



## GROUP RECOMMENDS FOOTBALL COACHES

**Thirty-Nine Applications Considered For Position Left Open By Heers' Resignation**

The first official step in the selection of a 1930 football coach for Alfred was taken Saturday evening, February 8, when the committee on recommendations met at the President's office. This committee considered thirty-nine applications for the position, and from this number selected a small group which will be recommended to the hiring committee for the final choice.

It is expected that the hiring committee, composed of President B. C. Davis, Treasurer Curtis Randolph, and Mr. Henry Maxson of Plainfield, N. J., will act upon these recommendations in the near future.

## SAXONS DEFEAT ROCHESTER, 30-26

Alfred's basketball continued on their way to the New York State Conference championship Saturday, Feb. 1, when they eeked out a 30-26 victory over Rochester at the Flower City in a close and hard fought game.

The outcome of the fray looked doubtful with but three minutes left to play in the first half when Rochester was in front with a six point lead. But baskets in quick succession by McGraw, Webster, and Kickham and two free throws put the locals in the lead, 18-17 as the half ended.

The second period was nip and tuck all the way, neither team being able to forge out in front by more than three points. With four minutes left to play Steele sank a short shot and drew a foul. He made on one of his free throws and Alfred was in the lead by four points. The game ended soon after with the score unchanged.

McGraw was high scorer for the winners with three baskets and a free toss while Kickham, Webster, Latronica, and Steele tied for second place honors with five points apiece. Although Fenner did not break into the scoring column he and MacFadden played a good defensive game holding the heavy-scoring Rochester forwards to seven points.

Watts, Rochester center, was the individual high scorer of the game counting nine points on three baskets and three free tosses in spite of the fact that he was ejected from the game in the first half with four personal fouls.

Summary:					
Alfred—30	F.	G.	F.	T.	P. F.
MacFadden, rf.	1	3	3		
Webster, rf.	2	1	1		
McGraw (c), lf.	3	1	0		
Steele, c.	1	3	3		
Kickham, c.	2	1	1		
Fenner, rg.	0	0	3		
Latronica, lg.	0	5	0		
Totals	8	14	11		

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## Inventory of Library Made; New Books Arrive

On January 25th, a complete inventory of the library was taken, and revealed the total number of books as 42,330.

New books added—  
Anderson—Sparks of Laughter  
Page—Jesus or Christianity  
Chase—Men and Machines  
Seton—Book of Woodcraft  
Zackry—Personality Adjustments of School Children  
Keller—Midstream  
Mantle—Best Plays of 1928-29  
Comstock—Introduction to Entomology

## Leaves On Vacation



President B. C. Davis

## PRESIDENT DAVIS ATTENDS BANQUET; GOES TO DAYTONA

As the special guests of Louis Wiley, upon whom Alfred University conferred an honorary degree last June, President and Mrs. Boothe C. Davis attended a banquet at the Hotel Commodore, New York City, on February 6, given in honor of the United States Ex-Ambassador to England Hon. Alanson B. Houghton. The people of Steuben County, in which territory Ex-Ambassador Houghton was reared and lived previous to his appointment, sponsored the banquet, which was a brilliant affair characterized by the presence of American notables and royal representatives from several of the European nations.

Following their attendance at this function, President and Mrs. Davis returned to Alfred, to leave again on Monday, February 10, for Daytona Beach, where they expect to spend the six weeks period of the mid-winter vacation.

## Chapel Talks of Late Prove Opportune

Chaplain McLeod found the inspiration for his first two chapel talks of last week in the popular song hit, "Aren't We All." From the line "I'm a dreamer" came the thought that it is through constructive dreaming that progress comes, while the last line "I'm a fool" gave the idea that "the fools of yesterday are often the recognized great men of today." Wednesday's topic, "An Old Soak," pointed out that people should "give a helping hand rather than a hand out." On Thursday, Chaplain McLeod spoke of always striving for the best—a topic most appropriately timed with regards to the week of semester exams to follow.

At the beginning of the new semester, the chapel services were resumed by Chaplain McLeod's "Thinking in a Circle" topic on Wednesday. "Think straight in some direction" was the advice quite apropos of a new term's work. Prof. Binns conducted the service on Thursday with an inspiring discussion of death and the love everlasting. On Friday, Chaplain McLeod introduced a new word, fanfaronade, meaning to make a vain display, which he cautioned everyone to avoid.

## FRESHMEN APPOINT CLASS COMMITTEES

Thursday after assembly, the Freshman Class held a short business meeting. A committee was appointed to choose the class colors, also for the coming Frosh-Soph dance. The colors committee is composed of Kitridge Hallett and Helen Garrison. Raymond Frahm, Maxine Armstrong, Phylbia Sheheen, and Gale Perryman are on the dance committee.

## RABBI FINK GIVES INSPIRING SPEECH

**Conditions In Palestine Explained By Well-known Buffalo Authority**

In his assembly talk last Thursday on "The Situation in Palestine," Rabbi Joseph Fink, well-known head of the Buffalo Tabernacle, discussed the cause for the Arab demonstration against the Jews last summer.

In Rabbi Fink's estimation, it was not differences in theological interpretation but the propaganda of the Arab overland that caused the Arab peasants to murder their Jewish neighbors.

"Palestine as a country is no more holy than New York State," said Rabbi Fink, "but because of countless myths, traditions and mysticisms which have come down through the ages, narrow-minded and thoughtless members of both Jewish and Arab faith have set Palestine apart from the world."

The heart of every Jew is filled with a desire to see in Palestine a Jewish State. After the World War such a zionizing movement was begun and an expedition of Jewish engineers and scientists was sent to make the country habitable. They found living in the Holy Land, Arab peasants whose conditions were little better than that of animals due to taxation and oppression by their overlords. The members of the expedition attempted to raise the status of this poverty-stricken people and by so doing incurred the wrath of the reigning Arabs, who, through the use of propaganda, instilled in peasants such a hate for their benefactors that they committed the terrible atrocities which aroused the world last summer.

"There is no hope for a Jewish State in Palestine," said Rabbi Fink, "but through the endeavors of such men as Einstein, Wisemann and Balfour, a Jewish University has been founded there, which will afford a refuge for those Jews who wish to get away from the excitement of the world to study and think. It is not limited to Jews alone, but is open to all creeds and colors and the endeavors of this institution are for the enlightenment and betterment of the world at large."

"The soul of the Jew is in Palestine but his ideals are for the good of the world."

## Fiat Lux Calendar

### Tuesday:

A. U. Christian Association meeting at Greene Block at 8:00 P. M.  
Male Glee Club meeting in the Music Studio at 7:00 P. M.  
Campus Court meeting in Kenyon Hall at 9:00 P. M.  
Ceramic Society meeting in Kenyon Hall at 7:30 P. M.

### Wednesday:

S. D. B. choir practice in the Music Studio at 7:00 P. M.  
Orchestra practice at the Music Studio at 8:00 P. M.  
Union Church choir practice in the Community Building at 7:00 P. M.  
Fiat Lux Staff meeting in the Gothic at 7:15 P. M.

### Thursday:

Chess Club meeting at Delta Sigma Phi at 8:00 P. M.

### Saturday:

S. D. B. services in Kenyon Hall.  
Varsity vs. St. Stephens basketball game.  
Intramural final game.

### Sunday:

Holy Communion in the Gothic at 8:00 A. M.  
Community church services in Alumni Hall at 11:00 A. M.  
Christ Chapel Evening Prayer in the Gothic at 5:00 P. M.

## To Speak At Toronto



Professor M. L. Fosdick

## CERAMISTS WILL HOLD CONVENTION AT TORONTO SOON

The Annual National Ceramic Convention will be held from Feb. 16 to 20, at Toronto, Canada. Alfred University will be well represented by Ferne Greene, whom the Ceramic Guild has chosen as delegate, as well as by a number of students from the Ceramic Art and the Ceramic Engineering classes. During one of the meetings Professor Marian Fosdick will read a paper.

The convention is of especial interest this year inasmuch as the program is characterized by addresses from numerous Alfred graduates.

## Y. M. C. A. Plans For More Efficient Program

At a regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. last Friday afternoon, various amendments were drawn up and adopted which will materially change the scope of the existing constitution.

In addition to the elected student officers of the Association there will be a body known as the Board of Directors. This Board is composed of the student officers and four men selected from the administrative officers and faculty of the University. The powers and functions of this body are very extensive and include final responsibility for the policy and program of the organization, authorization of the annual budget, and the instrument through which the Alfred Association may have official contact with student movements in state and nation.

The new members of the board are Dean Norwood, Professor Conroe, Chaplain McLeod, and Coach McLane. Plans were made for a large representation at the Buck Hill Falls Conference, Feb. 14-16.

## WELLSVILLE MAN TO MAKE SOCIAL CENTER

The assurance of a social center for Alfred University comes with the awarding of the contract for the erection of a building which will cost approximately twenty-five thousand dollars.

The building will be constructed by Langford C. Whitford, of Wellsville and will be completed, it is planned, by the opening of the fall term. The building, the gift of an anonymous donor, is to be a replica of the old Allen home which was destroyed by fire several years ago.

## Notice

The Civic Club of Alfred requests that students co-operate with the villagers in the endeavor to keep the town clean and neat.

## BISONS CONQUER VARSITY QUINTET

**Poor Brand of Ball Displayed By Saxons; Four Out on Personals**

Alfred's hopes for a championship suffered a severe jolt Saturday night at Buffalo when the strong University of Buffalo's basketball team ran roughshod over the Purple by a score of 45-17 to take the undisputed lead in the New York State Conference race.

The Bulls took the lead in the first few minutes of the game when they registered three baskets in quick succession. They were never threatened during the remainder of the game by the invaders and led at half time 17-6.

The Alfred team played the poorest brand of ball of the season scoring all their field goals with one exception on long shots. The experienced Buffalo team stopped the local's celebrated block plays before they had a chance to get started, forcing the Purple to resort to long steves in an effort to keep the score down.

Schragg and Pryor led the Bulls in scoring with 14 and 10 points respectively. Malanowicz, giant Buffalo center, was the main cog in the offense of the home team, getting the tap at center the major part of the time. Fenner played the most consistent game for Alfred.

The game was a rough one, Steele, Kickham, Latronica, and Fenner leaving the game via the personal foul route.

Summary:					
Alfred—17	F.	G.	F.	T.	P. F.
MacFadden, rf, rg.	1	0	1		
Webster, rf. c.	2	0	0		
VanSicklen, rf	0	0	0		
McGraw, lf.	0	2	0		

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## BIOLOGICAL GROUP SPONSOR LECTURE

In order that matters of a more intellectual nature be offered to Alfred students outside of classes, under the auspices of the Biological Society, Dr. Gilbert W. Campbell was invited to discuss on January 22, the "Differences Between the Biologist and the Eugenicists".

He showed how upon investigation into both fields one might become confused on the following subjects: the inheritance of acquired characteristics, pre-natal influences, theory of the chromosomes and the inheritance of such characteristics as feeble-mindedness. Dr. Campbell's research gave some very interesting and educationally valuable information of a new turn on these much discussed subjects.

## Ceramic Engineers To Elect Representatives

The Ceramic Society at its last meeting discussed a number of items dealing with the future of the society. A complete line of events is to begin shortly after the beginning of the second semester. It is proposed to hold one of these every two weeks. The society will have a number of men prominent in the ceramic field give lectures at these meetings.

It was decided to send to the American Ceramic Society's annual meeting being held at Toronto, Canada, a number of delegates who are to be chosen by ballot at the next meeting of the society.

The freshmen have shown very little interest in this organization so far. Since it is for the benefit of the students and much to their advantage that they attend the meetings and join the society it is hoped that they will avail themselves of the opportunity to hear some good material and to have a voice in sending the delegates to the Thirty-Second Annual Convention at Toronto.

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## Interest

A relatively important occurrence on the campus during the past weeks was characterized by such significant features that they might well be taken as an index to our interest in the varying aspects of the worthwhile. The occasion was open to the public and was advertised as a lecture and discussion on a topic which none who seek the well-rounded college education could afford to miss, and which, as well, should have been of particular meaning to students enrolled in certain departments.

Yet out of a student body of nearly five hundred, some twenty to thirty attended, while three or four professors represented the forty-two or more faculty members of the institution. A few will laugh at this evident disinterest and dismiss it with collegiate nonchalance; but the fact remains that we do not appreciate the intellectual phases of college outside the curriculum, and for that reason, perhaps, the lack of cultural influences which many of us bemoan at Alfred is due to our own mental attitudes.

The faculty may well be criticized in such instances for the example they set;—the students for the inertia and the lack of foresight which passes up such stimulating and educational opportunities.

We can not ask for a broader intellectual outlook or a wider cultural background unless we show our appreciation for what we have. Let us heed this in the future and supplant our curiosity regarding the novel in life, with a real interest in the worthwhile.

## "Doing Our Best"

Chaplain McLeod's final chapel talk before the advent of examinations was one which, aside from its import to the average college student, is conducive to thought along other lines as well. The fact that many of us aim to "just get by" in our courses shows, it is true, a deplorable lack of ambition on the part of the students of today, who direct the tomorrow on the strength of what they have acquired. But can we not go further? Does youth, alone, forget to do its best?

Strange, it seems that a responsible college student concentrates on doing his best during his first two years, and lapses into the realm of those who "just get by" his Junior and Senior term. Yet in many cases this is true—the decrease of ambition and aim is in direct ratio to the increase of years and presumably, intellect. Pessimistic, perverted, topsy-turvy, yes—yet the situation stands, due no doubt to the individual himself—but due as well, to other causes.

Can it be that two years of campus life open the eyes of some to the futility, in many cases, of marks? Can it be that uninspiring dogma anaesthetizes thought? Can it be that some college studies should not interfere with the acquiring of an education? Is it possible that there is too little correlation of knowledge to its use?

The fact that students do not, evidently, do their best should come as a direct challenge to the professors. Perhaps if the routine of some required course was altered, the subject matter vivified, open discussion invited, real work presented, it would make a great deal of difference in the necessary remodelling of lethargic class-goers and cut-takers.

Professor, how do you rate with the people you are endeavoring to develop? What response does your course call forth? How many students are sacrificing time—or another course—to take a subject with you?

Let us all take an inventory of ourselves—some need it—some do not, but Socrates' "Know Thyself" may apply, revised, to all concerned as "Know Thy Course."

## Athletic Fund

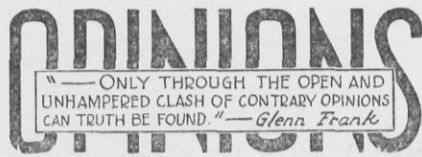
With the accumulation of nearly one hundred dollars for a Students' Athletic Fund, interest and activity towards augmenting the amount seem to have taken a slump. Are we so soon to forget the many useful purposes which such a deposit might serve? Can no other group pick up the torch? Have we no financial wizard in our midst to seize the money-making opportunities which present themselves?

Let us not forget this cause—the loyal student will consider himself as much a factor in its success as his neighbor. If you have a suggestion to offer, write it down and drop it in the Fiat Box in the Restaurant. Don't forget the holiday season merely because it is over, give—of ideas as well as support!

## Post-Semester Changes Noted In Student Body

Fatalities resulting from the final semester grades list approximately fourteen "bustees" in the student body, while the total number leaving Alfred is augmented by several who have transferred their interests to other institutions. As a gentle hint to those who remain, it might be well to say that the faculty as a group is endeavoring to establish a precedent to the effect that cutting classes for other than legitimate reasons will result in the lowering of the final grade.

To partly fill the vacancies left by "those who have gone before," seven newcomers are registered in the University, as follows: Truman Chase, Morris Gomburg, Thomas Havens, Jacob Lieberman, Jack Rind, Henry Schwartz and Sidney Weisuer.



Editor, Fiat Lux—

Is Alfred University non-sectarian?

The answer to this question may be found in the college catalogue whereby it is stated quite clearly that Alfred, "being non-sectarian, students of all denominations are welcome to equal privileges and equal consideration." This may be true inasmuch as the strict sense of non-sectarian is concerned, but nevertheless, a sectarian element is strongly prevalent here at Alfred.

Why do we find no athletic contests, dances or other social functions taking place on Friday evening, or on Saturday. Because, the time of worship of the Seventh Day Baptists begins at six o'clock Friday evening and ends at six o'clock Saturday evening. Please understand, I'm not criticizing the religion of the Seventh Day Baptists, but inasmuch as this school is supposed to be non-sectarian why allow the religion of the town to interfere with the social life of the students?

One might be asked who founded this school. Well enough the credit goes to these early hard working Seventh Day Baptists, but, does this element support the school? Most emphatically it does not. If one thinks this be true I would suggest that he remove all students but those of the Seventh Day Baptist belief and then, see for himself, just how long Alfred University could continue financially

and otherwise. Again, it might be said we refrain from activities on their day of worship as a sign of respect. Yet, on Sunday, the day of worship for a great number of Alfred students, we find many things taking place. One instance of this took place last year when the village was having a ditch dug on South Main street. On Saturday everything was calm and quiet, but on Sunday a great racket was heard all day in the form of a gas shovel. Now, may I ask, was this showing due respect for our Sabbath? I quite agree that the village had the privilege of operating that shovel on Sunday, but then, why must they raise such opposition when permission is asked for a dance, an athletic meet or some social function on their Sabbath?

It is true enough that the village has nothing directly to do with permission for such things on their Sabbath, but those of the administration who grant such permission are either Seventh Day Baptists or they make their homes in Alfred, or both. Thus the sectarian element of the town indirectly works its way to the front and tinges the school with its characteristics. Yet from the day of Alfred University's earliest charter, the school has been advertised as non-sectarian according to the charter. But, aside from this, looking at this question as it exists today, I truthfully could not say Alfred University is a non-sectarian school.

Signed: An Observer.

## SAXONS DEFEAT ROCHESTER

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Rochester—26	F.	G.	F.	T.	P.	F.
Kincaid, rf.	0	1	2			
McGuire, rf.	2	0	3			
Norris (c), lf.	1	0	2			
Kugler, lf.	0	0	1			
Watts, c.	3	3	4			
Harrison, c.	0	0	0			
Rago, rg.	1	1	3			
Harrison, lg.	3	1	3			

Total 10 6 17  
Score at half time: Alfred 18, Rochester 17.

Referee—Dowling  
Umpire—Pasini

## RABI FINK GIVES SPEECH

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"mankind," was the concluding note of the address.

That the opportunity to hear so worthwhile a speech was appreciated by all who attended seems evident from the discussions and commendations which followed the assembly hour. It is hoped that the future will offer more such contributions from the lecture platform.

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## QUINTET BOWS TO CORNELL, 28-32

Wednesday night the winning streak of the varsity quintet faded when they met the Cornell basketball team at Ithaca. The game was ragged and the locals were not up to form with the result that Cornell finished on the leading end of the score. Long shots were the main features of the Cornell offensive and they consistently passed by the Alfred defense. Steele and Fenner tied for the position of high scorer with six points apiece, one field goal and four fouls each. Lewis was the star of the Cornell team, sinking six throws from the court for a total of twelve points.

Summary:

Cornell			
	G.	F.	T.
Murphy	2	2	6
Besemen	1	1	3
Lewis	6	0	12
Kendall	2	0	4
Zohn	2	3	7
Furman	0	0	0
Hall	0	0	0

Alfred			
	G.	F.	T.
MacFadden	2	1	5
Wenger	2	0	4
Steele	1	4	6
Kickham	1	0	2
Fenner	1	4	6
Latronica	2	1	5
Gazliano	0	0	0

Final Score:  
Alfred 28  
Cornell 32  
Score at Half:  
Alfred 17  
Cornell 20  
Referee: Risely, Syracuse  
Umpire: Cramer, Corning

## Varsity Wins Conference Game At Niagara 26-16

The Alfred basketball team increased its lead in the race for the New York State Conference Championship by defeating the fast Niagara quintet 26-16, last Saturday night on Alfred's court. This credits the locals with four wins and one loss.

Niagara started off with a rush but was unable to break through for a score. After a few minutes of fast floor work, the local quintet broke the ice when Latronica scored a basket. The Heersmen's offense worked perfectly, and while Niagara was trying to find the basket, the Varsity caged fifteen points to the Bison City's three when half time was called.

During the second half, Niagara did somewhat better but was never in a threatening position. Fenner and Steele were outstanding both offensively and defensively, Fenner taking scoring the honors with seven points to his credit. The game ended with Alfred on the long end of a 26-16 score and the Conference Championship on the horizon.

Alfred 26				
	F.	G.	T.	P. T.
MacFadden, rf	2	1	2	
Webster, rf	0	0	1	
McGraw, lf	1	2	4	
Wenger, lf	0	1	0	
Steele, c	2	0	2	
Kickham, c	0	0	1	
Fenner, rg	3	1	0	
Fabianic, rg	0	0	0	
Latronica, lg	2	1	1	
Gazliano, lg	0	0	0	
	10	6	11	

Niagara 16				
	F.	G.	T.	P. T.
Clark, rf	3	1	1	
O'Shea, rf	2	0	1	
Grossman, lf	0	0	3	
Switzer, lf	0	1	1	
Collins, c	0	1	1	
Meid, c	0	0	0	
Clancy, rg	1	1	2	
Dwyer, lg	0	0	1	
Shaad, lg	0	0	1	
	6	4	11	

Score by Halves—  
Alfred 15 11—26  
Niagara 3 13—16  
Officials  
Dowling—Endicott  
McKay—Rochester

## Grapplers Will Meet Mansfield Saturday

The Alfred grapplers journey to Mansfield this Friday night for a return meet with the team which they bested by a small margin at the Davis Gym earlier in the season. The strength of the team is about the same as before vacation. The squad is weakened by the loss of Felli who has an infection of the nose. Coach McLane expects to have "Gus" back at work before the end of the season, however. On the other hand the outfit will be augmented by Bryant in the unlimited and Sanchez in the 125 lb. class. The rest of the squad will remain as before however with D'Elia, Sanchez, Captain Hambel, Rothstein, Snell, Flint and Bryant. Coach McLane is looking forward to a comeback after the Rochester reversal. In all fairness, it may be said that Purple and Gold was weakened considerably for that meet by the sickness and loss of men due to injury.

## INTRAMURAL GAMES SHOW COMPETITION

Basketball		
League A	Won	Lost
Klan Alpine	4	0
Delta Sigma Phi	2	1
Burdick Hall	1	1
Betas	0	1
Kappa Psi	0	2

Volley Ball		
League B	Won	Lost
Theta Kappa Nu	2	1
Smith Club	1	1
Alpha Zetas	0	1
Pine Knots	1	1
Aggies	0	0

## Girls Basketball Begins With Three Games Monday

Monday night marked the first three of a series of girls' basketball games at the track house.

Each sorority, the Brick, and the outside girls, have teams. The captains are: Sigma Chi Nu, Marie Hands; Theta Theta Chi, Betty Rogers; Pi Alpha Pi, Maretta Wilcox; Brick, Marie Fleischauer; Outside girls, Virginia Gardner.

The contests of Monday night were: Sigma Chi—Outside Girls  
Theta Chi—Brick  
Pi Alpha—Outside Girls

## BISONS CONQUERED VARSITY

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	F.	G.	T.	P. F.
Wenger, lf	0	1	0	
Steele, c	0	1	4	
Kickham, c. lg.	1	1	4	
Latronica, rg. c.	1	0	4	
Gagliano, rg	0	0	0	
Fenner, lg.	0	2	4	
Total	5	7	17	

Buffalo—45				
	F.	G.	T.	P. F.
Pryor, rf.	4	2	2	
Schragg, lf.	6	2	3	
Siegel, lf.	3	0	0	
Malanowicz, c.	2	3	1	
Dautch, c.	0	3	1	
Harrington, rg.	0	1	1	
Tumeil, rg.	0	0	1	
Farrow, lg.	2	0	1	
Jetter, lg.	0	0	0	

Total				
	F.	G.	T.	P. F.
Total	17	11	10	
Score at half time: Alfred 6, Buffalo 17.				
Referee—Dowling				
Umpire—Swanee				

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## SPORT LIGHTS

By Jackie

Unless Niagara or Rochester can bump Buffalo off Alfred has lost her chance to win the New York State Conference championship. If either of these teams can do that Alfred still has a tough assignment when they play at Niagara in the last encounter of the season. At present the Purple is tied with St. Lawrence for second place.

Local fans will have a chance to see the Heersmen in action the next two weeks when Cortland Normal, St. Stephens, Hamilton, Clarkson and Hobart come to Davis gym. The last three games are conference encounters and should be won by the locals without much difficulty. Little is known of the St. Stephens outfit which hails from the eastern part of the state.

The Frosh basketballers have had quite a lay-off due to the fact that their game with Cook Academy, scheduled for last Friday, fell through. The yearlings appear to have hit a mid-season slump and ineligibility has hit the ranks of Coach McLane's proteges rather hard.

## N. Y. S. A.

A number of R. T. C. girls gave a birthday surprise party on Miss Annis Manery of Hornell, Wednesday evening.

Miss Mildred Higgins '29, spent the week-end with Director and Mrs. Champlin.

Among visitors at the school were Howard Stewart '29, Nelson Henry '28, Fenton Siminon '29, Kenneth Bennett '28, Thomas Warden '29, Erma Trask '29.

Harold Berry has been delivering milk for Lloyd Smith, who has been ill.

The Dairy II class returned Saturday from their stay in Buffalo. While there they inspected Wheat's, Haffler's and Rulch's ice cream plants, Dodd's and Jones' milk plants, Curtis Airplane company, Dold's meat packing house, Fairmount creamery, Niagara Power Company, Shredded Wheat plant and Niagara Falls. The class came back feeling the trip was educational and enjoyable.

The Alfred Farmers' Co-operative meeting was held in Agricultural Hall Monday, Jan. 18. The officers elected were as follows: George Smith and Lewis Tucker as directors.

Professor Paul B. Orvis is confined to his home with the grip.

## DR. WALKER GIVES AN ALFRED SCHOLARSHIP

Alfred's scholarship funds were materially increased recently by the will of the late Dr. J. E. Walker of Hornell which provided for the sum of \$2000 to be added to a former gift of \$1000 to established the James E. Walker scholarship. As is the case with other sums of this nature, the interest only will be used and funds may be obtained by students in any department of the college.

Dr. Walker, a physician of note, was nationally known. For many years he had been associated with the Steuben Sanitarium at Hornell, resigning his position but a short time before his death.

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## CAMPUS PERSONALS

## Pi Alpha Pi

Pi Alpha wishes to announce the pledging of Miss Bertha Sue Larkin and Miss Mary Clarke.

Nice parties, Klan—Theta Nu.

Professor and Mrs. Campbell and family were dinner guests on Sunday.

Margaret Young and Helen Dilks visited Rochester during the week-end.

## Theta Theta Chi

Olive Jenks and Mildred Westphal were guests on Friday night.

We are all glad to have Brownie living with us again.

Maribelle Johnson returned for the Klan Party, and spent Sunday at the house.

Theta Nu and Klan parties were greatly enjoyed.

Marge is taking out insurance on her feet.

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## Kappa Psi Upsilon

The house regrets the leaving of Brothers Giarelli, Amento, and pledge-brothers Berls and Findlay.

H. Warner Waid was a guest over Saturday night.

Ted Flint's return from mid-year's recess was somewhat delayed.

Mrs. Goodwin is unable to cook for us this week due to illness in the family, and Mrs. Sisson is substituting for her.

Cookie's house caught fire last week also.

## Ceramic Guild

Members of the Ceramic Guild enjoyed a cafeteria supper on Friday evening, February 7, in the Ceramic department of the Agricultural Building.

Among the guests were Dr. Binns, Professor and Mrs. Harder, Miss Elsie Binns, Professors Fosdick, Nelson, Miss Whitford and Miss Hewitt.

The committees were composed of the following: General chairman, Theresa Manieri, Dorothy Hallock; decorations, Theora Weishan, Fern Greene.

## Brick

Genevieve Hatchman, a sophomore, did not return this semester.

Six girls from the Brick have transferred to other schools. They are: Betty Bailey, Mansfield Normal; Lillian Holley, Rochester Business Institute; Evelyn Wicks, Genesee Normal; Elizabeth Dickover, Adelphi College; Inda Maynard, Rider Business College; Virginia Williams, Buffalo University.

Since semester marks came out, the Brick is comparatively quiet in the evening. Evidently the grades were not satisfactory.

Ruth Browning and May Bjornsson of Wellsville were week-end guests of Christine DeVore.

## Delta Sigma Phi Tenth Anniversary Celebrated

Delta Sigma Phi celebrated the Tenth Anniversary of the installation of Alpha Zeta Chapter on Alfred's Campus on Sunday February 9.

At one o'clock Sunday afternoon about eighty active members, alumni, and guests sat down to the banquet. Mr. A. W. Defenderfer, General Secretary of the National Fraternity, was the first to speak. His topic was "The National Organization". Following Mr. Defenderfer came Dr. Hugh J. Ryan, Editor of the fraternity publications, who spoke on "Relation of Fraternity to College". Dr. Ernest C. Thompson, District Deputy of the New England Province, reminisced on "The Installation of Alpha Zeta". "Bob" Sherwood, A. U. '20, then talked on "Alumni Relations", and was followed by Harold Reid, A. U. '20, who gave us "Installation from the Viewpoint of a Charter Member."

Guests were faculty members, Dean Nelson Norwood, Professors C. M. Potter, M. Ellis Drake, Stolte and Cortelyou; Mason Walters, Omega; Robert Hardy, Theta; Richard Lyon, Upsilon; and Wilbur Freer, Gamma.

Those Alumni who returned were: Olin Shults, Clarence Cripps, Harold

## Theta Kappa Nu Has Pledge Dance

Saturday evening Theta Kappa Nu enjoyed a peppy dance given in honor of the new pledges.

Music was furnished in the person of Curly Johnson and his Rhythm Kings of Elmira.

The return of Dean Fredericks and Vincent Zoffke from Niagara Falls and Neal Welch of Corning added much to the spirit of the evening.

The faculty guests were Professor and Mrs. Orvis, Professor and Mrs. Boraas, Chaplain and Mrs. McLeod, Professor Starr, and Coach J. A. McLane.

## Professor Harder Reads Play to Wee Playhouse

Miss Elsie Binns and Mrs. Charles P. Amberg were hostesses at the last meeting of the Wee Playhouse which was held at the Community House, February 5. Mr. Harder read a Spanish Play, "A Hundred Years Old," by Jonquin and Serafin Quintero. This play and another by the same authors have been produced by the Civic Repertory Company in New York this season.

Carpenter, Harold Reid, Robert Sherwood, Kenneth Nichols, Everett Baldwin, Jack Grady, Patrick Perrone, Harold Davis, Richard Claire, Brons Martin, Lloyd Larson, Arthur Foti, Milo Lamphere, William Nichols, Edward Campbell, Alec Lippman, Duff Vossler, Carlton Sixbey.

## Klan Alpine Mid-Year Party Is Enjoyed

Klan Alpine held its first informal dance of 1930 Saturday, February 8, with Koskie's Orchestra in the rhythm seats, the guests had a most enjoyable evening.

The chaperones were: Mother King, Professor and Mrs. Titsworth, Professor and Mrs. Seidlin and Dean Dora K. Degan.

## CHESS CLUB INVITES FACULTY GUESTS

The Chess Club of Alfred University will have for its guests at the meeting Thursday evening, Prof. Joseph Seidlin and other members of the faculty probably including Prof. Titsworth and Prof. Binns.

This club while a comparatively new addition to the campus is one that deserves attention. It appeals to those who wish to exercise their minds, to those who like to solve puzzles, to those who are mathematically inclined; in fact, to all who are interested in learning or in playing a game that develops logical thinking ability.

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