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# THEMESIANS VIC. TORS IN FINAL IN. IER-SOCIETY DEBATE 

## MUDGE CUP WON BY 2.1 DECISION IN CONTEST WITH EXCELSIORS.

The final Inter-Society Debate was won on Friday, March 10, by the Themisian Literary Society. They had earned the right to meet the Excelsiors, former holders of the cup, by defeating the Neocosmians team earlier in the year.

The question was stated: "Resolved, That the Union of the Protestant Churches of America Would Further the Cause of Christianity." The winning team was composed of the following young ladies: Miss Grace Pewterbaugh, '22; Miss Marguerite Willard, '22; Miss Edith Rosser, '24; and Miss Arnita Miles, '23, (Alt.)

The Excelsior team was: Charles Kachel, '24; Ralph Kauffman, '24; Orville Bennett, '23; and Arthur Fahl, '22, (Alt.)
Prof. R. D. Davenport, presiding officer, presented the Mudge Cup to the winning team.
The judges were: Dr. R. J. Lau, Reading, Pa.; Atty. Walters, Lebanon, Pa.; and Rev. Klingaman, Myerstown, Pa.

## MALE GLEE HAS 6 CONGERT TRIP IN COAL REGIONS STRRTS MARCH 27.

The Albright Male Glee Club leaves for their annual spring trip on Monday, March 27th. This year's trip will cover new territory for the male glee. The Club will open the tour with a concert at Frackville, on Monday evening. Concerts will be given at Pottsville, Schuylkillhaven, Mahanoy City, Tamaqua and

## MIXED GLEE CONCERT IH LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL MAR. 20 A BlG SUCCESS 

The annual concert of the combined glee clubs of the college was given in Myerstown High School Monday evening, March 20th, before a large and appreciative audience. Practically every seat in the large auditorium was taken. Long before the first number the auditorium was filled. Each number was encored. The using of the minstrel finale by the boy's club as an encore received such hearty applause that the boy's returned to the stage and sang the

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## DR. SWAN TO SPEAK AT

 Joint meeting of "Ys" MAR. 28; IS VISITING ALL THE colleges of the stateThe Christian Associations of the college are fortunate in being able to arrange a visit of Dr. Swan of cise Amercian Social Hygiene Asorciation. His message deals with social hygiene. It is one that is rery help(Continued on Five 2)

## HARTZLER '2? ELEGTEO BSEEBALL CAPTAIN

At a meeting of the letter baseball men of last year Jack Hartzler was elected to lead the 1922 nine. Hartzler is the logical man for the position, having well earned the hono accorded to him. Hartzler has held down the third sack position for the last three seasons and by his consistant fielding and fair hitting has helped to make the past seasons a success. The Bulletin Staff join with the student body in extending to Hartzler their well wishes for a successful season for the 1922 baseball nine.

## ALBRICHI BREAKS EVEN WITH JUNIATA IN 2ND DEBATING CONTEST MAR. 18 <br> AFFIRMATIVE TEMM WIISS BY 2.1 COUHT <br> NEGATIVE TEAM LOSES BY 2.1 VOTE

Having heard our Negative team at home in the initial debate of the series, considerable anticipation atiended the entering into the second debate,-that with Juniata,-which gave us the opportunity of hearing our Affirmative team at home. According to the pre-arranged schedule Albright's Negative team had gone to Huntingdon to meet Juniata's Affirmative on the same night,-Saturday, March 18.
Kepeated cheers and hand clapping oeeted the two teams as they took their places at the front of the Sunday School Room of the College Church. Without any preliminary remarks the presiding officer of the evening, Rev. Heck, announced the rules of debate as mutually agreed upon by the four colleges composing the league, and then made known the identity of the judges,-three promient men of Lebanon, Attorneys Schalk and Zimmerman and Rev. Keiter. Then followed the introduction of the debaters of both teams in their respective order of speaking: Affirmative, Kenneth Snyder '24; E! Isworth Escott '23; Fred Livingood '22 (Captain); and Albert Swank '24 (Alt.), of Albright. Negative, Glen E. Morris (Captain); Tobias Henry; Stanley Straub; Percy Mirerly (Alt.), of Juniata. As in the former debate the argument presented by both sides was spirited and effective throughout, with perhaps a slight advantage in Juniata's
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## MALE GLEE CLUB TRIP

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Shenadoah on the following evenings in the order named above. The management received prompt replies from all of the above places in reply to his letters asking for concerts in the various cities. This was due to the excellent impression made in that vicinity by the Girl's Glee last year.

The program for this year will be made up of selections by the Glee Club, solos by Messrs. Teter and Polk, violin solos by J. G. Brown, readings by J. G. Raffensperger and selections by the string trio and string quintette. Mr. H. F. Heller is the pianist for this season. According to all advance reports this years trip will be one of the most successful in the history of the Male Glee Club.

## MIXED GLEE CONCERT IN LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL

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opening chorus also. The Jazz quintette also made a big hit. J. G. Brown, the violin soloist of the Boy's Club, scored a big hit with his "Ava Maria." As an encore he played Schubert's "Serenade" accompanied by Mr. Sechrist on the cello. Miss Stoner was well received in the readings which she gave. Miss Statler pleased the audience with her solo, "What's In The Air." Both Miss Shambaugh and Mr. Heller, the piano accompanists, accompanied the clubs in a talented manner. Both clubs sang in their accustomed style, however special mention is due the Girl's Club. All credit for the remarkable work of the clubs is due to Miss Phillips.

## The program follows:- <br> -PROGRAM- <br> Part I

1. Sparkling Sunlight_-_-.---Arditi Girls' Glee Club
2. Violin Solo-Ave Maria_Schubert J. Good Brown
3. Yeomaris Wedding Song-Ponia-towski-Boys' Glee Club
4. String Trio-La Traviats-Verdi Messrs. Brown, Livingood and Roland
5. Reading-The Busybody-Jessie Stocton-Miss Sara Stoner
6. Weaving Song-(arr) Raudegger Girls' Glee Club

## Part II

1. Piano Duet-Hungarian Rhapsody

No. 2-Liszt-Misses Wetzel and Statler
2. Song of the Timber Trail-Avery Mr. Polk and Boys' Glee Club
3. Solo-What's in the Aair-Eden Miss Sara Statler
4. (a) From the land of the skyblue Water-Cadman
(b) The moon drops low-Cadman Girls' Glee Club
5. String Quintette-Popular Jazz-Selected-Messrs. Heller, Miller, Brown, Livingood, Roland
6. Swing along------- Will Cook Boys' Glee Club
Alma Mater $\qquad$ Ensemble
DR. SWAN TO SPEAK AT JOINT MEETING OF "Y" MAR. 28 IS VISITING ALL THE COLLEGES OF THE STATE
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ful, and wherever he has spoken left a deep impression.

The visit to Albright is part of a tour of the colleges of Pennsylvania. Dr. Swan comes to us highly recommended by the State Student Y. M. C. A. He has made a specialty of speaking to students, not only in our own state, but in other states. Just recently he completed a very successful tour of colleges in the western part of the country.
The meeting is to be in the Sunday School Room of the U. Ev. Church on the evening of March 28. He has a vital message that every student will want to hear.

## ALBRIGHT BREAKS EVEN WITH JUNIATA IN 2nd DEBATING CONTEST

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favor in the first speeches, but again Albright far excelled her opponent in refutation and earned the decision 2-1 in her favor.

Both previous to the opening of the debate and during the ten minute intermission allowed the teres for preparation for rebuttai, the spirit and enthusiasm of the riudent body were expressed in citiage yells and songs. It is gratifyeng to note the growing interest is those outside the school in our debating project as manifested by the large per. cent. of town and out-of-town friends present:

Although the Negative team was defeated at Juniata, yet it was only a loss of 2-1. This together with the two points scored at home and the five points scored against Ursinus, makes a total of eight points to Albright's credit. Considering that there are only 18 points to be scored altogether, we consider our teams' chances for leadership in the league more than favorable, and have
all confidence as to the outcome of the final debates of the series.

## ALBRIGHT NEG. TEAM vs. JUNIATA AFF. TEAM

In a hard-fought, even debate Albright's Negative Team was defeated 2-1 by Juniata's Affirmative representation. The contest was held in the Juniata Gymnasium, Saturday, March 18.

The question, "Resolved, That the U. S. Government should grant immediate independence to the Philippine Islands," was presented in a very interesting and exhaustive manner by both teams.

The Juniata team showed intensive training in oratory. The men composing it were: C. N. Ellis, '23 (Captain) ; E. Van Ormer, '24; J. E. Wardle '24; G. Christman '24, (Alt.)
Albright was represented by F. Kyle '23; C. Raffensperger '23; E. Hangen '22 (Captain); D. Sechrist '24 (Alt.).
Our team put up a very strong debate. Although we lacked the finished presentation of the Juniata team, our reliance on a clear, forceful argument delivered in a convincing manner, put us dangerously close to winning the decision.
Dr. Frank B. Ward, Prof. of HisGALLEY 2.
tory and Social Science of Juniata, presided. The judges were: Att'y. Samuel B. Hare, Altoona, Pa.; Mr. Thomas H. Suckling, Hollidaysburg, Pa.; Prof. ©. C. Smith, Mt. Union, Pa .

Dreving the intermissions the audiense joined in songs, Prof. Yoder Ciessented, very pleasingly, a bass solo: "Trumpter, What Are You Blowing Now?" and an encore "Smilin' Through".
After the debate, our Boys were entertained by the Boys' and Girls' debating teams of the school. The trip was made very pleasant by the generous treatment accorded Albright, special thanks are due Manager J. Donald Brumbaugh '23.

## Two Equals 2

Shick-"I think that Second Hungarian Rhapsodie was too long."
W. Miller-"Yes, and I think that Piano duet was too long also."
"Deddy": "Dad, can you sign my name with your eyes shut?"

Mr. Miller: "Yes."
"Deddy": "Well, shut your eyes and sign my report."

## BASEBALL PROSPECTS

With the opening of the 1922 baseball season Albright promises to make an excellent showing in college ranks. The training season started Monday, March 6 with a short mild workout. Each day since, the workouts have become longer and more strenuous. The team promises to be exceptional because of the numerous men trying out for the various positions. For the catcher's position, Schell, Jones and Swank are contenders; for the mound position Ressler, Geary, Yost and Sheely are in the race. Last years infield of Wagner, Dech, Knecht, and Hartzler have as rivals Henninger, Bowers, Jones, Saltern, Sechrist, and Kline. In the outfield Miller, Maury, Stock, Dech, Roland, and Jago are contenders. Coach Benfer is rapidly whipping into shape the nine for the first game with Dickenson April 8th at Carlisle.

## BASEBALL SCHEDULE

## April

Sat. 8, Dickinson-Away.
Sat. 22, Dickinson-Here.
Fri. 28, Villanova-Away.
Sat. 29, P. M. C.-Away.

## May

Fri. 5, Susquehanna-Here.
Sat. 6, Moravian-Away.
Fri. 12, Susquehanna-Away.
Sat. 13, Bucknell-Away.
Wed. 17, Ursinus-Away.
Sat. 20, F. \& M.-Here.
Fri. 26, Bucknell-Here.
Sat. 27, Muhlenberg-Away.
Wed. 31, F. \& M.-Away.
June
Sat. 3, Mercersburg-Away.
Sat. 10, Haverford-Away.
Mon. 12, LaSalle-Here.
Tues. 13, Alumni-Here.

## ALBRIGHT MINSTRELS IN HIGH SCHOOL MARCH 9th

Show Enjoyed By a Packed House
Albright's latest departure-the Minstrel Show for the benefit of the Athletic Association-was staged with greatest success in the local High School on Thursday, March 9. "The Old Time Circle" played to a large and appreciative audience which received each number with flattering applause and repeated demands for encores. The best talent, and otherwise, of the masculine element of the school combined to put the affair through with a "zip" from overture to finale.
The first part of the program fea-
tured "solo dances (?)" of any description, and jokes, local, original, old and new, besides the choruses and special numbers of individual members. Perhaps, the most enthusiastically received phase of the show was the effective presentation of popular songs both by soloists and chorus. "Plantation Lullaby" was especially effective through the duet of Basom and Glen Raffensperger together with the humming and pantomine of the chorus. "Happy" Kline's "Local Ditties" also brought down the house.
The success of the show was largely due to the very natural spontaneity of the end men. Since their roles required that they only be natural, their part of the program easily evoked appreciative responses of laughter from the audience. With the entrance of "Ted" and "Skipper" toward the middle of the first part of the program, came a stream of nonsense, song and character dances that were checked only by the fall of the curtain.

With the second part of the program came the "Strummers", - mandolins, Livingood and Brown; guitar, Roland; banjos, Miller and Hellar. Their numbers, both classical and popular, called forth the usual enthusiastic approval of the audience and were closely followed by the "Bull Fight". The audience was permitted to enjoy only so much of the latter as could be gathered from distant cheering and from the conversation of the "Peddler", Happy, "Shimmy", and "Dapper Dan". However, it was permitted to be "in" on Shimmy's wooing and winning it the coquettish Spanish beauty--vho was eventually identified as own Glen Raffensperger at the ord of the grand finale.

The program of the show follows: Overture_---.-......Entire Company
 "Local Dittie," ---.-"Happy" Kline "Plantation Lullaby", Harry Basom "My Yiddish Queen" "Shimmy" Super
"Dixie"---------"Ted" Kemmerer A'int Nature Grand, "Rip" Krueger "Dapper Dan" ----"Skipper" Maury Finale_-----------Entire Company

## TWELVE LIVE WIRE QUESTIONS IN RELIGIOUS DYNAMICS

The Bulletin $\overline{\text { Staff }}$ takes pleasure in submitting for the consideration of its readers the following appreciation of a book written by an alumnus of Albright. The apprecia-
tion comes from Mr. E. L. Watts, of Myerstown, Pa. who gave many years of service to the College and who has a deep and abiding interest in the College, the students and everything that aids in finding and disseminating truth.

Twelve Live Wire Questions In Religious Dynamics

An Appreciation by Edwin L. Watts
Those alumni of Albright, and others who recall C. H. Shirk of the Class of '96, will bring into the field of memory a fine personality. C. H. Shirk is one who combines brains with consecration in an unusual and fascinating way. He is at present pastor of a large and influential Methodist Episcopal congregation at 25th and Brown Streets, Philadelphia, and a lecturer on religious copics before the University of Pennsylvania and the Central Y. M. C. A. Out of his lectures there has evolved a book entitled "Twelve Live Wire Questions in Religious Dynamics" that is well worth purchasing and reading, and, besides, is sure to prove fascinating in the reading. Dr. Shirk makes little use of science in his masterly demonstrations of religious truth; it is simple faith and engaging common sense. You lay the book aside with a delightful sense of mental and spiritual refreshment. You read it on one of two plans: you finish it at a sitting because you simply can't lay it aside until you have finished it, on you read one chapter at a time in order to prolong your pleasure in reading as much as possible. The wires are really alive and it is difficult to let go until you have absorbed the current.

Some of the subjects discussed are: "Should We Believe in God?", "Is the Bible a Scrap of Paper?", "Was Jesus Merely an Idealist?", "Does It Make Any Difference If We Pray?", "What About the Future Life?", "Is the Church Worth While?".
The book ought to be on the study table of every Christian and religious worker.
It is published by the Fleming H . Revell Company, 158 Fifth Avenue, New York City, at $\$ 1.00$.

## Versatile

Miss Brower: "Do you think I can ever do anything with my voice?"
Freshman: "Why, it might come in handy in case of fire."

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## EDITORIALS

## THE LAST LAP

Do you realize, Fellow Students, that we are now entering upon the last term of this school year. We are about to make the last lap. The "Home Stretch" lies before us. When we look forward to the end of this, another college year, a slight shudder creeps over our frames. It is true that many things have transpired in this year that have been unsatisfactory, but despite these circumstances, the thot of another college year coming to a close, brings a feeling of regret. We regret that the year is about to close.

However, we must face circumstances as they really are. Only one more term is yet to be completed. Perhaps we are disappointed with the results of our efforts during the fore going period of the year. Undoubtedly we can see occasions when we neglected our duty; when we let go of the reins; and when our school work began to lag. Nevertheless, such conditions should not prevent us from making the best of the last lap If our marks were not what they should have been, let us endeavor to "pull them up" by applying special effort to our studies. Thus, as we face the final goal of the year,
let us be determined to mend the failures, compensate for the delinquencies, and bridge the gap of negligencies. With this end in view we are to finish the year with flying colors, and have the inner satisfaction of knowing that it was the best year we ever experienced at Albright.

## SIDE WALKS

Realizing that the present time is a period of reconstruction at Albright, we do not wish to appear unjustly critical, yet we feel that more adequate sidewalks should be provided. On a rainy day we are compelled to tramp thru the mud to attend classes and particularily is this true in regards to the girls coming from Mohn Hall. There was a time when the limestone walks and limestone drive met the need very well, but several years have passed and in that time the original walk and drive have been tramped down into the ground so that only a semblance of the former walks remain.

We realize that it would not be possible to repair the walk at present around the boys' dormitory owing to the numerous teams and trucks driving back and forth across the walk, but we feel that the walks and drive of Mohn Hall campus, the walks to the Chemistry Laboratory, and the walk from the Boys' dormitory to the Recitation Hall should be repaired. Limestone walks would answer the purpose and would give a dignity to our campus.

With the coming of Spring and the many visitors attendant at the Spring Festivities, we feel that our campus should present the best appearance possible. We hope that the walks are repaired soon after the spring Clean-up Day.

## AN INFIRMARY

While we realize the sias of Albright College is almost $\because$ ohibitive, yet the necessity for si infirmary or the attention of a school nurse and school doctor can not be denied. During the past winter case after case of Grippe has been treated as best it could be treated, the students taking care of another. Fortunately no epidemics have broken out. At other times students were in such a condition that thev should not have been kept in the dorm since the patient received little or no attention. The men in the building were perfectly willing to take care of another, yet they were unable to give the proper attention to the sick.

What is to be the solution for the present situation we will not say. Every student realizes that the present conditions should not continue.

## SCRUB MANAGERS

As a result of continued complaint by some members of the student body in regard to the election of men to assistant managerships, the Athletic Association passed a motion opening the position of scrub manager to members of the Sophomore class, the assistant manager to be chosen by a committee from the list of applicants. To date only one application has been received for basketball and none for baseball.
Does this mean that we shall have to revert to the old system of election for assistant managerships or shall men work for their position and earn their " $A$ " entirely on the basis of merit? The new step in permitting a man to earn the right to wear a manager's letter entirely on the basis of merit is in vogue in practically every school and university in the country and should be the basis upon which Tetters should be awarded to sports managers at Albright. There is hardly a red blooded chap in school who has not envied the wearer of the varsity A. Some because of bodily handicaps and others because of the lack of skill have been unable to make the varsity teams, and hence, have been barred. Now a plan is presented to give these men an opportunity, yet the opportunity is allewed to pass by. Even tho you do not care for the letter, you shauld show your interest in sports by working to give our team the most efficient managers. Sophowores the failure or success of the present system rests with you.

Coach Benfer requests that all applications for scrub baseball managers be in his hands by April 10. We should have not fewer than six scrub managers. File your application for scrub managers and show that you are worthy to manage the baseball team of 1924.

What are you doing, Faculty Member. Alumnus, Student in order to have a 250 student body next year?

The Freshmen are again permitmitted to have daily workouts by getting the base ball field in shape.

Nothing less than $100 \%$ support for our baseball nine. Show the team that you are in back of them.

Have you ordered a Speculum? If not, why not?

We need an Infirmary and new sidewalks.

## PI TAU BETA HOUSE PARTY

The Pi Tau Beta Fraternity was mindful of the Son of Erin, when they entertained their members and friends at the home of their Frater in Facultate, Prof. W. J. Dech, on the evening of St. Patrick's Day. Under festoonings of Erin's national color and red and black, each guest found a warm, cheery welcome. The "Blarney Stone" was of chief interest, about which thirty-seven chips were circled. After each one had approached the stone, and had taken his bit of "blarney", the entire party entered into the festivities of the evening.

Two numbers of considerable interest were, a vocal solo and an instrumental duet. Miss Jane Fray rendered, "By the Waters of Minnetonka", in a very pleasing style. As an encore she sang, "The Lilac Tree". She was accompanied on the piano by Miss Sara Statler and Mr. Brown, on the violin. Messrs. Brown and Sechrist drew forth mellow and happy sounds from violin and cello. Their main number was, "Shubert's Serenade." They rendered, "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms", as an encore. The latter were accompanied on the piano by Miss Fray.

Together with these, a number of games and questions, which challenged the keenest intellect, as well as pleased all, constituted the evening's program. The intellect was especially challanged in translating the story of "The Stammering Chinamen", told in the Chinese language, by Prof. S. H. Short. Prizes were won by Miss Sara Statler and Mr. Myron Teter.

At ten o'clock delightful refreshments were served, consisting of fruit salad, sandwiches, ice cream and mints. After singing the Alma Mater, the guests gave Prof. and Mrs. W. J. Dech the "Bhoom Yell", and found their way back to the "Dorms", happy by reason of an evening well spent.

## THEMISIAN LITERARY SOCIETY

Owing to the fact that the final inter society debate for the Mudge

Cup was held on March 10, the Themesian Society did not convene.

The program for March 17, was the first one to be held in the new reception room. The musical numbers were very well rendered. Miss Bowman entertained with a piano solo and the Misses Edith Trostle and Alice Gilmore sang solos. Miss Miriam Tice gave a very interesting reading. A thoroly enjoyable number on the program was an impromtu debate on the question: "Resolved That Albright by its Development of Cases Should be Turned Into a Matrimonial Bureau." The judges decided unanimously in favor of the negative side, Arnita Miles and Mabel Ewing debated for the Affirmative and Marion Weigle and Mary Kiess for the Negative. The last number on the program was the usual Themesian Echo by Lois Helm.

## My Opinion Is This

Here is the place to give expression to your opinions about irregular conditions in our student life. The name of the contributor will be withheld if so desired.-Editor.

## INTER-SOCIETY DEBATING

Inter-Society debating has come to be one of Albright's newest and most stuendous problems. Now that sufficient time has elapsed since the last inter-society argument to allay any grievances that may have arisen, and to place the whole affair in the proper perspective of time, an $2^{+}$. tempt will be made not to solve isie problem, but to give voice to student sentiment concerning it.

That such sentiment wists, and that much of it is not conducive to the best interests of inicer-society debating, are facte that must be admitted, unequivocally and absolutely.
Let it be understood, however, that it is not our purpose to revolutionize inter-society debating or to present harsh or adverse criticism. Wisdom seems to suggest that we set down only a few possibly unrelated and irrelevant observations. Debating, and by debating we mean intersociety debating, first occupy a place of prominence three years ago when a silver loving cup was offered to the winner of an inter-society contest. The cup was to be held for one year, at the end of which time it was again to become the prey of the contest-
ing teams. The first two years the tide of debating rose and fell as quietly as could be expected, but during the past year the sea was not so serene.

At the opening contest, between the Themisians and the Neocosmians, an unexpected decision disturbed the placid waters and lashed them into foam. Various expressed opinions would have us believe that the tide of debating between the above mentioned societies has ebbed and flowed for the last time, unless methods of judging are changed.

The second debate, or the one between the Themisians and the Excelsiors has also been pronounced a literary fiasco. The decision was in tavor of the Themisians, and, in consequence, the Cup was transferred to their hands. It seems altogether improbable that the mere fact that the cup has reached the third society in the third year should provoke so much unfavorable comment. There must therefore be other reasons for the general consensus of opinion which seems to question the advisability of rummaging thru young libraries to find material to keep a prized piece of metalic ornamentation circulating among the societies. It may be that the cup having completed its cycle and having nowhere to lay its head,-for the Excelsiors, being buffeted about by the building operations of the college, had no opportunity of keeping the cup before the society-had decidso to seek a brief repose; and it Lid so amid the plaudits of many concerned and, sad to say, the passiveness of more unconcerned.

But what else may be said, it is at least true that this debating has, during the past year, killed more real enthusiasm, aroused more apathy, awakened more pity, quenched more love, enlisted less supporters, demanded more contention, provided more recreating, imposed more torture, divided more opinion, won more decisions, lost more debates, created more passiveness and congealed more congeniality than any other given ailment however small or great.

It is to be regretted that such a bad state of affairs exists. If opinion does not change, next year Albright dare hardly hope to have a complete society contest in debating. But time accomplishes strange things. Fancy may permit one to see a faint star of hope glimmering on the horizon of a now sadly deadened debating
world. That star may make possible the creation of a new world, but it is, as yet, dim, very dim.

## Y. W. C. A.

On March 7, the Missionary Committee of which Miss Mary Miller is the Chairman, had charge of the meeting. Mrs. J. A. Heck gave an interesting and enlightened talk about our Mission in the Kentucky Mountains. She told of the lawlessness of the mission community and what a change was effected when our Mission was established there. The girls enjoyed her talk very much since they had known very little about our missionaries in Kentucky.

The Religious Committee , with Grace Pewterbaugh as Chair lady, is arranging for a pantomine to be held in the local U. E. Church, Sunday, March 26.

Miss Miriam Tice is the able leader of our Mission Study class. The book for study is "The Kingdom and the Nations". The class meets every Thursday evening and a large majority of the girls show their interest in this work by their faithful attendance.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 28, 6:45 P. M., Y. M. C. A. March 30, 6:45 P. M., Y. W. C. A. April 4, 6:45 P. M., Y. M. C. A. April 6, 6:45 P. M., Y. W. C. A.
April 7, 8:00 P. M. Anniversary of the Themisian Society.

April 8, Albright vs. Dickinson at Carlisle.

## TOWN NOTES

During the past two weeks a series of Evangelistic services have been conducted in the Reformed Church by Dr. Zartman, of Philadelphia, the Synodical Evangelist. Spirited singing by the chorus under the direction of Prof. Zener has featured every service. The series of services closed Sunday evening, March 19.

With the opening of the spring the building of the addition to the Liebovitz Shirt Factory will be begun. Plans are under way to make the Myerstown factory the principal factory of the concern. A small factory will likewise be built at Kutztown, north of town.

The season for auctions is again in vogue. Auctions are advertised for every Saturday during the coming month,

## FOOTBALL FEED

On Wednesday evening, March 15, Mr. and Mrs. Leinbach of Wolmensdorf gave a chicken dinner for the members of the 1921 football squad and their friends. Twenty-two sat down to the heavily laden table. Chicken scored a first place with apple fritters a close second. Ice cream, cake and coffee ran a good race but crossed under the tape last. Heller on the ivories and Livingood with horse-hair and cat-gut opened the evenings entertainment. Skipper Maury with his "Dapper Dan" and "Happy" Kline with "Popular Ditties" brot down the house. Mr. Kingsley's rendition of "The Rosary" and "Hob" Wagner with "Katie" were features of the evening's entertainment. The old minstrel songs were rehearsed. Gridiron memories rounded out the evening. At eleven o'clock the Boohm Yell was given for Leinbach's and a most pleasant evening closed with Alma Mater. Mr. and Mrs. Leinbach by their generosity have made the men on the team feel that their work has not been in vain. More loyal supporters such as Mr. and Mrs. Leinbach are solicited.

## COLLEGE NOTES

The age-long tradition of macaroni and hot dogs for Friday supper was broken March 17. Cold boiled ham featured the supper menu.

Since the inauguration of intercollegiate debating, many have been overheard to say that they will try out for the team next year. With promise of competition for places, our team should be exceptionally strong next year.
The college faculty has been excedingly liberal recently with demerits.

The fact was quite evidear that the combined Glee Club Coreert was the best patronized of the entire Star Course.
The baseball diamond is being put into excellent shape by the Freshmen. More power to them.

Clean up day is coming.
The new reception room of Mohn Hall was opened to the students for the first time last Saturday night when Mrs. Mohn informed the girls that hereafter gentlemen calling on Saturday evenings would be received in that room instead of in the old room which for some time has been too small to accommodate the increasing number of callers.

The monthly red-letter day in the
dining room fell on last Tuesday, the regular meeting of the Executive Committee. Now we've begun to mark off the days on the calendar till we eat again.
The Staff is glad to report that Willard Mohn is now able to go for a short walk each day. Mohn Hall is beginning to seem like the old times since we again hear the old jazz each morning.
Among recent visitors were Miss Helen Berger of Mt. Carmel, Mrs. Schlenker, of Lehighton, Dean Tennis, of York, Mrs. Garlach, of Gettysburg, and Miss Lucy Brown, of York.
Dr. Abbott delivered a lecture on "The American Indian" in the High School on Tuesday, March 14, under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers Association.
Our friend "Cy" Fuhrman was elevated to the rank of Head Waiter in the Dining Room, March 14. Our sincere congratulations to "Woodrow."

## JUNIORS WIN INTER-CLASS CHAMPIONSHIP

In overthrowing the 'validity of the old saying "What happens twice will happen thrice", the Junior quintette, smarting under two years' undeserved defeat at the hands of her rival classes, triumphed over the entire field and easily romped away with the Basket Ball Championship of the college.

After meeting and conquering the strong Freshmen a week before the final game, the Juniors, following the Soph triur $i$ ish over the Frosh aggregation, twok it upon themselves to mete cut punishment to the runners up This proved easy, for with the sicition of Roland to last years regular crew of Lackey, Hoffman, Himmelberger, and Landis, the Juniors were invincible, and before the game was half ended the victory was won, the final score being $30-19$. The Sophs played a splendid game thruout, their defensive game being especially effective and commendatory, but with Juniors Lackey and Hoffman holding down their forwards, it aided little. Roland was especially proficient at the free line, scoring 16 out of 18 tries.
The score and line up:

| Sophs | Juniors |
| :--- | :--- |
| Sechrist | Roland |
| Bower | Landis |
| Sheely | Himmelberger |
| Crumbling | Hoffman |
| Kachel | Lackey |

1, Himmelberger 1, Landis 3, Sheely 2, Bower 2, Sechrist 1. Fouls: Roland 16 out of 18, Bower 9 out of 20. Referee, Kline.

## ALUMNI NOTES

Harvey S. Bogar, '00, Steelton, Pa., is one of the incorporators of the recently chartered John D. Bogar Lumber Co., Lancaster, Pa.
John L. Pandel, '00, was elected a trustee of Alma Mater at the recent session of the Central Penna. Conference.

At the session of the Central Penna. Conference the following Alumni were transferred to the churches indicated: Guy R. Mergenthaler, '18, Brooklyn, Md., (a suburb of Baltimore) ; W. C. Sipe, '15, Windsor, Pa.; N. L. Hummel, '14, Bethany, York, Pa.; W. H. Brown, '97, Princess St., York Pa.; H. C. Guthrie, ${ }^{\prime} 00$, Mifflin, Pa.; L. M. Dice, '94, Jersey Shore, Pa.; Paul E. Keen, '12, State College, Pa.; J. O. Biggs, '96, St. John's, Williamsport, Pa.; I. E. Spangler, '92, was elected Presiding Elder and was stationed on the Carlisle District.
The following transfers were made at the session of the East Penna. Conference: S. H. Chubb, '81, First Church, Easton, Pa.; H. L. Lehman, '20, Nazareth, Pa.; C. T. Arner, '13, Palmerton, Pa.; H. F. Schlegel, '97, Shamokin, Pa.

Charles V. Hassler, '18, has been elected pastor of the Chanceford, Pa., Presbyterian Church.

The Central Pennsylvania Branch of the Alumni Association, composed of ministers and laymen of the Central Pennsylvania Conference, held a very much enjoyed banquet at the Cameron House, Lewisburg, Pa. on March 4, 1922. Rev. A. D. Gramley, '94, acted as toastmaster. The followingt gave short addresses: "Al-bright-Yesterday", Rev. I. E. Spangler, '92; "Albright-Today", Rev. N. L. Hummel, '14; "Albright Tomorrow", Rev. M. W. Stahl, '05; "Albright in China", Prof. S. M. Short, '12; Remarks by Mrs. W. E. Detwiler, ' 61 , the oldest living graduate of Alma Mater; President L. C. Hunt, and Dr. A. E. Gobble.
The guests of honor were President L. C Hunt and Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Detwiler

Greetings were sent through Prof. Short to the Alumni in China.
The following classes were represented: '61, '82. '91. '92. '94 (3 members), '96, '97, '99, '00 (2 members), '02, '04, '05, '08, '12 (3 mem-
bers), '14, '15, '18 (2 members), '20.
Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kilpatrick announce the birth of a daughter on Mar. 5th. Mrs. Kilpatrick was formerly . Miss Ruth Wunderlich '17. Mr. Kilpatrick is attending University of Pittsburgh.

## BURNING THE MIDNIGHT OIL

The following is an Editorial from the Pathfinder. It is of value to every student. (Ed.)
Industry, the wise employment of time and the pursuit of knowledge are always commendable. However, habitual burners of the midnight oil are in grave danger of overdoing the thing. It sounds rather romantic to speak of burning the midnight oil, in the usual sense of the phrase. Yet doing so as a regular thing, if it means appropriating time from one's rest period, may easily do far more harm than good in the long run; the student who consumes illuminant while poring over his books far into the night usually is at the same time burning the candle of physical strength at both ends.

We are so constituted that we cannot maintain normal health and strength without a certain minimum of rest each day-this amount varying with the individual. Our bodies and the tissues and organs thereof require a definite amount of time for recuperation, repair and renewal. If this time is encroached upon in any way eventual injury, suffering and premature old age are inevitable. The disastrous results may not be apparent for years but they are bound to come in time.
For the average person burning the midnight oil is unprofitable avon if it never affects his healtb ieleteriously. It consumes bodi? energy which must be recouped at some other time, sooner or late, if physical and mental powers are to be maintained at par. Freciently this recouping is an expensirs, discouraging timeconsuming piseess. As a rule one cannot think or work as effectively at a late hour as he can after a full night of refreshing sleep; for after a prolonged period of activity the body is fatigued, the mental processes are slowed down and the mind is less alert-less able to think straight. Many of the midnight-oil students who have come under our observation are prone to lie abed late in the morning. thus using time which, tho ordinarily unsuited to sound, invigorating sleep. is the best of the entire day for effectual mental work. There (Continued on Page 8)

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is no question that they are losing rather than gaining; while they may be getting sufficient sleep, they are wasting time by reason of their failure to use it to the best advantage.

Good health and normal physical vigor are priceless. As a rule a full measure of success in any business, profession or occupation is impossible without them. For our part we should prefer to have a strong, heaithy body with only meager learning, if that were the alternative of a profound education. A man who is a loss from the neck down is not one whit more of an asset than a man who is a loss from the neek up. However, a weak, diseased body is not at all necessarily the price of a well-trained mind. One may keep his body sound and well and at the same time cultivate his mind to the utmost. To do this of course he must be content to pursue his studies in steady moderation and to give constant attention to keeping himself in physical trim by exercising judiciously, eating the right kind of food and observing all other immutable hygienic rules. The man who works while he works, plays while he plays, and also guards his health can acquire all the knowledge he needs within a reasonable time-he can easily outstrip the student who robs himself by too close application to books.

Every day we see men and women who are veritable storehouses of learning, but their eyes are bad; they are anemic, stoop-shouldered, hollow-chested and lacking in "pep" to apply their knowledge. Ten to one they suffer from poor digestici: and harbor chronic diseases $\mathrm{w}^{2}$. n will take them off before their time. They have paid for their stiacation with their health, with $t^{\text {to }}=$ capacity to really enjoy life and sith strength which is absolutely essential in order to make full use of their trained minds. They have made of themselves lopsided monstrosities and thereby reduced their powers for accomplishment. The majority of them are less useful to themselves and to society than they would be had they burned less midnight oil and given their bodies something like a fighting chance so that they would now have the reserve of strength, the physical stamina, necessary to put their mental training across in the form of telling achievement.
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Our schools are a good deal at fault because of their failure to stress sufficiently the ideal of a keen, welltrained mind in a sound vigorous body. They are doing much better in this respect than formerly, but still rational measures for building up and maintaining normal physical health are too much neglected. For a few students in high schools and colleges-those belonging to the track, baseball, football and other teams-athletics and physical education are usually overdone-carried to a harmful extreme, often to the neglect of intellectual development. The mass of the students on the other hand are pushed well nigh to the limit with mental work while little or no attention is given to their bealth and to measures calculated to round them out symmetrically, developing brains, simultaneously with strong hard, healthy bodies.
We are not arguing for mental laziness and slothfulness but for the moderate and reasonable pursuit of knowledge combined with sane measures for physical devolopment and health conservation. We must all be on our guard against dawdlingagainst playing too much; the ideal is a daily program in which work, play and rest are balanced according to our powers and our needs Let us first of all learn our physical limita-tions-everyone has them. Let us work hard and intelligently while we work but let us allow nothing to rob us of needed sleep and rest. Let us conserve our energies and preserve our health at all hazards; once lont thev can rarely be fully regai,ed All this applies to everyone, r school and out, for we all are or noght to be students and learners to rie end of our davs; other wisf we are bound to become back-nurasers and to stand marking time whee we ought to be marching forvard.

No man is so strong that he can with impunity neglect his exercise and play in the open air, his rest, his cleeping, his eating or any other of the simple hvgienic essentials. Edicon's favorite method of resting, as is well known, is to change from one tavk or problem to another of a diffarent kind. All of us would do well to remember and follow this plan. Pear in mind that resting by no means necessarily implies the cessation of all activities. In most cases such rest is worse than none at all.
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As Cowper has sagely observed: "Absence of occupation is not rest; A mind quite vacant is a mind distress'd."

## JOKES

Kemmerer: "Our English class is a special class."

Basom: "Specially ignorant?"
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## Should Be Ripe

Beecher: "It took 120 years to build Noah's Ark. He must have hired the carpenters who were working on Albright's buildings."

## Hush

Miss Gilmore, to Charlie Raffensperger: "When are you going to get married?"

## Consistent

Basom: "Your first impression on your teachers is a lasting one."

Fuhrman: "Yes, indeed. In my first year here, I got 80 in everything I took under a certain teacher. He also gave me 80 for a book review which I never handed in."

Shick-"I believe Prof. Nagro played a composition by Wienauski."

Bennett-"What did you say about bad whiskey?"

## Wise Sayings by "Gook"

"It's all right to take things easy, so long as they don't belong to anyone else."

## Heard at Rexmont

Layman: "Big meeting $r$ "xt week. The ministers of the coctiry are going to swap sermons."

Bored one: "I hope Brother Escott attends."

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\overline{\text { Yes? }}
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Brown-"I don't believe in making love in public, I believe in acting like a gentleman."

## Real Strength

Brown, (while at the Central U. E. Conference) Elaborating on the strength of his lady friend, said to Coach Benfer-"Well, believe me, she is stronger than you think-why she could take you by the hair and hold your straight out."

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## EXCHANGES

The Goshen College Record shows the regular good work. The Literary Society notes are arranged well and are an agreeable change from the usual printing of programs.
The article in the "Gleam" on "Human Responsibilities" showed thotful preparation. "The Secret of Human Happiness" was also timely and very interesting.
They tell us that the whale learned long ago that you can't keep a good man down. "College Rays."

Life is a matter of selection: we can't take it all. Our College Times.
After talking to some people the high price of ivory is to be wondered at. Juniata Echo.
"I'm working hard to get ahead;" To her Dad he murmured sadly. "I'm glad to see it", he replied, "You surely need one badly."
A guilty conscience is the Mother of Invention. Tiger.
Men and women both sprang from monkeys, but women sprang the farthest. The Pheonix.

Weekly meetings to study the problem of alcholism are held at Queens University, Belfast, Ireland. Similar groups meet at the University of Basel, Switzerland, the University of Brussels, Belgium, the University of Tubingen, German, and at universities in several other European countries.

Daily wireless service is given by the department of physics of the University of Wisconsin for the benefit of farmers and amateur radio operators. It includes market reports, weather forecasts, special lectures, musical concerts and reports of athletic events.

Two literary societies, organized in 1835 at Wake Forest Colwige, North Carolina, are yet active. They have a joint sinking fund and are considering the erection of a literary society building.

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