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## Harold Werner To Edit Albrightian; Berks Students Converge On Campus Harry Bitting Business Manager

### Day Students Take Over Paper On May 9

Harold M. Werner, a junior and a chemistry major from Robeson, Pa., will edit the Albrightian next year. The industrious editor-elect was named to the post last week by the paper's two faculty advisers and administration officials. Harry Bitting, a West Reading High School alumnus, will manage the newsheet's business affairs.

Werner, who, for the last year, wrote a column of science news, is no novice in the game of collegiate and scholastic journalism. He handed copy to the Albrightian desk consistently during his junior year, and in high school he did some writing in the feature department of his Alma Mater's paper.



HAROLD WERNER

### Werner To Meet Applicants For Staff Post Wednesday

Anxious to get his writing combination set up for the first issue on May 9, Harold Werner, the new Albrightian editor, has issued a call for all applicants for positions on the staff to report in room 103 next Wednesday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock. All jobs are wide open, Werner said.

The new tabloid head is a student council representative from the Daymen's Club. He is a member of the Alchemists' Club and the German Club. And he participated in inter-mural sports.

Bitting is a business student. He is equipped for his position, having served a period of tutelage under the current regime of the Albrightian. He is also president of the Daymen's Club and is a member.

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## HEO Club Plans Fashion Show

### Future Home-makers Will Elect Officers Thursday

A fashion show will be presented by members of the HEO Club after a meeting in the college chapel at 8 o'clock next Thursday night. The clothes will be obtained from Whitner's department store. All students are invited to attend.

The business session will be held for election of officers. The nominees are: President, Helen Roth-ermel and Janet Kitzmiller; vice president, Ella Propst and Kathryn Taylor; secretary, Dorothy Gaul, June Strawbridge, and Dorothy Zieber; and treasurer, Natalie Brant and June Shetron.

## KTX Conducts Service In Philadelphia

This Sunday evening the deputation team of KTX will motor to Philadelphia to conduct the service in the Orthodox Street Methodist Church, of which Clifford Colyer, former pastor of Grace Church, Reading, is the pastor, Earl Stetler, Paul Kimmel, and Paul Aekert will make the trip.

### Youth Leader Heads Speakers Tomorrow

Students from high schools of Berks County will be guests of the International Relations Club tomorrow. Dr. E. A. Schaal, Philadelphia, of the American Friends' Service Committee, will be the principal speaker.

The all-day program will get under way with registration in Selwyn Hall at 10 o'clock in the morning, and will include several roundtable discussions, a luncheon in the dining hall, an informal discussion period, and motion pictures.

The first roundtable period will start at 10:30 o'clock. Patricia Smith and Seymour Mendelsohn will lead the confab in Selwyn Hall on the subject, "Danger Spots in the Far East." Mary Klein will head another group in the faculty room of the administration building on the subject, "The European Policy of the United States."

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## College Host To Mothers May 10, 11

### Weekend Program Includes May Queen Crowning

The mothers of the Albright students will be given "free reins" on the campus May 10 and 11 and will have the pleasure of seeing the coronation of the May Queen.

The women have been invited to visit their sons and daughters and will be feted by the college during the weekend at a reception by Mrs. Harry V. Masters, a dining hall collation, and a Mother's Day service in the college chapel on Sunday, May 11.

The weekend will begin with registration in Selwyn Hall from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m., Saturday.

The Albrightian maters will attend the coronation of Kitty Buzzard as May Queen of Albright at 3 p. m., and at 8:30 p. m. they will be entertained in the college chapel with some original one-act plays.

Sunday's activities will begin with a breakfast at 8 a. m., followed by a serenade of trumpets from the "Ad" building balcony, and the chapel service featuring an address by Dr. Harry Masters.

## Pledges Get Rest After Today

### Wind Up 3-Day Period Of Initiations

The Greeks had a name for it. So do the fraternities—those initiated bodies that go back to the ancients for their cognomens.

Making use of a three-day period set aside for them, the fraternities—oh yes, and the sororities—have been sending their pledges through stiff paces during the last two days in a hectic "hell week." At least it's hectic for the pledges. The official finale will come tonight.

### Seniors To Get Needle Starting Monday

Doc Horn has a date with the seniors on Monday. That's the day he's set aside to start the T. B. testing program. "It's the same old story every year," says Doc—"T. B. or not T. B."

## 'Y's' Reorganize; Esther Gingrich, Art McKay Leaders

### Installation Of Officers Set For Tuesday; Y. W. Names Cabinet

The "Y" offices will change hands on Tuesday night when new officials will be installed. The Y. W. C. A. policy-deciders-elect are: President, Esther Gingrich; vice president, Ruth Hand; secretary, Margaret Thompson; and Irene Snyder, treasurer.

The cabinet includes: Poster, Dorothy Fox; press, Mary Jane Ward; social service, local division, Verna Fye; peace, Irma Peoples; ethnic minorities, Olen Boyer; industrial cooperatives, Polly Walls; W. S. F., Katharine Taylor; worship, Geraldine Bowker; church relationships, Margaret Shepperd; library, Dorothy Reber; "Y" room, Doris Schlosser; day student representative, Mary Levan; and conference chairman, Patricia Smith.

### McKee Doesn't Appoint

The "Y. M." will be headed by Art McKay. Donald Blackmore will be vice president, Woodrow Witmer, secretary, and Winfield Morgan, treasurer. McKay did not appoint his cabinet as yet.

Last Tuesday's meeting was a worship service held on the lawn in back of the science hall. This was the last meeting at which the seniors presided. There will be a retreat for all new officers and

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## German Club To Give Olympics Preview

### Muhs, Hertz, Stars In Love Comedy

"Der Spaeta Gast," a German comedy, will be staged by students in the German Department at 8:30 o'clock next Tuesday night. The play will be presented again on May 3 at the University of Pennsylvania Cultural Olympics in Philadelphia.

The cast will include Miss Kathryn Muhs, Miss Emma Hafer, Miss Gretchen Bieber, Miss Geraldine Ross, Miss Dorothy Leiby, John Hertz and Richard Major.

The production, "The Late Guest," will tell the story of a young suitor who wins the affections of his "true love." The mating is engineered by a wise old grandmother. Dr Gerrit Memming will direct the play.

## Dominos Act At Cultural Olympics

### Present 'Lima Beans' Today At U. of P.

Four members of the Domino Club and Mr. Robert L. Work left yesterday for a three-day stay at the Cultural Olympics which are held annually at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia. The Albright group was one of a number of colleges to present one-act plays.

The play staged by the Domino Club at the University last night was "Lima Beans," a scherzo by Alfred Kreymb-berg. The cast, which also presented the play in chapel on Tuesday night, included Marjorie Frundt, George Henry, Jacob Wagner, and Margaret Hollenbach. "Lima Beans" will be given again this afternoon in a special presentation for high school students.

The group will participate in a critique roundtable at which all the plays will be discussed by a critic judge. There will also be Exhibitions on dramatics, a luncheon, and a party-dance. The group also had tentative plans to attend professional plays in Philadelphia.

The Collegiate Dramatics section is one of the divisions of the Cultural Olympics. There are also divisions for high schools and modern language groups.

### Juniors To Hold Prom At Woman's Club

The Junior Prom will be held tomorrow evening at the Woman's Club. Tickets for the semi-formal affair are available at \$1.75 per couple.

Whitey Meiskey's orchestra will provide the music for dancing from 9:00 p.m. to midnight.

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## Hear Ye, Hooverites

There's been a lot of hollering, petition-signing, and general propaganda-izing on campus for support of former President Herbert Hoover's plan to feed starving minorities in Hitler's Nazi empire.

We were expecting a couple letters to the editor either protesting, or at least favoring, the idea. We received none. Therefore, to present the point of view of persons who want Britain to win the war because they believe the English life is a better one than anything Hitler has to offer, we are printing the following, taken from the editorial columns of Boston University. We predict that letters will be forthcoming post haste.

The "School of Theology '100 Club's" campaign" in the paragraph that follows, refers to a movement in Boston U. favoring President Hoover's scheme. Here's the reprint.

## Let Them Eat Ersatz

Hungry Europeans in countries squirming under Hitler's heel would welcome a convoy of Red Cross ships from America loaded with food and necessities of life. Every human American would like to endorse the School of Theology "100 Club's" campaign to adopt former President Hoover's plan to feed these starving people.

But every clear-thinking person realizes that food to the crushed democracies means Herr Goering's belt will slip out a couple of notches and the French peasants will tighten up by two. For who is gullible enough to believe that the ruthless Nazi regime will permit cargoes of American supplies to remain where Mr. Hoover ships them?

Even if the food were to feed the defeated nations, it would still nourish Hitler. The bulk of the supplies would go to the laborer—the laborer who works under Hitler's compulsory scheme manufacturing munitions in his own country for the Nazi army.

France seems to be the main target for Mr. Hoover's sympathy. This country, frankly Fascist, is ruled with an iron-hand by Marshall Petain and his cronies who seized control of the country quickly when the democratic leaders were suppressed. Petain would control the dispersion of American supplies and he "oui's" to telephone calls from Berlin daily.

Humanitarians argue that despite the clash of ideologies and the sentiments of this country, we must consider our fellowmen, starving and helpless when we have plenty. There are hungry Americans, too, Mr. Hoover. But you cried, "Socialism," when the New Deal attempted to feed them during the depression's height.

The majority of Americans, by their representatives in Congress, have pledged "all out" aid to Britain. To break the British blockade, even for humanitarian purposes, will weaken England and strengthen the Axis. All military experts agree unanimously on this point. The Hoover plan is inconsistent with our foreign policy.

## Labor Comes To College

The class in labor problems last week came into contact with two labor union leaders—one from the AFL, the other, CIO. Setup of the working men's organization was explained to the students, and a general discussion of labor policy gave the more forensically-minded Albrightians a chance to air their queries.

Our congratulations go out to the professor in charge of the class. If a college education is to be worthwhile it must be tied up with the real thing. It must be more than a 70 per cent on the final exam. Outside speakers and field trips are the best substitutes for actual participation.—Robert R. Gerhart, Jr.

## GEORGE'S GOOFY GAB

### NATURE IN THE RAW IS SELDOM

Here I lie again . . . back on my flat (oops) . . . flat on my back . . . plying a game of pool (which Selwyn goes over) . . . Naturally, you can't be Albright for a day without seeing the April phenomenon that has touched the campus . . . and made everyone touched . . . and as the man said as he threw his bed out of the window, "Spring is in the Air" . . .

Ah, yes, Sprig as cub . . . the campus bleach-combers sprawled from the one book store to the other book store (one sells them, the other really stores them) . . . the blossoms . . . polo shirts . . . the animated Chapel steps . . . gym suits, accompanied softly by a tennis racquet . . .

All the green in the world to be seen . . . the magnolia tree by the lake . . . the crowds at the soft ball games afternoons . . . well-populated Library steps . . . banks of girls . . . sheer drops . . . pitching practise behind the frat houses . . . tennis swatting beside the Ad building . . . "Glamour Legs" . . .

A rise in Moser's soft drink sales . . . tighter hand clasping . . . birds . . . squirrels . . . bugs . . . a post-hibernation egress from the parlors . . . nights on campus like the poets wrote about . . .

Spring dances . . . sun glasses . . . definite heart-beat increase . . . Gerhart's shirt (without a coat) . . . white shoes . . . Peggy's tan . . . short-clipped heads . . . water from the second floor of the Science Hall . . . Tra la . . . April showers, May bring flowers, June Uly, Ah, gust, ember; no, amber, de cimber; jan, youalry, fib-U airy; March . . . Halt . . . year, year, what goes on . . . I'm in a daze . . . (Just a little dazeling at heart) . . .

Well the screws are loose again and the most noticeable sign of Printemps is Initiation in Hades . . . the Zetists are at it again . . . the plitches are terrific . . . some look de-Kappa-teted . . . the Pie Tow Cuties . . . it's killing . . . and the Ape-ohs . . . Fun Foolery on the Ad balcony . . . and the make-up jobs on the Mews . . . What's Mu, how has the whirl treated you . . . so many PATS on the back . . . "Kappa Observatory time" . . . Question: Who puts the initia in initiation? . . .

Spring the time when a young man's fancy turns . . . Oh, gather ye rose bushes while ye may . . .

As a Spring-time poem I found this beautiful love poem that Dante must have written to Beatrice, or Clark to Carole, or Amos to Andy, or Chase to Sandborne:

"You look sweet enough to eat,"

He whispered soft and low;

"I am," said she, quite hungrily,

"Where do you want to go?"

I am now coiled away from my Sprink Ishshuuuu . . . because of rain and darkness . . . remember the early worm gets the birdie . . . or is it t'other way round . . .

Last Word Dept. Hell Week's weak Hell . . .

With a hey-down down and a down And a paddle waddle daddle all the day . . .

## The Snooper



By Anne Gnymous

Sweep, sweep, sweep  
Gathering up the dirt!!

Tripping over the "welcome" mat of the Kappa house, we uncovered some dirt. Here 'tis:

Guests were received with a cordial coca-cola and Kappa spirits.

In the big "bosses'" room—Diana Durbin greeted us in "Red Pajamas"—a facsimile of the original, of course.

Sweep! Sweep! Sweep!

The Day Students, t'other night,  
Held a gala affair,  
Anyone of importance  
Dined and danced there.

Mim Weidner was escorted  
By that Romeo—Jim Breen,  
Olga Bitler looked glamorous  
Altered in white and green.

Herby Derr was the bouncer  
Big, brawny, and tall;  
Sally Weaver with her "Horn"  
Attracted us all.

Egad! That new Kappa sweeper marks dirt scarce.

Prof. Cook "dyed" in his chemistry class last week.

The campus looks like Featherbed Lane on sunny, warm days.

Silence is golden and the pledges sure made this campus glitter this week.

Did we sweep you off your feet?

## Berks Students

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### Is Youth Leader

Dr. Schaaf, well-known director of youth conferences, will speak at the 12:00 o'clock luncheon. The Philadelphian is scheduled to head a summer conference at Bryn Mawr and a Delaware conference for high school students.

Another roundtable period will start at 1:30 o'clock. William Bottonari and Jean Bomgardner will talk about "United States' New Role with Latin America." "Organizing the Post-War World," will be the theme of discussions by Donald Blackmore and Paul Ackert.

The "free period" is scheduled for 3 to 4 o'clock. It will be followed by motion pictures entitled, "Democracy Under Fire." The film, a graphic description of England's mobilization to resist invasion, has J. B. Priestly as narrator.

### Committees

General chairman of the program is Seymour Mendelsohn. Other committee members are: Program, Dr. Milton Hamilton, Mary Klein, and Mendelsohn; luncheon, William Bottonari; publicity, Paul Ackert, Marion Plummer, Mary Jane Ward, and Patricia Smith; and registration, Christos Bratiotis and Jean Bomgardner.

# Zetas Rule Softball Wheel



## Three Straight Wins, No Setbacks Is Good Enough For Top Rung

**Kappas Are Close Second With 2 Conquests**

**STANDINGS**

	Won	Lost	A. P. O.	Won	Lost
Zetas	3	0	0	1	0
Kappas	2	0	0	0	2
Day Stud.	3	2	0	0	3

Results: Kappas, 13, Day Students, 12; Day Students, 14; T. F. B., 10; Zetas, 9, T. F. B., 6; Zetas, 8, P. T. B., 2; Zetas, 10, Day Students, 4; Kappas, 27, T. F. B., 2; Day Students, 14; P. T. B., 4; Day Students, 9, A. P. O., 7.

Last Saturday afternoon the college sponsored its annual Berks County Scholastic Track Meet at the Stadium. As we all know, or should know, this affair is held annually in order to facilitate a more harmonious feeling between the rural high schools and our own institution. Another fundamental purpose of the track and field affair is to impress the potential college students with the opportunities which Albright can give.

This two-fold purpose of the administration failed to impress many of the high school students. In fact, it even disgusted some of them. This was due to the abominable condition of the track, and some parts of the field. Especially noticeable was the take-off for the high jump which lowered the efficiency of top-notch jumpers considerably. Also the far side of the track was in very bad shape. The runners complained bitterly of sinking up to their ankles in cinders. Several coaches squawked, too.

Please understand that we are not trying to criticize the meet itself, because we do think the money spent for the carnival will be repaid many times. But, the college must go the whole way instead of just half-way. In other words, conditions should be made ideal instead of disgusting. Many of the athletes judge Albright by its stadium. That's all they see. They think along those lines and I've heard them thinking out loud that if the condition of the school is similar to the condition of the stadium, then it is far from the best.

**Non-Varsity Trackmen Compete Tomorrow**

The annual track-meet for the fraternity men who are not letter-men will be held in the stadium tomorrow afternoon.

In our last issue your columnist made a few suggestions relative to the improvement of Inter-fraternity soft-ball this week we have a few more on tap. Here they are:

(1) The Inter-Fraternity Sports Carnival should immediately schedule all postponed games for the nearest open dates in order that the full schedule be completed by the last day. That would prevent wrangling among the teams for a most convenient time.

(2) An official score keeper to be paid in a similar manner as umpires, be appointed to score every game.

This accurate box score could be effectively utilized by the local papers and the Albrightian itself.

(3) Bleachers should be erected as soon as possible.

With three full weeks gone, the Zetas have taken over undisputed possession of first place in the inter-fraternity softball wheel. The Kappas are in second place, but are still undefeated. The A. P. O.'s tied the Kappas 11-11 last week but the game will be played. Another game to be played in the near future is the Pi Taus-A. P. O. tilt which was postponed just before vacation time.

Two Mt. Penn lads paced their respective teams to victory. Joe Zeock twirled the Day Students to a 14-4 win over the Pi Taus while Clem Boland pitched the Zetas to a 9-6 victory over the same Pi Taus gang.

The Kappas administered a 27-2 defeat on the T. F. B. lads for the highest score so far this season. Raymer Kent continued his great hitting for the victors.

In the last game played, the Day Students again showed their potential power to the A. P. O.'s by winning, 9-7. It was the first defeat for the chapel residents, and the Daymen's third win.

**Recent scores:**

Day Students	410	312	3-14	13	4
P. T. B.	111	100	0-4	4	7
Batteries—Day Students:	Zeock	and	Leinbach;	Pi Taus:	Thergeson
Pi Taus	000	020	0-2	3	3
Zetas	004	301	x-8	10	2
Batteries—Pi Taus:	Thergeson	and	Arnold;	Zetas:	Boland
T. F. B.	000	000	2-2	3	5
Kappas	827	325	x-27	30	2
Batteries—T. F. B.:	Wostlager	and	Gillis;	Kappas:	Mogel
					and
					Klein.

## Girls Lose Ursinus Match

**Collegeville Team Blanks Locals, 5-0**

The Albright girls' tennis team dropped its initial match to the Ursinus coeds at Collegeville last Tuesday, 5-0.

The next match is scheduled with the Lebanon Valley girls in the near future.

The summaries—Singles: Mary Robbins, Ursinus, beat Olga Bitler,

## Juniors Cop Opener From Frosh, 27-3, In Girls' Softie Loop

**Kitty Geib Runs Victors Into Ground To Take Individual Honors**

The girls' intermural baseball league started with a game between the juniors and the frosh. Kitty Geib took honors with four home runs out of six times at bat.

Juniors	Runs	Frosh	Runs
Geib, 3b	6	Bieber, p	1
Whitehead, p	5	Reubamen, c	1
Snyder, cf	4	Walls, 1b	1
Siegel, 2b	1	Laverty, 2b	0
Bongardner, c	2	Morris, 3b	0
Levan, 1b	5	Griswold, sc	0
Shade, ss	4	Biles, ss	0
		Thompson, lf	0
		Leiby, cf	0
		Wentz, rf	0
Total	27	Total	3

## Netmen Face Ursinus Tomorrow

**Pellet Whackers Drop First To Lehigh, 9-0**

The male racqueteers of the local campus will attempt to win their first victory of the tennis campaign when they tangle with Ursinus College tomorrow afternoon at Collegeville. The lads dropped their first match at Lehigh last Saturday, 9-0.

On tap for next week are matches with Muhlenberg on Wednesday at 11th and Pike and with W. P. I. at Wyomissing on Thursday afternoon.

Player-Coach Roy Swett has had his charges drill hard this week in order to strengthen their game. Swett has felt the loss of Ray Mann, former No. 1 player, who is not competing this spring. Chief prospect among the newcomers is Dick Bertolette, a freshman. Dickie did not see action in the Lehigh affair which ended with Albright on the short end of a 9-0 score.

6-2, 6-7; Marion Bright, Ursinus, beat Kathryn Muhs, 6-0, 6-1; Mary Kay Foster, Ursinus, beat Pauline Bancki, 6-0, 6-0.

Doubles: Nat Hogeland and Mil Bricker, Ursinus, beat Ada Seltzer and Doris Schlosser, 6-0, 6-0; Allie Dougherty and Jeanne Mathews, Ursinus, beat Sonja Damsey and Olga Bitler 6-3, 6-0.



Spring is here, the robins are singing, and the Alchemists are ready for their picnic. The affair is scheduled for Tuesday afternoon, May 6, at Egelman's Park. A lively program has been planned featuring the annual "grudge" ball game" between the "Chem" majors and the "Pre-Meds." All members are asked to pay their dues, so that Tom Johnson will have sufficient funds to supply the necessary refreshments.

Albright College will be represented at the Intercollegiate Student Chemists Convention at Villanova tomorrow, by a group of "Chem" majors. Carl Yoder will present a paper on "The Reactions of Sinitro-compounds."

Dr. Graham Cook was elected chairman of the Lehigh Valley Section of the American Chemical Society last Friday at a meeting of the society at Easton. This section consists of the area contained in the triangle between Reading, Hagerstown, N. J., and Palmerton, Pa.

Dr. Clarence Horn and Prof. Marcus Green presented papers at a meeting of the Penna. Academy of Science during the Easter vacation.

Our chemistry professor has at last moved into his new "cookery" and is looking for a new chemical to grow grass and also one to take paint off of windows without dissolving the glass.

## Prof. Evans Speaks At Y. W. C. A. Forum

Prof. John C. Evans addressed the Public Affairs Forum at the Y. W. C. A., Wednesday evening at a dinner meeting. The subject was "Propaganda-Via Press-Radio-Movies."

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**Social Calendar**

Friday, April 25

- 10:00 a.m.—May Day committee meeting.
- 4:30 p.m.—Men's Glee Club.
- 6:45 p.m.—Nat'l Cost Accountants Dinner—College dining hall.
- 12:00 p.m.—Fraternity - Sorority initiations end.

Saturday, April 26

- 10 a. m. - 5 p. m. — Int'l Relations' Club Conference for High School Students.
- 9-12 p.m.—Junior Prom. Woman's Club.

Sunday, April 27

- 9:00 a.m.—College Bible Class. School of Theology Chapel.

Monday, April 28

- 10:00 a.m.—Chapel. Rev. Allan R. Winn, Pastor, Olivet Presbyterian Church.
- 4:30 p.m.—Symphony Orchestra Rehearsal.
- 4:30 p.m.—Student Council. Room 103.
- 6:40 p.m.—Intra - mural softball game.
- 7-8 p.m.—Fraternity and Sorority meetings.

Tuesday, April 29

- 10:00 a.m.—Chapel. Rev. Allan R. Winn.
- 4:30 p.m.—Inter - frat. Council. Room 106.
- 7:00 p.m.—Y. M. and Y. W. installation of new officers, School of Theology Chapel.
- 8:30 p.m.—German play: "Der Spate Gast," College Chapel. No admission charge.

Wednesday, April 30

- 10:00 a.m.—Chapel. Reading High School Quartette.
- 1:00 p.m.—Daymen's organization.
- 4:40 p.m.—Intra - Mural softball game.
- 6:40 p.m.—Intra - Mural softball game.

Thursday, May 1

- 10:00 a.m.—Chapel. Reading High School Quartette.
- 3:00 p.m.—Medical aptitude test for Juniors.
- 4:30 p.m.—Girls' Glee Club.
- 4:40 p.m.—Intra - mural softball game.
- 6:40 p.m.—Intra - mural softball game.
- 7:00 p.m.—Collegians' rehearsal.
- 8:00 p.m.—Int'l Relations' Club.
- 8:00 p.m.—Heo Club. College Chapel. Fashion Show—Everybody welcome. No admission charge.

Friday, May 2

- 4:30 p.m.—Men's Glee Club.

**Albright Named Host For Debaters In '42**

**Mendelsohn Takes Tournament Laurels**

Winning first place in the Mid-Eastern Tau Kappa Alpha debate tournament at Muhlenberg College last week, Seymour Mendelsohn brought new honors to Albright and to the campus debate squad.

At the same time, Albright was chosen as the site for the 1942 conference. This will be the first conference of its kind at Albright. Dr. John B. Douds, debate coach, was elected to the executive board of the association at the closing meeting.

By virtue of his perfect record in defeating representatives from Drew University, Dickinson, and Muhlenberg, Mendelsohn was one of the four debaters entered in the final parliamentary session to compete for the awards.

**Levan Cops Two**

David Levan upheld the affirmative side of the conference resolution: Resolved that the American liberal arts colleges should adopt the quarter system for the duration of the present World War. Levan won two out of three debates, losing to Upsala.

Charles Miesse delivered the after-dinner speech for Albright. During the year, Miesse served as manager of the debate squad.

**Harold Werner**

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ber of the Albright Business Club. He too is a participant in the campus sports' program, having earned a letter in track last year.

Werner will organize his 1941-1942 staff, tentatively, next week. The job of publishing the college newspaper will be turned over to him officially starting with the issue of May 9. Next week's issue will be the finale for the current edition of campus scribes.

Saturday, May 3

- 3:00 p.m.—Track meet with Villanova, Philadelphia.
- 9-12 p.m.—Kappa Spring Formal. Galen Hall.

Sunday, May 4

- 9:00 a.m.—College Bible Class. School of Theology Chapel.

**Dotpoutti**

By Robert L. Work.

There may be dirtier and slower trains than those on the Southern Railway, but I'm thankful I've never had to ride in THEM. An Easter Sunday baking in a dirty coach on the Lynchburg to Washington route is something to long remember. It wouldn't be too bad if the train were to keep moving even at thirty-five miles per, but the speed is less than that with ten-minute stops at double houses. I know because I stopped at each one of them myself.

When we had reached Culpeper, I felt that we were getting along toward the North; but the ten minutes wait gave me so much time for reflection and reminiscences that I seemed to grow old on the very spot and didn't care if I ever crossed the line. I remembered a friend who had been with some of us on a Morningside Drive house-party several summers ago. When she arrived at the Pennsylvania Station, they couldn't locate her baggage. Maybe they were still putting it on the train at good old Culpeper! Oh yes, and that's the place where our car ran out of gas one Easter vacation and the driver-pal and I had to push the thing over the highest crown ever found in any road. All this just to coast to a filling station at 4 a. m.!

No. I've not finished with Culpeper. Right there a rather boring gentleman boarded the train I was talking about and had to sit next to me. He offered me some Smith Bros. for my smokers' throat and I told him I did not have a smokers' throat. That was true. Then he complained about the slowness of the train which I had dubbed "medieval" as far back as Sweet Briar. By the way, that's a very pleasant place. Go to the Boxwood Inn for tea sometime and see.

Inasmuch as I started then to read TRANSLATIONS FROM RILKE by C. F. MacIntyre, I was able to discourage the flow of conversation which made me think that I had forgotten to relax with closed eyelids during a haberdashery.

I was for some unknown reason a bit kind (apparently) on the way into Alexandria. After trying not to listen to what sounded like the Chamber of Commerce's latest brochure, I heard the man from Culpeper say: "There it is!" I noticed then that he meant that masculine monstrosity, something

**Theologians Attend Church Conference**

**Seminary Cancels Classes During Week**

Sessions of the East Penn Conference of the Evangelical Church, of which the college is a member, have attracted a number of persons from Albright. Dr. F. W. Gingrich attended the sessions as a lay delegate. Some of the students will go to Sunbury where the meetings are held.

Because of the conference this week, no classes were held in the School of Theology. The Revs. Albright, Ritzman, Kratz and Kachel attended the conference as official members.

Many of the theology students also attended. Edgar Stauffer, Albright alumnus, has been taking exams for the clergy license.

**'Y's' Reorganize**

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their cabinets some time in May. As a result of the drive for money for unfortunate students all over the world, the Y. W. C. A. sent a check for \$15.65 to the W. S. S. F. Pi Tau Alpha Sorority contributed \$5 of that amount.

**Accountants To Meet Here Friday Evening**

Charles W. Smith, chief of the bureau of accounts and rates of the Federal Power Commission will address a dinner meeting of the National Association of Costs Accountants at a dinner meeting in the college dining hall, Friday evening at 6:45 p. m. This meeting, held in connection with the accounting department of the college, was inaugurated by Prof. John C. Evans in 1934 and is one of the highlights of this year's program.

less of a birthday cake than Grant's Tomb, and I was about to ask, "Is that the Washington Monument?" I didn't, but he got off anyway.

From Washington to Philadelphia the trip was not too bad. The train was fast and comfortable and well-lighted for reading. This time I took out of my bag a very excellent novelle — Gunnar Gunnarsson's THE GOOD SHEPHERD, translated by Kenneth C. Kaufman. What a beautifully simple story about simple lives: the shepherd, his dog, and his wether.

All you should remember from this ride is to read the two books here mentioned. Next station: Reading!

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