

## HARRIETTE MILLS, RUDOLPH ELLER, AND JAMES SADLER HEAD FIAT LUX FOR NEXT YEAR FOLLOWING ANNUAL STAFF ELECTION

Editorial And Business Departmental Promotions Also Made—Annual Banquet At Hotel Sherwood, Hornell, Thursday—Roy D. Waid, Editor The Elmira Advertiser, Will Be Principal Speaker

Harriette J. Mills, Rudolph Eller, and James W. Sadler will have charge of the Fiat Lux next year, as result of the staff elections held Wednesday night. One of the most spirited elections in the history of the paper was carried on for managing board and departmental promotions. Editorial and business staff advancements were also made.

The new staff will be ushered into office at the annual Fiat Lux banquet at the Hotel Sherwood in Hornell, Thursday night. The entire organization will be the guest of the retiring managing board at the annual affair.

Roy D. Waid, editor of the Elmira Advertiser and father of the retiring editor of the Fiat Lux, will be the principal speaker. He will talk on the topic, "Breaking Into The Editorial Room". E. A. Heers, professor of Journalism, De Forest W. Truman, of the Alfred Sun, Prof. B. N. Ellis, and J. Enfield Leach will be invited guests.

The election for the new editor was the closest in the history of the paper. With all students eligible to vote, designating their choice, the final count resulted in a tie of 17 votes apiece for Miss Mills and A. James Coe. H. Warner Waid, retiring editor, cast the deciding vote for Miss Mills, awarding the election to her.

Rudolph Eller was chosen, following the recommendation of Kenneth Smith, retiring head, as business manager over Harlan Milks. James W. Sadler was chosen, unanimously, managing editor to succeed Ernest W. Clement. Ruth Potter and J. Enfield Leach acted as tellers.

In the editorial staff, three promotions were made to the rank of associate editor. Mary Brown Allen, Marjorie Travis, and Wilfred Rauber were named to succeed John R. Spicer and William F. White, who have resigned, and Miss Mills, the new editor.

In the business department, three assistants were advanced following close balloting. Raymond Tompkins was elected advertising manager to succeed Mr. Eller. Elijah Mills was chosen to fill the position of circulation manager, vacated by Harold S. Hamilton. Blythe Hawley was named, unanimously, for the newly-created position of accountant.

The new staff will take charge of the Fiat Lux with the next issue and continue for the remainder of the year under the guidance of the retiring

### Faculty Recommends New Courses, Change In Present System

At a recent faculty meeting, a committee which has been considering the curriculum for several months made the following recommendations: First, to give two survey courses, one in the social sciences, the other in the physical sciences; Secondly, to change the present system of majors and minors.

The survey courses would touch briefly on the various studies in their respective fields and are to give the student a general knowledge of the world in which he lives before he specializes in his chosen field.

The course in the social sciences will probably contain material drawn from psychology, history, economics, and ethics; while the course in the physical sciences will deal with physics, chemistry, biology, and perhaps physiology or genetics.

The exact nature of the change in the system of majors and minors has not been definitely decided upon.

### A. James Coe Heads YMCA For Next Year; Conference Planned

A meeting, of the YMCA in the Greene Block, Monday, April 22, was conducted by H. Ray Sweetman, secretary of state executive committee of YMCA. Many important pointers were given the local organization concerning the present conditions on Alfred's campus. Secretary Sweetman has studied Alfred for the past few years and now helped in numerous ways to perfect the condition here.

It was decided upon holding the quadrangular conference between University of Rochester, University of Buffalo, Hobart, and Alfred at Dansville on May 11 and 12.

At a YMCA at the Greene Block last Tuesday afternoon the following officers for the coming year were elected: President, A. James Coe; vice presidents, Milton D. Burdick and Kenneth M. Erwin; secretary, Lewis R. Beyea; treasurer, Harlan P. Milks; council representative, Shirley L. Travis; and alternate representative, James E. Birdsall.

The cabinet for next year will be appointed at a later date. It was also decided at this meeting to send Shirley Travis and James Birdsall to the State Convention at Syracuse, April 27 and 28.

managing board. This issue concludes the work of the retiring staff.

## Superintendent A. K. Getman Tells Of Need Of Better Farming At Representatives' Meeting At Agricultural School, Saturday

A. K. Getman, superintendent of the State Agricultural Educational Bureau at Albany, spoke to fifty district superintendents and representatives of farm organizations in Southwestern New York, Saturday at the local school. In meeting he discussed the fact that the state school fits a state program of agricultural instruction by offering training to boys out of school who are farming.

It was suggested that the representatives of farm organizations and the district superintendents make a special effort to establish educational projects in their various meetings, looking toward the interesting of boys and young men in agricultural instruction.

Superintendent Getman declared that now is a suitable time for a

young man to prepare for farming. By the time he is in the business the economic depression will be over. Each generation of farmers has produced more than its predecessor, and in order to maintain this record, education is needed more than ever before because of the need to control insect and plant diseases, because of the need of increased use of machinery and because of the fact that good land must be farmed intensively. Also, it was pointed out that successful co-operation needs were trained leaders. The best means of obtaining trained leadership is by organized legislation.

It has been 20 years since the state established the New York State School of Agriculture at Alfred University. Continued on page four

## JUNIOR CLASS GIVES ENTERTAINMENT AT ANNUAL FUNCTIONS

Presents Year Book Dedicated To President Davis—Holds Splendid Dance In Field House

Members of the Junior Class held reign at Alfred University Saturday. In the evening the annual Kanakadea banquet was held in the Parish House. Later, the annual Junior Prom was held in the Davis Field House.

The tables at the banquet were artistically decorated in yellow daffodils with red roses as favors. Throughout the dinner and after-dinner speeches, candle light was used. The programs, due to the originality of "Chick" Zschiegner, were clever with the Black Knight as the cover design.

The 1930 Kanakadea dedication, which was to President Boothe C. Davis, was read by Prof. I. A. Conroe, who acted as toastmaster. Following this, the other speakers, Prof. Charles Harder, Harriette Mills, John Ham-bel, Harold Karthaus, and Dean J. Nelson Norwood, elaborated on the subject "Progress" for which this book stands.

The program was completed with the singing of the "Alma Mater." Then the Kanakadeas were distributed out to the members of the class.

The guests were President and Mrs. Boothe C. Davis, Dean and Mrs. A. B. Kenyon, Dean and Mrs. Arthur E. Main, Dean Dora K. Degen, Miss Ildra Harris, Prof. Eva Ford, M. Ellis Drake, Miss Marie Hunt, Prof. and Mrs. Paul Rusby, Dr. Charles F. Binns, Miss Elsie Binns, Registrar and Mrs. Waldo Tittsworth, Prof. and Mrs. Cortez Clawson, Daniel G. Klinger, Gordon E. Lewis, and Lee B. Cottrell.

The committee was Florence Ploetz, Wilfred Rauber, Bruce Daniels, and Emil Zschiegner.

Beneath a magestic rainbow of flaming color, the Junior Promenade of the Class of 1930 became a vivid reality at the basketball court.

"Larry" Harrington's Blue Knights of Rhythm led the dancers through a joyous maze of melody and made of the evening one gay festival.

The patrons and patronesses were President and Mrs. Boothe C. Davis, Dean and Mrs. J. Nelson Norwood, Dean Dora K. Degen, Prof. and Mrs. E. A. Heers, Prof. and Mrs. I. A. Conroe, and Prof. and Mrs. C. M. Potter.

Much credit is due the committee of Willard Buckley, chairman, Bernice Guilford, John E. Leach, Dorothy Hallock, Kenneth Reed, Marjorie Travis, and Alfred Tittsworth, as the committee for giving a most enjoyable and successful Prom.

### Fiat Lux Calendar

#### Today:

Junior Class meeting, Lab. Hall, 7:15 p. m.

Senior Class meeting, Kenyon Hall, 7:30 p. m.

W. S. G. elections, Kenyon Hall, 8 p. m.

#### Wednesday:

Union Church choir, Community House, 7 p. m.

S. D. B. Church choir, Music Studio, 7 p. m.

Fiat Lux meeting, Fiat office, 7:15 p. m.

Band practice, Music Studio, 8 p. m.

Wee Playhouse plays, Alumni Hall, 8 p. m.

#### Thursday:

Assembly, Alumni Hall, 11 a. m.

1931 Kanakadea elections, Alumni Hall, 12 m.

Fiat Lux banquet, Hotel Sherwood, Hornell, 6 p. m.

#### Friday:

Frosh Track vs. Wellsville, Merrill Field, 3 p. m.

#### Saturday:

Varsity Track vs. Hamilton, Clinton, N. Y.

Delta Sigma Phi Spring Formal.

## LOCAL STAR CARRIES ALFRED'S COLORS TO CHAMPIONSHIP IN STEEPLECHASE AT PENN RELAYS—BOULTON PLACES FOURTH

### STEEPLECHASE CHAMP



WILBUR GETZ

### W. S. G. Holds Election For Officers For Next Year At Kenyon, Tonight

Elections for the officers of the Women's Student Government for next year, will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in Kenyon Memorial Hall. President Mary K. Rogers will preside.

The following have been nominated for offices:

President—Helen Hamilton, Florence Ploetz, Ella Corson, Margaret Young, Marian Hardy.

Brick representatives—Helen Hammond, Theora Weishan, Louise Twohill, Ruth Mitchell, Annette Clifford.

Pi Alpha Pi representative—Margaret Coit, Ortense Potter.

Sigma Chi Nu representative—Avis Stortz, Coine Adams.

Theta Theta Chi representative—Ruth Potter, Mildred Kneerim.

Non-dormitory representative—Marcella Gamble, Marion Burroughs.

Chapel Periods Will Be Given Celebration Here, May 5 to 11

Alfred is planning to contribute to the National Music Week celebration in a most unprecedented manner. Chapel exercises, are to be suspended for the week of May 5 to 11 and the time is to be turned over to the musical talent under the supervision of Prof. Wingate. Both Church choirs have been requested to attend chapel and contribute to the success of the event. Music in the form of vocal solos and choir selections will exclude the usual speeches of chapel.

### To Elect Soon

Within the next two weeks Phi Sigma Gamma will elect new members to the organization in order to recognize those women who have rendered positive service to Alfred for at least two years. Following that the members will elect their officers for the coming year.

## Theology Students Hear Many Excellent Speeches At Interseminary Conference; Houghton Student Selected As Chairman

The first annual Interseminary Student Conference of western New York met here over the week-end. Although not largely attended, those present considered it a success and highly beneficial.

The Rev. Richard Lentz, pastor of the Christian Temple at Wellsville, gave the sermon at the regular Sabbath services held at the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church. His subject was "The Gospel According to Christ."

Saturday afternoon Dr. A. J. C. Bond, pastor of the Seventh Day Baptist Church of Plainfield, N. J., addressed the group of seminary students and visitors in the Gothic. He led an informal discussion on "Christian Co-operation" and in this

Wilbur Getz Outclasses Field of County's Foremost Runners In 3,000 Yard Run Relay Teams Garners Fourth, Fifth, And Seventh In Three Races—Zschiegner Betters Quarter Mile Record

Wilbur Getz, who through the past four years, has been carrying the Purple and Gold to many a victory, realized an ambition of his college career when he garnered first place in the national 3,000 yard steeplechase against a fast field at the Penn Relays, Friday. Over brushed hurdles and cross water jumps, the middle distance star raced to raise higher the colors of Alfred among the leading sporting colleges of the United States.

Harold Boulton, who likewise has fought for the Saxon runners, helped to boast Alfred's glory when he raced into fourth place in the same event and beat out of the favorite.

Alfred fared not as well in the three relay events but nevertheless drew places among the leading teams of the country. In the one mile college relay, the team placed fourth, and in the middle Athletics Class B, the team placed fifth. In the largest college relay, it placed seventh.

Getz and Boulton, Alfred's entrants in the steeplechase, had finished hard races only an hour before this event and entered the race partially tired. The two started off behind the pack. However, Getz took the lead after the third lap and was never headed throughout the rest of the grind, finishing a good 60 yards ahead of Thomas Meagher of Boston College who took second. The third place went to John Fortier of Manhattan. Next came Boulton. Shirk of Dickinson, who was a favorite to carry off the honors in this event, finished fifth.

The showing of the team in the College Medley was not up to the expectations of Coach Heers. Although Steele in the lead off ran a pretty race and Boulton running the half mile clicked off the distance in 2:5, Getz and Zschiegner on the other hand, old standbys failed to come up to the scratch in their distances and ended in seventh places.

In the first of the two one mile relays held on Saturday under the Penn Relay Classifications, the team came within three yards of placing. Woods of Villanova in the home stretch of this event beat off the spirited challenge of Zschiegner to cop third place by the margin stated above. Lincoln won this event in the fast time of 3:31:1. The Alfred team covered the distance in 3:32:3 which is the fastest time on record for a Purple and Gold. Continued on page three ↓



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## The Change

This issue brings to the close the direct management of the sixteenth staff of the Fiat Lux. For the rest of the school year, the retiring managing board will act simply as an advisory body to assist the newly-elected staff to become accustomed to the generalship of this paper.

The retiring managing board looks back on the past year and is satisfied. It has accomplished its aim to a mark degree. Little attempt was made to improve the literary side because that had been raised to a high standard by the preceeding writers.

The Fiat Lux staff is the best organized body among the extra-curriculum activities on the campus and is on a firm business basis. Most of the efforts of the managing board were spent this year in perfecting an organization that will endure the difficulties of many years to come. The policies of the newspaper have been more centralized in the members of the managing board with greater responsibilities resting on members of the staff.

There has been some fear expressed on the campus concerning the situation of a co-ed as editor. Miss Mills is not the first woman to hold the editorship of the Fiat Lux. During the years of 1917 to 1919, two co-eds held this high position and did their work in an excellent manner. Also several female students headed the Alfred Monthly, the magazine that preceeded the Fiat Lux.

To the new staff, the retiring managing board issues no challenge or warning. The new leaders have been developed through a process of competitive promotion with the foremost coming to the front. The outgoing board has perfect confidence in the new staff and leaves it to take the course it believes best.

The retiring editor wishes to take this opportunity to thank the members of the staff, the student body, the faculty, the alumni, and the college administration for the splendid support and co-operation they have given to the newspaper during the past year. There has been times when difficulties and conflicts have risen but these have given a better understanding of this university and its allied organizations.

## The 1930 Kanakadea

One of the finest annuals in the history of the university has been issued recently by the Junior Class. The book is certainly a work of art and fine example of the ability of the editors and contributors.

The cover catches the eye at the very first. The design on the front is clever. The fly pages are of a unique design and expressive of Alfred.

Chief among the contents of the book are the organization and the printing. The organization is uniform throughout and well arranged. The printing is excellent, having no blistered spots or poorly inked pages.

The art work draws special comment. The title pages are extremely well done and well adapted for their sections. The cartoons by Zschiegner are of the finest type.

Several new features have made their appearance in this book. The naming of the persons in the group pictures is a distinct improvement. The using of the extra picture of the organization leaders with the write-ups adds much to the class of the publication.

The 1930 Kanakadea is truly a fine book and is worthy of the efforts of the Junior Class.

Four weeks remain before final examinations begin and commencement is six weeks away.

## "IT"

The other day, the editor was talking with a classmate in the restaurant. The friend picked up a weekly newspaper of a men's college of not far distance to the east of Alfred.

"I sometimes wished I had gone to that school," he said. "That college has IT. I wish Alfred had IT."

That friend said a truth when he made the second wish. That little two-lettered word means a great deal. It is an indescribable something that makes life more pleasant and more college more desirable.

School spirit may be described as IT but it is not. School spirit is only a small portion of it. Fraternal spirit, toward the entire student body as well as among fraternity brothers, goes to make up a portion. The carrying out of progress ideas; the steady advancement of moral, physical, and educational standards; the passing up of personal animisities and prejudices; the cheerful cooperation of all college activities; all add to the meaning of that little word IT.

Let's get IT into Alfred. Let's work to make Alfred a better place to come. It is up to every person connected with this college to his or her best. It is up to you.

Automobile owners—register your new license number at the dean's office.

## Fraternity Cooperation

The reconciliation of the Interfraternity Council and Klan Alpine is one of the progressive steps taken on the campus this year. For nearly two years and a half, that one fraternity has been outside of the council. There has, during that time, grown up a certain amount of prejudice and rivalry between the Klan and the other fraternities.

Rivalry is all right in certain cases but in this it was nearly disastrous. It almost became bitterness and began to creep into the activities of other organizations.

As to the merits of the dispute, there is no need of judging. As to the agreement of reconciliation, there is no need of asking for. The two have meet and have come to an agreement. That should be sufficient.

The closing of the schism will bring about a better understanding among the fraternities and indirectly have a better effect on the campus activities which, for the most part are controlled by fraternity members. The leaders of this movement are to be congratulated.

Oranizations are requested to notify the Fiat Lux of the coming elections and cooperate in announcing the new officers.

# THE FIAT LUX NOMINATES FOR THE LOYALTY MEDAL



Alice N. Palmer  
West New York, N. J.

Eta Mu Alpha, vice president (4);  
Phi Sigma Gamma, Secretary-treasurer (4); President of Brick (4), treasurer (3); W. S. G. Council, treasurer (4); Chairman of Brick Prom (4); Student Assistant.



Daniel G. Klinger  
Dampa, Texas

Phi Psi Omega President (4);  
Class football (1, 2); Football (2, 3, 4); Kanakadea Photographer; (3);  
Assistant Manager Interscholastics (3); Spiked Shoe; President Student Senate (4).

A committee at Colgate is considering the feasibility of making a general award for all extra-curricular activities.

A scholarship index taken at Long Island University reveals the high scholarship of its athletes.

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Bill Brown says that an agent should have no trouble selling rope, if he has a good line.

Bill wants to know if a man should wear a stiff hat to a horse race, just because he likes a derby?

—A—

Does anyone know where the pre-

med students can get a good second-hand hearse? Meow!

—A—

And somebody suggested that those same students study dogs for a while, because there are too many around the campus.

—A—

We hear that Birdsall is averse to girls who do not apply cosmetics properly.

—A—

For some reason or other, the Brick telephone wasn't as busy as usual last Wednesday nite. Yeah, they did look different, didn't they?

—A—

Slim says that this daylight saving idea seems to him like the fellow who tapped himself on the head several times with a hammer, because it felt so good when he stopped.

Weff.

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## VARSITY TRACK TEAM PREPARES TO COMING MEET WITH HAMILTON

A squad of 18 Purple and Gold track and field men will leave on Friday noon for the first dual meet of the season, to be held at Clinton, New York, against Hamilton on May 4. The meet promises to be close in view of "dope" to the effect that Hamilton will have one of the strongest teams in years, if not in all time. The meet includes the usual order of events and will be run under N. C. A. A. rules with a mile relay finishing the program.

The squad is being worked hard this week to be in the best possible condition. Special effort is being made to find sprinters and broad jumpers to compete with the best Hamilton can offer. Getz, Zschiegner, Boulton, Newlands and Galizio expect to take care of the distance events, with Steele and Feldman as the only veteran in the sprints.

Olander and Bassett have been working at the discus and javelin, while Fredericks is being considered for the high jump and the shot put. He has shown up well in former years but appears out of condition at present. Hulse looks like the best bet in the hurdles, although Zaffke may be in the running if his leg improves.

Hamilton will show a ten-second man in the century dash in Ford and will make its biggest bid for victory in the hurdles and field events.

### Local Co-eds Start Track

Practice At Field House;  
Plan Interclass Contest

Friday found a numerous number of Alfred's co-eds on hand at the Davis Field House to start training for track.

The coaching staff has formulated an attractive list of events for women so as to enable all the girls to choose one or more to her personal liking. On this list may be found the eight pound shot put, 75 yard dash, quarter mile run, running high and broad jumps and low hurdles.

At some future date which will be decided by the instructors an interclass track meet will be held to determine the champion track women of the school. This will be a most exciting meet as there is much rivalry between certain classes.

### UNIQUE PLAN INTRODUCED FOR FRESHMEN CO-ED GYM CLASSES BY SUPERVISORS

Coaches E. A. Heers and James A. McLane together with Clarice Thomas, have worked out a most unique plan of physical training for the Freshman and Sophomore girls in tennis. Each girl's name is added to a list of the girls of her respective class in an alphabetical order. Any girl has the privilege of challenging any girl who stands next above or twice above her on the list. In this manner by the process of elimination the women who can manipulate a racket the best in the two respective classes will be found.

The deplorable weather makes the courts unfit for usage and thus has a deleterious effect on the running off of these eliminations. It is hoped that the weather will be such that the games might be played soon.

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## Outdoor Tennis Practice Starts As Soon As Courts Are Fit—Rules Announced

According to Manager Gordon E. Lewis three has been no spring training in tennis so far due to weather conditions. However, just as soon as weather permits, tennis will open up with snap to make up for lost time. It is hoped that the men who know how to handle a racket will come out when the courts are put into good condition, which will no doubt be this week or the early part of next.

The tennis court regulations are as follows:

1. All players must wear rubber soled shoes without heels.
2. Deuce sets must end by the score 7-6 when players are waiting.
3. Persons shall not play more than one set when courts are crowded.
4. Courts must not be used when soft or otherwise not in condition.
5. One or more courts may be reserved at any time for the team throughout the Spring season.
6. Freshment and Sophmores must give preference to upperclass men.

These are your courts and these rules are for their protection. Therefore, if the courts are to be kept in playing condition, the above regulations must be followed. Offenders are liable to suspension from the courts.  
Gordon Lewis  
Manager.

## "Bum's Derby" Managers Announces Rules For Race For Spring Day Program

For the benefit of would-be entrants in the "Bum's Derby" on "Moving Up Day," Gordon E. Lewis and Walter T. Hulse, managers of the event, have announced the following rules governing the race:

Anyone who has not received a letter for track, and is not out for track, this season is eligible. Cross country is included.

The entry fee of one dollar must be paid 48 hours before the race.

Each entrant must have a manager. Course—to Alfred Station and return.

A prize of \$10 will be given to the first man, if the number of entrants permit it. Prizes from the local merchants will be given in addition to first prize.

A special prize will be given the entrant having the most original racing costume. This will be judged by popular applause before the race.

### LOCAL STAR CARRIES ALFRED'S COLORS

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team in an event of this distance. In this race Zschieger was clocked unofficially in his quarter mile stretch at 51:4, which is four-fifths of a second better than the college record here.

In the second relay, Class B Middle Atlantics, Feldman on the lead got into a jam and was nearly elbowed off the track, he passed the baton to McConnell in eighth position, McConnell gained one position on his lap. Steele running third also gained one position and Zschiegner running anchor did the same to place the Alfred team in fifth place at the worsted tape. The time in this event was much slower than that of the other mile relay entered by the Alfred team.

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## FROSH LOSES FIRST MEET OF SEASON TO HORNELL 55½ TO 39½

Some 20 Frosh journeyed to Hornell Saturday to cross spikes with Hornell High School in the first track of the current season. The duel meet resulted in a victory for Hornell by the score of 55½ to 39½.

Inexperience in field events handicapped the yearlings, counterbalancing their creditable track performance.

Ken Robinson, versatile Frosh star, proved to be the high scorer of the afternoon scoring a first in the 100yd. dash in the excellent time of 10:25 seconds, winning the 220 dash and placing in the shotput for the sum total of 10½ points. George Monks easily won the latter event with a heave of 41 feet, 6 inches.

In the lone relay race of the day, the half mile event, a Frosh quartet composed of Robinson, Chubb, Vance and Graham, showed good form winning by a five yard margin. This being their first meet the loss in no way dampens the ardor of the Frosh.

100 yard dash:—1. Robinson, A.; 2. Viet, H.; 3. Cellette, H., Time 10:25. 220 yard hurdles:—1. Wison, H.; 2. Chubb, A.; Roosa, H., Time 30.

Half mile run:—1. Razey, H.; 2. Vance, A.; Warde, A., Time 2:9.

220 yard dash:—1. Robinson, A.; 2. Graham, A.; 3. Pryor, H., Time 24½. 440 yard dash:—1. Graham, A.; 2. Boylen, H.; 3. Roosa, H., Time 56:1.

Mile run:—1. Hartford, H.; 2. Warde, A.; 3. Vance A., Time 5:10½. Shot put (12 lb.):—1. Monks, A.; 2. Alexin, H.; 3. Tis between Robinson A., and Sherbourne, H., Distance 41ft. 6in. Pole vault:—1. L. Babcock, H.; 2. Riely, H.; 3. C. Babcock, H., Height 8:8¾.

High jump:—1. Riely, 2. Egger, 3. Lockwood, all of Hornell tied at 4ft. 10in.

Broad jump:—1. Canfield, 2. Egger, 3. A. Babcock, all of Hornell, 18ft. 11in.

Half mile relay:— Winner-Alfred (Robinson, Chubb, Vance, Graham,) 1:40.

## FROSH PREPARE FOR MEET WITH WELLSVILLE, FRIDAY

With the experience of their first competition and another week of outdoor practice behind them, the Frosh should be in winning form when they match heels with a highly touted rack and field aggregation from Wellsville, at Merrill Field Friday.

A decidedly poor showing in field events in the Hornell meet dissipated the splendid track performance turned in by the Frosh sprinters. Although one week is too short a time for much betterment, enough improvement should have been wrought to make an appreciable contribution to the scoring column.

Added to this expected improvement there is the possibility of McConnell in middle distance events; Aginsky in the dashes, and Keats in the broad jump, which latter event should be an almost certain victory for Alfred.

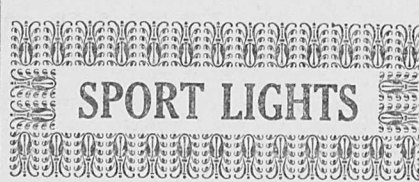
The athletic endeavors of Rochester University frosh in track and wrestling resulted in a reference to Darwinian origin in the college paper.

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Getz will from now on carry the exact time due to the fact that he carried off first place honors in the steeplechase at the Penn Carnival. Getz ran an easy race and cleared the hurdles and water hazards to such an advantage that he won the event by a 60 yard margin and received the prize of a watch.

Give this boy Boulton a hand, he filled in on the Medley Relay team at the carnival because there were no better half milers out and in shape. Hal ran a wonderful race, as he always has done in the past. Had it not been for the extreme effort he put forth in running this 2:05 half he would have undoubtedly been on Getz's heels in the steeplechase to cop a coveted award in his final year of college running. The sad part of the story is that there are other capable half milers in college who did not start training soon enough. Had Boulton been relieved of his duty in the half mile lap or had he shown less loyalty he undoubtedly would have been sporting a prize the same as his teammate-Getz.

Above the stenchful murmurings of the Kanakadea we hear the gleeful discussions of the co-eds over the prospect of a girl's track team. A time ago someone blamed it on the co-eds because our men athletes were out of condition; perhaps in this day and age the conditions will be reversed. The other day a wee fellow with dark colored glasses and a pair of muddy boots remarked that the girls here should try the 20 pound shot put. Needless to say that man was severely reprimanded and ordered to leave town. So no offense can be taken at the remark.

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CAMPUS PERSONALS

**Sigma Chi Nu**  
Miss Mary Jane Schiano of Rochester and Daisy Fairchild '28 of Painted Post spent the week-end at the house.  
Mrs. Corinne Compton and daughter Jean of Cuba were Friday guests.

**Theta Kappa Nu**  
Volney Mills of Buffalo spent the week-end at the house.  
Paul Webster, Vincent Zaffke, and Charlie Gilder, week-ended in Dansville.  
Clark Whitman spent the week-end in Elmira College for Senior week.

**Pi Alpha Pi**  
Miss Hewitt and Ruth Claire were dinner guests on Thursday.  
Kay Chamberlain, Betty Swartout, and Agnes Woodburn have been formally initiated into the F. R. G's.  
Janet Reamer and Hazel Mott were guests on Friday.  
Alice Holbert went home for the week-end.

**The Brick**  
Alice Overton, Nellie Dickinson, and Gladys Harder were among those who went home for the week-end.  
Miss Adele Peterson of Allegany was a week-end guest of Helen Dilks.  
Mrs. Elmer Weishan spent the week end with her daughter, Theora.  
Miss Edith Hobday of Delevan and Miss Evelyn Mills spent Saturday night with Florence Shubert and Henrietta Burdick.  
Lucille Bidwell and Blythe Hawley spent the week-end in Rochester.

**Theta Theta Chi**  
President and Mrs. Boothe C. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Lobaugh were dinner guests Sunday.  
Virginia Hauselt left for the week-end.  
Due to an oversight Elizabeth Rogers name was omitted from the initiation list published last week.  
Mary Hunter, "Cary" Anderson, and Leonarda Leahy spent Saturday night with us.

**Delta Sigma Phi**  
Delta Sigma Phi fraternity takes pleasure in announcing the formal initiation of Austin Schullstrom, Joseph Barnett, Raymond Shremp, and Kenneth Dunbar.  
The boys are grieving over the departure of "Mike" Lamphere.  
Among the week-end guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Mills and daughter, Mr. M. Lobough, and "Ken" Nichols.  
The fellows wish to compliment Willard Buckley and the committee for the exceptionally good work which they preformed in the management of the Junior Prom.

SUPERINTENDANT A. K. GET-MAN TELLS OF NEED

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versity. During this period this School has met most effectively the vocational needs of farm youth in the southwestern area. The unfavorable economic conditions following the war greatly reduced the enrollment at the school. It, therefore, seemed desirable to ask the several agricultural and educational organizations in south-western New York to send representatives to a brief conference at the school, for the purpose of recommending ways and means by which the services of the school could be extended, and the school faculties might be improved to meet the educational needs of he students. The suggestions emanating from such a meeting should be of inestimable value to the administrator.

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OPINIONS

Editor, Fiat Lux—  
The time approaches when it will be necessary to have class meetings and elect officers of different organizations. In particular reference to the classes of '31 and '32, (which to the casual observer appear ignorantly dormant) may it be suggested that the class members use ordinary common sense and elect people who are interested in the welfare of the class and have some degree of personality, diplomacy, ability for maintaining order and commanding respect.

The above request is not out of order by any means. At the joint meeting of both classes which was held prior to the last Frosh-Soph party, an invitation was extended by the Frosh class president to the Sophomore class. Lack of sufficient courtesy on the part of both classes made the invitation lost in a bedlam of mumbblings. On the part of the representative of the invited class, not a note of thanks was expressed. The invitation held no formality or cheerfulness and was accepted by the other class as a mere announcement. Is it too much to expect class leaders to be able to command sufficient silence and respect so that class members may know what is going on? Parliamentary law as a basis for conducting meetings seems never to have been heard of. The fault of uninteresting and confused meetings lies directly with class leaders—for a good leader can conduct an efficient piece of business if he has the qualities which he should have.

The above is mentioned not as destructive criticism—but only with the hope that through a little thought and the abolition of nonsensical fraternity politics, the classes of tomorrow may enjoy the fullest measure of success as a true organization and not be like a kindergarten class.  
It seems that wise class elections for all positions come only after one becomes a Junior or Senior. Let's change that now and elect people who can talk with faculty members and acquire some degree of progress for the whole student body as a whole. The faculty can hardly be blamed for frowning on student requests in view of many of the people elected to intercede for progressive measures.

Either the Faculty and the Student-body are blind or else they intentionally allow the disgraceful condition that exists to continue. One of the biggest farces on the campus today is the Honor System. More outright and deliberate cheating, cribbing and what have you is going on than the wildest conception of the uninformed can conjecture.  
If you care to see the truth of this

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YMCA REPRESENTATIVES ATTEND SYRACUSE MEET; SHIRLEY TRAVIS HONORED

Shirley L. Travis and James E. Birdsall journeyed to Syracuse last week-end to attend the State Student Council meeting at the Syracuse Y. M. C. A.

Either one or two students from nearly all the fifteen colleges of New York State were represented. This group made up the council or head of directors for the whole Y. M. C. A. student group in this state.

Many important questions were brought up that were threshed out. In the two days that the conference was held, much in way of business was accomplished.

Shirley Travis '32, was elected as Custodian of the Budget for the State Student Council of New York State. In these elections each college gets one vote, regardless of size.

Professor Bond, Two Freshmen Are Operated On In Hornell

Prof. Austin D. Bond, head of the biology department, underwent an operation for appendicitis, April 17, at the Bethesda Hospital in Hornell.

On the same day, Valentine Soboczinska and Fred Morse, Freshmen, were operated on at the St James Mercy Hospital in Hornell for the same malady.

come into any quiz period which is conducted under the Honor System. The students, or the would be students, have so degenerated that they think nothing of exchanging papers, opening books or to hold consultations on the test. If this is not a direct insult and undisguised manner of slapping the student body in the face, we have certainly arrived at an age that is beginning to degenerate.

Let us cease this nonsensical conviction of the Freshmen and consider something that is really important. We are called College men and women, however, such an appellation as yet seems unwarranted if we do not look facts in the face and try to remedy them.

I do not expect anyone to take my word for the veracity of these statements, but if you have a grain of interest in Alfred verify them yourself.

We must drop this foolish attitude of passive silence and get out and do things, or else Alfred's boast of producing cultured men and women, with a high degree of moral character will be doomed to perdition.

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