

THE INQUIRING REPORTER

With rationing of necessities and curtailment of luxuries becoming everyday affairs the Inquiring Reporter, in the spirit but not the costume of the New Year, delved into the realm of objective deductions and asked: What New Year's Resolution did you decide to avoid this year?

Marie Bonner, Science, '46—Making New Year's resolutions! I could make a lot of them but—!

Aileen Shearer, Pre. Med., '46—A resolution to go to bed early 'cause I never get there anyway.

Arlan Strausser, Pre. Med., '46—Not to have any dates in the year '43. (Why, Laddie?)

Helen Grass, Sociology, '44—I avoided them all. Why make resolutions and then go into the depths of despair after they're broken?

Donald Gable, Chem., '46—One concerning temperance. He added, "I know I'll keep it so there's no need to make it."

Vester Peters, German, '44—Any concerning Greek or women! (Quite a combination, isn't it?)

Earle Stetler, Pre Ministerial, '43—I decided to avoid making a resolution to get up for breakfast because I'm simply not going to get up for breakfast.

John W. Young, Math., '45—Writing good stories for *The Albrightian*. I know I couldn't possibly write one anyway.

Dorothy Scheib, Liberal Arts, '45—Killing every squirrel on sight! (Do we have a murderer in our midst?)

Alice Volt, Science, '46—Not eating so much—I guess it's a futile resolution.

Humbert Manzollilo, Pre Med., '46—Coming in early on Saturday night—I've about given up trying.

Edmund Gallman, Pre Med., '46—Staying awake in Dr. Horn's health class.

Forensic Group Plans For Winter Program

Ursinus, Cedar Crest Matched Against Albright Talent

Jacob Wagner and John W. Young, Jr., will represent Albright in a debate to be held here with Ursinus College on Friday, January 15. The topic will be world federation, and the affirmative side will be upheld by the Albright team.

The debate with Cedar Crest, scheduled for tonight, has been postponed at their request until the second semester. Ruth and June Plofield will uphold the honor of Albright at this encounter.

This morning the Debate Squad's 1946 division, consisting of Mary Bowlin, Mary Jane Weber, Dennison Nash and Harold Ulmer visited Muhlenberg Township High School for a symposium on the problems of the peace.

The Debate Squad will hold its regular meeting at 7 p. m. Monday night in the Faculty Room. All members are urged to attend.

These Are Not Flaming Novels But Brother, Are They Exotic!

Remember the six months of Esquire that the Alumni Memorial Library received in an interesting subscription maneuver some time ago? *The Albrightian* has recently learned that these generously documented editions do not constitute all of the rapid reading literature contained in the A. M. L.

John Westley Young VI, our demon library reporter, was assigned the investigation and compilation of a preferred reading list along these lines. His survey of the variety of related works and the cultural bits of information to be gleaned from the mighty volumes enables us to suggest the following for snappy perusal:

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Accelerated Seniors Enter Campus Jan. 27

Begin As Freshmen Next Term In Effort To Complete One College Year

High school seniors who meet college entrance requirements will be admitted to Albright College as freshmen when the second semester begins January 27, it was announced by the Committee on Admissions.

The plan under which high school seniors, who have completed three and one-half years of secondary school work, would be admitted to colleges and professional schools was proposed first by Superintendent Francis B. Haas, head of the State Department of Instruction.

Albright is cooperating with the State Department and has contacted several high schools. However, the final decision lies with the local high school principal and school board.

The new setup as outlined by Superintendent Haas has been arranged in such a manner so that those qualifying students will receive certification equivalent of a high school diploma after the satisfactory completion of one year of college work.

A high school senior in order to qualify must meet the following requirements as stated in a letter sent to the school principals:

1. Rank in the upper three-fifths of their classes.
2. Receive the recommendation of their high school principal or faculty.
3. Present the required 15 units except for those courses in process at the mid-year period.

No mention of entrance examinations was made in the letter.

Through this "speed up" program high school men may get pre-induction training and women may prepare for vital nursing, lab technicians, chemists, and government positions. By entering college in January and continuing through the summer session these students will have completed a full year of college work and thereby qualify for the continuance of their education or for some specialized branch of military service.

Jim Spatz Indisposed By Laryngitis Attack

James K. (Jim) Spatz, caretaker extraordinary, is confined to his bed with a severe cold and an attack of laryngitis. Although Mr. Spatz will be unable to resume work this week, he expects to be in circulation by the next one.

Meanwhile, Bill Bellman, his chief assistant, is taking over.



LT. H. G. BUCKWALTER

Bio Aides Know Round Worms Are Different From Eyelashes

"Pass me the obelia, Cornellia! Toss me a moss, boss!" This and worse yet can be heard from the freshman biology lab. (Who knows why it's called the frosh lab when the sophomores outnumber the frosh 4-1?)

In this haven (spelled 'eaven or 'ell) for premature and amateur biologists and English majors, a stormy but firm foundation is laid (rest its moldy soul) in the scientific ways of wielding a pair of tweezers, a pointless needle, and a butcher's scalpel all at the same time. Some fern, huh?

A biology lab is really a complex structure consisting of inanimate objects such as the awe-inspiring microscope (with its ten easy steps to focus one's own eyelashes) and its inseparable companions—1,000,000 or more shiny glass slides—no two of which are alike (as any biology major will confirm after a slide test). Then there's Oscar, the Pfeiffer skeleton, a balanced aquarium, a number of patty pans with handsome initial-carved wax buttons, and odds and ends of glass containers with vile smelling potents of hay infusion and mold.

In addition to this there are various forms of living creatures to be found in the lab—still life such as pickled frogs and round worms, frightened little running creatures like mice and freshmen, and big strong motherly creatures which could be taken for lab assistants.

Speaking of lab assistants, it is they (three vigorous college junior anatomy students) who keep the freshman lab busy. Theirs is the task of dispersing papers, handing out slide boxes, and hand lenses as well as checking on the quality of work done by the industrious frosh and sophomores. All this the lab assistants (Gretchen Bieber, Vincent Ressler, and Bob Ravel) accomplish with a smile. Their only peeve is with the dear little students who continue to work even after the second bell has rung.

Tony Stish, another junior anatomy student, takes over the evening lab in which there are but five pet pupils, but she manages to keep him busy. (Ask Tony.)

Usually things run along very smoothly in the lab until that long dreaded and forbidding moment when those fatal footsteps heard along the resounding hall announces the approach of a grim and stately figure who enters the room, surveys the scene with meaningful glances, and thunders, "Be prepared for a long oral quiz on the microscope next class."

It is then that the lab assistants have their most trying task—that of treating for shock, heart palpitations, and tremors of the knees. But up to date, all victims (it says so in the first aid book) have recovered.

War Summons Cook, Buckwalter; College Starts High School Plan

Exigencies of war which have drastically affected campus conditions and student personnel have now taken their toll in the ranks of faculty. Dr. Graham Cook, head of the chemistry department, and Prof. Henry G. Buckwalter, assistant professor of business administration, are the first of the faculty to enter the armed services.

Dr. Cook, who has requested a leave of absence from the college, is scheduled to leave on January 15 to undertake research work as an administrative aide to the staff of Dr. H. C. Urey who heads the Columbia University Division of the office of Scientific Research and Development, a governmental agency under the executive office of President Franklin D. Roosevelt. Dr. Cook will serve in the chemistry section of this office's work. The type of work being done by this federal agency is highly confidential, but it was organized to utilize the scientific resources for the winning of the war.

Arrangements are being made of Dr. Cook's classes during his periodically to campus to assist in



DR. COOK

by the administration to take care absence, although he will return the supervision of the work of the chemistry department and in the giving and grading of examinations.

Dr. Cook is a native of Yoakum, Texas. He received his B.S. from Baylor University, his M.S. from Vanderbilt University, and his Ph.D. in 1928 from Columbia. Before assuming the position as head of Albright's chemistry department, he taught at Hendrix College, Arkansas, S. W. Texas State Teachers College, and assisted at Columbia University.

Y. M. President Leads New Year Meditation

Lippert Plans Sunday Service For College Bible Class

Bruce Knisely, Y. M. president, led a combined "Y" worship service last Tuesday evening in Sylvan Chapel.

The brief service departed from the usual order of hymns, prayer, and scripture; no one presided in the pulpit. Instead Mr. Knisely, seated in the back of the dimly-lit chapel, led the group in appropriate New Year's meditation and prayer.

Hymns were played softly before and after the service by Rachel Wessner. The chapel was left open for an hour following the meeting for those who wished to return for private meditation and prayer.

Sunday Worship Services will be resumed January 10, with students again taking charge of the programs.

William Lippert is planning the College Bible Class Service which is held at 8:45 a. m. in the College Chapel. Professor Lewis Smith will present the exposition.

Polly Walls and Felice Epstein will conduct the evening vesper in Sylvan Chapel.

Local Students Hear Geil, Kresge Speeches

Dr. Milton G. Geil spoke to the student body in Chapel Tuesday morning on the making of New Year's resolutions. He pointed out the importance of cultivating good behavior habits since one can not change his character by a few radical New Year's resolutions.

Reverend Ralph W. Kresge, pastor of Christ Evangelical Church of Reading, was the speaker at Chapel Services held on Wednesday and Thursday.

Although the program for Monday and Tuesday has not been completed as we go to press, the chapel committee announces that Dr. Raphael Fenili, head of the Latin and Spanish Departments, will address the Wednesday and Thursday assemblies.

Students To Attend Service In Synagogue

"Y" Group Visits Oheb Shalom For Interfaith Workshop

Continuing their Go-to-Church-Sunday program, the "Y's" are sponsoring a visit to the Temple Oheb Shalom to share in a Jewish worship service conducted by the Rabbi Sidney L. Regner at eight o'clock. All students and faculty are invited to attend.

The group will meet at the rear of the Administration building and walk to the Temple, which is located at Thirteenth Street and Perkiomen Avenue.

After the service the group will meet informally with Rabbi Regner.

Future visits to a Catholic church, a Society of Friends' Meeting and a Negro service have been planned.

Patricia Smith and Stewart Bingman are co-chairmen of the Church Relationship Committee, the sponsoring group.

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Pot Shot Pot Pourri

1943 promises to be an interesting year, one crowded with uncertainty. The world outlook is still confused, (not only from our viewpoint); national problems are not completely resolved; campus life points to a future increasingly vague. Many of the men on campus face imminent induction and departure. How long others may be permitted to remain is also in doubt. Nor are Albright's women aloof to their responsibilities in this war situation; they too must confront problems involving change and adjustment.

These conditions are not unknown to *The Albrightian*. Members of our staff are subject to calls for service. War economy has added to the difficulties. One of these days we may post a final deadline.

We do not believe, however, that the lack of certainty which droops all over the future is justification enough for evading it. What lies ahead must be faced—and squarely, acting as we are taught, in the light of our best judgment after viewing all the facts at our disposal.

Therefore, instead of getting out from under everything under the assumption that War is what-General-Sherman-said-it-was so what-the-General-Sherman-said-it-was, we suggest the following aims and objectives for the New Year.

1. The Student Council should dig around for a constitution. This would increase its standing in directive circles as would more decisive action along inter-faith lines which now and then become too broad for the "Y's" to handle cleanly.
2. Our friends, the waiters, might decelerate the dining tempo a few notches to mitigate current break-neck trends toward indigestion on the part of the harried and hurried diners. Pete Van Driel & Co. have received and rated many plaudits in the past; they would be applauded in this area too should they take their feet off the floor-board.
3. On the other side of the fence, all laggards should get their sugar ration books in.
4. The Day Students operate under a "need for expansion." Their statistics are available.
5. The Fraternal Gentlemen might review some of the principles to which their order demands allegiance, particularly with respect to relationships of prejudice and understanding. We might be blunt here—but the boys know what we mean. The Inter-Fraternity Council could stand a shot in the arm, incidentally.

I Say, Editor, Old Man

Someone certainly is "hot on the track" of the Home Ec. Dept.! The letter to the editor last week was a scorcher.

The contents of the letter had to do with a fashion show sponsored by the Home Ec. Dept. that was held here previous to Christmas vacation. It seems that the mysterious Miss-Tery writer was a bit disturbed that the show was not carried along according to Hoyle. We "pursers of the codes of etiquette" as the writer put it, fell down miserably, so the writer thinks.

Let me not apologize, but explain the entire situation and defend the Home Ec'ers. First, the demonstrator arrived late—quite in a huff and wasted five extra minutes telling the taxi driver that she must have him call for her for she already had him trained in carrying her garments properly.

The Home Ec Dept. had set up what they thought would be adequate space for a dressing room, but Miss Demonstrator thought it not the proper amount of space for dresses—so we had to disturb

the A. P. O.'s and proceed up their back "dressing room."

The program was planned that the guest should properly be introduced by the faculty of the Home Ec. Dept. The demonstrator was forwarned of the welcome she was to receive, but being in a huff because she was late, she forgot all her systems of management and how to proceed properly at the fashion show and when she was good and ready she began, ignoring a proper introduction which was to be given her. The demonstrator closed the show in her own way and that was that.

As to thanking the guest for coming—a point which the mysterious writer brought up—it was proper for the demonstrator to thank the guest and for the Home Ec. Dept., the sponsors of the show, to thank the demonstrator, if she would have given them a chance.

Well, old man editor, I presented my side of the story. Oh! But another point—the demonstrator was not a Home Economics graduate—as most demonstrators are! Do I win the case?

MILLIE RUEBSAMEN.



LIONS IN THE RANKS

Are the fellows in the front lines thinking about their Alma Mater? You can bet your bottom dollar they most certainly are, and, if you're not the wagering type, here are some letters of appreciation for the Christmas gifts and *The Albrightians* which let them know that the Lions on the home front are not deserters.

Don Spatz, '43, sent this letter to Rev. H. Leroy Bringer from the U. S. Naval Air Station in Pensacola, Florida, the day after Christmas:

Thank you for the kind Christmas spirit you have shown. Your gift of goodies, accompanied by the greeting cards, were welcomed indeed.

During the past year, you have been thoughtful to send *THE ALBRIGHTIAN* and other current announcements of any interest to me. I do not stand alone in commenting on this fine service. Other Albright men in the service know and appreciate the spirit behind the work.

Thank you again for your thoughtfulness. Cadet Donald Spatz U.S.N.R.

Two Christmas cards were received by this staff: one from Lt. George D. Henry, Jr., of Camp Claiborne, Louisiana, and another from Pvt. Harry G. Biting of Keans, Utah. The latter bore the following message:

It was my hope to express my greetings to the entire student body and faculty. Hence I chose *THE ALBRIGHTIAN* to act as an intermediary for me. I trust you will relay my greeting to those mentioned.

As yet I've had little more than training and schooling in the Air Force. In the very near future, however, I expect to be assigned to a squadron, at which time I'll at last get into this war myself.

My best wishes to everyone at Albright for success and happiness through the coming year. Pvt. Harry Biting, '42.

A few days later, Bit sent the letter printed below to *The Albrightian* editor.

I hope you don't mind my using you as a sort of clearing house for my mail. You see, I don't know who is responsible for the swell box I received today, so I'm going to ask you to please see to it that my thanks reach the proper persons or organizations.

It was a very welcome box and everything in it was swell, especially the cough drops. You see, I have a pretty bad cough and it seems there isn't a cough drop to be had anywhere.

I trust everything is well with everyone back at school. Give my best to all of them and tell them my buddies and I will do our very best to "Keep 'em Flying."

Bit was the capable business manager of this publication last year. Serving as feature editor at the same time was Seymour Mendelsohn, who writes as follows:

In order that I may thank all those persons responsible for sending me the Christmas gift package, I am expressing my gratitude to them through you.

When the holiday card folder arrived, I was pleasantly surprised. But when the package came with the return address marked Albright College, I was more than surprised. I was thrilled.

The contents were well chosen. The package of v-mail envelopes was especially appropriate. Being at an overseas replacement training center and destined for foreign service very soon, I will be able to put the envelopes to good use and I am grateful to you for sending them.

It was a wonderful feeling to know that my Alma Mater was so thoughtful to remember her sons in the armed services. My buddies commented upon it, and I was very proud to tell them of the "Red and the White" way back East.

To the faculty, sororities, fraternities, and other organizations who expressed their greetings for a merry Christmas season and a happy New Year, I wish to each and every one of them the same holiday spirit of friendship, good-will, and joy.

All of us—the home front and the fighting front—pray for speedy victory and peace and may both of us be joined together at Albright's "Homecoming Day" next year. And as our Alma Mater has not forgotten us in the service, so will we—her loyal sons in uniform—remember the college of hearts always. Pvt. Seymour Mendelsohn, '42.

DR. HAMILTON AND ADAM

"Adam Ramage and His Presses," by Dr. Milton W. Hamilton, was reviewed in the *New York Times Book Review*, Dec. 27, 1942, in the department, "Notes on Rare Books" by Philip Brooks. He said in part:

"In the early part of the last century the rapid expansion of this country was accompanied by a collateral growth of printing offices that extended clear out to the frontier. With little or no capital, job printers appeared in the wilderness to set up shop, and almost overnight every mushroom town had its local newspaper. The thing that made it possible was the emergence of the Ramage presses, which were cheap, light, easily carted by wagon or boat, and so simple in design that a carpenter or blacksmith could keep them in repair. To repair the gap in the history of American printing, Milton W. Hamilton has done some useful research, the results of which are embodied in his "Adam Ramage and His Presses."

MORE

From the ex-Zetas, Bill Demidovich, '43, writes that he will soon graduate from a school training him in radio operating. He'll send his new address the minute he's relocated. And the Navy Department informs us that Vincent Rusbosin, '41, former Student Council president, won his Navy "Wings of Gold" and was commissioned an Ensign in the Naval Reserve.

Because camp addresses are constantly changing, it is impossible to maintain an up-to-date list in *The Albrightian* as was intended earlier in the school year. However, don't let this prevent corresponding, for both Rev. Bringer and Anna R. Benninger, assistant to the Dean and Registrar, have the most nearly complete and accurate files available.

SCIENCE SLANTS

By MIRIAM WEIDNER

"THE DOC"

That sharp snappy green-clad drillmaster who so aptly puts the C. P. T. pilots through their paces is Albright's own Dr. Clarence Horn, known affectionately to all pre-meds as "The Doc." No one will ever forget his gruesome lectures in freshmen hygiene or the suspicions they aroused toward fellow classmates.

Dr. Horn was born in McKeanburg, Pa. In school, he was (is) always in mischief. His favorite pastime was throwing juicy spit balls at the teacher. In high school, he was quite a celebrity, wrote for the school paper and was secretary of his class. He attended Schuylkill Seminary where he took a college preparation course. For one year, he taught at Tylesville, North Carolina. Next, he attended Penn State where he majored in biology. He was a cadet officer and a member of the rifle team. He was also at Ruscum College in Tennessee.

He entered the United States Army where he worked in the bacteriological and pathological labs at the General Hospital 36 in Michigan and the General Hospital 14 located in Georgia. While at the latter hospital, he also did a great deal of work on peaches.

After leaving the army, he taught a year at Ashland High School. There he acquired that lusty bellow, second only in volume to Prof. Green. For a time, he was professor of biology at West Virginia Wesleyan. In 1924, he came to Albright. The same year he received his certificate of public health at Bellevue Hospital Medical School. During the summer, he attended the department of physiology of the school of Medicine at Columbia. He received his M. A. in 1926. The work for his Ph. D. was completed, but not his residence. For three summers, he was instructor of physiology at Columbia.

Dr. Horn tells this story on Prof. Green, who was once his student. Green was so interested in his

work that instead of going home nights, he often slept on the table in the laboratory. There was a pet possum of the laboratory who kept Green company at night while he worked on an explosive organic compound. One night while Marcus was snoring, the possum, endowed with scientific curiosity, pulled the cork from the test tube. You've guessed it! There was an explosion. It threw Green off the table. Green threw the possum out the window. Everybody including the possum was very unhappy; he was never seen again. It must have been that fall off of the table that affected him. I mean the possum, of course.

At the present time, Dr. Horn is chairman of the Health Committee of the Council of Social Agencies, President-elect of the Pennsylvania Academy of Science, and Vice-President of the Mengel Natural History Society of Reading.

The Horns are quite a scientific family. Mrs. Horn is a chiroprapist and Janet Horn, a graduate of Albright following in her parents' scientific footsteps, is a laboratory technician.

T. B. Nets 4,000

The Reading Chapter of the American Red Cross Association wishes to congratulate and thank Dr. Horn, the student body, and faculty of Albright for their splendid 100 per cent cooperation in the annual sale of tuberculosis Christmas seals. A total of 4,000 seals was sold on campus.

	Seniors	Juniors	Sophomores	Freshmen	Total
E. R. C.	7	11	10	13	41
Navy	6	3	2	5	16
Marines	3	1	3	0	7
Army Air	0	2	2	2	6
C. P. T.	0	2	0	0	2
2A	19	7	1	0	27
4D	6	6	2	0	14
4 E, F	3	2	0	0	5

Above is a compilation showing the various reserve corps enlistments and standings of all classified men attending Albright. These figures were released by the registrar's office early this week. Directly affected are the 41 enlistees in the Enlisted Reserve Corp of the Army, who will go at the end of the current semester. Those students not in the reserve corps are classified in 2a, 4e, or 4f. Not shown is the number of men under draft age or those already drafted, but deferred.

Pi Taus Elect Melick For President's Post

Walter Melick was elected president of the Pi Tau Beta Fraternity at the semi-annual elections held last Tuesday evening. Mr. Melick succeeds Dwight Dundore in the chief executive's post. Also chosen were: Mervin Runner, scribe; Saul Pokrass, treasurer; Stewart Blingman, vice-president and chaplain.

The new president, a senior, hails from Morristown, N. J., and is a Business Administration major. He is also business manager of *The Albrightian* and an active member of the Albright Business Club and Inter-Fraternity Council.

CALENDAR

- Friday, January 8**
 1.00 p.m.—Albrightian Staff — Room 210.
 7.30-9.30 — First Aid — Advanced Course—Y^W Room.
 7.45 p.m.—Y^W trip to Temple Oheb Shelom.
Saturday, January 9
 7.15 and 8.30 p.m.—Basketball with Fort Meade Soldiers' Squad.
Sunday, January 10
 8.45 a.m.—College Bible Class—College Chapel.
 7.30 p.m.—Evening Worship—Sylvan Chapel.
Monday, January 11
 8.00 a.m.—Assembly.
 3.30 p.m.—Orchestra Rehearsal.
 4.30 p.m.—Band Rehearsal.
 6.45 p.m.—Intra-mural Basketball — N. E. Jr. H. S.
 7.00-8.00 p.m.—Debate Squad.
 7.00-9.00 p.m.—Fraternity and Sorority Meetings.
Tuesday, January 12
 8.00 a.m.—Assembly.
 4.30 p.m.—Inter-Fraternity Council.
 6.45 p.m.—Intra-mural Basketball, Basketball with F. & M.—Away.
 7.30 p.m.—Y^W worship service.
Wednesday, January 13
 8.00 a.m.—Chapel.
 7.30 p.m.—Dumino Club meeting.
Thursday, January 14
 8.00 a.m.—Chapel.
 3.30 p.m.—Women's Glee Club.
 7.30 p.m.—Defense Council—Science Lecture Hall.
 7.30-9.30—First Aid Course—Standard—Y^W Room.
Friday, January 15
 7.15 p.m.—Debate with Ursinus — College Chapel.
 7.30-9.30—First Aid Course — Advanced—Y^W Room.
Saturday, January 16
 7.15 and 8.30 p.m.—Basketball with Lakehurst Naval A.—Home.
Sunday, January 17
 8.45 a.m.—Bible Class—College Chapel.
 7.30 p.m.—Evening Worship—Sylvan Chapel.

Expect To Call Most Naval, Army Reserves At Semester's Close

Pre-Meds Will Acquire Special Temporary Deferral; 'V'-Plans Continue

The latest Army-Navy bulletin released December 17, 1942, states that Enlisted Reserve Corps students will be called to active duty at the end of the current semester, and upon completion of basic training will be eligible for selection for further training under this program or other military duty.

An exception was made for pre-medical students in the Enlisted Reserve Corps, or those inducted before June 30, 1943, taking approved courses. These students will continue or be returned to an inactive status until the end of the next academic semester and will then be called to active duty. Those selected for further medical or pre-medical training will be detailed for such instruction under the Army Specialized Training Program.

At the termination of any phase of specialized training under this program the soldiers will be selected for:

1. Further training in an Officer Candidate School.
2. Recommended for a technical non-commissioned officer.
3. In exceptional cases, detailed for very advanced technical training.
4. In very exceptional cases, he made available for technical work to be done out of the army, but deemed to be highly important to the war effort.

The assignment of soldiers to the Army Specialized Training program will be placed in effect during the month of February, 1943, except for such action as may be required under the same prior to that time.

No order for induction will be given on a date prior to TWO WEEKS after the completion of the present semester.

The Navy Department has now in operation four programs for the training of male officers, V-1, V-5, V-7 and the Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps. Enlistment of college students in the V-1 program will be terminated March 15, 1943. Under V-1, men were enrolled in accredited colleges and permitted to continue college for a prescribed period at their own expense. A certain percentage of these men were transferred to V-5 for flight training or V-7 for training for deck or engineering duties.

Under the new program, all reservists in V-1, V-5 and V-7 may continue in college following their present studies until a date to be determined when they will be placed on active duty as apprentice seamen with full pay, subsistence and uniforms. At that time on active duty they will complete their college training which will be accelerated in the case of all students except engineering students and those who by July 1, 1943, will enter the senior college class. Students whose plans for medical, dental or theological training are approved by the Navy Department will continue on active duty as apprentice seamen under instruction in accelerated curricula in approved schools and seminaries until completion of their professional studies. Consideration will be given to the student's choice of the institution to which he will be assigned for the completion of his college course.

Special attention has been given to the 18 and 19-year-old students who are not in the Army or Navy Reserve Corps. Occupational deferment will be granted until the end of the academic term which is now in progress by the Selective Service Boards to those students who are specializing in the following courses:

1. All pre-med, pre-dent, and pre-veterinary students who have completed one year of study in approved institutions.
2. All students in approved colleges who are specializing in chemistry, physics, bacteriology, and are within two years of the completion of the specialized curriculum.

WAR IS ON THE WIRES!

In our advertising, we ask the public to make no unnecessary telephone calls—especially Long Distance calls to centers of war activity—and to keep all calls as brief as possible.

Here are the reasons for this request:

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War Calls Must Go Through!



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 He maketh me to show my ignorance
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 He giveth me more than I can learn,
 He lowereth my grades,
 Yea, though I walk through the valley of knowledge,
 I do not learn.
 He fireth questions at me
 In the presence of my classmates.
 He annoieth my head with problems.
 My eyes runneth over.
 Surely atoms and molecules
 Shall follow me all the days of my life.

THE YORK COLLEGIAN.

Did you hear about the moron who bought the tall ladder and then cut out all the rungs so he could wash windows on the ground floor?

THE YORK COLLEGIAN.

She said that girls certainly do regret losing their youth—unless they can pick up another immediately.

THE STUTE.

Prof: I shall not start the class until the room settles down.

Voice from rear: Sure, we understand. Go home and sleep it off, old man.

MAROON AND GOLD.

The Proposal

"Go to father," she said when I asked her to wed;

For she knew that I knew her father was dead,

And she knew that I knew what she meant when she said,

"Go to father!"

THE TECH OF V. P. I.

Two Albright Alumnae Enlist In Naval Force

Mary Kalina, Mary Etta Filbert Become Wave recruits

Two Albright women have enlisted in the service of their country. Mary Kalina, K^W technician who graduated from Albright in June 1939 and then entered the Buffalo Hospital in New York has joined the WAVES as a medical technologist. This group has just been instituted in naval service. Miss Kalina enlisted as an apprentice seaman and will be commissioned an ensign after six months training at Cedar Falls, Iowa.

Mary Etta Filbert, a graduate of the class of June 1940, applied on December 21, 1942 for entrance into the Waves as a medical technician. She is awaiting the acceptance of her application.

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Lions Train Guns on Fort Meade

IN BIGGER GAME



RALPH WAGNER

While everyone was talking about the exodus of Albright men which the calling of reserves will cause, one of the Lions' most dependable gridders was quietly leaving for the service, Ralph Wagner went into the Army of the United States just before Christmas.

Center of the Albright line, Wagner kicked off for the Red and White in most of the 1942 games. His husky frame will be missed on campus and gridiron.

Lion Cubs Lose First To Clover Farms Five

Wins Over Hershey, Franklins Give Juniors Fine Record

A rapidly improving Jayvee team extended its win-streak to five straight before bowing to the strong Clover Farms quintet of the City League. Playing the preliminary games before the Varsity attractions over the holiday season, the Junior Lions defeated the Hershey Industrial School and the Franklin A.C. by scores of 45-32 and 48-40 respectively. Their first defeat this season came at the hands of Clover Farms in an overtime contest which found Albright on the short end of a 24-23 count.

The Clover Farms game preceded the Wyoming classic. Both teams played strong defensive games and intermission found the Clover Farms team out in front 11-9. Fighting doggedly to overhaul their rivals, the Junior Varsity managed to tie the Clovermen at 22-22 on a beautiful overhead shot by lanky Thomas Orr. In the ensuing overtime period, Jimmy Trout, who paced the victors, netted a difficult shot while the best Albright could do was a foul toss. The towering Orr who collected 12 points and the irresistible Anstadt played excellent half as the Jayvees, who sorely missed absentee Joe Duff, saw their winning record smashed.

Albright JV's		Hershey Industrial	
G.	F. P.	G.	F. P.
Brush	1 0	2 Kluener	2 0 10
Kachline	2 0	4 H. King	2 0 4
Orr	5 0	12 Fauber	0 1 1
Duff	2 0	10 Williams	0 0 0
Dearden	1 0	2 Piasic	0 0 0
Deach	2 0	4 Bomgart	2 2 6
Davis	1 0	2 King	1 0 2
Merkel	1 0	2 Kane	2 1 5
Snyder	0 1		
Anstadt	2 0		
E.Sholler	1 0		
	21 3 45		14 4 32

Franklin A. C.		Albright JV's	
G.	F. P.	G.	F. P.
Garl	1 0	0 Duff	7 0 14
Schafer	0 1	1 Deach	0 0 0
Cherri	0 0	0 Brusck	2 1 5
Eckhardt	2 0	4 Davis	2 0 4
Seltzer	1 1	3 Orr	2 0 4
Gallagher	0 3	12 Dearden	0 0 10
Mullinger	1 1	5 Vidinski	1 0 2
Crump	1 0	2 Shollen'er	3 1 7
Pauly	0 0	0 Kachline	0 0 0
Latz	2 0	2 Anstadt	1 0 2
Burkhart	3 0	6 Merkel	0 0 0
	17 6 40		23 2 48

Albright J. V.'s		Clover Farms	
G.	F. P.	G.	F. P.
Vidinski	1 0	0 Fake	1 1 3
Dearden	0 0	0 Hoffman	1 0 2
Shollen'er	1 0	2 Griesmer	2 0 6
Orr	5 0	3 Trout	0 4 0
Deach	2 0	0 McOnate	0 0 0
Kachline	1 1	3 Roth'ger	1 3 5
Davis	1 0	0	0
Anstadt	2 1	0	0
Brush	0 0	0	0
Snyder	0 0	0	0
	9 5 23		9 6 24

Fouls committed—Clover Farms, 12; Albright, 9. Referees—Harnish and Norris.

Albright Cagers Triumph In Two; Bow To Wyoming Aggressive Plays Swamps Cornell 56-29; Coast Guards Overwhelmed 59-38; Cowhands Barely Win 56-52

By BOB MERKEL

Putting on a dazzling display of speed and ball-handling, the high-scoring Albright quintet treated capacity crowds at the Northwest floor to a series of holiday games which could not be surpassed from the standpoint of competitive interest and good basketball. Scheduled to meet three major opponents within six days, the Lions started off in impressive fashion by humbling the strong Coast Guard team from Philadelphia 59-38 on Saturday night, December 19. On the following Tuesday evening, the Big Red of Cornell fell victim before Albright's razzle-dazzle play by the overwhelming score of 56-29. In a thrilling, Christmas Eve contest, the Wyoming giants barely managed to eke out a 56-52 decision over the fighting Lions.

Piling up a commanding 32-12 lead in the first half, the Lions completely outclassed their service team rivals. The Coast Guards made only one serious threat when they rallied for ten straight points at the beginning of the second half to slash Albright's lead in two. However, Ken Hopkins' charity toss and two buckets by Dick Shollenberger nullified this spurge and Albright won going away. Shollenberger paced the Albright attack with 18 points while McCollum collected 13 for the Coast Guard.

Meeting Ivy League court opposition for the first time, Albright added greatly to its growing reputation and prestige by soundly trouncing the Big Red of Cornell. Bewildered by the Lions' flashing style of play, the Ithacan's attack crumbled after a tightly fought first half and they scored only 12 points in the closing periods. Leading 23-17 at the halfway mark, the Lions returned to the floor and exhibited perhaps the best all-around game they have played this season, outscoring their opponents 36-12. Leading the whirlwind offense with 13 and 12 points, respectively, Russ Guensch and Dick Shollenberger turned in stellar performances at the forward posts, while Ken Hopkins and Dewey Boltz excelled in the backcourt. Dick Giles, a Reading product, led the Big Red with a 7-point effort.

The Lions failed by the narrowest margin to upset the high-flying Wyoming squad which made its second appearance in as many years on the local court. In a game which could have gone either way, the tremendous height advantage of the Wyoming lineup, which average well over six feet, proved to be the deciding factor. Sharing 35 points between them, Milo Komenich, 6 feet 7 inch center, and Kenny Sailors, sensational forward and master dribbler, led the Cowboys to a hard-earned victory over the tenacious Lions. Trailing Wyoming throughout most of the game, the Lions were able to outscore their Western rivals 24-19 in the second half but Wyoming protected its lead with timely sprints. Chin Rhoads, diminutive Lion forward, turned in a brilliant performance as a floor man while Shollenberger and Guensch were again the high scorers, netting 12 and 10 points respectively. Line-ups follow:

Albright		Coast Guards	
G.	F. P.	G.	F. P.
Shollen'er	19 0 18	Vanes	1 0 2
Guensch	13 0 2	Fiorella	1 0 2
Rhoads	2 1 3	McCullum	6 1 13
Stark	1 0 2	1 Instead	0 0 0
Hanser	4 2 13	Looby	4 3 11
Bunn	2 0 2	1 Jordan	4 0 8
Boltz	2 4 8	1 Shell	0 2 2
Horn	1 0 2		
Hopkins	3 2 8		
Kane	0 0 0		
	25 9 59		16 6 38

Albright		Cornell	
G.	F. P.	G.	F. P.
Rhoads	1 0 2	8 Giles	1 0 2
Stark	1 0 2	2 Harper	1 0 2
Shollen'er	1 1 5	2 Gallagher	1 1 3
Guensch	6 1 13	1 Peterson	0 0 0
Horn	0 0 0	6 Boase	1 0 2
Bunn	0 0 2	2 Parker	1 0 2
Hanser	1 2 4	4 Hillier	3 1 7
Boltz	3 0 6	6 Cose	1 1 3
Hopkins	4 0 8	3 Cartmill	0 0 0
Kane	0 0 0	0 Hunter	0 1 1
	23 10 56		12 5 29

Wyoming		Albright	
G.	F. P.	G.	F. P.
Weir	3 1 19	1 Rhoads	2 2 8
Sailors	8 3 19	1 Guensch	5 0 10
Reese	1 1 3	1 Shollen'er	4 4 12
Komenich	7 2 16	1 Stark	1 0 2
Harlen	2 2 7	2 Hanser	2 0 4
Roney	0 0 0	0 Bunn	1 0 2
Katama	0 0 0	0 Horn	0 0 0
Collins	0 0 0	0 Boltz	2 1 5
Volker	2 0 4	4 Hopkins	3 3 9
	23 10 56		21 10 52

Fouls committed—Wyoming, 21; Albright, 14. Referees—Stakowski and Lewis.

A.P.O.'s Meet Zetas In Feature Contest

Intramural basketball resumes play Monday night when the A. P. O.'s and Zetas clash on the Northeast Jr. High court at 7 p.m. With the Zetas unbeaten as yet and the A. P. O. team hanging doggedly onto second place, this game promises to be a real thriller. Other games of the evening see the Daymen and Pi Taus battling for a second win and the Theologs meeting a rampaging Frosh club.

On Tuesday evening the Daymen and Kappas open on the 13th and Union floor. Following that come games between the Theologs and Zetas and Frosh and Pi Taus. This week is packed with action all the way.

Soldier Five Replaces Ursinus After Bears Drop Court Schedule

Kramer, Former L. I. U. Threat, Will Lead Service Club In Tonight's Fray

The Northwest Jr. High Gym will go military again tomorrow night when Albright's Roaring Lions collide with the Army boys from Fort George G. Meade, Md. Coach Neal O. Harris hopes that the Red and White will repeat the 59-38 drubbing they gave the U. S. Coast Guard five on December 19 to make it a clean slate against Uncle Sam's armed forces. The service team replaces originally scheduled Ursinus, who has canceled its complete basketball card.

Displaying an early season record of four wins and two losses, the local boys are digging in for the January siege with such formidable rivals as Muhlenberg and Franklin and Marshall. The Albright squad came up with a Christmas present for Coach Harris by defeating Cornell, 56-29, and losing a close one to Wyoming, 56-52.

Meade Squad Star Laden

Fort Meade promises an evenly matched contest, having won five of their seven games this season. The service squad is rolling into Reading with a bevy of professional and college court stars. Heading the aggregation is Ben Kramer who has seen action with both Long Island U. and the Washington Brewers in the American Pro League. To win Albright will have to prevent this scoring threat from finding the mark with his set shots.

Other stars on the roster include Sam Cozzi, formerly from West Chester; Howie Kahn of Temple; Luther Kieffer, a Lancaster product; and Leonard Zaroff of West Philadelphia High. Versatile Tom Gorman, of pro-basketball and baseball fame, is player-coach, directing the boys from the center position. Players from the University of Pittsburgh, Villanova, and Scranton Tech help complete the squad.

After the Albright game the Fort Meade team will be gunning for victories over Kutztown, Shippensburg, Franklin and Marshall, and Juniata.

The Albright Junior Varsity will meet the Eberly's Druggist squad of the city league. They are trying to keep up their promising record of four victories with only one loss.

Probable starting lineup:

ALBRIGHT	FT. MEADE
Shollenberger	F..... Kramer
Rhoads	F..... Cozzi
Hanser or Bunn	G..... Gorman
Hopkins	G..... Kahn
Boltz	G..... Zaroff

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By DICK MAJOR

A number of Albrightians were disappointed when Wyoming nosed out the Lions on Christmas Eve—an Albright victory would have been such a swell Christmas present for the students and faculty—but it was no disgrace to lose to the Cowboys. The western team chalked up a brilliant record on its tour of the east. Duquesne, probably the best club in this section, only beat them by a few points; while Wyoming toppled Rochester University after 23 straight wins and soundly trounced LaSalle in Philadelphia's Conventional Hall.

It was a pleasure to see our predecessor, Roy Connor—pardon us, Sergeant Roy Connor of the U. S. Army Air Corps—back on campus for a day. Roy played guard on the grid eleven and was active in intramurals as an Albright student.

Dick Shollenberger is well in the lead of the Lion court scorers so far this year. He has twice as many field goals as any man on the squad, while his 89 points are nearly double those collected by Chin Rhoads, his nearest competitor.

The totals for six games read as follows:

	Games	Goals	Fouls	Points
Dick Shollenberger	6	39	11	89
Chin Rhoads	6	18	10	46
Russ Guensch	6	19	4	42
Ken Hopkins	6	15	8	38
Jimmy Bunn	6	11	5	27
Walt Hauser	6	9	4	22
Dick Stark	6	7	0	14
Jim Kane	5	1	1	3
George Horn	6	1	5	2

In compiling this record, Sholly has pushed his collegiate scoring total up to 982, just 18 points short of the coveted 1,000 mark. If Sholly and the Lions are hot Saturday, he may achieve that goal.

A year ago some people said, "Stop Shollenberger and you can stop Albright." We believe that could not be done now. Even if Sholly should be held scoreless against Ft. Meade, if he passes to other sharpshooters like Russ Guensch, Dewey Boltz, and Chin Rhoads when he is bottled up, the Lions will continue to rack up baskets. That's the kind of a team that we hope this year—we hope.

The basketball squad gave their mentor a hat as a Christmas present. Coach Harris said that we proclaim his gratitude for the gift.

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