg and Gleason and Tuttle and publicity. Rockwell in Hornell as well as two Wellsville merchants to tie in merchandising promotions with the St. Pat's dance.

Dave Pixley will work with Ag-Tech students as St. Pat's Board contact If the experiment is successful, the promotion of the St. Pat's Festival

advertising lab.

Students who are sophomores

Positions Open for **Dorm Counselors**

Why? Dormitory counselor positions are open until that date.

and juniors this year are requested to submit applications to Dean of Men Fred Gertz by March 15.

Patty Plans Parapet Panegyric By Jane Peterson

The first ceramic brick was fired in St. Pat's stomach. That is the explanation presented to students who question St. Pat's patronage. It seems that he was in the habit of eating coal, and the ingenious Irish found in his stomach lining the ideal makings of a kiln.

St. Pat's trips to the Alfred campus began way back in the dim, dark the arrival of St. Pat, but everything year of 1933. The events of the fes- ended well and the festival went on as tival that year featured many of the expected. The next year saw ceramic same activities now enjoyed, a tea industrial exhibits at the open house dance, a Footlight Club play, the ball. for the first time. Bob Fredette's In '33 St. Pat arrived at the ceramic building to be escorted by a parade

of floats up to Alumni Hall, where there was a ceremony of knighting to film the parade, which marched the engineers. opportunity of answering a question parade and everyone was urged to concerning their personal past or kissing the blarney stone. Needless to

the practice of kissing the blarnel

was a corn beef and cabbage luncheon. The band choice for the ball was a close one, Joe Nesbitt's Pennsylvanians finally winning out over Teddy Black's Village Barn Orchestra. The the preceeding years the jokes and 140 couples that attended the dance, annual lampooning of faculty and adnot victims of the present inflation, ministration had been getting more paid \$3.75 for tickets.

During the next few years the festival developed along the familiar deep disgust and emphatic disapprolines. The records show that in 1935 val, and abolished future St. Pat's present, has been increasingly influthere was a lot of trouble concerning assemblies. "The speech, delivered by

Band was the highlight of the holiday.

During the 1937 festival, there was a Universal Newsreel Camera on hand he engineers.

down Main Street and then up to AlThe engineers to be knighted had the umni Hall. The freshmen lead the wear green to commemorate the day.

During these early years 11 candisay, this custom simply evolved into dates were chosen for queen, 10 of whom served as attendants for the stone in succeeding years. winner. It was not until 1946 that the Another feature of the first year list of candidates was reduced to seven, and finally limied to five in 1950.

Exhuberance went one step too far at the 1940 St. Pat's assembly. During and more pointed and this one outdid all others. President Norwood expressed his

Dave Thomas, contained several offof the faculty to leave the assembly The next year the reprimanded students had o do without the parade and assembly. The Irish spirit could not be

squelched, however, and Horace Hen-

derson and band thrilled couples at

the ball with his renditions of "Chloe and "Kitty on Toast." In 1942 the parade and assembly speech were re-established but activities took place on Main Street, rather than in an assembly. That year Al fred was feeling the effects of the war. The Student Senate banned corsages and the money normally spent for

The war affected the next festival even more. Nevertheless, a comedy, 'So This Is College" was presented by the engineers masquerading as the Dublin Players, and Ken Renick beat out the rhythm at the ball.

flowers bought defense bonds for the

war scholarship fund.

In 1944, for the first time in 10 years, St. Pat failed to make his appearance in Alfred. On the succeeding March 17, however, the returning vets planned a substitute for the tradiional festival, although there was an effort made to revive the Irish spirit, St. Pat's absence was felt acutely.

In 1946, St. Pat was again able to (Continued on page 3)

More Witch Hunters

The reaction of the WSG president to the editorial labeled "Witch Hunters" (Feb. 26) came as a surprise to those who are responsible for its appearance. WSG president, Chickie Ballman, is guilty of a gross misinterpretation. The purpose of the editorial was to rouse the women on campus from their inert indifference to their government and to stimulate interest in the forthcoming WSG questionnaire on improvements in WSG administration.

Concerning our own proposals or "hogwash," we realize that two of them demand radical change in tradition—the abandonment of hours for senior women after Moving-Up Day and of social campusing. They may not be accomplished immediately, they may not be accomplished at all, but we feel they are worth considering.

Regarding the late entrance slips, the threat of burglars on the campus is small especially since there are usually several nighthawks roaming around inside the houses. Houses have also been left open for women who arrive on the late trains after vacation without any disastrous results. Designers and those involve din Footlight Club productions have late permissins so why not baby sitters or those visiting

The object of a campus is to penalize for an offense. Restricting a student's privilege to leave the house after 8 o'clock is an effective punishment, but we also feel that a constructive punisment would not only inconvenience the offender but also benefit the group. By constructive punisments we mean house duties such as clean-up or telephone duty or fines which could be donated to the house treasury or the University Development Program. These constructive punishments could be used in conjunction with the regular campus or could replace them altogether.

The social campus is juvenile in that it prohibits women from talking to men. Instead of this, why not add some duty on to the regu-

There are many women who have received WSG penalties which they consider unfair. The Dean of Women reports that no girl has ever come to her for an appeal. This indicates that the girls do not want to appeal to the administration. Why not have a system of appeal to a student group?

The no smoking rule was not voted down entirely by the WSG. Modifications were suggested by the houses and the matter was tabled. If you want a change in it you must make your opinions known to your WSG representatives and in the questionnaire.

It is unfortunate that our suggestions, questionable in some requests, plausible in others, were received with such hostility. They were meant to initiate thought and action from the students and not as gripes or personal insults. With such an attitude of hostility change will be impossible.

The Chestnut Again

This is a reply to Mr. Mitchell's letter. We cannot avoid controversy when we do not agree on something. Obviously Mr. Mitchell and the Fiat have similar aims-having the best possible library your point of view. here—but have different ideas on how to get it.

First the question of open stacks. As we pointed out in a front page editorial Feb. 19, there is no substitute for open stacks. They acquaint browsers with books they would otherwise not see, they teach students how to use the library and how to find books. That should be as much a part of the aims of the library as an attempt

The open stack system we advocate would be just as efficient and a year and a half of so-called as the closed stack in all probability and would have the added advantage of teaching students more about the library than a lot of they are in the majority of univercopying of numbers as the card catalog does. What's more, the proposed system wouldn't cost any more than the present one.

Here it is in brief: Let students enter the stacks without passes. Let them look through the books, take them off the shelves, leaf believe. through them and put them back if the don't want to withdraw stacks any person them. If a student wanted to take home a book, he would make out a slip (one of those that are now made out at the card catalog) and leave it with the page on duty in the stackroom.

That way the students would save making out slips for a lot the juveniles as much as we are able. There is the damning evidence. of books they don't want or that aren't on the shelves and the library has a check on the books withdrawn just as they do now.

The pages could also spend some time straightening the shelves. They would have time for this because they wouldn't have to run around finding books for people. No extra pages would be needed; the cost would remain the same.

As for conevenience, it it more convenient for the patron to spend several minutes copying down the information at the card never able to do under the open syscatalog and then have another wait while the page hunts up the books; or is it more convenient to go directly to the stacks and take all times, we are still convinced that the books you need?

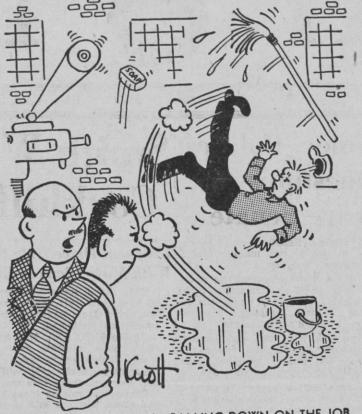
How many times have you made out stackroom withdrawal slips for half a dozen books and then found that none of them has in it the information that you want? This inconvenience would be eliminated with open stacks.

As for the library staying open longer weekends, that will cost more. But so what? The library is not a business operating on marginal costs. If only a few students want to use the library some extra hours during the weekend, the building should be opened for them. And how do you measure that anyway? Service to a few individuals is more important than the money involved.

Why not have one or two of the pages work at the main floor desk during the slack weekend hours? That wouldn't be as expensive as keeping a librarian working overtime, but would still keep the library open longer. Or why not close noons instead of weekends? Who cares whether other college libraries are open more or less hours ing well adapted to such use. Generthan ours? we only want ours open longer.

It's good to see that the matter of smoking is to come before is out of the question for obvious reathe library committee. Before they discuss it they might well take a look at the ceramic library which allows smoking. Ask Miss Van it leaves much to be desired. Schoick how much a nuisance smoking is in that library. They'll be surprised how well the system works out, and how clean the room is.

Improvement is up to the library staff and committee. President Drake, in an interview with a Fiat reporter on the closed stack system last year said, "We will be happy to receive constructive criticism from the students on how it may be improved." We have made that criticism. We think the suggestions would improve the library. But they never will unless the library adopts them and gives and orderly would I favor its continuthem a chance.



"THERE GOES JACKSON . FALLING DOWN ON THE JOB

Letters to the Editor

R. S. V. P.

Several complaints about the Fiat have been discussed at recent faculty gatherings. These complaints accomplish nothing unless brought to the attention of the Fiat staff. We, therefore, invite all faculty members-and students, too, for that matter- to write us letters of frank criticism. A new staff will take over the paper within a few weeks. Your criticism might help them. The letters will be published if the writers wish.

Mitchell Offers His Side of Library Argument

Kindly do not consider this a to elicit a reply from me immediately after the appearance of your article, I refused for two reason: first, I do not wish to become involved in a controversy, which so frequently besuggests rather violent disagreement, and altho I do not subscribe to every-

Perhaps, however, for your benefit and that of your readers, a statement should be made giving the library's attitude toward the suggestions you

thing you had to say, I certainly am

not in "violent disagreement" with

First, on the much mooted question of open vs. closed stacks. have been at Alfred, we have had seven and a half years of open stacks closed stacks. I say so-called, for our stacks are not completely closed as libraries. Any student may browse freely in the stacks as any time simply by securing a permit at who ve are obliged and happy to serve

Having tried both the open and the so-called closed systems, we of of the Church married! the library staff are convinced that infinitely better service can be given our patrons under the present system. in much better order and can supply the patron with the desired material or tell him where it is and when it will be available for him as we were tem. Realizing that inconvenience is of course something to strive for at good service is more to be desired.

Service Desired

Were our patrons actually denied access to the books, which heaven forbid they ever may be, there might be good reason for returning to the old stystem with all its faults. since this is not the case, and since we have been able to render much more efficient service (which, by the way, many students have commented on to us, especially last year when the system was newer) we are not disposed to return to the old system.

Secondly, as to establishing a smoking room in the libray. I have every sympathy with the person who desires to smoke while studying. Personally I am in favor of some arrangement which would make this possible, and have at various times given it serious consideration. The greatest drawback to the proposition, however, is that there is no part of the present buildal smoking in the main-floor reading sons. The history room on the second floor is about the only possibility, tho

Administration's Ball Whether a smoking room may or may not be established is a matter for the administration to decide; however, I shall bring up the question at the next meeting of the library committee. If the committee approves 1 shall be willing to discuss it with the president. I might add, however, that favor a trial period to start with. Only if the room could be kept clean ance, and continuance only for so long as the privilege were not abused.

And third, as to longer weekend My conviction is that the library should be open as much as real demand warrants consistent with our ability to provide staff. Unless we can add to our staff, we cannot keep the libray open more than the present reply" to your recent editorial on the roll to hours per week. Neither present nor immediately prospective funds permit another assistant. Last year I had occasion to compare our hours with those of other institutions comparable to Alfred. Out of 666 such institution 355 were open fewer hours comes acrimonious without yielding than we, 181 were open approximately beneficial results second, a "reply" the same number of hours, and only were open more. My personal feeling is that 70 hours a week meets the local demand.

Lastly, as to excessive heat and ventilation, if you know of some way of preventing students from closing windows almost as fast as we can open them, even when the thermometer register 80 or more, I should appreciate hearing from you,

Very sincerely yours, C. M. Mitchell Librarian

St. Pat's Married, Begora!

Even we Scotch have had to take the desk, which by the way is not the notice of the blarney surrounding the hardship that some would have us alleged Saint Patrick. Up to now we The permit system enables have kept silent but there comes a us when necessary to keep from the time to speak. In the Fiat of March knowingly 4th is a letter from the pious fraud abuses the browsing privilege, and to which confirms our worst fears and keep out young children, who can precludes further March 17 celebrabecome quite a problem. As a semi-tions. I call your attention to the public library, which we legally are, second paragraph "The other day I was talking to me wife Maggie... double dealing old reprobate has turned apostate and married!! A priest

Despite the Dublin Chamber of Commerce it is common knowledge that Patricus is an Englishman. So one We are able to keep the collection naturally expects a majority of the seven deadly sins to crop up. But even we Orangemen were unprepared for this heretical lapse. Notice how casual was his phraseology "The other " But one can't dismiss heresy with a shrug of the pen.

All this has startling implications. Immediately new meaning is read into the phrase "loyal son of St. Pat" Little did Ceramic Engineers suspect that their patron engineered his first tile roof to shelter this Maggie and their wee

There can be no question of policy regarding his impending visit. usefulness to Ceramic Engineering is over, although the Fiat Staff might well adopt him as patron of the typographical error. Some suggest that he bring Maggie with him. No such scandal should be visited upon Alfred. We do not want to risk the threat of interdiction. Lets stop the farce right here and cancel the invitation. If he does show up we can burn him and throw his ashes in the Kanaka-

Since this leaves Engineers with out a patron I nominate our Scotch St. Andrew, who is an honorable chap and never yet fallen from grace.

Yours for Scotch Independence, Bruce MacDonald

Campus Calendar

TUESDAY Fiat Meeting-7:15 p. m., Fiat of-Student Senate-7:30 p. m., Physics

THURSDAY Catholic retreat talk by Father Krieger-7 p. m., Kenyon Chapel AT Student Council-7:30 p. m., AT Main Building Latin Club Play-8 p. m., Communi-

ACS Meeting-8:15 p. m., Physics

Collegetown

By Dot Sachs

Onct upon a time, a pretty little co-ed named Red Ridinghood, awoke to the merry jingle of her alarm clock. Glancing dreamily at the clock with one eye and out of the window with the other, she decided it was too nice a day to go to her dianetics class. So she hopped out of her snug little bed into her snug little jeans and sweater and took off for the disenchanted Wood of Pine.

She wandered among the rocks and trees, picking toadstools as she tripped along, and humming strange ethereal melodies. The sun gleamed in her rusty hair and the zephyrs caressed her checks. She was happy and lighthearted.

Grim Fairy Tale

Suddenly she let out a shrill scream and stopped aghast. There, in front of her, stood a wolf, in a plaid skirt, grey flannel trousers, and white bucks. His vicious face was twisted into a friendly grin as he said gently, "Where are you going, Red?"

ming strange ethereal melodies," ans- at her. wered Red "And what will you do after that

Honey?

house," she answered shyly. "Come with me, little Red. you a shortcut," said the evil wolf.

Red was scared, plenty scared, but she followed him obediently. He led

they came to the housemother's house. By this time the sun had gone down and the earth was enveloped in darkness. They knocked on the housemother's door but it was locked. The house was closed for the night. Saved by the Belles

Little Red was trembling noticeably and a small wet ear trickled down her bright cheek. "Why are you grinning" she asked the wolf.

"The better to cheer you up" he answered.

"Oh, what strong arms you have," said little Red. "The better to pro-"I am picking toadstools and hum- tect you," said the Wolf, as he lunged

Her shrill cry woke the neighbors who bore down on him with their rolled up sign-out sheet in hand. "I am going to my housemother's tle Red was saved from his clutches. She ran to the safety of her housemother's arms and cried her little heart out. Everyone except the bad wolf, lived happily for weeks after.

There are several morals to this her over hill and dale until finally story, too numerous to mention.

SNIGHT and DAS

French Week brought forth shouts of "l'amour" and (Alfred lingo), "Let's have a party!" We all realize France is known for her romantic romeos, but surely the only thing they have that Alfred doesn't is the Eiffel Tower.

Kim Sprague reigned as King of the Campus at the Junior Dance at South Hall Friday night. Those musical chairs were the hit, and possibly the of the evening!

Kappa Psi held a rip-roaring open house Saturday night. Skits were presented which gave a complete pic ture of "Life and Strife on the Col lege Campus." According to Pat Patterson, "It was the best party we've had this year!" Chaperones were Dr. Wingate, Prof. and Mrs. Salvatore Bel la, Prof. and Mrs. Lew Field, and Mr and Mrs. William Simpson. Rev. and Mrs. Leroy Moser were dinner guests Sunday. Tomorrow the boys have in vited Omicron for dinner.

Pledges, Parties, Paddles Lambda Chi had a "very mild" (so I'm told) open house Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. DeForest Truman, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lewis chaperoned.

At Delta Sig everyone dove into spaghetti and all the trimmings at their UN pary in Italy Saturday night. Comment: Everyone she have-a gooda time Prof. Bella was guest. Robert Acheson was up for the weekend.

Dietz. Dr. Conroe and Jane Hawkins were dinner guests Sunday, and Dr. Conroe was there for the weekend. On Saturday night the fellas had a stag beer party for the pledges. Formal initiation was held Sunday.

Overheard at a stag party: "toast ... to the pictures on my desk, mey they hol is good for preserving everything except secrets.

Plans, Pins, Poems

The Theta Gamma men are still warking on the downstairs cafe, getting it ready for St. Pat. Mike Graham was up for the weekend.

Pinning department exclusives: Ed Sockler, Psi D, pinned Pi Alpha's Betty Henderson. Al Buyck pinned Camille Remington of Rosebush.

Kappa Nu had an "Oakie" party Saturday night. Those sensational ler, and Marcus, entertained all. Chap-"Singing Bartenders", Astrachan, Milerones were Prof. and Mrs. Rod Brown, Prof. and Mrs. Lew Fields and Prof Fred Englemann and Audrey Wallace. Alfred students are lucky to have such wonderful chaperones.

Remember: Gather ye kisses hile ye may, Time brings only sorrow, For the dames who flirt today Are chaperones tomorrow.

People, Progress, Preaching Omicron invited Theta Chi for dessert hour Thursday night. Dinner guests Sunday were Prof. and Mrs. Alexander Kuman, and Dr. Ernest Finch.

Sigma Chi initiated Mrs. William Hueg, Mrs. R. G. Eisenhardt, Mrs. William Pulos, and Mrs. Paul Powers as new honoraries. Ruth Smith became a member. A tea was held for the honoraries on Sunday.

Rosalie Macri and Barb Bebarfald were initiated into Theta Chi. Incias up for the weekend.

At Klan, Don Quick pinned Ann for their pledge dance which will be next weekend.

Hrbbie Webber and Alvin Katz were dinner guests at the Castle Saturday. Mary Fuller's sister was a weekend guest.

Bea Fantzen blew out the candles at Henderson House Thursday night never meet!" Ah well, they say alcoparty.

There are so many girls going steady at Rosebush it reminds one of a matchbox. Bonny Asbury and Jim McCreq; Louise Rowe and Ken Hance; Caroline Snell and Jim Myers: Marilyn Keubber and Stan Stankowski!

Remember fellas, 10 shopping days until St. Pat's. (And I don't mean Gillettes-) Let's get out those little

Withered Widow Portrayal Excellent in 'Blue Veil'

By Ralph Calabrese

An academy award nominated film | ness with a restraint which leaves will be presented tomorrow night at nothing to be desired. Alumni Hall. Jane Wyman will be featured in the

Wald-Krasna production of "The Blue Miss Wyman proves that she is a

versatile actress with this performance. She has already shown that she can sing in play comedy; witness her fine job in "Here Comes the Groom" with Bing Crosby Adding to her laurels, Miss Wyman

FRIDAY Marine corps meeting-4 p. m., Phy-

Catholic retreat talk-7 p. m., Kenyon Chapel SATURDAY

Campus Caravan-11 a. m., Radio Station WWHG SUNDAY Catholic Mass-9, 10:30 a. m., Ken-

yon Chapel; Retreat blessings after show at 8:28 p. m.

Village Church

Despite the monotonous repitition of

the plot, which is faintly reminiscent of Louis Calhern's porrayal of Justice Holmes in " The Magnifcent Yankee". Miss Wyman's performance is so absorbing that the deficiency was hardly noticeable. The drama, which will probably

on campus, concerns a governess' successive jobs and her love for those enportrays a withered widowed gover- trusted to her by preoccupied parents. A short feature with the Woody

have the most appeal for the ladies

Herman Orchestra and a cartoon are Catholic Mass-7:15 a. m., Kenyon also on the bill for tomorrow night. Be Considerate.

Movie Time Table

Wednesday-Jane Wyman in "The Blue Veil". Shlows at 7 and 9:27 p. m. Friday-James Stewart and Marlene Dietrich in "No Highway in the Sky" and "A Letter to Three Husbands with Eve Arden. Last complete Saturday-"The Day

Union University Service-11 a. m., Stood Still." Feature at 7:53 and 10:

TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 1952

Fiat Lux

Alfred University's Student Newspaper

Published every Tuesday of the school year by a student staff. Entered as second-class matter October 9, 1913, at the post office in Alfred, N. Y., under Act of March 3, 1879. Subscription \$3 yearly.

Represented for national advertising by National Advertising Service, Inc., 240 Hadison Avenue, New York Otty, New York.

STAFF

EDITOR, Frank Bredell; Business Manager, Robert Owens; Managing Editor, Lillian Falcone; NEWS, Ralph Calabrese; Ac-TECH, Audrey Wallace; Sports, John Denero; PROOF, Ellison Patterson; Assistant Business Manager, Harry Blatt; CIRCULA-TION, Georgia Smith; PHOTOGRAPHY, Fred Katnac; ADVERTISING, Paul Clark.

April Postponement Is Reply To Orvis' Housing Panacea

Trustees of the village heard plans Monday night for the construction of two three-story rooming houses on

The plans were presented by AT Director Paul B. Orvis. The Benevolent Association of Ag-Tech has applied for the building permit to erect the structures as rooming houses for AT women

Action on the proposal was tabled until the April meeting of the board in view of opposition to the building project voiced at the village board

Director Orvis, who also heads the Benevolent Association, said that they would like to erect two frame houses 34 by 60 feet, set about 200 feet east of Elm Street.

Each house, Orvis said, would have 11 rooms on each floor and would accommodate 42 to 45 girls.

Lopsided Living

He outlined the crowded housing conditions at the Institute which has no dormitories for its students. The Benevolent Association supplies hous-

ing for 150 girls in five places.

In his statement to the board Orvis said the Institute has applications now from 100 girls which it will not be able to accommodate because of lack

of housing for them.

He added that the dormitories scheduled for construction by the state dormitory authority would house only 60 Ag-Tech girls, and would "just scratch the surface" of the Institute's 19, N. Y. housing need.

The state dorms have been planned for several years, but are not expected to be built for some time.

Campus Amoeba

Dr. Lawrence Bickford Jr., who lives across from the proposed building site appeared at the board meeting to voice his objections to the pro-He sent a letter explaining his viewpoint to the members of the

His letter said in part:
"My request is not based directly on the relatively narrow and selfish grounds that the proposed residence in the immediate neighborhood of my home; nor is it based on any bitterness or ill feeling caused by the results of previous actions by this group.

"My objections to the project are two fold; first, it would result in desirable home cites in the residential area of the village being converted into an extension of the campus; second, it would place this property in a questionable tax status and perhaps eventually result in its removal from the village tax rolls."

Bickford pointed out alternative locations where the houses could be erected on the hill to the north and

east of the present campus.

He asked for a public hearing on the matter. His letter said, "Either a clear-cut approval or a clear-cut rejection of the application for a build-ing permit by the Board of Trustees would by no means solve the problem, but would rather lead to ill-feeling, discontent and more trouble."

Jacox Hands Down

Copies of Bickford's letter were sent to Trustees Dana Peck, who presided at Monday's meeting in the absence of the acting mayor, John Jacox. Others who received copies were Trustees Jacox, Robert Campbell, James McLane, and two men, Donald Baker and John Gorton, who have been nominated for trustees positions to be filled at the March 18 election.

On the motion of Trustee McLane, action on the building permit request-ed in February was delayed until the April meeting of the board when the new mayor and trustees will be pres-

Odd and Ends Berkshire, Cannon Bainbridge Naval Base, Maryland. and Mojud A11 \$1.00

Senior Outlook

Summer camp job announcemens are on file in Dean Fred Gertz's office. The Dean O'Men urges that all students who are contemplating taking for the Castle. Next, Pi Alpha and Omisible. Scramble!! First come, best re-

In a memo from the Research Bureau of Retail Training, University of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh 13, Director Bishop Brown urges all students interested in the field of retail trade to investigate opportuniies. Informaion may be obtained by writing to the above address.

Several British Universities are offering summer courses for American students.

Courses will include Shakespeare, British economics, Education and life and literature.

The cost including tuition, meals and residence ranges from \$168 to

Further information may be obtain-

The New York State Employment Service regional office in Rochester has announced that it stands ready to assist graduate students from the Ro-

Victor is seeking outstanding graduates in the fields of advertising, accounting, business administration, psychology and physics. See Dean Gertz for further information.

The American Optical Company is seeking L. A. and Engineering students. Montgomery Ward is also interested in college graduates who are interested in the field of retail store management training. Dean Gertz has complete information concerning these

The U. S. Civl Service Commission has announced an examination for probational and indefinite appointments to the positions of Junior Scientist and Engineer.

The positions involve research work n either the physics or electronics

Applications are available in the office of the Dean of Men.

Fire Chief Butts Gives Magic Number

In case of fire dial 3101. That sounds simple, but Assistant Fire Chief Stan Butts says the last three fire calls had come to the Crandall Hook and Ladder Company in a roundabout manner through Hornell.

"Don't call the long distance operator in Hornell to report a fire," Butts said. The reporter will have to relay the call back to Alfred, losing time.

"The first five minutes of a fire may mean a difference of five hours of fire fighting," said Butts. Everyone should memorize the the fire call number. When calling in a fire, unless you're being singed right then, give the official taking the information time enough to read the dope back to them. It'll save time and property in the long run."

Navy Honors Ag-Techer

Seaman Recruit Clayton L. Besch' received the American Spirit Honor Medal last week in ceremonies at the

The award was made for "outstanding military training, scholastic standing and good citizenship during recruit training." Besch was selected from recruits representing nine companies.

A '51 graduate of Ag-Tech, Besch was a member of Psi Delta Omega

OF

ROUNDS 21

(Exhibition)

AG-TECH GYM

FRIDAY, MARCH 14 - 8:15 P.M. Sponsored by Alfred Fire Company

Donation \$1.00

Don't forget to be measured early for ST. PAT'S TUXEDOS

KAMPUS KAVE

Featuring the new Tony Martin Tux

Women's Sports By Betty Lou Ogden Basketball is still



the chief sport at South Hall, but not for too much longer. Spring is in the air - somewhereand then softball will have its hey-

March 3, the Castle defeates Rosewood 19-10. for the Ag-Tech Shatara had six

a summer job see him as soon as pos- cron played a very "personal" game according to the refs. The final verdict was a 33-18 win for AKO. Ann Sherman tallied for 12 of Pi's points, while Jean Jacobs scored 10 for AKO and B. L. Ogden made 9.

The most exciting game seen at the gym in a long while was the tussle between Theta Chi and Sigma Chi. The score was 16-17 in favor of Sigma at the half. Basket-for-baskket was the way it went, with a lot of vocaliz ing from the balcony cheering section.

At the final whistle, the score was 23-25 in Theta Chi's favor. Nancy Lobaugh was tops for the losers with 11 points, while Mary Jane Gibson crackthe whip with 12 for Theta.

How Dull

Wheaton House has decided to default the rest of its games. Saturday morning was very quiet at the gym. The Theta-Rosewood game was post-poned, Dobson's team defaulted to Pi Alpha, and Omicron defaulted to the Brick girls. This was the weekend everyone chose to go home.

day at 9:15. Don't miss them.

Instead of the badminton group taking over the gym Sunday, the girls played guests from Cornell in a tournament. Players selected through competition for the playday were Nancy Lobaugh and Irene Eastwood as first doubles team and Jean Bauder and Teddy Zarola as seconds.

Singles number one woman is Carol Dunham, number two is Ann Sherman, with Linda Babcock third in line, and Carolyn Lieb fillng the fourth

The badminton club will meet on Wednesday night from 8 to 10. It is still open to anyone newly interested in chasing the birds.

The basketball officials rating exam will be given March 24. Girls may try for their intramural, local, or national ratings. The written exam is to be given at 5 p. m. The girls who pass this phase of the test will take to the floor at 8 for the action part of the exam.

Let Miss Creighton know ahead of time if you pan to take the test, for the exams must be ordered in advance. Also, four teams of volunteer players are needed to test the would-be officials' skills in reffing. If you want to play some basketball with no practices necessary, this is the time for it. Louise Moore, basketball manager, would like all house team managers to be on the watch for an All-Alfred team. It will be chosen at the end of

Europe Study

Students interested in studying in Europe this summer will have the opportunity for joining with students from the Near and Middle East, Western Europe and Scandinavia in a discussion of present day problems in a wide number of fields.

All-inclusive prices of tours to Europe covering a minimum of four countries, range from \$65. Further information mey be received from Travel and Study Inc., 110 East 57th Street, New York, 22, N. Y.

Several important universities and academic institutions are setting up international summer courses and Seminars with lectures and discussions conducted entirely in English.

The range of topics includes languages, literature, the history of art and music as well as political philosophy, and the emphasis is on achieving a wider mutual understanding. A practical experience assignment in

journalism will be given. Programs are under the leadership of outstanding educators from Colum bia and Harvard, Pennsylvania State

College and others. With emphasis on peoples and cultures, all programs feature visits to arts and music festivals, the theater, opera, concerts and ballet.

AU Lost 51 **People Lately**

Registrar Clifford Potter has announced various additions and subtractions to the Alfred University pop-

22students were flunkedd out because of poor scholarship. Withdrew voluntarily at the end of last semester were 51 and 15 withdrew this

The new students include 21 liberal Jacky Ross had six arts and three ceramic college freshmen, three graduate ceramics stuteam, and Barb dents, six special students in University and one in the Ceramics College. Among the tranfers are one liberal senior, one junior, one sophomore, and one sophomore in ceramics.

> In addition, two liberal arts students have switched to ceramics while eight ceramics students are now liberal art-

Erving Mix, James Quackenbush, Wil-

Marines Will Visit Campus Friday

A marine corps procurement team will visit Alfred Friday.

Major Warren A. Leitner will preside over a meeting of interested students to explain the opportunities offered by the Corps for college students. The meeting will be held at 4 p. m. March 14 in the Physics Hall lecture

Two main programs are offered by There are only two more practices the marine corps. The platoon leaders 'til the playday with Elmira next weekend: tonight at 8:30 and Thursgiven two summers of training amounting to six weeks each summer. Upon graduation from college the men are commissioned.

The officer candidate course is open to qualified seniors. They are en- The council is sponsored by the sturolled but not called to active duty until after graduation.

Two years service is required in eiher program, the first five months of which is to specialized officers

Short Story Contest Being Held by Mlle.

A college fiction contest is being conducted by Mademoiselle.

For the two best short stories submitted by undergraduate women, the magazine will award 500 bucks each. The writers will turn oer serial rights to the stories and will see their work published in the August '52 issue.

Entries hae to be in by midnight April 15, 1952.

Rules of the fiction contest include: only undergraduates may compete; stories that hae appeared in under-graduate college publications are ac-ceptable but only if they weren't published elsewhere.

Women writers must also limit the Women writers must also limit themselves to between 3,000 and 5, 000 words. They may submit more than one story. The format must be type-square dancing, how to remember, and written, double-spaced and on one side ceramics. Tours Offered of the paper only, accompanied by name, home and college addresses and college year.

is College Fiction Contest, Madamoiselle, 575 Madison Ave., New York, 22 ing why the class paid no attention.

national in scope also offers opportunities to tyro writers who have not reached their 35th birthday.

Manuscripts must not exceed 7000 words and must be submitted before in a dive on the south side. May 1, 1952.

Judging the stories will be a distinguished panel of writers including William Saroyan and Richard Wright. Alpha Sigma tonight. Manuscripts should be submitted to News-Story, 6 Boul. Poissonniers, Paris, France. First prize will be a New York-Par

is one month all expense paid trip. Fiction and fact from the Sun almanac: Your discarded bedspreads make dandy mattress pads.

-Patronize your advertisers.

WHEN HAIR IT'S TIME TO SEE THE CORNER BARBER

ALFRED. N. Y.

MILK BAR and SANDWICH SHOP Short Orders, Quick Service

OPEN EVERY NIGHT 'TIL 11 P. M.

Next to Crandall's Jewelers

S. HOLLANDS' SONS

Hornell, New York

"FROM CELLAR TO ROOF"

LUMBER - CEMENT - COAL BUILDERS SUPPLIES

AT Flower Shop Turns Green In Preparation for Patty

By Audrey Wallace

Girls will be green with envy over the corsage selection to be featured by the Ag-Tech Flower Shop for the St. Pat's Ball.

Sodalitas Latina to

Thursday evening, March 13, at 8:00 Latin Club will give a play, "Miles Gloriosus" or "The Braggart Warrior". This play, which is to be given in English, was written in Latin by Plautus, the foremost writer of Roman tricky slaves, young Athenian play- fied. boys, a gay old gentleman, and several beautiful girls. The plot of "Miles Gloriosus" satirizes the boastful soldier, a character which was the subject of much ridicule in ancient

The cast includes Frank Hamm, John Ropes, Duane Davis, Herbert Shindler, Marvin Rosenthal, Dawn Elkin, Norman Licciardi, Jean Packard, Mary Ellen Tucker, Tom Beale and Judith Leondar.

This play will be presented under the direction of Hazel Humphreys and will be introduced by Rose Mary Baker. Admission is free and every one is invited to attend.

Campusextra

By Pam Davis Career Conscious

George Washington University this week has slated a career conference. dent senate with the purpose of giving students an opportunity to hear and question experts in various fields about job opportunities.

Students can obtain information about salary, importance of grades, and what weight student activities will carry. Altogether 16 fields will be represented ranging from the armed foces to psychology.

Sounds like a good idea, pehaps a program similar to this could be included on this campus in place of an assembly?

Dentist: "Sorry I'm all out of gas." Gal in chair: "Don't te dentists use that line too." "Don't tell me that George Washington Univ.

Visitor: "Live here all your life?" Native: "Don't know, ain't dead

Ride News Rememberology and Rhumba Majors Brooklyn College announces the beginning of a new semester in their adult education program. Courses are

planned according to community demand; if there are enough requests for a certain course, the subject is included. There are no prerequisites and no grades given. The most popular of

the 200 courses offered are the rhumba, food preparation for home parties, Oh How True The Ka Lee O. Hawaii, University Bucci

of Hawaii, ells of a certain history The address for stories submitted professor who once went through a whole lecture, jokes and all wonder-He later discovered that he had re-A second short-story contest, inter- peated the lesson of the day before. Central Michigan Life

The Final Slash Everbody in the family was a good swimmer except Herby. He was killed

Ohio State Sundial There will be no meeting of Gamma

Pat of Past

(Continued from page 1)

ential in promoting the Irish cause around Alfred. During that festival, as this year, the Fbotlight Club presented a William Saroyan play, "My Heart's in the Highlands."

The next celebration featured Ray McKinley's band and a queen chosen by a Marine Detachment at Quantico. Va. The last four years have seen pro GETS IN YOUR EYES grams very much like the one starting next week.

The beard growing contest was started in 1949 and Jimmy Dorsey rendered sweet music for the dance. The next festival was an important one, the 50th anniversary of the Ceramic College. Tommy "I Don't Want To Set The World On Fire" Tucker was the hit of the weekend.

Last year, as three-quarters of the students will remember, Woody Herman furnished the music; Audrey Riess, the beauty; and "Twelfth Night' the drama. St. Pat arrived in a bathtub and Lambda Chi was the float winner

The St. Pat's Festival has had an impressive history but it is only an indication of the events to come. Tex Beneke, the Saroyan play, "Elmer and Lily", the five queen candidates, and the contest of floats will enliven a festival as exciting as its predecessors.

How about a green orchid if you are looking for something appropriate and unusual? Vincent Smith, head of the Ag-Tech floriculture department, assures us that a wide variety of orchids will be available Present Comedy within the reach of everyone's pocket-

Everyone will want a green carnation. As usual, the Hortus club will sponsor a booth, with proceeds to be used for educational purposes.

According to ticket sales from campus dances, 40 per-cent of corsages comedy. It was first produced at are purchased from the shop. Rosebud Rome about 205 B.C. by a group of corsages in a variety of dolors are the The following students graduated last semester: Joe Amdur, Edwin Helfer, Gwendoln Lord Kelly, Carol Levy,

> Experiment in Green Keep your eyes lopen for a St. Pat's

window display, which hasn't been re-vealed as yet but which will be set up Thursday. A comparatively new organization, the shop moved from the greenhouse

headquarters during the summer of 1951. The shop is being used in experimental capacity to study buying habits and promotional schemes. Floriculture majors operate the shop

with 19 freshmen students and four juniors working on a rotating basis. Their jobs consist of selling, flower arrangement, keeping books, handling advertising and numerous other jobs. Each week a new window display is

set up. Last week a Dutch gardenwindmill scene was featured in a lavender, yellow and white motif as a background for a display of potted plants, hyacinths and daffodils. Two shades of pastel forest green with touches of cream and black form a pleasing background for display

variety of colors which are changed from time to time to give an entirely new effect. "Keep it Moving"
Students are constantly trying to improve the shop with plans underway for new display shelves. "When we realize that articles on a certain shelf are not moving, we redesign for better display purposes," Mr. Smith

drapes of velvet and satin in a wide

explained. In addition to plans and flowers, students also handle merchandize not being sold elsewhere, such as candles, party decoration materials, pottery, glassware and copperware in articles directly related to the business.

The past winter, a new project, the hostess package proved very succes ful. Every Friday customers called for a dollar purchase, consisting of flower and plant selections put up by the student salesmen, which would normally sell for \$1.50. Each customer agreed to take the

package for a minimum of two weeks.

Students hope to repeat the project next year altering the minimum period to four weeks with subscriptions paid for in advance. "It would be helpful if customers would allow students to serve them instead of asking for me," Mr. Smith

said, and added, "local patronage is greatly appreciated."

(Continued from page one) that face us on a day to day level. Musically therefore, I put that idea in the sidewalk jingle "I should worry,

I should care" and use this theme

prominently throughout the score." Mary Kitchell and Dale Castaline, the two soloists in Elmer and Lily, poured out profuse praise for Mr. Bucci' musical score. I managed to salvage the following remarks: according to kitch, "The music is new, fresh, and meaningful-I love it!" Dale's comment was, "Slightly terrific." Sorry, two more weeks before the opening

GET YOUR ORDER IN FOR

MURRAY STEVENS

Hornell's Largest Clothiers

For Lowest Prices And Widest Variety THINK OF

FOOD - CIGARETTES - CANDY

JACOX FOOD

Phone 5382 Self Service

Saxons Clinch Overtime Win Over Buffalo State, 57-56

A stolen ball and an easy shot by Dave McCormick gave the Alfred basketballers a victory Saturday night and sent them to the

Slated for

Friday Night

day night without resorting to tele-

be held in the Ag-Tech gym Friday beginning at 8:15 p. m. A donation of \$1 will be collected at the door.

Participants will include seven man

teams from Hornell and Elmira. In-

cluded in the Hornell line-up will be

two young fighters who last week fought in the Golden Gloves in New

They are brothers Mark and Bruce

Brewster. Mark won his first New

York bout but lost out in the second. Bruce fell in the first Their brother,

Dave, the heaviest and youngest of

the trio will provide the main bout

Olympic Champ Other scrappers from Hornell to appear here are John Gibens, Jerry

Layton, Ronny Swain and George Van

Kuren. Hornell is being coached by

He will bring seven boxers from El-

While the Elmira line up was not

available as the Fiat went to press, it was reported by Bill Evans of the

exhibition this year. That might be

open for local contestants he added.

Chooses Leaders

surer is Pete Wagner. Roxy Jones is

cers: Mort Flock, publicity manager;

Stone Prexy,

last Tuesday's election.

chairman.

in Kenyon Hall.

promoting the exhibition.

of the world in the 1930's.

Friday night.

best season a Saxon team ever had. McCormick's basket was the margin of defeat over Buffalo State in an **Boxing Show** pwertime game which ended with a 57-56 victory for the Saxons.

Alfred ended the season with a 13 win, seven loss record. The Staters got a 9-7 mark for the campaign.

State came from far behind to make the game a heartstopper. Down by 11 points, 33-44, with nine minutes remaining, Coach Hube Coyer's charges cut their deficit to 46-51 with 2:40 left, then bagged five straight points to force the overtime.

Tie Game Jerry Gerbracht of the Buffalo squad cut for a bucket to open State's closing five point string. At the 1:55 mark, Mil Garfield cashed a foul to pull State within two points.

Ten seconds later, Capt. Ed Hunt, making his final start for the Orangemen, whipped in a hook to lock at 51-

A traveling violation gave State posession with 1:30 left. The Orange then froze until two seconds remained

when Garfield tried a shot but missed. State appeared to clich the decision by netting the first five points of the overtime. Garfield pitched a perfect scoring pass to Gene Van Loan and Gerbracht for a basket. Then Garfield

Saves a Close One



Dave McCormick

dropped in a foul to make it 56-51 for State.

With 1:50 left, McCormick flung in a one hander, and one minute later Eve Evak cut for a basket to put Alfred only a point behind.

AOC Elects State then attempted to kill the clock with a freeze. The Orange waived free throws twice—at 22 and 15 sec-onds. Then, with three sconds left, McCormick came up with the play of the year for Alfred. He pilfered the ball from Hunt, and dribbled in for

the deciding two-pointer. Bill Coddington with 15 points, Evak with 14 and McCormick with 13 were high scorers for the Saxons while

Garfield was high for State with 17.
Garfield finished the eight game season for Buffalo with 130 points, an average of 16.25. Gerbracht ran up the season high for the Orangemen with 194. Alfred season summaries are to be found today in a separate story. ding; Pete Wagenr, chairman of win-than balanced their lack of experience.

Affred G F T Baffalo S. G F T ter carnival committee; and Gil Myers We've had one of our best years, 7 chairman of hiking. McCorm'k, f 5 3 13 Hunt, f Duane Jordan was appointed main-tenance man by the new skiing chair-6 2 14 Gerbracht, f 4 1 Hauser, f 1 0 2 Van Loan, f 1 0
Printz, f 1 1 3 Farrell, f 0 0 man. Handy, c 3 2 8 Wukovits, g 4 5 13 Mangels, e 0 0 0 Garfield, g 4 9 17 Fitzgerald, g 3 0 6 Vienne, g

Totals 22 13 57 Totals 19 18 56 ed me. Affred 12 13 17 9 6—57 Buffalo State 12 13 8 18 —56 Officials-Mike Rull and Bill Hubbard.

Season's Top Scorer

Speca, g



Millard Evak

This is be kind to oyster crackers month.

Want-Ads

THE ELTEKON boarding club is expanding its facilities for fellows who like real home cooking, generous ser-

a rare bargain for St. Pat's Ball. DRESS SUIT - \$25 ENGLISH COVERT TOPCOAT-\$25 BLUE CHEVIOT TOPCOAT - \$25 Each will cost \$125 to replace Size 35 short

Each would cost \$125 to replace

JOHN BURROWS 72 Maple Avenue Phone Wellsville 948

D. S. BURDICK

INSURANCE

Main Street Alfred, N. Y.

Skiers Take Third at Cortland

Alfred's skiers were barely nosed out of second place in a seven-way ski meet oa Cortland Saturday.

On a slow hill and a rough crosscountry course Cortland Teachers took first honors with Hamilton second and Alfred a close third.

Dick Homer was high man for Alfred taking third place in the slalom and tieing for fourth in the downhill. George Poxley took fourth place in the Local fans will see seven bouts Fricross-country event.

Total scores were Cortland 285.4; ision.

Hamilton, 267.5; Alfred, 265.0; Oswego 257.1; Canton ATI 228.8; Corted by the Crandall Hook and Ladder land B Team 218.7; Oswego B Team fire company of Alfred. The show will 212.4.

	Alfred results:			
	SLA	LOM		
		18t	2nd	
Pla	ce Name	Run	Run	Time
		Sec.	Sec.	Sec.
3	Dick Homer	51.1	56.3	53.7
13	Jim Gunning	60.0	62.0	61.0
16	George Pixley	69.0	55.0	62.0
19	Dave Benzing	70.2	62.2	66.2
30	Jim Haeker	87.4	92.0	89.7
32	Wally Hoerning	96.1	85.2	90.6
	Alfred—85.7			
	DOW.	NHILL		
Place Name			Time	
4	Tramer		449	Soc

	Pla	ce Name	Time	
	1 4	Homer	44.2	Sec.
	10	Benzing	45.7	Sec.
		Haeker		
ï	20	Gunning	50.2	Sec.
		Pixley		
		Hoerning		
		Alfred—90.2		
		CROSS - COUNTE	RY	

life long boxer Mel Schroeder who is Elmira will be coached by Steve Hal-Pixley 36.39.5 Min. icko a lightweight boxer who slugged his way to the championship in the 13 Gunning 42:55.0 Min. Haeker 53:23.6 Min. 1928 olympics and who was a serious contender for the lightweight title Alfred-89.1

mira with him to face the Hornell Grapplers Travel To Cleveland On Saturday

sponsoring fire company that an unde-The Alfred University wrestling team will wind-up their season Saturfeated boxer by the name of Bramble will meet Dave Brewster in the main day as Fred Gibbs and Fred Wilcox Evans said that a good turnout journey to Cleveland for a wrestling Friday night may mean that the fire meet featuring the top men from 25 company will stage another boxing colleges in six states.

Wilcox is undefeated this year and has pinned four out of five opponents. Gibbs has won all but one match.

Coach Alex Yunevich, commenting on the team's season record of three wins and two losses, stressed the fact that both losing contests were very close. The Saxon grapplers lost to the Rochester Institute of Tech-The Alfred Outing Club has a new one of the top wrestling schools in set of officers for next year following this vicinity, by five points. The wins were scored over Buffalo (twice) and Jerry Stone was elected prexy. Trea- Cortland.

The successful season for the Purple secretary and Jim Gunning is skiing and Gold grunt and groaners was sum marized by Coach Yunevich as fol-The following are the other new offi- lows: "This has been our best seacers: Mort Flock, publicity manager; son in some time. The boys were in-Johnny Hicks, chairman of rod and gun; Burton Jay, chairman of bobsled-nicely. Their aggressiveness more due to good team balance. Next year Duane Jordan was appointed main- should be even better."

· Commenting on next year's prospects. Coach Yunevich had this to say The AOC will meet tonight at 8:15 "Next year's prospects are very good. The men will have more experience, something they were lacking this

This begreens to look like a protogether in two thicknesses to make bath mats. Well you could have fool- fitable year for the shamrock indus-

DON'T DELAY-

Sometimes old bedspreads can be

cut into convenient sizes and sewed

Buy your photography supplies for St. Pat's Festival now!

Compete line at

E. W. CRANDALL & SON Alfred

Jewelers

JUST ARRIVED NEW EVENING DRESSES

Floor length and Bullarina length Nylon Nets and Rayons All Pastel Colors, Black and Red

\$22.98 TO \$39.98

TTLE & ROCKWELL CO.

Hornell, New York

Best Basketball Season Ends With 13 Wins, 7 Losses

With the thrilling overtime over Buffalo State, the Saxon Quintet drew the final curtain on the best season of basketball Alfred has ever had. The team won 65% of its games taking 13 and dropping only seven.

Highlights of the season were the double defeat of the U of Rochester and the copping of second place in the Hofstra Tournament. The Saxons whipped the U of R first on their own court 57-48, and later in the season at Alfred 51-48.

As the dark horse in the tournament, the Saxons defeated Hofstra 42-41, Queens 58-35, and dropped the final game to Wagner by three points, 58-

The Brockport jinx remained with the Saxons this year as they were unable to take either game. They dropped the first, 44-41, and the

Player Tot	al	Points
Evak	21	4
Coddington	18	39
McCormick	14	10
Castiglia	11	8
Fitzgerald	10)1
Printz		4
Vienne	8	35
Cusak	6	30
Speca	5	14
Olsen	5	3
Mangels	2	23
Hauser	2	23

second, 63-60. We have not seen the high end of a Brockport score since

Probably the tightest game of the season was Friday night's defeat of Buffalo State at Buffalo when, with three seconds in the game, Dave Mc-Cormick stole the ball and put the Saxons high for the evening. Another game which wasn't decided till the final whistle was the Hofstra game when, with the score tied and fourteen seconds to play, Bill Coddington was fouled and then went on to break up the game.
High man for Alfred was Eve Evak

who rolled uup 214 points in 20 games to average 10.7 points per game. Cod-

Snyder Places Third Saturday; To Meet Wilt, Gehrmann

Harold Snyder, Alfred's crack trackster warmed up for next Saturday's race against Fred Wilt and Don Gehrmann Saturday by placing third at Hamilton, Ontario.

At the 91st Highlanders Athletic Association indoor Meet, Snyder with a time of 4:26 for the mile came in be- mile finals and placed seventh. hind Bill Mack, Michigan State mile champ now running unattached, and Gerry Lynch, last year's two mile winner, at the University of Michigan. Winning time was 4:16.

In the 1000 yard run John Morgan came in third after sprinting from near last position to catch and pass most of the pack. "It was one of the finest races I've seen Morgan run," commented coach James McLane.

yard open run behind the Syracuse and Toronto champions.

Warm Up

Herb Day qualified for the semifinals in the 300 yard but had to be dropped because of an injured leg. As a result the Saxons did not compete in the relay race.

dington had 199 points for 20 games to make a 9.5 score. McCormick 140-20-7. Complete totals later.

The biggest difference between scores was the McMaster game which we won 72-48. This was also our largest score for the season.

Got your St. Pat's ticket yet?

Don Button, qualified for the half

Next Saturday in the 174th Armory at Connecticut and Niagara Streets in Buffalo, Snyder will race the mile against champions Wilt and Gehrmann, and Mack, who nosed out Snyder at Hamilton.

Morgan will compete in the 600, Les Goble will enter the 300, and Will

Wakely will take the 70 yard dash.
Wilt and Gehrmann have met 21 times with Gehrmann winning all but Bob Corson placed fifth in the 600 five of them. Wilt is an FBI agent who runs for the New York Athletic Club, Gehrmann is indoor 1000 yard

> Mack has won the national indoor mile upsetting Wilt with a time of He has done 4:09.2.

> Wilt, Gehrmann and Mack will have a busy weekend, competing in the Knights of Columbus meet Friday at Cleveland before moving on to Buf-

> > R. E. ELLIS

Pharmacist

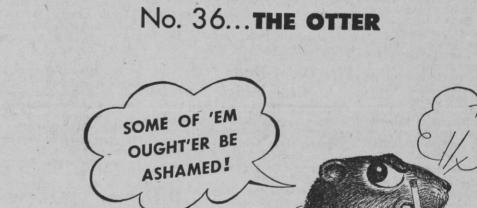
New York

UNIVERSITY DINER

QUICK SERVICE

Alfred, New York

Campus Interviews on Cigarette Tests





A usually mild-mannered and easy-going lad, he really made the fur fly when he realized the trickiness of most of the so-called cigarette mildness tests! He knew there was one honest test of cigarette mildness. Millions of smokers everywhere know, too - there's one true test!

It's the sensible test . . . the 30-Day Camel Mildness Test, which simply asks you to try Camels as your steady smoke - on a pack-after-pack, day-after-day basis. No snap judgments! Once you've tried Camels in your "T-Zone" (T for Throat, T for Taste), you'll see why ...



After all the Mildness Tests ...

Camel leads all other brands by billions