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## Metropolitan Opera Star To Appear In Program

The second cultural program of the year will be presented Thursday, Dec. 6, when Jarmila Novotna of the Metropolitan Opera will appear. Miss Novotna, a Czechoslovakian soprano is touring America in a series of personal appearances. Calling her platform presentation, "Moments to Remember," she invites her audience to share with her reminiscences from her experiences.

Miss Novotna made her debut at the National Opera in Prague at the age of 17. Czechoslovakia's first President, Thomas Masaryk, heard her and arranged for her to continue her studies and her singing in Italy.

In Berlin, Vienna, Paris, and Salzburg, she worked with the late Max Rheinhardt. To Arthur Toscanini, however, she owes her musical career in this country. It was the Italian maestro who persuaded Edward Johnson to engage her for the Metropolitan Opera. It was under the distinguished conductor's direction, too, that she made her New York debut in 1939, singing Beethoven's Ninth Symphony at Carnegie Hall.

### Outstanding Repertoire

With a repertoire that includes virtually all the leading soprano roles in French and Italian opera as well as some of the German operas, Miss Novotna has appeared in most of the major opera houses of the world. She was the toast of the Paris Opera, the Berlin State Opera, La Scala in Milan and Vienna Opera; she sang with Toscanini and Bruno Walter in the Salzburg Festivals before coming to America. Besides her Metropolitan Opera successes, she has scored with the San Francisco, St. Louis, Cincinnati and Chicago Opera companies here in America and made appearances both at the Colon in Buenos Aires and the Municipal in Rio de Janeiro. In addition, numerous concert tours have taken the soprano all over America and Canada.

She has also participated in other fields of the entertainment world. In 1944, she appeared on Broadway in a production of Offenbach's "Helen Goes to Troy." In California, she has appeared in "The Merry Widow" and "The Count of Luxembourg."

Broadway has also seen the actress in the 1953 production of "Sherlock Holmes" with Basil Rathbone. Recently, she appeared on television in the Max Liebman spectacular, "The Great Waltz," as well as on the Ed Sullivan Show. Omnibus, Studio One and many of the top dramatic programs.

## Thanksgiving Service Planned Wednesday

The annual Thanksgiving Dawn Communion Service will be held next Wednesday at 6 a.m. in Teel Hall Chapel. The service sponsored by the combined Y groups on campus, will feature Rev. Richard Stroman, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Reading, as guest speaker.

Leon Rowe, '58, will be the worship leader, with Anne Young, '59, at the organ. Josephine Seyfert, '58, will sing "Blessing" by Pearl G. Curran. Rev. Ronald Cocroft, instructor in religion, will be the chaplain.

David Fife, '58, is in charge of arrangements for the service. He is being assisted by Mary Ellen Wray, '58, and C. Jonathan Kurtz, '57.

## Language Students Attend Meeting

Twenty-two Albright College language students, accompanied by Professors Consuelo Jordan and Edith B. Douds, attended an intercollegiate conference on "Careers in the International Field" last Wednesday, Nov. 7, at Wanamaker's department store in Philadelphia.

Sponsored by the World Affairs Council of Philadelphia, the conference was devoted to presenting the opportunities open to language majors for careers in public service and business abroad. Representatives spoke from the Department of State, the Foreign Service, the Institute of International Education, the Foreign Policy Association, the United States Information Service, and Armstrong Cork, representing business.

The students who participated in the field trip were: Nilda Calder, '57, Shirley Fox, '57, Agnes Memming, '57, Barbara Ross, '57, Jack Ryan, '57, Sylvia Schiavo, '57, Marian Schiller, '57, Francis Adsheard, '58, Annette Kiesling, '58, Douglas Layman, '58, Lynn Probst, '58, John Ramsey, '58, Wilma Rieser, '58, Robert Terry, '58, Jacqueline Walton, '58, Pierre Blanchet, '59, Nicole Donnay, '59, Doris Etzler, '59, Jay Price, '59, Louise Reid, '59, Laura Palm, '60, and Kenneth Spicer, '60.

### Tea Today

Women's Student Senate will sponsor a student-faculty tea this afternoon from 3-5 p.m. in the Blue Room of Selwyn Hall. Everyone is invited to attend.

## Kirkpatrick Set For Convention

William Carson, secretary of the Berks County Association of Manufacturers, has announced that James F. Kirkpatrick, '58, will be the association's representative to NAM Convention in New York City, Dec. 4-7.

In addition to attending the national convention, Kirkpatrick will have the opportunity to visit numerous industrial displays that will be part of the program and to attend all of the association's committee meetings.

Carson announced that the invitation extended to Kirkpatrick is part of the NAM's program to have college students who plan a career in business witness the association's convention. Students are invited from all parts of the United States.

While in New York, Kirkpatrick will stay at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. All expenses for the trip are being defrayed by the local organization, who sponsors a student from one of the area colleges to this convention each year.

Kirkpatrick, a graduate of Wilson High School, West Lawn, is a member of the Alpha Pi Omega fraternity and the Daystudent's Club.

## 'Rainmaker' Opens In White Chapel Hall; Elizabeth Reynolds, Ralph Carl Featured



The above scene from last night's production of "The Rainmaker" pictures Alexander Wipf, '60, drumming up a storm. Also in the scene are Arthur Younklin, '60, and Vaughn Mervine, '59. (Photo by Fox)

## Production Scheduled For Two More Nights

The Domino Club opened its fall season last night with "The Rainmaker," starring Elizabeth Reynolds, '57, and Ralph Carl, '57.

N. Richard Nash's play is a comedy involving the problem of the H. C. Curry family and a partially welcome intruder, (if such a situation is possible) Bill Starbuck. Stricken by a draught, H. C. Curry (Vaughn Mervine, '59) puts his last bit of faith and money into Starbuck's magic formula for rain. However, his efficient, worrying son, File, (Harold Baughman, '58) and doubting daughter, Lizzie, (Miss Reynolds, '57) interfere with the masterworks of the rainmaker (Ralph Carl, '57).

At the end the audience should wonder what faith really is. Is it "making believe you see white when when your eyes tell you black?"

### Other Cast Members

Also included in the cast are Alexander Wipf, '60, Arthur Younklin, '60, and Robert Sidman, '60.

"The Rainmaker" is being presented again tonight and Saturday night in White Chapel Hall, under the direction of Patricia Hostetter, instructor of English. Students may exchange their activity book coupons plus 10¢ (tax) for admission.

Helping with stage management of this production are Richard Matthews, '60, and Thomas Burns, '60. Lois Anderson, '57, and Virginia Mangin, '57, are working on make-up. Sarah Dettra, '59, is in charge of publicity, Sandra Miller, '60, is in charge of tickets, and Mary Ellen Wray, '58, is in charge of lighting.

## Albright Students Visit UN Session

A group of 44 Albright students attended a meeting of the United Nations last Friday morning in New York City, where they witnessed the second emergency session of the General Assembly which was discussing the Hungarian crisis.

The tour was made under the direction of Charles Raith, assistant professor of political science; Dr. Charles Kistler, professor of history, and Leonard Van Driel, college steward.

The group departed from the college at 6:30 a.m. Friday morning. They attended the first meeting of the General Assembly that morning at 10:30 a.m., as U. S. delegate Henry Cabot Lodge addressed the assembly.

### Guide Gives Briefing

Following a dinner in the delegate's dining room at noon, the group received a briefing on the functioning of the U.N. from a guide. At 2 p.m., the group was taken on a tour of the U.N. building. After the tour, the group attended the second meeting of the General Assembly, which was called into session; when the use of the veto rendered the Security Council powerless to act on the Hungarian issue.

The group departed from New York at 6:30 that evening and returned to the campus at 10:30 p.m.

## Council Elects Family Food Drive New Secretary Terminates Tuesday

Jean Dufford, '58, was elected recording secretary for Student Council at that body's meeting on Tuesday. She replaces Mary Ellen Appleman, '58, who is no longer a member of Council.

The representatives voted unanimously to send a letter, signed by Albright students, to Prime Minister Nehru of India suggesting that as the leader of a large neutral nation, he use all of his resources to help Hungary in her bid for freedom. This action was taken by request of the student government of the University of Illinois, which is sponsoring the program. The purpose behind the action is to have letters sent from many colleges and universities across the nation.

Council discussed the action being taken on the opening of the SUB evenings as was suggested to the college administration in a resolution passed earlier in the year. The representatives were told that the chief delay to the program at this time is that it is difficult to secure personnel to operate the SUB evenings.

### Proposal Revoted

By a vote of 11 against, 5 for, and 3 abstaining, Council defeated a proposal to have Albright's Student Council join the National Student Association. The cost would have been \$43.00 for the year, including both the regional and national levels.

The representatives approved of a suggestion to support the Christmas music program being planned by Lester Yeager, assistant professor of music. Ronald O'Reilly, '58, was appointed Student Council coordinator for that program by presiding officer, Clement Cassidy, '57.

Council voted to suggest to the administrative and faculty personnel responsible for the calendar that when conflicts arise in the schedule between two or more events, that the organizations concerned be notified of the conflict in that it can be resolved to the satisfaction of all concerned. The scheduling of both the Pi Tau Beta fraternity and Zeta Omega Epsilon fraternity fall rush dances on the same night prompted this action.

Next Tuesday night will be the deadline for the Y family food drive. Students have been leaving their donations of food on the tables in the Administration Building, Pine Room, Daymen's Room, Intersorority Lounge, fraternity houses, and dormitories since last Wednesday. Turkeys will be bought from the faculty contributions. Mary Ann Sherk, '59, is in charge of the collection.

Next Tuesday night the food will be packaged, and following the Y Thanksgiving meeting it will be delivered to needy families in Reading. Jonathan Hole, '58, is in charge of the distributor.

The Y program for Tuesday, Nov. 27, will feature Dr. Felix W. Gingrich, professor of Greek. His topic is "The Letter to Philemon." A discussion period will follow. Mary Ellen Wray, '58, is in charge of the program.

### Got Any Toys?

The annual Children's Christmas Party will be held on Sunday, Dec. 9. We urge you to ransack your cellars and attics for toys to bring back with you after Thanksgiving vacation.

The toys will be repaired Tuesday, Dec. 4, in Krause Hall. Douglas Layman, '58, and Jay Miller, '58, are in charge of the project.

MARY JO WOLF  
EHRHARDT LANG  
Y Presidents

## High School Group Makes Campus Tour

Twenty students and four advisers of the Palmerton High School Future Teachers of America Association toured Albright College yesterday.

The tour was part of the group's program of visiting different colleges in the area.

The students visited classes, talked to professors, toured the campus, had dinner in the college dining room and were the guests of Albright College at the Domino Club's play, "The Rainmaker."

## Action

Right now on campus Albright's students have an opportunity to give part of what they have to help the less fortunate people in this area. This program, the annual Thanksgiving food project of the combined Y's, gives to each of us the chance to practice what we preach in regard to human relations. A person would have to go far and seek diligently to find a student who wouldn't say that it was a wonderful thing to help those who are needy and that to give is one of the finest actions that a human being can do. But how many of these same students will also nonchalantly forget about the Y's appeal for food?

The students have on this campus represented many different religions with a wide variety of beliefs. Seldom can all the students join together in a common action without going against some one of the many creeds of the various beliefs. But Thanksgiving is one of those times. Now all people of all faiths are able to combine their efforts in one push toward a common good—a good worthy of the efforts of all college students.

A drive such as this is a chance for people to prove that they can work together toward a worthwhile good without being forced to do so. Democracy, as Americans know it, is based on this principle. Let's show what we, as students, can do in a united action by filling the Y food baskets. P.A.E.

## Opinions Wanted

A suggestion that merits serious consideration appeared in *The Albrightian* box this week. The suggestion states that "efforts should be made to keep the library open Saturday mornings, since this is the only time students can conveniently do research work without conflicting with their daily assignments." Because the note was unsigned, it is not possible to mention the name of the person who made this suggestion. Just the same, we wish to thank whoever made the comment for their interest.

Before *The Albrightian* takes a stand on this issue, it is proper to recall that this same proposal was advanced last year. At that time, the administration backed the suggestion and the library was kept open on Saturday mornings. However, because only a few students used the library for actual study purposes, the idea was dropped. Unofficially, it is believed that the administration would again support the program, providing the library is used sufficiently and properly to warrant its operation. If the library is to be kept open, it should be used for research and study purposes and not merely for the fact that it is a convenient place to read the morning newspaper.

As in so many other areas of campus life, the cause and effect of action rests squarely on the student body. If enough students are really interested in having the library open on Saturdays and prove their point by making use of its facilities, the suggestion may well be adopted. *The Albrightian*, therefore, will not take a stand on the issue until some measure of student support is received.

It is suggested, therefore, that students address any pro or con comments they have on this subject to *The Albrightian*. If enough favorable comments are received, they will be forwarded through proper channels to Student Council so that the matter can be sent directly to the administration for action. The final decision rests with the college administration, but the initiative in adopting the measure rests solely with students. That means you. L.J.R.

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## Laurels To The Band

By Edward Traves

Our band and Professor Lester R. Yeager, are to be congratulated for the fine performances they have rendered at the football games this year. They have done much during the past two months to add to the spirit of the student body at football games. Our director, Professor L. R. Yeager, is beginning his first year as Director of Music here at Albright College, a newly formed position on the college faculty. In previous years part-time instructors were hired to instruct the musical groups on campus. Professor Yeager has been a member of the United States Marine Corps Band, the N.B.C. Studio Orchestra, the Schenectady Symphony, the Little Falls Symphony, and the Oneonta Symphony Orchestra. During the late 1920's and early 30's, he traveled with many of the leading dance bands that were touring the country. He is a graduate of our rival school, Lebanon Valley College in Annville, Pennsylvania, where he received a degree of Bachelor of Science in Music. Furthering his education, he did graduate work at the University of Pennsylvania and the New York State University in Albany, New York.

### New Uniforms

The Albright College Band is fortunate in many respects. This year the college has made provisions for the purchase of some new instruments and uniforms for the members of the band. The new band uniform which is styled after military uniforms is in black with matching accessories, including red and white trim.

Half-time shows performed by the band have been commended by many persons that have seen Albright bands of previous years. The predominant opinion is very favorable and boils down to people saying that the band this year is better than ever. Additional comments have been made by directors of other area college bands such as Lafayette and Moravian. They both have offered words of praise and encouragement for the strides the college has taken toward a better marching and concert band.

### Concerts

Among the concert performances to be rendered by the band is the Christmas program. This will be held in conjunction with the Glee Club. The band is also planning to accept an invitation extended to them by Moravian College, requesting them to present a concert in the Greyhound's gym sometime during the second semester.

The goal set by the band members is to field a band of forty pieces by next year. So far, the band numbers between thirty and forty students. Student musicians who are interested in seeing a fine marching and concert band born at Albright are invited to come and join now, instead of waiting until the hardships that come from organizing something worthwhile are past.

## Meditation

It is not a sweet thing to have all covetousness and ambition satisfied, suspicion and infidelity removed, courage and joy infused? Yet, is all this in the fruition of the World attained. For thereby God is seen in all His wisdom, power, goodness, and glory.

## Albright Personality

• Ken Greenawald •

By Billie Williams

Our personality of the week is so active on campus that it's hard to believe he is a commuting dayman. He pledged the Pi Tau Beta Social Fraternity in his freshman year and was elected president of that group for this year.

Finding enjoyment from participating in sports, Ken has been a member of the Albright track team during his entire college career. His favorite sport is water-skiing. However, it has been difficult for him to practice this hobby since he has spent the past summers as a playground director and a worker in a steel mill.

Being an industrious pre-medical student, he has belonged to 'the

Skull and Bones Society since he was a freshman. This year he serves as its president.

Ken belonged to German Club during his first two years and is now a member of Delta Phi Alpha, honorary German fraternity. At that time he played an instrument in the marching band and the orchestra.

### Plus

In addition to the above activities, he has been a representative to the inter-fraternity council for the past two years. In his freshman year he received the award for the outstanding freshman chemistry student.

Next year, when Ken is pursuing his M.D. degree at Jefferson Medical School in Philadelphia, we hope he meets with as much success as he has had in his undergraduate studies.

## Thief

By George Withers

Born in a slum of Philadelphia, Andre Le Armand grew up in poverty. His mother had died when he was three, and his father was barely able to eke out an existence doing odd jobs.

In junior high school Andre discovered the sensitivity of his fingers was an asset and soon made use of it by pickpocketing during lunch hours and recess. After the principal discovered his pilfering, Andre was sent to a reform school for three years.

Coming out of reform school, he was more embittered toward the world. He was determined to make money fast—without working.

### Career

At seventeen he began his career as a jewel thief. At first he broke into the upper middle class homes, for they were the easiest to enter. Gradually he drifted into the suburban areas where the wealthy resided. He scrutinized the daily newspapers for entertainment and social notes. These indicated the best time to make his visits when the occupants were away from home.

There was nothing crude about him. He was well-heeled and maintained a beautiful suburban estate. His methods of entering homes were just as polished. A watch dog's attention was diverted easily by giving it meat or bringing along another dog. With the watch dog preoccupied, he boldly scaled the wall of the house and entered. With his delicate fingers no combination of a vault or safe baffled him. A few turns and there lay the jewels.

One night he was interrupted when a woman's voice called from another room, "Is that you, Harold?" He answered calmly and the woman went back to sleep.

Another time a woman went into hysteria when she heard him break into her home. He talked to her in such a soothing voice that she never bothered to call the police after he left.

### Sentenced

Andre continued his career for over twenty years without one robbery pinned on him. He had stolen over three million dollars in gems and had sold them at a fraction of their cost to pawnbrokers. Finally the police nabbed him when he entered the apartment of the Duke of Gloucester. He was sentenced to twenty years in prison, and his career as a jewel thief came to an end.

When interviewed by a newspaper reporter, he said, "The most significant thing about myself is not that I was the biggest jewel thief the United States has ever produced. The important thing is that I robbed myself of a chance for happiness."

## CHAT A-WEIL

By Janet

We're rambling today and you're cordially invited to ramble right along with us. . . .

The second of the Haage Concert Series was well received by Reading audiences. Last Monday the Pittsburgh Symphony, under the direction of William Steinberg, presented an unusually fine program. However, it seemed to us that the Schubert Sixth Symphony was the highlight of the show. Two more concerts remain in this year's series and student admission tickets will be available for both. Definitely worthwhile entertainment. . . .

Domino Club's presentation of "Rainmaker" is to be aired tonight and tomorrow. "Rainmaker" is one of the best plays from the pen of N. Richard Nash and the Domino Club's production does it justice. Generally speaking, the cast is strong, but orchids for outstanding performances must go to Duke Carl and Vaughn Mervine. . . .

### Correspondence

The letter writers who call themselves the Junior Daymen are reminiscent of junior high school antics. We are aware that everyone is entitled to his own personal opinion (a privilege we most heartily appreciate), but we fail to understand why they had to publically criticize the performance of Willy Wollenhaupt and friends, while hiding under the veil of anonymity. Judging from the applause after the end of chapel last Thursday, most Albrightians enjoyed Wollenhaupt and his progressive jazz. If, as these letter writers claimed, the performers lacked in talent and showmanship, we would be most interested in seeing the letter writers do a better job. Or perhaps their talent is limited only to writing anonymous letters. . . .

### Prediction

We've listened to a lot of predictions lately because of the election and football seasons. So, today we're going to take a stab at this business of predicting. We're guessing that the following discs will make cash registers ring at music stores within the next few weeks. "I'm a Funny Dame," waxed by Eartha Kitt and "No Regrets," waxed by the Hilltoppers look good. And Elvis's competition, Screamin' Jay Hawkins, has a record out called "Little Demon" which might convert some Presley fans to his cause.

# Albright Gridders Close Season With Scranton



## IN THE LION'S DEN



By Phil Eyrich, Associate Editor

Two weeks ago, the Lions gained their first win of the season at the expense of Lebanon Valley by 20-6. Twice before this season, Albright had lost games by that identical score, to Gettysburg and Moravian. Tom Pollock and John Kopp ran well behind the Red and White line, which held sway over its LVC counterpart. Pollock scored twice and gained 109 yards for the best running game any of the Albright backs has turned in to date in 1956. One of his runs was a 40-yard scoring jaunt. Kopp tallied on a 48-yard run and gained 68 yards as Albright exhibited its best ground offense of the year.

Pollock was named Albright's most valuable player for the game and thus was awarded "The Haps Benfer Most Valuable Player Award," begun this year and sponsored by *The Albrightian*. The award will become an annual feature of the Homecoming Day game. The recipient was selected by a panel of judges consisting of W. G. Renken, Lloyd Clemens, and Bob Riegner. Pollock was chosen for his all-round play throughout the contest with the Flying Dutchmen. The previous week, he had been named the Lion's most valuable player in the Pretzel Bowl with Moravian.

### Potskian's Experiment . . .

Against Lehigh last week, Coach John Potskian came up with variations in both the Red and White's offense and defense in an effort to upset the powerful Engineers. The switches were successful temporarily as the Lions took an early 7-0 lead, but the adept Lehigh gridders wore down the Red and White by sheer force of number and ground out a 34-14 win. At that, the loss was less severe than the 51-19 pounding the Engineers gave the Lions last season. Lehigh now has a six-win, two-loss record and is rated one of the best medium-sized teams in the East.

### Seniors . . .

Six seniors will be making their farewell appearance for the Red and White gridders when Albright takes the field against Scranton tomorrow. Linemen Charles Hoover and Joe DeMeno, and backs Willy Smith, Pollock, Whitey Rightmire, and Joe Sheppard are those who will be playing their last game. Hoover and Smith served as co-captains this season. A native of Maplewood, N. J., Hoover has manned a front-line guard post for the Potskianmen in 1956. Smith, a halfback from Pleasantville, N. J., was injured early in the season and forced out of action.

DeMeno, a guard, starred in the opening game against Bucknell, but was injured soon afterward and has seen but limited action. Pollock was the chief running threat of the Lions from halfback. Rightmire and Sheppard have alternated throughout the season at fullback with illness slowing down Rightmire much of the time. All six of these men have played well for the Red and White and their graduation will be felt on the Albright football team. The Lions have a fairly good chance of finishing out the season on the winning note against Scranton, who, like the Lions, have been undermined this year. The loss of Kopp through an injury in the Lehigh game will be felt by the Lions.

## Pollock, Sudock Set Offensive Pace For Red And White

Tom Pollock and Frank Sudock are the individual offense leaders for the Red and White through seven games. Pollock, senior halfback from Downingtown, tops the Lions in rushing yards and scoring. Sudock is the leader in passing yards and total offense. He is a sophomore quarterback from West Hazleton.

Pollock was chosen Albright's most valuable player in both the Pretzel Bowl and Homecoming Day games, while Sudock was named *The Albrightian's* Player of the Month for October.

Whitey Rightmire trails Pollock in the race for rushing yards with 114 to Pollock's 235. John Kopp and Willy Smith run next in the figures with 86 and 63 yards, respectively.

In the passing yards department, Sudock has gained 839 yards by completing 62 out of 143 attempted passes. This is tops for a small college player in the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference. Al Benensky runs behind Sudock with 117 yards on 10 completions in 23 attempts.

Sudock outdistances Pollock in total offense with a 341-yard to 249-yard bulge. Rightmire runs third in this department with 154 yards.

Pollock has gathered 18 points on three touchdowns to lead the scoring parade. Kopp is second with 12 on two six-pointers and Rightmire is third with nine on one touchdown and three extra points.

Freshman Gerry Bricker paces the Lions in yards gained per-carry figures with a 5.0 average in 11 carries. Rightmire is next with 4.8 yards a try and Pollock runs third with a 3.7 average. Pollock has carried the ball the most number of times, 63, to Rightmire's 24.

### Team Totals

As a team, Albright has gained 622 yards rushing and 996 yards passing for a total of 1618. Its opponents have chalked up 1371 yards on the ground and 480 via the air lanes for an 1851 total.

In scoring, the Lions have tabbed 46 points to their opponents 135. Albright has scored seven touchdowns to its opponents 21.

Sudock's 62 completions give him a pass-completed percentage of 43.3 and an average of 13.3 yards per completion. He has thrown for two six-pointers and has had ten intercepts.

## Lehigh Conquers Lions Despite New Strategy

The Lehigh Engineers, held to two touchdowns in the first half by a game Albright eleven, exploded for three more touchdowns in the second half to power their way to a 34-14 triumph over the Lions before 4,500 fans at Taylor Stadium in Bethlehem last Saturday. Caught off guard by a new Albright offense and defense specially designed for the Lehigh game by Coach John Potskian, the Engineers fumbled themselves into constant trouble throughout the first part of the game until they found themselves in the second half.

The Engineers fumbled four times in succession, each time they got the ball in the first quarter, and each time Albright recovered. Don McCarty pounced on the first Lehigh fumble early in the first quarter. Frank Sudock then uncorked a 50-yard heave to Tom Pollock but the shifty halfback just couldn't hold the ball as he fell in the end zone.

### Lions Recover

As soon as the Lions punted, Lehigh fumbled and Frank Hoffman recovered for Albright. This time Albright hit paydirt. Sudock fired a beautiful pass to John Kopp on the Lehigh 40 and the fast back outdistanced three Lehigh defenders to score for the Lions on a 62-yard pass play. Floyd Rightmire split the uprights and the Lions had a 7-0 lead over the twice beaten Engineers. Throughout the first quarter the boys from Lehigh fumbled away their opportunities.

In the second quarter, the might of Lehigh started to roll. After Pollock had set the Engineers back on their heels with a booming third down punt that fell on the Lehigh six, the Brown and White moved 94 yards to score. Cracking big holes in the Albright four-man line, the speedy Lehigh backs plowed their way for long gains. The most significant thing about the whole game was the Albright defense. The Lions used a four man line, with five line backers and two men in the secondary.

### Change Defense

Only when the Engineers need a few yards to get a first down or to score did the Lions change into a six man line. But even the 4-5-2 defense couldn't stop the Engineers and Bob Naylor copped the drive by slamming over the goal line from seven yards out midway in the second quarter. The conversion was good and the score was tied 7-7. Frank Sudock stopped a Lehigh penetration in the second quarter when he intercepted a Naylor pass and raced to his own forty from the fifteen yard line.

Gerry Bricker also intercepted a Lehigh aerial to stop an Engineer march. With a minute and a half remaining, a Lehigh defender knocked a Sudock pass into another Lehigh player's hands and the Engineers took over on the Albright 38. Two passes to Naylor and Tom Fallice put the ball on the 14. Then Dan Nolan hit Austin Short on the two-yard line with thirty seconds remaining. The Engineers lined up so fast that an Albright player was in the Lehigh backfield when the signals were being called. But Nolan circled the end to score and the Lehighians led 13-7. The conversion was good and it was 14-7 at halftime.

The second half was all Lehigh except for the last few minutes of the game. The Engineers drove for a touchdown after the second half kickoff. Again the Lehigh quarter-

back, Nolan, sparked the drive, as he passed to Naylor for fourteen yards to the one. The fullback plunged through for the score. The Engineers scored twice more in the game but mostly against the young freshmen and sophomores of Albright.

The Lions moved much better on the ground against Lehigh, mainly because Lehigh expected a big aerial game from Sudock. But Sudock threw only eleven times, completing four passes for 85 yards. Al Benensky threw one pass, a 29-yard heave to Ted Morse in the dying moments of the game that set up the second Lion score. Gerry Bricker, the fine freshman back, scampered seven yards on a very well executed option play by Benensky to score. Again Rightmire split the uprights for the extra point.

## Lion Harriers Finish Regular 1956 Season

Albright College's cross country squad rounded out its dual meet schedule for the 1956 season by winning one out of four meets. Powerful West Chester swamped the Shirkmen 15-48. No less than six Rams crossed the finish line before Captain Don Gottshall could counter for the Lions.

Muhlenberg won a close meet over the Lions 27-36. Pierce Krauss of the Mules took first and Gottshall was second. The Lions just didn't have enough depth as they dropped their third close meet of the year.

PMC fell before the Lions over the home course by a 27-29 count. Gottshall, Dick Thrasher, and George Mack copped first, third, and fourth for Albright. The harriers ended the season by losing to Delaware 23-34. Gottshall took third for Albright.

## Lions, Royals Vie Tomorrow In Home Game

Closing out its 1956 grid campaign, Albright will be host to the Royals of Scranton tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 in the Albrightian Stadium. Both teams have won one game this season, but the Lions have lost seven to the Royals six.

Scranton broke into the win column last week by upsetting Pennsylvania Military College 34-21. Previous to that, the Royals had dropped six consecutive games to American International 31-0, St. Vincent 13-12, Temple 28-20, King's 26-14, Muhlenberg 14-0, and Gettysburg 32-0.

The loss of sixteen players this year from the 1956 squad has proved the difference from last season when the Royals compiled a six-win, one-loss record. They defeated Albright at Scranton 12-0 last year and were the only team that held the Lions scoreless in 1955.

### Royal Coach

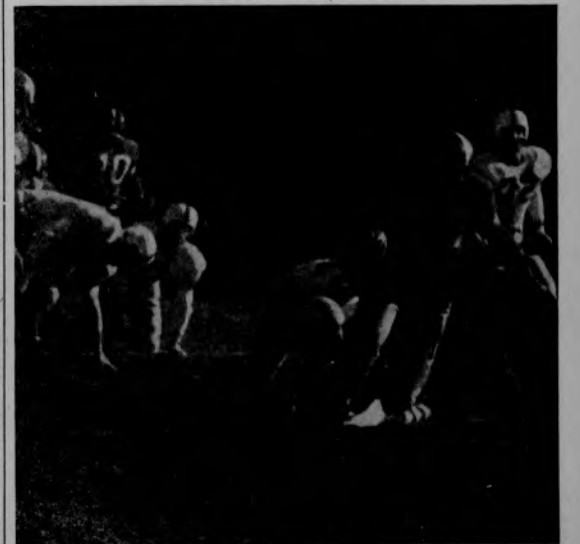
Scranton's coach Pete Carlesimo has had to experiment widely with his personnel in an effort to find his best combination. The present squad consists of eleven lettermen, six in the line and five in the backfield.

Ed Balish, Clem Russavage, Ray Oncaj, John Roman, Pat Skutach, and Joe Wycallis returned this year to form the nucleus of the Scranton line, while Vince Cesare, Dick Marshall, Walt Perth, Dan Stankiewicz, and John Potkul head the backfield array.

Scranton's probable starting lineup will be Tom Connolly and Francis Heston, ends; Balish and Russavage, tackles; Oncaj and Roman, guards; Wycallis, center; Cesare, quarterback; Perth and Stankiewicz, halfbacks, and Potkul, fullback.

The Lions will counter with Frank Hoffman and George Flynn, ends; Joe Kremer and John Settlerze, tackles; Charles Hoover and Dick Napolitani, guards; Tony LaSaplo, center; Frank Sudock, quarterbacks; Tom Pollock and John Cunningham, halfbacks; and Whitey Rightmire, fullback.

## Lions' Move



Albright Halfback Tom Pollock carries the ball against Lehigh in last week's game at Bethlehem. The Engineers topped the Lions 34-14. (Photo by Fox)

## Poll Reveals Opinions On Testing Program

Since tests have been on everyone's mind recently, *The Albrightian* took a poll on this subject. The question, "Do you favor being graded on the basis of three or four tests a semester or would you rather be graded on the basis of more frequent tests?" revealed the following comments. Robert Poff, '60, compiled the results.

**Edwin Wray, '60:** "I would rather have frequent tests a semester because you have a better chance to pass the course, and your average wouldn't rise or fall on the basis of only a few marks."

**Sarah Dettra, '59:** "I would rather be graded on the basis of frequent tests, for then you can pull up a poor mark much easier than if you have just a few tests. This way also seems fairer, for anyone can make a poor mark on one mark."

**Jay Coslett, '60:** "I would rather have a lot of tests and let each student choose his own grade at the end of the semester. Who knows the grade better than him? Besides, it would raise the standard of the school."

**Nilda Calder, '57:** "There should be more frequent tests a semester because the student can keep up his marks and also keep up to date on the material."

**Fred Dietzel, '59:** "There should be more frequent tests because if you do poorly on one test you can pull the mark up with another. This gives the student a chance to prove himself."

**Lois Gottschalk, '60:** "There should be more frequent tests because you will know what to expect on the large semester test."

**Janet Weber, '59:** "I desire not to comment on the question."

**Dick Miller, '57:** "Three or four tests a semester for each course is sufficient because we would be spending most of class time taking tests if we were continually plagued by weekly exams."

**Laura Palm, '60:** "I would rather have more frequent tests because if you do poorly on one you can pull it up on the other tests."

**Jack Linton, '58:** "I am in favor of more frequent tests because you have a better chance to pass the course."

## 500 Alumni Return For Homecoming Day

Nearly 500 alumni returned to campus for the annual fall Homecoming. Many more of the alumni were counted than in previous years due to the location of registration places. Instead of one central register, it was carried on in the fraternities, sororities, library and at the football game.

The Homecoming Weekend started with the Ivy Ball and the crowning of Nicole Donnay, '59, as queen. All the events scheduled went off smoothly and a maximum crowd was present.

A coffee hour Saturday morning sponsored by the Berks County Alumni Club was held in the library. A luncheon in Krause Hall was the next feature of the day. At this luncheon Anna R. Benninger, registrar, received a wrist watch for 25 years of service to Albright from George C. Bollman, president of the Board of Trustees. Also, the octet presented two selections accompanied by Anne Young, '59.

The Alpha Pi Omega fraternity took first prize in the parade of eight sorority and fraternity floats which preceded the football game between Albright and Lebanon Valley College. The Zeta Omega Epsilon fraternity took second prize.

## Students To Sell Basketball Tickets

With the closing tomorrow of the sale of football tickets for Albright's home games, the Boost Albright Ticket Committee is turning its attention to the sale of basketball tickets, Louis J. Rossi, chairman of the committee, announced today.

Final details of the basketball ticket program will be arranged at a meeting of the committee Tuesday afternoon, at 4 p.m. in *The Albrightian* office.

Besides plotting a campaign to sell basketball tickets, the final returns and settling of accounts for the sale of football tickets will be made.

Present plans for the basketball tickets include a season ticket system and a block system of three and six tickets per block. The selling campaign is expected to begin after the Thanksgiving vacation and will last for two weeks.

## Foundation Invites Fund Applications From College Men

The Danforth Foundation, an educational trust fund in St. Louis, Mo., invites applications for the sixth class (1957) of Danforth Graduate Fellows from college senior men and recent graduates who are preparing themselves for a career of college teaching, and are planning to enter graduate school in September, 1957, for their first year of graduate study. The Foundation welcomes applicants from the areas of natural and biological sciences, social sciences, humanities and all fields of specialization to be found in the undergraduate college.

Dr. Harry V. Masters, president of the college, has named Dr. E. L. Smith, assistant professor of sociology, as the Liaison Officer to nominate to the Danforth Foundation two or not to exceed three candidates for these fellowships. These appointments are fundamentally "a relationship of encouragement" throughout the years of graduate study, carrying a promise of financial aid within prescribed conditions as there may be need. The maximum annual grant for single fellows is \$1800; for married fellows, \$2400 with an additional stipend for children.

### Other Appointments

A Danforth Fellow is allowed to carry other scholarship appointments, such as Rhodes, Fulbright, Woodrow Wilson, Marshall, etc., concurrently with his Danforth Fellowship, and applicants for these appointments are cordially invited to apply at the same time for a Danforth Fellowship. If a man receives the Danforth Appointment, together with a Rhodes Scholarship, Fulbright Scholarship, or Woodrow Wilson Fellowship, he becomes a Danforth Fellow without stipend, until these other relationships are completed.

All Danforth Fellows will participate in the annual Danforth Foundation Conference on Teaching, to be held at Camp Miniwanca in Michigan next September.

The qualifications of the candidates as listed in the announcement from the Foundation are: men of outstanding academic ability, personality congenial to the classroom, and integrity and character, including serious inquiry within the Christian tradition.

All applications, including the recommendations, must be completed by Jan. 31, 1957. Any student wishing further information should get in touch with our Liaison Officer.

## Dean Attends Meeting At Buck Hill Falls

Priscilla R. Morton, dean of women and instructor of English, attended the 36th annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Association of Deans of Women held at Buck Hill Falls, Pa., Nov 2 and 3.

The convention theme was "Improving Human Relations Through Counseling Services."

## Mock Election Results Differ From Vote Of General Public

By Clifford Franks, '59

If it would have been up to the students of Albright College, the political picture painted at the polls back on Tuesday, Nov. 6, might look slightly different today. The results of the mock election held here at the college several days before actual election day were finally released by County Commissioner, Charles S. Adams.

The tabulations were surprisingly quite contrary to the voting of the general public. Albrightians agreed with the outcome of but three of the major races and disagreed with four of them.

### Both Like Ike

It seems that both the students on campus and the general public agreed to the fact that Dwight D. Eisenhower should remain in his present capacity as President. However, the college showed a definite lean toward Ike with 79% of the voters favoring him, while the President carried only 57.7% of the national popular vote. Albright's voting went like this:

Eisenhower—355  
Stevenson—107

It is quite apparent from the tabulations that many of the students voted a straight Republican ticket. In our straw vote we favored James Duff, Thomas Leinbach, Thomas Stults, John Fritz, and Leonard Gajewski. These men are all Republicans, all received close to 300 votes by Albright students, and were all defeated at the polls by the public on Nov. 6.

A decisive majority of Albrightians are strong advocates of a Republican administration. A quick peek at the percentage comparisons might add a little light to the previous statement.

In the race for Senator, the college displayed a convincing 65% of the voters liking Duff (R); the public elected Joseph Clark (D) by 51%. The college favored Leinbach (R) by 66%, while George Rhodes (D) remained in Congress by carrying 51.5%. The familiar story remains unchanged with Stults (R) receiving 66% of Albright's votes, and

Frank Ruth (D) keeping his seat as Senator in the General Assembly with a percentage vote of 50.8%.

The following is a recap of these races as they were voted upon here on campus:

Senator  
Duff (R)—298  
Clark (D)—162

Representative in Congress  
Leinbach (R)—305  
Rhodes (D)—153

Senator in General Assembly  
Stults (R)—304  
Ruth (D)—147

Representatives in General Assembly

Fritz (R)—327  
Gajewski (R)—297  
Yatron (D)—134  
Reading (D)—156

Our mock election wasn't completely contrary to the general election. Both Albright students and the people of Berks County selected Charles Smith (R) as Auditor General. Also, they both favored Robert Kent (R) for the State Treasurer position.

Albright's voting went like this:

Auditor General  
C. Smith (R)—334  
F. Smith (D)—125  
State Treasurer  
Kent (R)—327  
Knox (D)—132

In conclusion, it can easily be seen that the Republican campaign really hit home at Albright. However, Charles Raith, assistant professor of political science, states that it is quite natural for college students to favor the Republican ticket. Albright just followed suit.

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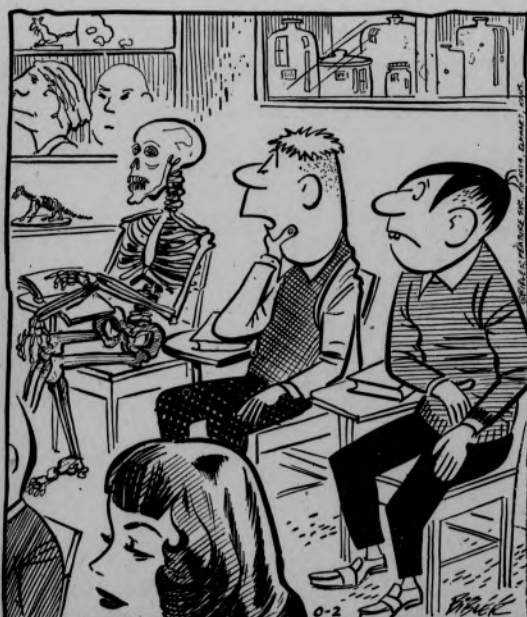
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