



CANISTEO ACADEMY AGAIN WINS INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET

Strength in Field Events Brought Her Trophy Cup

FOUR RECORDS BROKEN

Cross Country, Half-Mile, Broad Jump and Shot Put Given New Marks

The establishing of four new and one need only point to the records featured the Ninth Inter-scholastic Field and Track Meet held here last Wednesday, which was won by Canisteo Academy with Haverling (Bath) High School second, and Lafayette High School of Buffalo, third. Despite the adverse conditions that the war had suddenly precipitated, the successful outcome of the meet demonstrated the wisdom of the local officials not to cancel the meet, as had at different times seemed advisable. Past meets have been, it is true, more representative, with a larger number of contestants, but none has ever given more general satisfaction because of its previous doubtful outcome than did this meet.

Canisteo Easy Winner

In taking first place, Canisteo really had no team competition, and before the finals were half over it had settled down practically to struggle for the individual honors. When the entire list of events had been closed with the relay race, Canisteo had nearly double the number of points her nearest competitor totaled, with 38 points, whereas Haverling had swung into her majority with 21 credits, while Lafayette lagged only one point behind. Such a difference would tend to create an impression that the Canisteo men had things much their own way, but this inference quite belies the facts. They were pushed to the limit in every contest and gathered their points in a steady, yet consistent manner,

four new records to substantiate his claims that this meet was composed of the best athletes ever entered here. While, as stated, the number of contestants was smaller than usual, it did not prove proportionately so with the contrast in the number of entries. This year the total was 99, whereas last year it reached 150, but the entries showed up to a better ratio than in the past, so that the number actually competing was not appreciably less than in previous years. The weather conditions were highly satisfying, considering the time of year, though the sun did not look in for long upon the crowd, which was considerably smaller than last year.

Four Records Broken

The four events in which new records were hung up were the cross country run, broad jump, shot put, and half mile run. Technical, Buffalo, set the first new record, when they toppled over last year's cross country's time of 34 minutes, 34 seconds, held by Canisteo, with a 33 minute and 25 3-5 second pace; Ferris of Haverling, broke his own record of 20 feet, 10 inches in the broad jump, made last year, by two inches, while L. Jamison, of Canisteo, went over Kerr's (Wellsville) record of 42 feet, 5 inches, made in 1913, in the shot put by an exact foot; and Taft of Canisteo, made another 1913 record drop, when Jeffers' (Cook Academy) record of 2 minutes, 14 seconds, in the half mile, went at 2 minutes, 11 3-5 seconds. Still fur-

ther hopes of a new record were shattered when A. Stanton of Canisteo, failed to beat Bradshaw's 5 feet, 7 inches mark, in the high jump, though he made a hard try.

The preliminaries in the morning started the day off with a rush that promised well for fast

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HORNELL TAKES TWO SPEAKING PRIZES

Boys' and Girls' Contest Held on Same Evening

The Interscholastic Speaking Contests (Boys and Girls) both occurred on Wednesday evening, due to the small number of entries. This made twelve speakers and a long program but the excellence of the pieces made it very interesting.

There was no uncertainty about Mary C. Pierce (Corning Free Academy) winning the first prize in the Girls' contest. Her interpretation was true and lively without being melodramatic and her voice easily heard throughout the building. Miss Pierce took first place here last year also. The second prize went to Mercedes Wildon (Hornell) and the third to Ethel Hayward (Bolivar). These places were closely contested and the decision difficult to render. Several of the other speakers deserve honorable mention for the merit of their work.

Clifford H. Matson of Hornell, an unsuccessful candidate of last year's contest, came back strong this year and carried away the gold medal of the Boys' contest. The second prize went to Robert Rosen of Masten Park High School Buffalo, and the third to Mr. Buecking of Lafayette High School of the same city.

Taken as a whole, the event was comparable to last year's contests, but neither separately could come up to its predecessor of 1916.

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CLIFFORD POTTER '18 ELECTED STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT

Schools' Highest Honor to Manager Interscholastic

Clifford M. Potter '18 was elected President of the next year's Student Senate last Tuesday evening at a joint meeting of the present Senate and the newly elected body which will serve next year.

This is the highest honor that can come to a man in the College and carries with it great responsibility for the promotion of harmonious relations between the classes and the students and faculty.

Is the managership of the Interscholastic Meet a preparatory stage for this office? This is the third consecutive year that the manager has been elected President of the student body and it shows a peculiar sequence of offices.

Mr. Potter has served as a senator from the class of 1918 all this year and is intimately connected with the problems and duties of the senate. He was the chairman of the committee for the revision of campus rules and in all the offices which he has held, he has shown a deep sense of responsibility and presence of judgment and tact.

HAROLD S. NASH ELECTED EDITOR-IN-CHIEF FIAT LUX

Has Long Record of Accomplishments in This Line

The election of Harold S. Nash '18 to the Editorship of the Fiat Lux has placed a man of high responsibility and literary talent at the head of the university weekly paper. The election took place at the dinner given the present Fiat board by the Editor and

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finals. Canisteo, Technical, Lafayette, and Haverling proved favorites as a result of the trials and their good showing left the final outcome very problematical.

Cross Country Finish Spectacular

Twelve runners started the cross country race, which set in motion, at ten o'clock, the festivities of the day. This hard, rough five mile pull proved one of the day's most spectacular events. In it, to register any points, it was necessary for the school to bring three men in, while the individual medals were awarded to the first three finishing. When the first return batch hove in view, four runners were closely bunched, all but a Bradford runner from Technical. It was the Bradford man who forced the race the half lap around the track, and it was a remarkable finish of such a severe run. Hatch, Technical, Brendle, Technical, and Dieter, Bradford, were within 5 feet of each other when they crossed the line for the respective first, second, and third honors. Ward a few paces behind cinched Technical for third place, while Bradford soon after took second, and no team finished three men for third place. The time of 33 minutes, 25 3-5 seconds will be difficult to beat in future meets.

Last year's time of 30 seconds was equalled, and the record was only one-fifth of a second away, in the 220 yard low hurdles which furnished one of the prettiest events of the day. Suttner, Masten Park, got the jump at the take-off and held it throughout although he was pushed hard by H. Jamison, Canisteo, and Stephenson, Avon.

The 220 yard dash seemed slow and the timer's announcement showed that it was, the 24 4-5 second pace being one second slower than last year and over three seconds slower than Johnson's (Olean) record made in 1912. Still the honors were hotly contested and it had this to make it exciting. Cockburn (Lafayette) and Davison (Haverling) fought it out in the lead, but on the straight-away, Cockburn drew

ahead for first, with Davison a close second, and Rosen (Masten Park) third.

Still another record held by Johnson maintained a safe margin, Magee, Lafayette, making the 440 yard dash in 58 seconds, whereas the record is 54 1-5 seconds. This event was fought out between Buffalo schools and this most gruelling race of all furnished its usual thrills. Magee pulled himself into the lead on the first half lap and Suttner, Masten Park, made a desperate effort to overcome this advantage but had to content himself with second place, while Cockburn came in for the final count.

Buffalo Technical again showed its distance ability in the mile run, when they finished the first and third positions. The race started fast with the winners trailing, but in the last two laps Hatch of Technical pulled himself out of the bunch and placed himself at the head. He was not passed again, although H. Jamison, Canisteo, made a valiant final lap attempt to accomplish the task. As it was, Jamison took second with Ward, Technical, third. Hatch's time was 5 min. 13 3-5 sec.

Fast Half Mile

Taft furnished Canisteo her only first in the track events, and he did it in a most impressive manner. It was his work that set the new record in the half mile, the fastest and most exciting event of the day. There was no loafing on this race, the pace starting at a rate that promised a new time, as a Canisteo man jumped far into the lead and forced the bunch to follow in fast. However, as the last lap loomed up he had to yield his place to Taft, then to Jewell, Masten Park, and finally Helme, Lafayette, who finished in order in a spectacular contest at the end.

In the hammer throw Jenkins, Canisteo, made 129 feet, 10 inches in the morning, which neither he nor any other was able to beat. Canisteo copped everything in this event with Cornell second and Smith third.

Ferris made several pretty leaps in the running broad jump trials, the result of one being the new record at 21 feet. He could not equal it in the finals, and was

in fact out distanced by A. Stanton, Canisteo, who came up to the old record, but the trials in field events count so that Ferris did not have to relinquish first place. Holt, Technical, took third.

L. Jamison, Canisteo, easily stood out in the 12 pound shot put, his throwing form being both pretty and effective. His efforts resulted in the new record at 43 feet, 5 inches, with Davison, Haverling, second and Schiferle, Technical, third.

High Jump and Pole Vault Fall Short

Despite the fact that the first few trials showed that A. Stanton, Canisteo, would annex the high jump, it did not lack all the essentials of a real contest. Kamiensky, Masten Park, and Lehman, Technical, were the runners-up on this, Kamiensky falling at the 5 feet 4 inch mark, which Stanton cleared, and thereby took second place. Third fell to Lehman.

Nearly a foot was lacking from the pole vault record, and the mark at 9 feet, 7 inches is extremely low. Ferris, Haverling, and Glover, Canisteo, fought it out for first place and Ferris made the ripple. Miner, Canisteo took third.

The Team Standings

Canisteo	38
Haverling (Bath)	21
Lafayette (Buffalo)	20
Masten Park (Buffalo)	18
Technical (Buffalo)	14
Bradford	3
Avon	2

Summary of Events

100 Yard Dash—	
1st Davison (Haverling H. S.)	Time 10 2-5 sec.
2d. Cockburn (Lafayette H. S.)	
3d. Stephenson (Avon H. S.)	
220 Yard Low Hurdles—	
1st Suttner (Masten Park H. S.)	Time 30 sec.
2d. H. Jamison (Canisteo Academy)	
3d. Stephenson (Avon H. S.)	
Half Mile Run—	
1st. Taft (Canisteo Academy)	Time 2 min. 11 3-5 sec. Record.
2d. Jewell (Masten Park H. S.)	
3d. Helme (Lafayette H. S.)	
220 Yard Dash—	
1st. Cockburn (Lafayette)	Time 24 4-5 sec.
2d. Davison (Haverling)	
3d. Rosen (Masten Park)	
440 Yard Dash—	
1st. Magee (Lafayette)	Time 58 sec.
2d. Suttner (Masten Park)	
3d. Cockburn (Lafayette)	
Mile Run—	
1st. Hatch (Buffalo Tech.)	Time 5 min. 13 3-5 sec.
2d. H. Jamison (Canisteo)	
3d. Ward (Buffalo Tech.)	

Cross Country Run—

1st. Technical	
2d. Bradford	
(Men receiving medals)	
1st. Hatch (Buffalo Tech.)	Time 33 min. 25 2-5 sec. Record.
2d. Brendle (Buffalo Tech.)	
3d. Dieter (Bradford)	

Hammer Throw (12 lb.)—

1st. Jenkins (Canisteo)	Distance 129 ft. 10 in.
2d. Cornell (Canisteo)	
3d. Smith (Canisteo)	

Broad Jump—

1st. Ferris (Haverling)	21 ft. Record.
2d. A. Stanton (Canisteo)	
3d. Holt (Buffalo Tech.)	

12 Pound Shot Put—

1st. L. Jamison (Canisteo)	43 ft. 5 in. Record.
2d. Davison (Haverling)	
3d. Schiferle (Buffalo Tech.)	

Running High Jump—

1st. A. Stanton (Canisteo)	5 ft. 4 in.
2d. Kamiensky (Masten Park)	
3d. Lehman (Buffalo Tech.)	

Pole Vault—

1st. Ferris (Haverling)	9 ft. 7 in.
2d. Glover (Canisteo)	
3d. Miner (Canisteo)	

Relay—

1st. Lafayette H. S.	Time 2 min 25 3-5 sec.
2d. Masten Park H. S.	
3d. Canisteo.	

Points won by schools—

1st. Canisteo	38
2d. Haverling	21
3d. Lafayette	20.

Individual Point Winners

(Not counting points taken in the cross-country and relay race—

Davison	11
Ferris	10
Cockburn	9
A. Stanton	8
Suttner	8
H. Jamison	6
Hatch	5
Taft	5
Jenkins	5
Magee	5
H. Jamison	5
Jewell	3
Cornell	3
Kamiensky	3
Glover	3
Stephenson	2
Helme	1
Rosen	1
Ward	1
Smith	1
Holt	1
Miner	1
Lehman	1
Schiferle	1

CERAMIC ENGINEERS ATTENTION

Meeting Tonight

There will be a meeting of the Ceramic Society this evening at 8 o'clock in the Ceramic School. This will be a brief meeting, but it is necessary that all the members be present.

HAROLD S. NASH ELECTED EDITOR-IN-CHIEF FIAT LUX

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Manager of the present volume last Thursday evening.

Mr. Nash as editor-in-chief of the Kanakadea this year is responsible for a fine book compiled under difficulties. His abilities with the pen are attested to by his winning the Dr. Thomas Peace Prize Speaking contest in 1916, and his work as associate editor of the Fiat last year. Mr. Nash as assistant in the English Department is in an exceptionally favorable position to pick a most competent board from those whose themes have shown writing ability.

TRAINING SCHOOL FOR FARM CADETS

Ag School To Establish One This Summer

A training school for city boys who wish to enter the farm cadet service, but who have had no practical farm experience, is to be established in connection with the State School of Agriculture at Alfred University.

It is planned to give the boys from three to five weeks of training according to their proficiency in acquiring a knowledge of actual farm work. They will be required to work for half of each day on the School's 230 acre farm, and will receive four hours of class room instruction. They will be taught how to care for horses, cows and other kinds of live stock; how to plow, harrow, spray and do other farm work, and how to plant and care for a garden. The tuition will be free, the only expense being for board and room.

FOOTLIGHT CLUB TO GIVE ONE-ACT PLAYS

Bill of Three at Commencement

The Footlight Club regret to announce that on account of their

diminished number they have been forced to give up "The Passing of the Third Floor Back." They feel, however, that they have obtained a splendid substitute in a bill of three one-act plays. Stimulated by the enthusiasm and praise accorded a similar bill last February they have decided to entertain the Commencement guests with this new form of drama which is growing in popularity all over the country—especially among amateurs and little theaters.

A short time ago the Club attended a performance of the Portmanteau Players in Hornell. Then they fully realized the thrill, the force, the charm, the beauty, the effectiveness of the one-act play. It was an evening of inspiration and revelation and perhaps its effect will be seen in the coming performance.

"The Maker of Dreams" will be repeated by popular request. Mildred Taber, Harold Clausen and Meredith Maxson will retain their original parts but the play will be set in an entirely new fantastic scene. The other two plays will be "In Honor Bound" by Sydney Grundy and a "Pot of Broth" by W. B. Yeats.

FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

Friday, May 25

8:00-10:00 M. W. F. 8 o'clock classes
10:15-12:15 T. Th. 1:30 o'clock classes
2:30- 4:30 M. W. F. 9 o'clock classes

Monday, May 28

8:00-10:00 T. Th. 8 o'clock classes
10:15-12:15 T. Th. 2:30 o'clock classes
2:30- 4:30 T. Th. 10 o'clock classes

Tuesday, May 29

8:00-10:00 T. Th. 9 o'clock classes
10:15-12:15 M. F. 10 o'clock classes
2:30- 4:30 M. W. F. 1:30 o'clock "

Thursday, May 31

8:00-10:00 M. W. F. 11 o'clock classes
10:15-12:15 M. W. F. 2:30 o'clock "
2:30- 4:30 M. W. F. 3:30 o'clock "

Friday, June 1

8:00-10:00 T. Th. 11 o'clock classes
10:15-12:15 T. Th. 3:30 o'clock classes
2:30- 4:30 All 4:30 o'clock classes
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9:15 A. M.	9:35 A. M.
1:15 P. M.	1:35 P. M.
6:45 P. M.	7:05 P. M.

Lv. HORNELL	Lv. ALMOND
8:00 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
11:00 A. M.	11:15 A. M.
4:50 P. M.	5:05 P. M.
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Rev. Bernard Clausen, assistant pastor of Mount Vernon, N. Y. Baptist Church, has been secured to deliver the annual address before the Christian Associations at the Seventh Day Baptist Church here June 2d. Mr. Clausen is a graduate of Colgate University and also of the Theological Seminary there and comes with the highest recommendations. His brother, Harold Clausen, will graduate here this June.

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COMMENCEMENT WEEK PROGRAM

Sessions To Be As Usual

Preparations for the annual Commencement week are proceeding as if there were no national crisis, and despite the depleted ranks of the student body the regular program will be carried out.

The meeting at 1 P. M. Tuesday for the first time bears the title "Annual Meeting of the Corporation." This was formerly the meeting of the stockholders but by a recent enactment of the legislature the charter of the University has been changed and there are no more stockholders. Hereafter every person who has contributed \$100 to the Universities funds shall have a right to vote for the trustees. On Tuesday evening there may occur a patriotic meeting of some nature.

OUTLINE PROGRAM

Saturday, June 2d

10:30 A. M. Annual Sermon before
Christian Associations
8:00 P. M. Annual Concert—Glee
Club

Sunday, June 3d

2:30 P. M. Theological Seminary
Graduation
8:00 P. M. Baccalaureate Sermon

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KNOW THE RULES

In accordance with the constitution of the Honor System, it is again brought to the notice of the studentry in order that they may read it and know how to conduct themselves during the coming examinations:

THE HONOR SYSTEM

Alfred University

Constitution

ARTICLE I

The Student Body of the College of Liberal Arts and the New York State School of Ceramics at Alfred University create an Honor System under which each student by his attendance pledges himself to be just; to be fair; to be honorable in all matters relative to or pertaining to scholarship in this University.

ARTICLE II

Section I. The members of the Student Senate shall be a committee to represent the Student Body and deal with all cases involving violation of the Honor System.

ARTICLE III

Section 1. The committee shall have power to summon the accused person and witnesses and conduct a formal investigation. In case of conviction, recommendations shall be made to the convicted of his separation from college and, if such separation is not made, the committee shall then make to the Faculty for consideration the same recommendation with a brief resume of the evidence in the case.

Section 2. The committee may at any time summon a mass meeting for instruction or to support their action in any disputed question, or to report the name and case of any extreme offender.

ARTICLE IV

Section 1. The trial of the accused shall be conducted as follows: Witnesses against the accused shall be examined first and their testimony taken in full. The accused shall be called separately and allowed to make his statement, presenting his defense. All witnesses and the accused may be questioned by members of the committee. A decision shall be made, rendered according to the evidence.

Section 2. Six (6) out of seven (7) votes shall be necessary for conviction.

Section 3. All evidence possible shall be procured in every case and in no event shall a man be tried the second time for the same offense, except in the light of new and important evidence.

ARTICLE V

Section 1. Each student must, in order, to make his or her examination or test valid, sign the following pledge: "I pledge my honor that I have neither given nor received aid in this examination."

ARTICLE VI

Section 1. The Student Senate shall keep and preserve a record of all cases acted upon. In no case shall a member of the Student Senate make mention publicly or privately of any case brought before the committee except through action of the committee as a body.

ARTICLE VII

Section 1. Every student is honor bound to aid in enforcing this Constitution.

ARTICLE VIII

Section 1. This Constitution may be amended by a three-fourths (¾) vote of those present at a mass meeting, notice of which must be given at least one week previous.

ARTICLE IX

Section 1. The committee shall make provision for interpreting the Honor System to the members of the Freshmen Class within three weeks after the opening of each school year.

Section 2. Copies of this Constitution shall be posted in recitation rooms, on College bulletin boards, and in the Library.

Section 3. The Constitution shall be published in the Fiat Lux three (3) times each year—the first number of the first Semester, the last number before the final examinations of the first Semester and the last number before the final examinations of the second Semester.

The favors at the dinner given to the members of the Fiat Lux board were in the form of a small Fiat, the first page of which appears below. These were folded and by means of a regular mailing tab served as place-cards. The continued articles are run below the facsimile:

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THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1917

EATS NO.

FIAT BOARD GIVEN BANQUET

Editor and Manager Entertain at Former's Home—Editor For 1917-18 Elected

The Editor-in-Chief and Managing Editor entertained their faithful board of associate editors and managers at an informal dinner party at the Editor's home Thursday evening.

This is an annual affair and is an occasion for the two heads of the paper to express their thanks to these, their worthy aids, for their invaluable service throughout the school year.

Without them this year the paper would have been impossible, with them it has attained a fair degree of success. The praise and blame has been fired over their heads and has hit the two highest officials, this has been unjust in the case of the praise but quite just in the case of the blame. The Editors took this occasion to share the praise with the rest of the board and to try to forget the blame in the following menu:

Fruit Cocktail	
Roast Lamb	
Mashed Potatoes	Dry Peas
Parkerhouse Rolls	
Coffee	
Pickles	Jelly
Ice Cream	Cake
Bon Bons	

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each one of the board responsible for some certain part of the paper. It has been possible, however, to apportion a few definite duties while the more general news has been covered by assignment.

The board has been very willing to serve and has worked in the following manner:

Meredith Maxson—Society and Personals

Marian Elliott—Assembly Addresses
Robert Sherwood—Y. M. C. A., Ceramic Society

Elizabeth Davis, Angie Boyce (as Y. W. secretaries)—Y. W. C. A.

Hubert Bliss—General Utility Rewrite man

Hazel Parker—C. W. O.

Fritjof Hildebrand—Mailing,

The remainder of the evening was passed in dancing and music.

The guests outside of the members of the board were, Nellie Wells '17, Hazel Perkins '17, Alice Baker '17, Julia Wahl '18.

Next Year's Editor Elected

After the dinner the board adjourned to secret session and proceeded to elect the editor-in-chief for the year 1917-18.

FIAT LUX OUT OF DEBT

Manager Perkins Expects Balance \$100 at End of Year

For perhaps the first time in history the Fiat Lux will come to the end of a school year out of debt. For decidedly the first time there will be a balance in favor of the paper in the local bank. It is to be hoped that this will not be the last time that this will occur, however.

Managing Editor Perkins, to whom this is due and who deserves great
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THE BOARD MEMBERS "DO THEIR BIT"

Manager Perkins Expects Clean Slate at End of Year

Due to the size of the Fiat Lux and the general character of the news at Alfred it has been impossible to make

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praise, makes the following report:

Receipts	
On hand beginning.....	67
Fair	\$ 258 14
Subscriptions:	
College	\$234 75
Out of town.....	150 50
Ags	104 25
Faculty	51 00
Local	8 25
1915-16	12 00
Single copies.....	2 10—\$ 562 85
Advertising	282 15
Footlight Club.....	50 00
	\$1,153 81

Expenditures	
Old debt.....	\$ 285 24
Sun Publishing Association....	718 75
Post Office.....	14 75
1918 Kanakadea.....	9 35
Incidentals	5 12
	\$1,033 21

On hand..... \$ 120 60

Since next Tuesday will come in the midst of final examination week no issue of the Fiat Lux will be published.

IN SOCIETY

Shower Given

A variety shower was given to Mildred Taber '17 by her friends at the home of Mrs. R. W. Wingate, Monday evening of last week. The gifts were numerous and in good taste.

Senior Women At Tea

The members of the Senior House entertained the remainder of the Senior women at tea Thursday afternoon.

Interscholastic Dance Enjoyable Event

The Interscholastic dance held in Firemens Hall, Wednesday evening was well attended and proved to be one of the most enjoyable events of the year, not only to the guests, but also to the entertainers themselves. Merri-man's Orchestra of Hornell furnished their usual excellent music.

More Tea For Seniors

A tea will be given the Senior girls, on Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 6, at the Brick, to which all Y. W. girls are invited.

Sigma Alpha Gamma

The May meeting of the Sigma Alpha Gamma will occur tomorrow evening.

Important business must come before the meeting which will require a quorum or two-thirds of the membership.

As this is the last meeting of the year everyone should be present.

The program is in charge of the committee, Marian Elliott, Julia Wahl, Hilda Ward and Anna Savage.

PERSONALS

College

Among those who were in town during the Interscholastic Meet Wednesday were: Prin. '16 and Mrs. Wm. Buck, Clair Danforth '20, and Charles Tollman Ag '18 of Silver Springs; Wm. '14 and Robert Garwood '14 of Canaseraga; Ina Withey '16 of Bolivar; Grover Babcock '15 of Wellsville; Paul Burdick '12 of Rochester; Elmer Hunting '16 of Canisteo; O. H. Simpson '13 of Woodhull; Langford Whitford '12 of Wellsville,

Alice Cranston '18 was at her home in Bolivar Saturday and Sunday.

Helen Jackson of Portville was a guest of Ethel Larson '19 over the week-end.

Celia Cottrell '18 spent the week-end in Hornell as the guest of Mrs. Charles Hurd.

President Davis preached in Arcade Sunday in the interests of the Anti-Saloon League.

Mr. and Mrs. Harer of Corning were guests of their daughter, Ruth '18, Wednesday of last week.

Hazel Humphreys '19, Anne Savage '18, Aloysius Gaiss '18, and Arthur Sichel '20 were in Andover Sunday.

Julia Wahl '18, Florentine Hamilton '19, Hubert Bliss '17, and Robert Garwood '14 motored to Keuka Lake Saturday.

Theodore Clausen, Ag '14 of Varysburg, N. Y., was a guest of his brother Harold '17 at the Eta Phi Gamma House Thursday.

Miss Ethel Hayward and Miss Faye Allen of Bolivar were guests of Iola Lanphere '20 at the Senior House several days last week.

Edna Horton '16 of North Collins, a graduate of the music department, was a guest of Genevieve Hart '17 several days last week.

Philip Burdick, ex-'15, was last week promoted to first sergeant in Company C, 74th regiment of Buffalo. Mr. Burdick was at the border last summer and is now stationed at the Portage Bridge.

Robert Coon '17 left for his home in Leonardsville, Tuesday night of last week, returning Friday with his car. His father, A. M. Coon, accompanied him on the return trip. Mr. Coon spent Saturday visiting friends in town, leaving for home Saturday evening.

Joe Kruson, ex-'17 of Ohio State University was visiting friends in town several days during the past week. From here he will go to Youngstown where he will work in a steel mill until he is called to go with the Field Hospital Corps, organized in Columbus, Ohio, as an ambulance driver.

Elmer Bass '19 was in town recently on a tour to get the signa-

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8:30 A. M.	11:15 A. M.
1:30 P. M.	5:00 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	10:30 P. M.
Leave Almond	Leave Almond
<i>North</i>	<i>South</i>
8:50 A. M.	11:30 A. M.
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7:20 P. M.	10:45 P. M.

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tures of the members of Company K on the pay roll. Mr. Bass is clerk of the company.

A recent issue of an Elmira paper speaks in high terms of the excellent food Lister Ayars, ex-'20 is preparing for Company K. in the capacity of company cook.

The "Ledges" was a popular resort for picnickers Saturday.

Agricultural School

Thelma Hosley of Cuba was a guest of Hazel Gorton, Ag '18, at the Brick during the past week.

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been visiting in town for the past week.

R. Q. Smith of New Carlisle, Ohio was in town last Wednesday.

Miss Tuttle has secured a position in Dunkirk High School as teacher of elocution for next year.

President Davis will speak next Saturday evening at a convention of the Epworth League to be held in Cuba.

SOPHS WIN BASEBALL GAME FROM FROSH, 5-0

Hamilton Shows Remarkable Ability, Sherwood Tackles the Ball

Scoring five runs to their opponents' zero, the Sophomores won the annual interclass baseball game with the Freshmen last Thursday afternoon. The playing was just biased enough to keep the second year class safely ahead, and not enough so to remove the feeling that the game was a real well ordered one. One might say there was considerable prose. Even Clarke, galloping back and forth before his coterie of Freshmen girls, exhorting them to "say something," didn't quite banish the gloom.

But there was heroic playing on both sides, and every little once in awhile spots appeared that fairly scintillated. Negus was a shining light; he took the game like a soda mint; he was on his feet every minute. In the first inning Lobaugh fanned. Hamilton was on first when Lobaugh tried to make his base. Like an actor in a movie Hammy tore around those bases, no one saw him pass second and at third he was only a whistle. Once afterward Hamilton distinguished himself. He was playing first when Davis sent an easy one in his direction. No dog ever had more fun with his tail than Hammy had with that ball. "I tagged you, now you tag me," they played, until the excitement reached a pitch, finally, where the ball began to chase the first baseman. Davis never stirred off the base. But it was Davis who, in the third inning, drove the ball over the stile in the left field for an easy two bagger. Except, perhaps, for Lobaugh's it was the neatest hit in the game,

Once in the last inning it seemed as though the Freshmen were going to score. With men on second and third it seemed possible the score might be raised to a 2 on the Freshmen's account. However, whatever the score, it was a good game and fairly played.

The line up:

Frosh		Sophs
Negus	P	Cottrell
	C	
Palmer		Axford (Capt.)
Mapes	1 B	Hamilton
	2 B	
Kenyon (Capt.)		Sherwood
	S. S.	
Sichel		Lobaugh
	3 B	
Reid		Preston
	L. F.	
Vars		Meier
	R. F.	
Alsworth		Hollman, Harrington
	C. F.	
Davis		Snell
	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	
Frosh	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	
Sophs	0 2 0 0 0 1 1 1	

COMMENCEMENT WEEK PROGRAM

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Monday, June 4th

2:30 P. M.	Baseball—Faculty vs. Seniors
8:00 P. M.	Footlight Club One-Act Plays

Tuesday, June 5th

10:00 A. M.	Annual Meeting of Trustees
1:00 P. M.	Annual Meeting of the Corporation
2:00 P. M.	Class-day Exercises
4:00 P. M.	Reception of the New York State School of Clay-Working and Ceramics

Wednesday, June 6th

10:00 A. M.	Alumni Association, Director's Meeting
2:00 P. M.	Alumni Association, Public Session
7:00 P. M.	Alumni Dinner

Thursday, June 7th

9:30 A. M.	Commencement Exercises
8:00 P. M.	President's Reception

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Secondly, the war is creating a great demand for books of travel, of international law, religion, drama and poetry. Such books are displacing those of a lighter vein. The reading public is thinking and as one result of this, larger classes in the study of modern languages are being enrolled in our colleges.

Since the war began books dealing with the struggle have appeared at the rate of two every day. Much of this is ephemeral. The war may cause a dearth of books of real literary merit because men of letters are at the front and in various arms of the service. The Y. M. C. Associations are doing a great work in distributing books among the men in the trenches. The German government itself has a well established traveling library system whereby books are distributed to the soldiers in the field. These books cover subjects of travel, philosophy, religion as well as books of a lighter vein to amuse. The names of Frenssen, Freytag, Heyse, Lessing and Sudermann are frequently seen. Along with these German names may be found the names of Scott, Dickens, Tolstoi and others. Among biographical works we find the lives of Frederick the Great, Wagner, Mozart and Beethoven. Books of history cover the development of the German nation and its relation to other countries. The soldiers in the trenches are reading

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EIGHT-WEEK CLUB—Y. W.

Mrs. Davis talked to the girls about the eight-week club plan. The plan of organization being so simple that any college girl having sufficient time, can organize a club in her home town through the summer. The object is to promote college enthusiasm, and give the younger girls of the community good, wholesome activity for mind and body. This year the National League especially urges many girls to take up the work. This offers a great field, for real, fruitful service to the girl with college training. For further details see Leona Hoffman '17.

HORNELL TAKES TWO SPEAKING PRIZES

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There were 22 speakers in the two contests last year as compared with 12 this and the competition was much keener.

The vocal solos on the program were excellent and much credit is due our musicians who respond so graciously to the numerous calls for their services.

President Davis presided over both contests while the judges were: for the girls' contest—Prof. F. S. Clarke, Prof. Catherine Porter (Alfred University) and Ellis W. Persing (Wellsville) for the boys' contest—Dr. J. N. Norwood (Alfred University), Walter C. Crouch (Canisteo) and Prof. Pontius (N. Y. School Agriculture).

PROGRAM

Girls' Contest

1. "A Scrap of College Lore"
Doris Babcock (Alfred)
 2. Deloris Defies the King
Ethel Hayward (Bolivar)
 3. The Colors
Mary C. Pierce (Corning)
 4. The Land Where Hate Expires
Clara E. Seward (Lima)
 5. The Confessional
Mercedes Wildon (Hornell)
 6. Zingarella, the Spanish Wild-Flower Girl
Verda Wilson (Haverling)
- Vocal Solo Nina Howard
Decision of Judges

Boys' Contest

1. The Star Spangled Banner
Leon J. Brown (Lima)
 2. The Injustice of the Literacy Test
Thomas F. Carr (Elmira)
 3. Guilty
Clifford H. Matson (Hornell)
 4. A Vision of War and a Vision of the Future
Ransom Pratt (Corning Free Academy)
 5. Spartacus to the Gladiators
Robert Rosen (Masten Park, Buffalo)
 6. Fort Wagner
Mr. Buecking (Lafayette, Buffalo)
- Vocal Solo Ruth Phillips
Decision of Judges

THE LIBRARY

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Darwin's Descent of Man, the philosophy of Emerson and Kant. It is claimed that men who have not read since childhood days are recovering the habit and are getting an entirely new viewpoint of life. In the still watches of the night these men discuss these books with their companions and analyze difficult passages.

As we watch the human tide the world over we find classes once submerged are rising, nations are awakening from long slumber. All these things speak for a greater democracy—a greater freedom of thought and action. The breaking down of class distinction and race prejudices will give rise to greater efforts in literature production. It will result in a greater intellectual activity—a quickened interest in economical problems, in ethics and sociology. The problem of existence will be a common problem after the war and may we not hope that there will arise out of it all a larger sense of justice, a broader view of life—its possibilities and opportunities—an enlarged vision of the brotherhood of man and the fatherhood of God. C. R. C.

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