



Varsity Swamps Engineers
In Fourth Consecutive Victory

Clarkson Tech. Plays List-
less Game; Fenner is
High Scorer

In a slow and listless tilt, the Varsity downed Clarkson Tech. Saturday night in the local gym by a score of 38-17. The Purple played rugged basketball in the first half and trailed their opponents the major part of the time. A last minute spurt put them ahead at half time, 19-13.

Coach Heers must have told his proteges the why and wherefore of the game between the halves as the Varsity started out in the second period and walked away from the Tech. outfit. Coach Heers injected his entire second team into the fray in the last few minutes of the game, every man on the squad seeing action.

Fenner with eleven points was the outstanding man on the court, holding Steeves, Clarkson's scoring ace to one basket. Captain McGraw, Latronica and Steele counted 25 points between them. Towner was high point man for the visitors with a total of nine points collected on four baskets and a free toss.

SUMMARY

Alfred 38	F.G.	F.T.	P.P.
MacFadden, rf, rg	1	0	1
Wenger, rf	0	2	1
VanSicklen, rf	0	0	0
McGraw, (C) lf	3	3	2
Steele, c	3	1	2
Kickham, c	0	0	0
Latronica, rg	3	3	1
Gagliano, rg	0	0	0
Fenner, lg	5	1	2
Fabianic, lg	0	0	0
Total	14	10	8

Clarkson 17	F.G.	F.T.	P.P.
Steeves, rf	1	0	1
Harris, rf	0	0	0
Towner, lf	4	1	4
Vrooman, c	1	0	3
Turner, c	0	1	3
Elderkin, rg	0	1	2
Manning, (C) lg	1	0	2
Munger, lg	0	0	0
Total	7	3	15

Score at half time: Alfred, 19 Clarkson, 13
Referee: Miles, Wellsville

Series of Liquid Air
Demonstrations Given
By Dr. P. Saunders

Tuesday evening, February 18, Dr. Paul C. Saunders gave a Liquid Air Demonstration at Rixford, Pa., on Wednesday afternoon he gave the same demonstration before the Kane High School at Kane, Pa., Thursday morning at Coudersport the High School heard him. Thursday evening the Parent Teachers' Association at Hazelhurst heard Dr. Saunders. Friday, Dr. Saunders repeated his lecture at 9 o'clock in the morning before the Smethport High School and in the afternoon he was in Port Allegany.

Hamilton Five Loses To
Saxon Quintet 41-33

The Varsity Basketeers were hard pressed throughout the first stages of Thursday night's game, the Hamilton Five being but three points behind the locals at the end of the half. Both teams evidenced slow pass work and poor shooting.

During the second half, the Purple and Gold Quintet showed more action and greater accuracy in registering baskets. Steele was the individual high scorer for the night, running

Rev. Lutz of Wellsville
Gives Talk in Assembly

Richard Lutz, pastor of the Christian Temple Church in Wellsville entertained us with a delightful talk on youth and its preservation in assembly last Thursday.

He stressed four outstanding essential points necessary for the youthful spirit, the first of which being "Confidence". Pastor Lutz maintained that confidence in others as well as in ourselves is indispensable. The second point was the "daring of youth". Everything about youth is daring, youth, itself, being the most daring. Third was the "passion of youth". We should play to win. Youth is replete with desires and volitions, and, as long as you keep the passion of youth, you are young. The last valuable point was the "resiliency" of youth.

Pastor Lutz is an excellent speaker, a fact which is known in Alfred since he addressed the students in assembly last year. The proof of the mastery of his subject was excellently portrayed and his humor offered a pleasant talk.

Wee Playhouse Presents
"Dover Road" Wednesday

The Wee Playhouse is presenting "The Dover Road" by A. A. Milne at Alumni Hall, Wednesday night at 8 o'clock, on February 26th. It is not a rollicking, but an A. A. Milne type of comedy.

The cast is as follows:

Mr. Latimer	Mr. Heers
Anne	Miss Nelson
Leonard	Mr. Amberg
Eustacia	Mrs. Heers
Nicholas	Mr. Harder
Dominic	Mr. Fraser

The staff includes: Mrs. Drake, Mrs. McLeod, Mr. Boraas and Mr. Drake.

JUNIOR FOLLIES
EAGERLY AWAITED

As the time for the Junior Follies draws near, interesting rumors as to its possibilities are abroad. Every effort is being made to keep the program a secret, but certain tantalizing bits of information have leaked out. For example, the campus knows that under Austin M. Schullstrum's direction something good may be expected from the orchestra; because of last year's successes it can be hoped that Edith Sickinger and Helen Lawson will again entertain the college with singing and dancing.

The skits which are to be presented are being coached by Irwin Cohon, and some very original and decorative scenery is being designed for them by Luke Beckerman. Frieda Smigrod, in charge of the Follies, and coach of the chorus, hints that one of the specialties of this year will be a men's chorus, quite distinct from a mixed group which will also perform.

Alfred Delegates To
Y. M. C. A. Conference
Gives Report

Young Men's Christian Association was held February 14-16, at Buck Hill Falls, Pa. Three hundred twelve delegates, representing fifty-three colleges and universities and several nationalities, registered at the Inn for the various sessions, discussion groups, special meetings, and the faculty Seminar. Alfred University was represented by Professor I. A. Conroe, Chaplain J. A. McLeod, Philip Post, Sebastian Vaneria, and Kenneth Erwin.

The main address Friday evening was given by Dr. Roland H. Bainton, Professor of Church History at Yale. He chose as his theme "Things Reproducible in the Christian Experience." In Dr. Bainton's estimation, Christianity is "a religion of non-conformity and social service."

Saturday morning, Dr. Reinhold Niebuhr, well-known author and professor at Union, gave an address on "The Discipline of Life." He discussed the action of great groups in their dealings with one individual and then carrying him on up the scale of society. "Man as a self-conscious being has to achieve a personality."

Another interesting address was delivered Saturday evening by Dr. A. Bruce Curry, author and professor from Union. His chosen topic was "Prayer as a Resource for Living." Prayer may be used as a resource for developing new attitudes; as a useful function in criticizing our desires and conscious needs; for unifying life; to create conscious fellowship with God; to release a dynamic power in our life. It is one of the most fundamental things for better life; it aids integration of personalities; it gives perspective and sloughs off superficialities.

The conference this year was of special interest inasmuch as the attendance was the largest of any previous year, both in schools represented and in number of those participating, and it is expected that the influence of the convention will be noticeable on the local campus.

Fiat Lux Calendar	
Tuesday:	
A. U. C. A. meeting, Green Block, 8:00 P. M.	
Male Glee Club, Music Studio, 7:00 P. M.	
Campus Court, Kenyon Hall, 9:00 P. M.	
Ceramic Society, Kenyon Hall, 7:30 P. M.	
Wednesday:	
S. D. B. choir, Music Studio, 7:00 P. M.	
Orchestra, Music Studio, 8:00 P. M.	
Union Church choir, Community Building, 7:00 P. M.	
Fiat Lux staff, Gothic, 7:15 P. M.	
Wee Playhouse, Alumni Hall 8:00 P. M.	
Thursday:	
Varsity vs. Hobart, Davis Field and Track House, 8:00 P. M.	
Sigma Chi Nu Rush party.	
Saturday:	
S. D. B. service, Kenyon Hall, 11:00 A. M.	
Burdick Hall Party, 8:00 P. M. (Place undecided).	
Sunday:	
Holy Communion, Gothic, 8:00 A. M.	
Community Church service, Alumni Hall, 11:00 A. M.	
Christ Chapel Evening prayer, Gothic, 5:00 P. M.	

ANNUAL CERAMIC CONVENTION
PROVES BENEFICIAL TO ALFREDIANS

Variety is Feature of
Unusual Chapel Talks

"Shun Genealogies" was the topic of the chapel talk which Chaplain McLeod gave Monday and Tuesday. The thought was the necessity to 'keep eyes front', to think not of the great past, but of the greater future. One line of scripture explains the idea, "Ye make void the word of God through your tradition." For Wednesday the topic was "Blessed is the man who finds nothing in me that repels him". In the talk it is taught that all those who worship success and what it brings, would find that Christ repelled them with his statement. "Let him take up his cross and follow me", would repel those who had learned to be comfortable. Thursday the talk was concerned with the liabilities which some carry over from childhood. "Now I lay me down to sleep" shows that we do not put all our faculties into play in spiritual life, we lay down and offer to God our hours of drowsiness. "You in your little corner, I in mine?" has been brought over from childhood in that we have Christianity only one day a week when it is really needed for seven.

The old "Ene, mene, mini, mo" is found even after childhood in the manner in which we have a continual repetition of ideas which we have not considered to this base. There is necessity to cling to the idea "When I become a man, I put away childish things". Friday the slogan, "Save the surface and you save all" was shown as a good advertising slogan but is not wholly true, for if there is something wrong with the inside, fixing up the outside won't help. "Man looketh at the outward appearance, but God seeth the heart."

Biological Society Discusses
New Members

The Alfred Biological Society met last Wednesday evening for the purpose of discussing those eligible for membership in the society. These prospects will be voted on at an early date.

Another topic of importance was programs. The society plans to have a banquet of some description to help the interest in the society. Also another open meeting is planned. Whether it will be in the form of an assembly program or just an open meeting has not yet been decided. It is hoped that with well known speakers and good programs that a greater interest in the society will be aroused.

Ellenwood To Address Assembly

Mr. James Ellenwood of New York City, who is a member of the Executive Committee of the Y. M. C. A., will be the assembly speaker on next Thursday. Mr. Ellenwood was to have spoken at the assembly some time last year, but was unable to be here.

You May Not Believe It But Times
Have Changed at Old Alfred

"And so this is Alfred!" That is ejaculation emitted from a member of the class of '84. And the reason for element of surprise in this ejaculation?

Our Alumni of past years see that by the new systematized regulations, Alfred students are at present more firmly restricted than they were in Mid-Victorian days.

Local Ceramic School Is
Well Represented at
Toronto Convention

Alfred was well represented at the American Ceramic Society Convention at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, having the largest group of undergraduates from any school. The delegation consisted of 15 undergraduates and 6 faculty.

The Alfred Ceramic Alumni Association dinner was held Monday evening with 60 present. Alumni from Oklahoma to Michigan and Iowa to New Jersey were in attendance. C. Forrest Teft, toastmaster, of Columbus, Ohio, introduced Dr. G. A. Bole, President of the Ceramic Society, Dr. Binns of the Ceramic School and Robert Bassett who represented the students. Many impromptu speakers contributed their ideas, and much enthusiasm was created over a plan for graduates to return to Alfred and give talks before the student meetings. Guests were entertained during the dinner by the Allison quartet. After dinner several of the old Alfred songs were sung in a musical finale.

Several Alfred men delivered papers at the different meetings. Arthur Baggs presented a paper and led a discussion in a joint meeting of the Art and White Wares Divisions.

Papers by the following men were also read:

Henry Marley, Cincinnati; Harold S. Nash, Cincinnati; Paul G. Cox, Ames, Iowa; Myrtle M. French, Chicago; J. F. McMahon, Ottawa, Canada; L. F. Sheerar, Stillfater, Okla.; S. S. Cole, Pittsburgh; Stephen M. Swain, Pittsburgh; L. P. Collin, Ottawa; L. I. Shaw, Chicago.

Prof. C. R. Amberg collaborated with Prof. C. W. Parmalee of the University of Illinois on two papers and presented a third written by himself.

The sessions were continuous morning and afternoons from Monday thru Wednesday, and were characterized by illustrated lectures, discussions and papers. On Thursday worthwhile observation trips were taken to the various plants surrounding Toronto. Continued on page four

Chemistry Classes
Will Be Shown
"Story of Sulphur"

The 9 and 10:30 o'clock classes in Chem. I, will be entertained by Dr. Paul Saunders by movies on Thursday, February 27.

The subject will be the "Story of Sulphur".

"WRECKAGE" CHANGES CAST

A change has been made in the cast of one of the Footlight Club plays, "Wreckage". The character, Captain North has been taken by Gail Perryman in place of Charles Pettit, who has left school. Crawford Hallet will take the place of Perryman in the part of Higginson.

In 1884 a certain group of Alfred students, mixed in gender, had apartments in the same house, the boys on one side of the hall and the girls on the other. To keep expenses down, they decided to co-operate. The girls cooked and paid for the meals while the fellows stood the expense of the rooms. They ate together like a large family.

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In accordance with past policies of Fiat Lux, Marjorie M. Travis, Associate Editor, is editing the Fiat this week.

Alfred vs. You

Sportmanship! A new name for real college and class spirit. One marvels at what Alfred had done scholastically, athletically and socially, when one looks about him and sees the evident ability and potential power that is going to waste in students who do not contribute generously of what they possess. We come to college to become "well rounded out" individuals, and go away often as mere walking encyclopedias—because we are slackers. We may look about us at anytime and see a man who can, and should be, the best man in his class in the wrestling team; we see again the man who should be a good student; we see the individual who is a leader and shirks his responsibilities.

In Alfred we have many of these. Freshmen, who come here from high schools, have good records. They can play football, or basketball, perhaps; they may be able to debate or perform a good piece of dramatic work; they may be excellent amateur journalists; they may be interested in wrestling or track. But what does it avail Alfred University, the school of which they hope to be proud as Alumni? They do not like this, nor that. They believe that something ought to be done, or something else changed. But what do they, or will they play, in helping Alfred achieve a place of excellence in any field?

Students, get busy. Alfred needs, and can have, a better team in every sport; it can have better dramatic productions; it CAN and SHOULD have a better college paper—a good index of any college in the collegiate world. Let's stop kicking—let's BOOST. Fraternities, get your men out for real progress. Send the best of them into each field and make a name for your organization and for Alfred, and if you have not the best in a particular field, Boost the man who belongs there and who will be a credit to Alfred University. Never mind how many of the "This and That" fraternity men appear in the Kanakadea. Think more about how Alfred will rate in the Kanakadea of colleges. Let's be big minded and live in the world which looks at Alfred as a college instead of living in Alfred and looking at the world.

Many Disregard Honor System

There is a certain class of students at Alfred who are oblivious to the fact that the word honor really exists. It is generally conceded that the present honor system is a failure, although there are some persons who close their eyes to infraction and blindly defend its merits. The situation has reached a point where the professor no longer leaves the room during an examination and is forced to openly reprimand students for violations. However, this is but a minor phase of the situation, when we consider that there are some among the student body, who do not believe in the Seventh Commandment. Personal property is no longer safe unless it is securely locked up. In the locker rooms of the Gym, clothing is ransacked and articles of value stolen, while text books must be kept under a watchful eye, even in the classroom.

What shall we do under these circumstances? The present student-formulation seems useless. Perhaps a student vigilante would be helpful. Suggestions are in order!

Post-laxity

With the passing of the strain and confusion of semester exams and the assurance of at least another semester in college for most of us, there is observed a general letting-down in scholastic endeavor. This is, of course, natural and inevitable when the remoteness of June finals is coupled with the balminess of these unusual February days.

However, let's not allow our post-exam laxity to go to the extreme. There will be still another semester after this. It is also well to remember that this period of the college year is the best possible one in which to bolster up those "Not quite satisfactory grades".

HUMOR

Roses are red, violets are blue,
I like carrots, How's your Father?

—A—

Under the spreading chestnut tree,
The village Smithy stands.

The smith a mighty man is he,
And has a daughter named Gertrude,

In the spring a young man's fancy
nightly turns to thoughts of spinach.

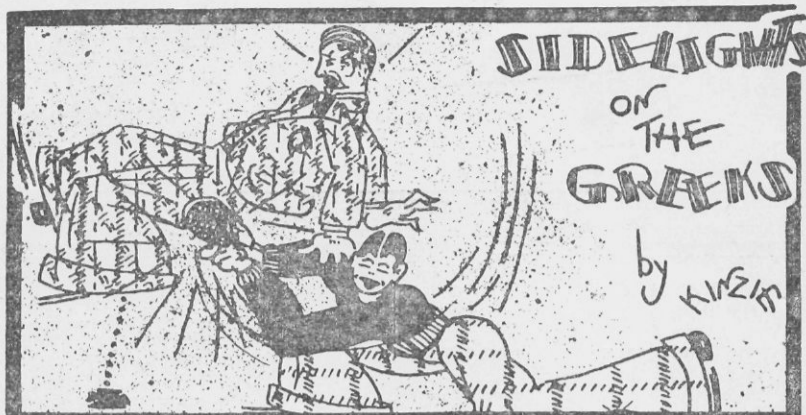
—A—

How do you spell vacuum?

I can't quite remember, but I've got
it in my head—Bison.

—A—

She—"I suppose you had a pleasant
sea voyage."



Sophie and the boy friend hold the parlor, Adele and her man are fortified in the dining room, and all other rooms downstairs being in use, Jane has to entertain the boy friend on the hall stairs.

A fruit dealer ate so much pudding he was plum (p) full.

A camel can go a long time without water but how about desert?

If a tailor can't make his machine run perhaps the oil can.

Patati Patata.

—A—

Bill Brown Says:

Just because it's a razor blade, is it ever-ready?

—A—

Love

Little Billy Foss had to write a composition on Love. He wrote: "Love is something that makes two people think they are pretty when they are not. It also makes them sit close together on a bench when there is plenty of room on both ends. Love is something that young people have but that old people don't have because it is all about dimples and star-like eyes and curls that old people don't have. It is something that makes two people very quiet when you are around, also very quiet when you ain't around, only it is in a different way. When they do talk, it is all about dreams and roses and moonshine. When I grow up I'm not going to fall in love, but if I do, she's got to let me say what to do and let me run the whole show and that's all I know about Love till I grow up."

YOU MAY NOT BELIEVE IT BUT—
TIMES HAVE CHANGED AT
OLD ALFRED

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liberal now than it was some 36 years ago?

"How times have changed," we hear the old folks say with a sigh. Well, listen to this. They tell us of the time when the upperclass parlors were new everywhere, with polished floors, reflecting the images of those above, new chairs and new curtains, and above all, new pictures. Can't you just see those pictures? Now this little item should make the gentlemen of Alfred wish that they had lived in '14;—a new tea set all ready for use looked coaxingly at evening visitors through wide doorways.

Another choice remembrance which will appeal to the Freshmen and perhaps give them an idea of something for Burdick Hall—The girls of A. U. '21 and '22, sang, "sang B-b-b Burdick Hall, beautiful Burdick Hall," to the tune of the immortal "K-k-k Katy." Yes, times have changed!



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ALFRED LOSES TO F. & M. 23-3 TO PENNSYLVANIA 21-15

Alfred University Varsity wrestling team lost its second and third defeats of the season at Franklin and Marshall and at the University of Pennsylvania last week-end. Brooklyn Poly, which had definitely been scheduled to meet Alfred last Friday, was forced to cancel, due to conflicts in schedule which were caused by the resignation of its manager.

At Lancaster the Purple faced one of the strongest teams in the country and undoubtedly the best team that it has ever met. D'Elia, wrestling an F. & M. substitute, was the only Saxon to score. However, the Lancaster papers said that Alfred had one of the strongest small college teams in the East, and stated that the Alfred match resulted in more wrestling than had been seen in Lancaster that season.

The Varsity then entrained for Philadelphia with high hopes of defeating Pennsylvania. F. & M. had predicted that the Purple would score in five of the eight classes, but the predictions fell short by two, making the final score 21-15.

D'Elia forced the fighting throughout his match, but due to the superior strength of his opponent, he lacked a few seconds of having the required minute for a time decision. During the first extra period, while on top of his man, Rudy succumbed under a punishing body scissors which left the Saxon helpless and an easy prey for a fall.

Sanchez then rode the mat cover for eight minutes before he suddenly assumed the aggressive and pinned

the Quaker with a double arm lock. Captain Hambel met one of the strong spots of the Penn team and lost by a time advantage of seven minutes in a spirited battle. Rothstein started like a whirlwind, but his lack of experience rolled him into a fall after six minutes of hard wrestling. Bentley's opponent was ineligible to compete, whereby five more points were forfeited to the Purple.

However, Alfred returned its advantage when Grantier was forced to forfeit to Lee of Penn. in the opening minutes of his bout. Grantier tore a ligament in his side during a body roll and was unable to continue.

Flint furnished one of the surprises of the meet by nearly upsetting the undefeated and highly touted Gabriel. The Penn husky appeared clumsy in comparison and twice was thrown off the mat while Ted remained in a standing position. Gabriel won this bout with a scant time advantage of one minute and two seconds.

Bryant and the Penn heavyweight both wrestled a cautious match on their feet for the first two minutes. Gene elected to take the underneath position in the first period and soon was bleeding from a reopened mat burn on the forehead. Time was called for repairs and cries of "call it off!" came from the stands. The bout was then resumed and Bryant spilled his man before the first period was over. Gene was forced to throw him again in less than a minute in the second period of the bout in order to complete the match.

SPORT LIGHTS

By Pat

To date the Varsity has won as many games as the teams of the last three years combined have. Although the Purple gave Clarkson a good drubbing they did not look very impressive in their victory. Hobart and Niagara will be tough opponents and if the Varsity doesn't start playing the brand of ball they are capable of playing, they may be nosed out of second place in the Conference by St. Lawrence. If Alfred beats Hobart here Thursday and Niagara at the Falls, Saturday they will clinch second place. If either Rochester or Niagara takes Buffalo over Alfred wins. IF—

Boost Alfred

The wrestlers returned Sunday morning from a strenuous trip. Franklin and Marshall probably has the best mat team in the East and although the score was quite one-sided the F. and M. grapplers said that Alfred gave them as tough opposition as the Army and Chicago teams did.

Boost Alfred

The best freshman basketball team in years continued their winning streak last week by knocking off Corning North Side and Westfield. The Corning outfit won the tourney at Alfred last year and lost but one man through graduation. Westfield put up a stubborn game for three quarters but finally yielded when Shappee, Dickens, and Common ran wild.

Boost Alfred

Zschiegner started the track season out right Friday night at Buffalo when he won the mile in the fast time of 4 min. 31 sec. His game leg seems to have improved since cross country season and he will undoubtedly be the mainstay of the Purple cinder team this spring.

ter class. The encounter will provide a field for comparing the Varsity men left for next year and prospective Sophomore material for next year's Varsity.

In the event that the Varsity wins the two remaining games on its schedule, thereby clinching second place in the conference, or if Buffalo is beaten, clinching the championship, this contest will be made a benefit performance. A small admission will be charged to all, the proceeds to be used to purchase suitable awards for Alfred's basketball team.

Frosh Win Over Corning Free Academy; Score 32-25

The Frosh basketball team turned in another victory when they defeated Corning North Side 32-25 last Wednesday night at Corning.

The Yearlings took the lead from the start and at half-time had a safe margin of eight points, the score standing 17-9, and the end of the period. Corning was never in a threatening position and at the end of the game trailed seven points behind the Frosh. Dickens was the outstanding man on the floor, garnering nine points besides playing a great floor game. Allen was high scorer with ten points to his credit.

Corning North Side	G	F	T
Trumbull, rf.	4	1	0
Ketchum, lf.	1	0	0
Hale, lf., c.	0	0	3
Turevon, c.	3	1	0
Hungerford, c.	1	1	0
Hanson, rg.	1	0	3
Strong, lg.	1	0	0
Blake, lg.	0	0	1

Alfred Frosh	G	F	T
Allen, rf.	3	4	0
Carpenter, rf.	0	0	0
Dickens, lf.	4	1	0
Common, c.	1	2	3
Holden, c.	0	0	1
Shappee, rg.	3	0	1
Gaiser, lg.	1	1	3
Chamberlain, lg.	0	0	0

Score at half time—Alfred 17, Corning 9.
Referee—Hall, Bath.

Hobart To Meet Alfred On Local Court Thursday

One of the few teams that have beaten Rochester in basketball this year is scheduled to play the Heersmen Thursday night at the Davis Track and Field House. Hobart has had a light schedule this season, in number of games but they have beaten Rochester by one point, and so give promise of putting up a real battle in their Thursday game. If the locals keep the stride they have had, they are expected to come out on top, but they will have to play a good brand of basketball to do so. The starting lineup for the Purple will probably include, Fenner, Latronica, Steele, McGraw and MacFadden.

Theta Nu Beats Frosh B Squad 30-12

In the preliminary game Thursday night the Frosh B Squad lost to Theta Kappa Nu by a score of 30 to 12. The game was Theta Nu's all the way through and at no time was their score in danger. The spectators were given a laugh at nearly every point in the game and their interest was kept in it until the final whistle. The first half saw some good teams but in the second half the game began to assume football tactics and as a result was a little more thrilling.

Varsity And Freshmen To Play Benefit Game; Cook Academy Cancels

In view of the fact that Cook Academy cancelled their game with Coach James McLane's five to play the University of Pennsylvania Frosh, the Varsity and Frosh will play a benefit game at the local gym Thursday night, March 6. To make the game interesting, all Seniors who will not be eligible for next year's Varsity competition will be dropped from the squad, making the game practically one between the Juniors and the sis-

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CAMPUS PERSONALS

Congratulations to all the Varsity and Frosh teams.

Kappa Eta Phi

We are pleased to announce the pledging of William Maxwell Adler, '33.

Theta Kappa Nu

"Johnny" Grantier made the trip with the wrestling team.

Our guests this week-end were, Gordon Lewis, Ross Robbins Paul Gardner and Clark Whitman.

Wright has made a collection of old pottery. It is now on exhibition.

Burdick Hall

Burdick Hall was represented on the wrestling team by Ben Bentley.

The hall certainly looks different since the new critic has taken charge.

The boys enjoyed another one of their famous water battles last week. It seems that the first floor was victorious.

Theta Theta Chi

Garnet left our ranks for the Junior Prom at Rutgers.

We all enjoyed having Ruth Lyon and Katherine Hauselt with us over the week-end.

Alfred is getting too small for "Buck", so he departed for the big city of New York.

Faculty

President Davis, who is vacationing at Daytona Beach, Florida, is not expected back until the last of March.

Dean Norwood and Registrar Titsworth are spending the week-end in Washington College, Chestertown, Maryland, where Dean Norwood gave the Washington address commemorating Washington's birthday.

Sigma Chi Nu

Gertrude and Cecelia O'Connell and Rose Dawson were dinner guests this week.

Miss Neva Parkhouse of Warsaw was a weekend guest.

It was great to see "Jan" back for a couple of days.

Sigma Chi Nu has accepted the resignation of Eva L. Halmnen.

Brick

Maxine Armstrong, Irene Claire and Johanna Peters were dinner guests this week.

The girls were glad to see Jan Hatchman back.

Rachel Hill of Dalton was the guest of Ruth Baker over the week-end.

Catherine Lathrop entertained Dorothy Oliver of Geneseo, over the week-end.

Delta Sigma Phi

Among the Alumni who visited this week-end were: Tom Place, '21, Dan Klinger, '29, Lloyd Larson, '29, and Ken Nicholes '28.

On Monday night, February 17, the following were informally initiated: Stephen Warde, Keith Bush, Prof. Cortelyou, "Shorty" McCourt, "Pat" Hughes, George Punce, Ralph Klinger, and Donald Goetchins.

Pi Alpha Pi

Florence Potter, Alice Holbert and Dorothy Gibson were week-end guests at the house.

Hope Young Knight, Genevieve Kilbury and Bernice Sheetz visited the house on Saturday.

Bobs and Ferne are back from their Canadian trip!

Dinner guests on Tuesday were, Laura Orford, Katherine Lathrop and Alice Thornton.

Guests Wednesday night were, Ruth Baker and Josephine Williams.

Klan Alpine

Gunter's father and mother, and his aunt and uncle of Williamsport, Pa., were at the House for dinner Sunday.

Loyal VanDyke and Ira Englert of Canistota spent the week-end with pledge brother Leon Roe.

Brother Clement drove the "Ark" to Baltimore, Md., for the week-end.

Brothers Lockwood and Coe accompanied the wrestling team on the Southern trip.

Pledge brother Kemery and bro-

Pi Alpha Celebrates Birthday

On Saturday, Feb. 22, Pi Alpha Pi held a banquet in honor of its 7th birthday.

The dining room was attractively decorated in red, white and blue, because of Washington's birthday.

Susan B. Larkin acted as toast-mistress. Speakers were also given by President Maretta Wilcox and Miss Elsie Binns.

ANNUAL CERAMIC CONVENTION PROVES BENEFICIAL TO ALFREDIANS

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Entertainment began on Sunday with a tea in the afternoon and a concert in the evening. On Monday evening the divisional dinners were held and on Tuesday afternoon the ladies were entertained at bridge in the roof garden of the hotel. Tuesday evening the delegates enjoyed a hockey game between Queens College and the University of Toronto, following which a buffet supper and formal dance completed the evening.

The entertainment program culminated with a formal banquet and dance of the entire convention group on Wednesday evening.

Delegates from Alfred returned satisfied that the convention had in most ways been exceedingly worthwhile. In addition to the informational value of the papers read, it was found that the personal contacts made with persons of scientific and business influence were particularly helpful.

About 800 delegates from all over the United States and Canada were present to make the convention a success. It is planned that the convention of next year will be held at Cleveland, Ohio, a city which is veritably surrounded by ceramic plants.

Chaplain and Mrs. McLeod Entertain Freshmen at Tea

Sounding a new note in Alfred's informal social calendar, Mrs. James McLeod entertained a number of freshmen at tea Friday afternoon. February 21, from 4 to 6 o'clock. Cakes and tea were served to the group indulging in a week-end let down of gay chatter. The event was much appreciated by those attending and it is hoped that the future may bring more such features to present college life.

Mrs. Ellis Drake, Miss Starr and Miss Tupper were present as hostesses.

A. U. C. A. Holds Open House Tonight; Delegates Will Report

The Alfred University Christian Association will hold "open house" tonight at eight o'clock. In addition to a report on the recent conference at Buck Hill Falls, there will be short talks by members of the faculty followed by a general discussion. Eats and smokes will be furnished and a large attendance is anticipated.

The parlors have been entirely refurnished and a cordial welcome is extended everyone to participate in this evening's proceedings.

Sea-sick passenger: I say, what about going back? After you've seen one wave, you've seen them all.

ther Delaney journeyed to Williamsport, Friday.

Alumni

From our class of '29, we find Gordon Lewis at Somerville, Pa., working for the Hanley Brick Company.

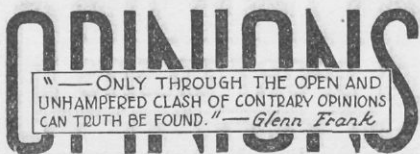
At Webster, N. Y., Ruth Lyons filling the position of Art teacher, says that she is enjoying it.

Betty Whitford has position as English teacher in Hammondsport, N. Y.

Way down in New Orleans, La., is Ken Smith acting as Ceramic teacher in Newcomb College.

Edwina Smith is helping out the Telephone Company in Buffalo, N. Y.

Another Art teacher is Drena Saunders, who is located at Waverly, N. Y. Mathematics and Coaching are the fundamentals in Gus Larson's position at Canistota, N. Y.



Editor, Fiat Lux—

There has been a general plea lately for leniency and understanding on the part of the faculty and administration; in this present cry are we not forgetting the increasing demand for tolerance on the part of the students? Certainly the crusading spirit of youth, which rebels against wrong conditions, is a gallant and constructive factor in life—but when it degenerates into small-spirited fault-finding or irritable suspicion and misinterpretation of every action, it becomes merely childish and foolish.

Let us consider specific examples where a more mature and tolerant view-point might have saved pain; a great weight of condemnation and abuse has been leveled against athletics in Alfred and the criticism centered itself around one individual. Is it logical or even humanly possible to suppose that the responsibility for the consistent failures of a team of eleven men are due to one man? Why not the same persuasive influence extended to the basketball court where we know no such catastrophes?

Measures have already been taken in this situation, but if the new coach does not at once achieve outstanding success, it is to be hoped that the students will recognize his difficulties and show more tolerance and co-operation with him.

As to the matter of non-sectarianism—granting that the clause in the catalogue is deceptive—why erect such a grievance out of the interpretation of a few lines? When one looks over the annuals of Alfred's history and realizes the concessions already granted by the Sabbitarians, one gains a vision of what real tolerance can be. The citizens of Alfred were here first, and they have as their inalienable right the privilege of religious freedom, if an institution, endowed by them, but chartered as non-sectarian, can not abide by and respect certain tenets of their faith, the dissatisfied students had best seek other universities at which to matriculate.

The criticism of youth has a great deal to contribute, but the best results are obtained when this enery is tempered with tolerance and harnessed with co-operation.

M. B. A.

Is guest courtesy a dead custom at Alfred? The writer after attending all the home games this basketball season heard a belated cheer given the visiting team at the Hamilton game. Sorry to relate that cheer was given by request. There was a time when the visiting team was given a rousing cheer on its first appearance; also at the half and end of the game. Can this be revived? Does the present student body feel that this is an unnecessary courtesy?

Speaking of cheering, where are those students, who for the past ten years have been saying that enthusiasm would be shown when a worthy team was produced? Alfred has never had a faster basketball team than now, yet who can honestly say that real enthusiasm has resulted?

"Booing" is becoming common. Cheering is dying out. Think it over for next season.

An Alfred resident.

AND IT HAPPENED IN ALFRED Absent-mindedness seems to be rampant among the backward natives of the state of Pennsylvania.

One of the keystone state's illustrious sons recently purchased a bar of chocolate. In his excitement and enthusiasm he unwrapped the dainty morsel, threw the chocolate in the gutter and stuffed the paper in his mouth.

Many innocent bystanders stared at the phenomena with mouths agape in sheer dumbfoundedness. When they recovered from their surprise they broke into raucous and ribald merriment. Realizing his unpardonable error the poor miscreant slunk away to parts unknown—Has anyone seen Martin S?

FROSH GIRLS ENTERTAINED AT THETA CHI PARTY

The second party of the Formal Rushing season of Frosh girls was held Thursday evening, Feb. 20, at Theta Theta Chi. The girls were taken into Father Neptune's Kingdom where they were entertained by mermaids, bold pirates and sailors. Later Austin Schullstrum appeared with his musicians in the hull of the ship. At 10:30 divers came down from the upper world and rescued the girls.

Chemistry Department Has New Periodic Table

During the summer and fall of 1929, Leland Williams constructed a model of the Harkins Spiral, a new periodic arrangement of the atomic elements, which is a valuable addition to the equipment of the Chemistry Department. The most common table known to chemists for the past two generations has been the Mendelejeff one, projected about 1869.

The Harkins Spiral consists of a continuous helix about which the elements are arranged in such a way that those of the same family are in the same vertical column. In the actual model the path of the helix is indicated by a heavy wire connecting balls which are lettered with the symbols of the elements they represent. The families are also connected by heavy vertical rods of brass which thus form the supporting structure of the model. Each unit of atomic weight is represented by one centimeter vertical distance on the spiral. The elements are arranged in the order of their atomic numbers.

This table is on exhibition in the Chemistry Department and should be of particular interest to those who specialize in Chemistry, because it shows the relationship between elements much more clearly than the Mendelejeff table.

NO CAMPUS COURT HELD THIS WEEK

There was no campus court this week due to the absence of Robert Bassett, judge, who was attending the Ceramic Convention at Toronto. A busy session may be expected this week as there are about twenty names before the court at present.

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She loves him for all his is worth.

Town Team Wins Girls' Intramural Basketball

The following is a summary of the games played and the resultant scores of the girls' intramural basketball contest which was won by the town girls.

Team	Played	Won	Lost	%
Town	4	3	1	.750
Theta Theta Chi	4	1	3	.250
Brick	4	3	1	.750
Pi Alpha Pi	4	3	1	.750
Sigma Chi Nu	3	0	3	.000

Scores of the three teams that tied as to number of games won:

Brick—Scored 11 pts. vs. Pi Alpha Pi
Scored 25 pts. vs. Sigma Chi
Scored 16 pts. vs. Town
Scored 21 pts. vs. Theta Chi

Total 73 points

Town—Scored 21 pts. vs. Theta Chi
Scored 12 pts. vs. Brick
Scored 19 pts. vs. Pi Alpha Pi
Scored 29 pts. vs. Sigma Chi

Total 81 points

Pi Alpha Pi—Scored 13 pts. vs. Brick
Scored 13 pts. vs. Theta Chi

Scored 15 pts. vs. Town
Scored 13 pts. vs. Sigma Chi

Total 54 points

HAMILTON QUINTET DEFEATS SAXONS

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McFadden, rf.	2	2	6
Fabianic, lg.	0	0	0
McGraw, lf.	1	1	3
Dunbar, rf.	0	0	40
VanSicklen, rf.	0	0	0
Steele, c	5	2	12
Kickham, c.	0	0	0
Latronica, rg.	3	1	7
Wenger, rf.	3	0	6
Fenner, lg.	2	3	7
Gagliano, lg.	0	0	0
	16	9	41

Hamilton—33	G	F	T
Jones, rf.	1	1	3
Pritchord, lf.	3	2	8
Rienzo, rf.	0	0	0
Normile, c.	2	1	5
Boeve, c.	0	0	0
Hiler, rf.	3	5	11
Dutch, rg.	0	2	2
Crowley, lg.	2	0	4
	11	11	33

Referee—Miller
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