



## Alfred Loses to St. Bonaventure by Close Score

In a close, hard fought game, St. Bona's defeated the Varsity by a 22-19 score on the Bonaventure court last Wednesday evening. The contest was marked by close guarding on the part of both teams. The game was a strange combination of good and mediocre basketball.

Alfred broke into the scoring column first when Nichols caged a free throw after about two minutes of play. The Saints could not find the basket and Alfred led throughout the first period. The defense work of Alfred during the first half was especially fine and they held the Brown and White quintet to four points while amassing twelve.

In the second half St. Bonas came back with all their traditional pep and fight. In not more than three minutes they had counted four field goals to tie the score at twelve all. They soon made another and were not headed for the remainder of the game.

Th floor work and pass work of St. Bonaventure during the last half was good enough to defeat most teams. Indeed, if their basket shooting had been as good they would have run up a much larger score. Nichols and McMillen tied for scoring honors with nine points apiece. Chamberlain and Nellis both played fine defensive games for Alfred.

Line up:  
Alfred:  
Alfred  
R. F., Babcock  
L. F., Nichols (9)  
C., Geer (3)  
R. G., Nellis (4)  
L. G., Chamberlain (3)  
St. Bonas:  
McMillen (9)  
McClaud (4)  
Cronin (4)  
Gavigan (4)  
O'Neill (1)

Substitutions for Alfred: Cripps for Babcock; Babcock for Cripps; Cripps for Chamberlain; Lyon for Babcock.

Referee: Lyman, Buffalo.

Fouls: Alfred 5 out of 10, St. Bonas 4 out of 8.

## DANSVILLE BEATS YEARLINGS

The Frosh lost to Dansville Friday night by a score of 12 to 9. The Freshmen were handicapped by the low ceiling, and on a different court could probably have won. Both teams presented a strong defense with no great offensive powers. Ted Lobaugh refereed the game and gave general satisfaction.

The line up:  
Dansville:  
Rauber, R. F. (2)  
Culbertson, R. F. (0)  
W. Smith, L. F. (3)  
Sutfin, C. (1)  
C. Smith, C. (2)  
Stone, R. G. (0)  
Sorge, L. G. (5)  
Frosh:  
Hulse, R. F. (4)  
Larson, L. F. (1)  
Greenfield C. (2)  
Ferris, R. G. and L. F. (0)  
Cottrell, L. G. (0)  
Fenner, R. G. (2)

## ALFRED COURT MEN MEET CANISIUS NEXT

The purple and gold will meet the Canisius combination at Buffalo next Monday night for the second time, in order to repeat the victory which resulted from the game at Alfred on January 12.

The Canisius court men have been practicing intensively in preparation for this return game, but we have confidence in the ability of the home team to "come thru" at the desirable end of the score.



## Elmira College Girls Please Local Audience

A troupe of Elmira girls presented a very creditable production "Pygmalion" at Firemens Hall, Saturday evening.

Even as the mythical Pygmalion, who sculptured the form of a beautiful woman, then fell in love with it and begged the gods to give it life, so Higgins, a modern Pygmalion, snatches Eliza Doolittle from the gutter and creates a woman of beautiful speech, with whom he falls in love. The situation is distinctly typical of Shaw, as are the brilliant, pointed lines, and the startling denouement.

The handicap of a feminine voice in the presentation of a male part was rather successfully surmounted or carried, at least, by the leading "man," Higgins, played by Margaret MacGregor. She was less apparently a woman than the actors of the other male parts. She showed an intense feeling of the part, and imparted some of that to the audience. The acting of Emma Hartenstein, in the role of Eliza was a true triumph of dramatic training and art. It took a quick ear and a facile tongue to present the flower girl's speech in all its abominable and excruciating manses. These two characters were ably supported by the others, whose acting was worthy of some comment. On the whole, the production was truly excellent and the Director, Miss Morrow, deserves credit for her work.

## DAVIS GYMNASIUM

The new gymnasium which was formally dedicated as the "Davis Gym" in honor of President Boothe C. Davis, was a plan proposed several years ago by the Alfred Alumni in Buffalo. A fund was immediately established, contributions soon began pouring in, and the hopes of the alumni were soon realized when the erection of the building was under way last September. The thoughts of the alumni were united to perpetuate the name of President Davis in commemoration of that leader who has valiantly struggled with unceasing devotions, and with untraying sacrifices, to build up an institution of higher learning and Christian ideals for true men and women.

It has been rumored that the old Academy Hall which was the gymnasium will be altered and repaired for the future University Assembly Hall. Through a member of the alumni, about \$10,000 worth of theatrical material, such as chairs and stage platforms, has been acquired, which will be used to furnish the necessary equipment of the Academy Hall. The exterior of the building will be repainted white.

## Wrestling Team to Meet St. Lawrence.

Coach Seidlin's "bone busters" are now in intensive training for the closing schedule match of the season with St. Lawrence University, to take place at Davis Gym on Feb. 27.

With nearly all experienced men on the team, and after having wrestled a schedule of college teams representing some of the best mat ability in the East, the local mat men will present a strong lineup to the up-state wrestlers.

Last year, the St. Lawrence men met defeat at Alfred's hands, and as far as local enthusiasts are concerned, the result of this year's tussle is a foregone conclusion. After having lost one match, St. Lawrence will naturally be out for blood, and as the rivalry will be keen, all indications point to a fast and exciting match.

Coach Seidlin recently remarked: "The number and enthusiasm of those turning out for wrestling between now and Feb. 27, will decide whether or not Alfred will have a team next year."

This statement speaks for itself. The regular men have substituted pep and vigor for plentiful material, and experience gained this year will decide places on next season's team. All men, whether experienced or unexperienced, are urged to turn out for daily practice at the old Gym between four and five o'clock. This is your chance.

## CHANGE IN CHAPEL PERIOD

The following statement concerning the change in the time of Chapel period has been officially issued by the Dean:

"Beginning Monday, February 15, the following changes in class and chapel hours will take place, viz:

"The second class hour will begin at 8:55 and end at 9:45, chapel will begin at 9:45 and end at 10:10. The next class hour will begin at 10:15 as at present."

## PRESIDENT DAVIS WILL SPEAK AT UNIVERSITY OF W. VIRGINIA

President B. C. Davis will deliver the address at the mid-year convocation of the University of West Virginia at Morgantown, Wednesday, Feb. 17th. His subject will be "Scholarship and Religion."

## SUNDAY NOTICES

Union Church  
Morning services at the village church at 10:30. Professor Binns will preach.

## Christ Chapel

Ash Wednesday, February 17th.  
Evening prayer and sermon at 8 P. M.  
Friday, Litany, 5:30 P. M.  
Sunday, Holy Communion 8:00 A. M.  
Evening prayer and sermon, 5 P. M.

## Fiat Lux Calender

Feb. 16—Student Senate, Community House, 7:00 P. M.  
Feb. 16. English Club, Brick Parlors, 7:30 P. M.  
Feb. 16. Junior Class, Kenyon Hall, 7:30 P. M.  
Feb. 16. Athletic Council, Kankadea, 8:30 P. M.  
Feb. 17. Glee Club, Kenyon Hall, 5:00 P. M.  
Feb. 17. Klan Alpine vs. Rosebush, New Gym, 5:15 P. M.  
Feb. 17. S. D. B. Choir, Studio, 7:15 P. M.  
Feb. 17. Fiat Lux meeting, Kenyon Hall, 7:30 P. M.  
Feb. 17. Eastons vs. Theta Gamma, New Gym, 7:30.  
Feb. 17. Interfraternity Council.  
Feb. 18. College Assembly, 11:10 A. M.  
Feb. 19. Purgatory vs. Smith Club, New Gym, 4:15 P. M.  
Feb. 19. Wandering Greeks vs. Burdick Hall, 5:15 P. M.  
Feb. 19. Y. M. C. A., Community House, 7:30 P. M.  
Feb. 20. Basketball game with Canisius, abroad.  
Feb. 20. Theta Kappa Nu vs. Delta Sigma Phi, 7:30 P. M.  
Feb. 20. Kappa Psi Upsilon vs. Theta Gamma, 8:30 P. M.  
Feb. 22. Glee Club, Kenyon Hall, 5:00 P. M.  
Feb. 22. Klan Alpine vs. Smith Club, 5:15 P. M.  
Feb. 22. French Club, Community House, 8:00 P. M.  
Feb. 26. Wrestling Meet, St. Lawrence, New Gym.

## INTRA MURAL BASKETBALL

Only four games were played in the Intra Mural League last week. In League A, Eastons kept a clean slate by beating the Burdick Hall. Burdick Hall won from the Villagers. The Theta Gamma-Kappa Psi Upsilon game was not played. In League B, the Klan Alpine defeated Purgatory, and the Smith Club lost to Theta Kappa Nu, The Delta Sig-Rosebush game was cancelled.

The standing of the two Leagues is as follows:

League A.	W	L
Eastons	2	0
Wandering Greeks	1	0
Burdick Hall	1	1
Villagers	0	1
Kappa Psi	0	1
Theta Gamma	0	0
League B.	W	L
Klan Alpine	2	0
Delta Sigma Phi	1	0
Purgatory	1	1
Theta Kappa Nu	1	1
Rosebush	0	1
Smith Club	0	2

## Freedom For Seniors Is Popular

A hearty chorus of approval from the college press greeted the emancipation of seniors at Harvard and Yale. From all indications many college administrators are going to be confronted with demands for senior privileges. A few comments follow:

"Why isn't such an 'experiment' feasible at the University of Kansas?" asks the *Daily Kansan*. "Of course, it would necessitate some adjustments of the class room system, but it seems it could be worked out in connection with the plan advocated in the noted Dartmouth Report for the revision of the lecture method of instruction. By the time a student reaches to classification of a senior, he should be able to weigh the value of a classroom lecture and conduct himself accordingly."

"Why cannot a student be turned loose to take part in his own education?" The Hamline Oracle, Hamline College, Minn., asks this question. A committee of Hamline seniors is going to find out how many upperclassmen are asking the same question. Several Hamline professors are behind a move to adopt Harvard's plan.

The Iowa State Student sees the Harvard plan as an opportunity for the student to "feed" himself.

"Too much of the education of today is a matter of listening, soaking in, and then spilling it all on the paper with the final exam, and promptly forgetting. . . ."

If half of American colleges are slave, half free, we may expect a general concentration of the adventure-some, mentally self-reliant students in the liberal universities. Since Brown University has countered the Yale-Harvard move with an "extra quantity of summonses," the *Daily Herald* reports, "it is rumored upperclassmen seriously consider a 'trek' to the larger fountains of learning."

The *Silver and Gold*, University of Colorado, has long been disturbed over the inadequacy of many class lectures. A reporter was sent out to gather representative student opinions on lectures, classes, and the Harvard system of abolishing cuts.

Scholars, activity men and ordinary students were interviewed. The consensus of opinion was that "the cut system is not desirable for upper-classmen, that the lecture system is over-worked to the extent that many courses are spoon-fed. . . ."

Meanwhile Smith College triumphantly reports that "the Smith faculty voted last year to grant the privilege of regulating class attendance to the entire college—with the exception of the small group on the registrar's list—and the system has been in operation in Northampton since. . . . Smith is quietly trying the experiment with all four classes, and is recalling a statement made on the occasion of her fiftieth anniversary, by President William Allan Neilson: 'I look forward to a time when some enlightened male will leave his fortune for the creation of an institution in which young men will have the opportunities equal to those at present afforded in the best colleges for young women.'"—*New Student*...

## NOTICE

Roy Long, traveling secretary of the Student Volunteers, who spoke in Chapel this morning, will speak before a joint meeting of the Christian Associations at 7:30 in the Community House tonight, in the interest of the Student Volunteer Movement.

He will speak again in Chapel on Wednesday morning, concluding his brief visit.



CONSTITUTION

Department of Campus Duties

ARTICLE 1

Sec. 1.—Name—The name of this organization shall be, "The Department of Campus Duties."

ARTICLE 2

Sec. 1.—Object—To create an efficiently functioning organization for the purpose of obtaining a fair and equal distribution of Campus Duties and the carrying out of said Duties.

Sec. 2.—Jurisdiction—The Student Senate shall have direct jurisdiction over all actions of the Department.

ARTICLE 3

Sec. 1.—Officers—There shall be one Administrator and two Assistant Administrators.

Sec. 2.—Elections—The Administrator must be a Senior appointed by a majority vote of the Student Senate.

1. One of the two Assistant Administrators, who must be Juniors, shall be elected to the position of Administrator at the second meeting of the Senate in May. *Note.* If the Junior, elected to succeed the Administrator, fails to return to school or fails to continue after having served part of his term, the other Junior Assistant automatically becomes the Administrator.

2. Sophomores, who desire to become Assistant Administrators, shall make application to the Secretary of the Student Senate not later than May 15 and said body shall, by an elimination vote, elect two who shall become Assistant Administrators for their Junior year. A third and fourth choice shall also be made. *Note.* In case either or both Sophomores, elected to the position of Assistant Administrator, shall fail to return to school, or fail after entering school, for their Junior year, to continue with their duties, the Senate shall, by a majority vote, elect one in place of the Assistant Administrator from the third and fourth choice or in case of both, the third and fourth choice shall automatically be elected to the positions of Assistant Administrators.

ARTICLE 4

Sec. 1.—Campus Duties—The following list shall constitute the activities in which Freshmen shall be called upon for work; Football, Track and Field, Cross Country, Wrestling, Tennis, Kanakadea, Fiat Lux, Athletic Association, and any other duties sanctioned by the Student Senate.

Sec. 2.—Duties of Administrator—The Administrator, upon receipt of a written requisition from the Manager, shall pick the number of eligible Freshmen required and place the names upon official stationery, stating time, place of reporting, date, amount and kind of work. This shall be signed by himself and posted at least 24 hours before the men are to report. *Note.* Managers shall report to the Administrator on the results of the working lists giving names of those not reporting, lateness, and any additional information which he feels may prove beneficial.

Sec. 3.—Duties of Assistant Administrators—The Assistant Administrators shall perform duties prescribed for them by the Administrator and shall endeavor to become familiar with every phase of the department.

ARTICLE 5

Sec. 1.—Excuses from Campus Duties—Under the following conditions Freshmen may be excused, by the Administrator, from active participation in Campus Duties.

1. No Freshman shall be excused from Campus Duties because of extra curricular activities until the Administrator has been officially notified that said Freshman has been elected to a position on one or more of the following organizations: Glee Club, Band, Fiat Lux, Cheer Leaders, Squad. An official notification shall set forth the necessary information concerning the above ruling and shall be signed by the official head of the organization concerned.

2. Managers shall hand to the Administrator the names of candidates in their particular Athletic Activity by the day following the first meeting of the candidates. These men shall be excused from all campus duties. *Note.* When a candidate shall have failed twice to report, for insufficient reasons, the manager shall notify the Administrator by the day following the second absence, and these men shall be placed on the active working list.

Sec. 2.—If the Administrator deems it necessary, he shall report to the Student Senate the names of those Freshmen who fail to co-operate in the accomplishment of Campus Duties or who have been necessarily excused because of illness or physical deformity or any other reason which the Administrator deems sufficient.

ARTICLE 6

Sec. 1.—By-Laws—The Senate shall request information from the Administrator concerning the qualifications of the applying Sophomores and the two Assistant Administrators with reference to elections or promotions. The Administrator shall, upon request from the Senate, name his choice or choices in both cases.

1. If a Sophomore, who is a member of the Senate, is also an applicant for the position of Assistant Administrator, he shall not be allowed to be present at the election of the two men who shall become Assistant Administrators the following year. He may, however, be present at the election of the Administrator.

2. If one or both of the Juniors are members of the Senate and also Assistant Administrators they shall not be

THE STUDENT SENATE IS NOT NECESSARY!

In the senate's proposal for a Student Court, it admits its weakness by asking "for aid in upholding traditions and Campus Rules." (Outlined in Article 2, section 1)

If the present senate is not strong enough to enforce student legislation, why have it? The year's activities on the part of the Senate shows that it has served only as a date-making machine and a sponsor of the greatest joke on the campus—"the nightshirt parade."

Alfred is far behind in governing machinery. Numerous schools have junked their student senates and have established truly representative bodies.

A Mens' Student Council should fill that vital position of representing the students interests which our present senate does not do, as a practically non-functioning body. Made up of 12 members, the Mens' Council would handle the male student body and, in conjunction with the Women's Student Council, already in existence, would carry out such general college administration as the student senate now attempts to do.

The merged body, namely the Mens' Student Council and the Women's Student Council, would be known as "The Student Council."

The Council should have power, based upon its constitution, to legislate measures and enforce rules and regulations, regarding the conduct of male students. These rules and regulations should be formulated as the need arises. Where the legislation concerns the school as a group it should be ratified by a majority vote of the male student body. The council should likewise possess the power to mete out punishment for breach of these rulings, subject to similar action by the faculty in cases involving infraction of college discipline.

The members of the Council should be elected by the council itself and would consist of five members of the senior class, four members of the junior class, two from the sophomore class and one from the freshman class.

Together with the Women's Student Government such an organization could sponser Campus activities. The advantage secured through this method, readily to be seen is two fold—it provides for a stable and permanent body to take charge of campus social functions; and it assures, by virtue of the fact that the council is the governing body, that said functions will be properly conducted and the standard of the school upheld.

The Men's Student Council should be responsible for the establishment and recognition of college customs as well as passing upon all matters pertaining to male Freshmen. Upon petition of a group of students the council should act regularly upon any matters which such a group deem necessary in order to alter existing conditions. Thus it is truly representative.

The Students Council should serve as a means of maintaining balance and equilibrium throughout the school; where diversified interests and individual differences are endeavoring to seek a common plane of action and adjustment.

"The way of a fool is right in his own eyes,  
But he that hearkenth unto council is wise."

ENGLISH CLUB

The next meeting of the English Club will be held Tuesday evening, Feb. 16, at the Brick parlors. At that time Professor Ellis will deliver a paper on Willa Cather, and review the "Professor's House." At the last meeting Professor Conroe gave a paper on Eugene O'Neill, and read his play, "The Emperor Jones."

Membership in the Club is not restricted to any certain class or group. Anyone interested in English, or in classical learning, is invited to attend. For the present, the meetings will probably be held at the Brick.

present at the election of the Administrator for the following year, but, may be present at the election of the two Assistant Administrators and the third and fourth choice.

TITTLE TATTLE

Carl Campus, with clever comical cracks, cunningly co-operates with Cupid.

When Cupid shoots his arrow I hope he Mrs. you. (A pun is the lowest form of humor).

The College Cut-up sends—Oh you mule! No kick coming if you'll be my Valentine.

GUESS

Before you fill my life with bliss,  
Do not make me look like this

Romantic Roderick and Sentimental Susan gush and coo, "Sweetheart, I love you." (Just loads of these are flying around among the campus couples).

"It will be divine  
If you will be my valentine."  
Poor poetry but the thought is lovely and very original.

—And these roses.

Lonesome papa back home telegraphs—  
"If you love me comma be my red hot mamma stop I love you my darling stop a valentine from your sweet daddy."

Woolworth Specials—cheapest thing out—both the gift and the giver—Carcature of a suffragette, old maid, or bachelor girl with verse to match. Such delicate humor!

The cigarette fiend says: "I don't care whether you're a Chesterfield or a Camel. Be my Valentine.

Tell him your'e a modest Violet Milo.

CONCEIT!

You is de apple of my eye  
You likewise is a peach,  
And you'd be half of a handsome pair,  
If we stood side by each.

Frosh moron: I don't get a kick out of anything around here.

Wiser one: Try sitting in the gallery at assembly.

But Joe, what good do you get out of a trip to Belmont?  
Why man, it's a college education in one night.

Begle (in Geology): "What's the purest metal?  
Vey: Copper.  
Begle: How do you make that out?  
Vey: It's in a cent.

Winnie can't figure out why some of these athletes receive awards called "loving cups."

An onion a day keeps your friends away—unless you use Listerine.

Embarassed youth (groping for conversation): Does your father believe in the "Freedom of the Seas?"

Diplomat's daughter: No-o-o, but he's not looking.

We knew a literary student who thought the "Review of Reviews" was another name for hash.

Prof. Campbell (in history of Ed.): Well, when did the race start, anyhow?  
Nig: The Lord said "Go" and Adam dashed wildly down the avenue.

KANAKADEA DANCE!

Another of the series of Kanakadea dances was given by the Junior class on Tuesday night, Feb. 8. It marked the close of the first half of the school year, for the following day the responsibilities of the second semester were assumed.

A large, peppy crowd attended and Preston White's orchestra furnished the music. The decorations of purple and gold streamers remained intact long enough to be admired then joined the crowd and added to the frivolous atmosphere of the holiday season.

"What are we in College for" is the topic for the discussion to be held by the students Friday at 7:30-8:30 in the Community House.

Campus weddings at Baylor University have hitherto been penalized by an enforced vacation of three terms. But after much student discussion the faculty decided that one term was long enough. Secret marriages are still punished by indefinite suspension of the parties of the first and second part.—New Student.

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A good way to find out that people go to Assembly merely for the credit, is to count the out-ward bound, just after a student assembly gets under way. One of the greatest evils of student government is the lack of interest taken by the members of the government when any measure is up for discussion. The quicker that a law may be "railroaded" through and the need of thinking past, the better satisfied are the students.

We would like to see more general wide-awake discussion in student body meeting. Get interested Freshmen and tell us what you think. Upper-classmen use your good breeding and refrain from so much under-handed whispering. Above all, if you haven't enough will power to remain and discuss your own government, don't kick after its over.

In the near future we shall see a new activity blossom forth in the form of a Debating Team. Although nothing definite has been attained. A call for volunteers has received a lively response, two definite challenges have been received, and plans for an intercollegiate debating league have been drawn up.

There is no reason why we can not have an enthusiastic and successful debating season. We have plenty of latent material in the student body to insure a team capable of coping with any of the New York state colleges. With an embryo of outstanding competent debaters, comprising Amberg, Deinemann, Frances, Grossman, and Hunting, certainly a group can be developed, worthy of representing Alfred on any rostrum. There is much promise in the Freshman class, and, although it is at present an unknown quantity, the interest which some of its members manifest in debating will be bound to produce gratifying results.

Last year Professor Conroe attended a conference in Syracuse, at which several of the New York state colleges were represented, the purpose of which was to form an Inter-collegiate Debating League. Other delegates were present from Cornell, Niagara, Buffalo, Syracuse, Hobart, Hamilton, and St. Lawrence. However, at the time, Cornell and Syracuse were privately antagonistic and, as a result, ruined a hopeful outcome.

At present we have no course in argumentation, but plans are being formulated to include this subject in the curriculum next year. Nevertheless, we have a course in public speaking with an enrollment of about twenty-five students, and, certainly, this class alone could produce a successful debating team.

The main thing we need is a hearty student support. Go out for the team and make the competition keen, or if you cannot, at least push the project with all your might and give it your whole hearted support. It has great possibilities!

Finals are over. Conditions are normal and everything is running smoothly once more. There are a few changes. Some of our fellow students have departed; some new ones have come. "The fittest have survived." There are some individuals in our midst, no doubt, who have barely managed to retain their grasp. But our concern is not with them. At present, we are interested only with the "fittest."

Perhaps you are one of them; perhaps you have earned and received an index of anywhere from 1. to 3., and you are doing fine work. Your instructors are satisfied with you. Your classmates are even a bit envious, and with subtle innuendos tease you just a little about being "bright." The great question concerning you in the future is not "Are your instructors satisfied?" but "Are you satisfied with yourself?"

If you are, you are already lost. Self-satisfaction produces no great attainments. You must never be satisfied short of perfection. That is the goal ahead and none have yet reached it. As long as you have the inspiration to that great goal, as long as you are striving toward perfection in all things, so long you are a credit to yourself and to your college.

For the last six months we have had the idea impressed upon us time after time that our school spirit has taken a slump. We lack the old fight so to speak, haven't got the kick we used to have and so on to no end.

After looking the situation over we are inclined to believe that such is the case. Our social, and fraternal life on the campus backs us up. Fraternities and sororities are big offenders. Parties have been held on the biggest nights of the year, the opening of the Davis Gym being only one of the outstanding offences. When college men and women get to the stage where self, and pleasure come first, and school second, then we can be sure spirit will keep traveling down and down.

To be sure such clashes of calendar dates cannot be helped once in a while, but when the organizations on the campus do it again and again something is radically wrong. Is this seemingly disregard for school cause of our lack of spirit or a result of our lack of spirit? If it is a cause let's stop it beginning today. If it is a result let's find the reason.

An organization to succeed in Alfred should and must rate the school above all, otherwise it is untrue to its Alma Mater. Perhaps social life appeals to future members of certain types, but it seems as tho that type would make a poor fraternity man or sorority woman. Don't you think that the best elements on the campus will be found in and attracted to the organization that does the most for its Alma Mater and has her ideals and well fare always in its heart? Let's plan our parties with more respect to the school hereafter, let's think of someone else besides "Me and Mine," and let's work for more and better Alfred spirit.

## WHERE SHOULD WE STAND IN RELATION TO WOMEN ON THE CAMPUS?

Opinion Expressed That Necking Is  
Wrong

Several interesting questions were brought up during the discussion held last Friday evening in the Community House on the question as to where we should stand in relation to the women on the campus.

"Necking," was the topic that was the meat of the discussion. The consensus of opinion was expressed that to neck is wrong because it is physically injurious; it is immoral, especially in so far as it may lead to immorality; and it is unfair to both parties to it when, in the final analysis of the sentiment between the two, one would not be willing to take the other for life. Man should think of more than the present. He should have his eye on the goal ahead. Every man ought to have a home; and in placing that as a goal he should find a propelling force for his activity.

To arrive at a conclusion as to whether or not the coed college had any advantage over the noncoed college, reference was made to the condition in a noncoed University where the boys, who are shut away from the girls for such long periods act almost as if they did not know what to do with a girl when she comes to a college party. A social relation is implied from this, which is necessary as a part of education, although not the major factor.

Ideally, the main aim in going to college is to become equipped to bring something to pass. Woman is a power both for good and evil; and a woman of the right character can be of tremendous influence in a man's life. Therefore, the relation should be such as to help both to achieve their aims in life.

## THE PRESS CLUB

After a short vacation, enforced by examinations, the Press Club will resume activities under the direction of Professor Conroe.

The Press Club, during the past semester, has disseminated news regarding any Alfred activity or event which holds interest for alumni or the outside world in general. It has also fostered a bond press union between students in college and their home town newspapers.

Much publicity work, done during the first half of the year by the Press Club, will lend impetus to the program planned for the second semester. Contact with outside newspapers will be maintained, with such innovations and improvements to organization as shall develop.

## GIFTS TO ALFRED

Lovers of good books and lovers of old books will be interested in a copy of Dr. Johnson's famous dictionary of the English language in miniature, which was recently presented to the Carnegie library by I. D. Bell of Bolivar. The volume is one of the third American edition, the date on the title page being 1810. In addition to the dictionary, there is, according to the title page, an Alphabetical Account of the Heathen Deities and a Copious Chronological Table of Remarkable Events, Discoveries and Inventions.

A curved yellow tooth twelve inches in length and three inches through and about five pounds in weight, has recently been presented to the Allen Steinheim museum by Mrs. J. H. Green of New York City. Mrs. Green is the donor of a scholarship here.

Back in the 50's Mrs. Greene's father, who captained a whaling vessel sailing out of Nantucket, used to go on five year voyages, after the big fish. It was on the voyage from 1850 to 1855, that the captain brought the huge tooth, which he had taken from the lower jaw of a sperm whale, as a souvenir to his daughter.

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SOCIETY NOTES

Everyone is glad to see "Mike" Lamphere around once more. He can be seen going and coming stealthily at Morgan Hall where his mother has returned after a brief injury. The Theta Chi girls are very happy that she has recovered so successfully.

"Loby" is very much in demand! He refereed three games this week-end—one at Dansville and two at Almond.

The cast of "Pygmalion" were guests at Morgan Hall, The Brick, Pi Alpha Pi, and Sigma Chi Nu.

Spring is coming! Banquet plans are being considered and the calendar is rapidly filling. Theta Gamma has plans underway for March 6th, and at the Brick the dance programs for the 20th of March are all filled out.

Will someone please tell Charlotte "Who is this guy Babcock?"

Everyone hopes for the quick recovery of Harold Hamilton who was operated on for appendicitis at Bethesda Hospital, Feb. 5. Delta Sig gave him a valentine shower Sunday. Flowers and candy seem to have been distributed liberally around the campus. Good idea, this valentine's day.

The girls at Morgan Hall are sorry to lose Lois Rogers, who is living in town now. The Monday night before classes were resumed, was an occasion of much merry making. There was an informal party at Sigma Chi Nu house, and some of the members of Klan Alpine entertained at an informal dance.

"Pete" Bliss, Mike Lamphere, Mutino, Kelly, Schlosser, and Manager Perrone attended the Bonaventure game at Allegheny, Wednesday night. "Alec" Lippman and Mutino spent Sunday visiting friends in Wellsville. Wilma Stebbins, Grace Dassance, and Adelaide Vores spent Friday night at Sigma Chi Nu house.

Tom Moore and Harry Rogers think it's a shame that Elmira College isn't a co-educational institution. Among the new courses on the campus is one being given by Don Prentice to Professor Rusby on "The Unqualified Inefficiency of Socialistic Doctrines."

The Morgan Hall Sanitarium is no more. Only an occasional sneeze recalls that week of distress. The introduction of new competition at the Brick made the rest of the girls step lively in preparing for the dance Tuesday night. The Brick reports a hustling time in keeping up with the new comers.

"Les" Quailey has accepted an invitation to execute a few steps at a dance in Buffalo on Friday evening.

Among the week-end guests at Delta Sig were "Bob" Hardy, "Kidder" Witter, Dunny, Shults, Ellis Drake and "Bob" Payne.

Of the Klan, Edward Lebohner spent a protracted week-end in Cuba; Otis Rockefeller has left college but is working in town; while Walt Gibbs exhibits a mania for photographing "skiers" in all states of proficiency and in all manner of poses.

"Bob" Bennett is recovering from an attack of blood poisoning at the Bethesda Hospital. The Brick advertises itself as being Kindness itself—guests for dinner, parties and entertainments. A special invitation Don!

Harold Reid '21, spent Friday at the Delta Sig house.

Theta Gamma looks forward to winning the basketball championship without playing a game. They have won through forfeited games.

Roon three at Klan Alpine has acquired a "coo-coo" clock. Its melodious "coo-coo" can be heard at any hour of the day or night.

Theta Gamma is pleased to announce that Desmond Parks has become a pledge.

Last Friday night the Delta Sig basketball team lost to Friendship town team 28-18. The trip was made in Kelly's "open job."

James Cosman visited at his home in Paterson between semesters.

At Theta Gamma "Don" McKinnon '24, visited over the week-end. Don Mays and "Tweed" Meyers of "Ford" ed them a visit for a few hours Sunday.

On Thursday night Morgan Hall was the scene of an informal valentine dance. "Rusty" White with three of his night hawks set a wicked pace. Mrs. Lamphere was chaperone, and Coach and Mrs. Heers, guests.

PI ALPHA PI BIRTHDAY BANQUET

The third anniversary of Pi Alpha Pi was celebrated by a banquet held at the house. The dining room was charmingly decorated. Nosegays of pastel shades were the dominant feature suggestive of old-fashioned lacy valentines. Ivory candles shedding their soft glo wheightedened the quaint effect.

Miss Elsie Binns as tosatmistress, molded the toast about the "candle." Dean Degen, Beatrice Coleman, Esther Bowen, Clarice Davis (by Proxy), Irene Mackay and Ildra Harris gave toasts on the various essentials of candles. Each was delightful.

And so our third birthday celebration came to a close. The presence of so many of our alumni made the occasion seem doubly festive.

A birthday gift of a beautiful table was presented by the alumni.

DELTA SIGMA PHI INSTALLATION BANQUET

February 6, 1920 Alpha Zeta was installed at Alfred as the first national fraternity on the Alfred campus. Saturday afternoon Alpha Zeta Chapter of the Delta Sigma Phi celebrated its sixth birthday.

A fine dinner was served at 5 o'clock after which Toastmaster Babcock took charge of the banquet. First he called upon President Davis. "Prexy" reviewed the growth of Alpha Zeta and Delta Sigma Phi since Alpha Zeta was installed. He also expressed his joy to be a brother in the fraternity. Brother Woodward then spoke concerning the chapter. The Toastmaster then called on Dean Norwood. His speech contained the usual number of clever jokes. He stressed the value of a fraternity as compared with the family life.

"Kidder" Witter '24 and Alvin Dunbar also gave short talks.

Among the alumni back for the banquet were Paul Saegers, ex-'27, Olin Shults '24, Ellis Drake '25, Robert Witter '24, and Alvin Dunbar '25. The faculty members present were President Davis, Dean Norwood, Director Champlin, and Prof. Potter.

Mr: Is this piano yours?  
Mrs: We own about an octave of it.  
—Pitt Panther.

K. K. K.

Rather impressive letters. Aren't they. The Freshmen have an idea they stand for the impending Kollege Kampus Kourt.

Some one said that they stood for the tri-Kappa fraternity at Bonaventure.

And then, there is the political slogan: Keep Kal Koolidge.

Perhaps you've heard of the three letter man from Kentucky Kollege who was mobbed in New York for wearing K. K. K. on his Varsity sweater.

Or as Caesar said to Brutus: Kwit Kidding Kato.

Kollegiate Kut Klothes is an old one.

A high school pupil was asked what were the objections to the K. K. K. and he promptly replied, "Kike Koon Kathlick.

An advertisement in a trouser store on Fifth Avenue ran something like this: Kute Kilarney Kilts.

At a recent coal-strike parley, some one suggested that the president should force the operators to give in. Immediately one of them, O'Flaherty by name, piped up, "Kal Koolidge Kant.

Kuppenheimer made a big hit with his Kool Kenny Krash summer garments.

We know a song which goes something like this, "Kome, Kome, Kome, to the church in the wildwood."

While in Hornell last week we saw a placard in Joe Galbo's vegetable store which advertised: Korn, Karrots, Kabbage.

And we don't suppose that there is a single reader, truly, who knows what K. K. K. did originally stand for.

BRICK PROM

March 20 has been put on the College calendar as the date for the fourth annual Brick Prom. Plans are rapidly being developed to make this, one of the biggest affairs of the college year, a great success.

As usual, the decorations and all other plans are secret. We hope they will be as lovely as they have been in the past.

Frances Wilkinson has been elected general chairman. The heads of the committees are:

Mary Hunter—Decorations  
Charlotte Degen—Finance  
Helen Stuart—Refreshments  
Janet Decker—Music.

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