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## Domino Club Plans Series of Five Plays

Season Opens With "The Rivals"; Replaces Shakesperean Play

The program of plays to be produced by the Domino Club during the 1940-41 season was announced by George Henry, president, at the first meeting of the year, which was held in the chapel on Wednesday night. There have been a few changes in the schedule which has been followed for the last two years.

Departing this year from a Shakesperean play, the club will open the season with Sheridan's "The Rivals." Five performances of this comedy of manners will be given on November 21, 22 and 23. Second of the plays will be "The White Steed," an Irish drama by Paul Vincent Carroll, for which the dates are January 15 and 16. John Masefield's "Good Friday" will be the sixth annual Passion Drama play and will be presented on March 30.

The one-act plays which are written by Dr. John B. Douds' creative writing class and which usually have been presented during Commencement Week, will be presented on May 10. It was suggested that seniors who expected to teach should direct the plays to train them for later work in dramatics. No play has been selected for the Greek festival, but the tentative date has been set for June 6 or 7.

Part of the meeting was given over to a drama question bee. Participants were divided into two groups, the object being to see which group had the most survivors.

## "Y" Members To Attend Conference At F. and M.

Will Hear Address By Dr. Howard Thurman

The "Y's" will leave for Franklin and Marshall College today, where they will attend a conference on "The Place of Worship in Modern Life." The main speaker will be Dr. Howard Thurman, Dean of Chapel at Howard University, Washington, D. C. Dr. Thurman is well-known as a poet and a mystic.

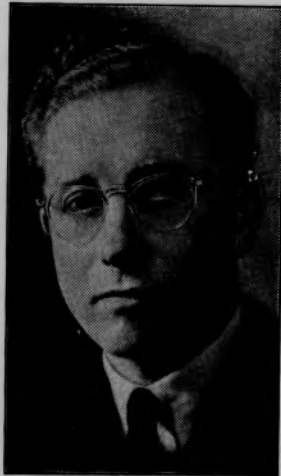
The conference will open with Dr. Thurman's address at four o'clock, "Worship—Power for Action." There will be discussion from the floor following the address. The evening session will be a panel discussion in which college professors, theological students, and a rabbi will participate. Dr. Thurman will close the sessions with a short worship service.

The "Y's" will supply transportation for all who wish to attend the conference. The charge for registration and the evening meal will be 75c. Cars will leave the "Ad" building at two o'clock.

### TO DISCUSS PACIFISM

"Is the Pacifist a Slacker," will be the theme of a discussion at a meeting in the chapel at 8 o'clock Wednesday night. All students are invited. Arthur McKay will be the leader.

## Eyewitness



H. R. Knickerbocker, I. N. S. war correspondent in Europe during the last year, who will speak in the college dining hall on Thursday, October 17.

## War Correspondent To Speak Here Oct. 17

H. R. Knickerbocker Flies From London This Week

H. R. Knickerbocker, ace foreign correspondent, now in war-torn London, will speak on campus Thursday evening, October 17, providing he is still alive and the Nazi blitzkrieg hasn't grabbed him.

With a reward on his head, dead or alive, Knickerbocker, Hitler's most detestable correspondent, will tell of his experiences in Holland, Belgium, France and England during the last few months.

He plans to arrive in America by trans-Atlantic clipper this week. Albright College will be one of his first speaking engagements. He will spend the rest of the year touring the country giving eyewitness accounts of the second World War.

The campus lecture is sponsored by the cultural program committee of the college. Tickets for students will cost fifty cents.

## Tag Days For Y. W. C. A. Arrive Next Week

Monday and Tuesday of next week will see the members of the Y. W. C. A. distributing paper tags in exchange for student contributions. The committee, headed by Margaret Hollenbach, will have charge of the two "Y" chapel programs, designed to appeal to the student body for funds.

Since there is no provision for social service projects in the "Y" budget, the "Tag Days" money will provide Thanksgiving and Christmas baskets for the adopted "Y" family, and material for refugee work.

Students will be approached by members of the "Y." A tag is the only insurance against some really high-pressure salesmanship.

## Large Home-coming Program To Greet Alumni Tomorrow

Muhlenberg Grid Game Is Big Attraction

## Faculty Members Comment On Draft

Majority Of Them Say Conditions Warrant It

Last week the Albrightian tried to tell you what the students think about the peacetime conscription law. This week comments from the faculty have been gathered for the students' observation.

DR. MILTON G. GEIL started the ball rolling with this statement: "It's probably the fairest approach, because it distributes more equally the responsibility involved in the present emergency."

PROFESSOR NEWTON DANDFORD took enough time off from his lunch to say that "it's better to have it and not need it, than to need it and not have it."

### Opposes Draft

A negative note was injected into the comments by ROBERT L. WORK, who said, "It is the result of war panic," and then proceeded to point out that Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and South Africa don't have it in spite of the fact that the British Empire has been at war a year.

DR. JOHN B. DOUDS expressed his opinion this way: "I think young men should take the attitude that it is better to be trained now than shot later. If we have a large reserve of trained manpower, we'll probably never be attacked, for dictators, like all bullies, specialize in pushovers. With proper safeguards the draft need not impair democracy; but every citizen should be alert to expose political favoritism to use the draft to punish critics of the army or the government."

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## Senate Members Named In Council Election

3 Faculty Members To Assist In Formulating Program

The faculty members elected to the Senate of the Student Assembly for this year were officially announced yesterday. They are: Prof. Lewis E. Smith, chairman; Mrs. Anna H. Smith, and Neal O. Harris. Constitutionally, the Senate consists of three members of the faculty and three student representatives: The president, vice-president and secretary-treasurer of Student Council. Vincent Rusbosin, Seymour Mendelsohn, and Dorothy Gaul automatically become members.

The power of the Senate—upper house of the Student Assembly—lies in its prerogative of approving all proposed legislation of Student Council.

Since the Senate is the final authority in student government, the election of its members by the student representatives is a step forward on the road to democratic student government. Heretofore, the faculty portion of the Senate was appointed by the faculty committee on student activities.

Tomorrow is the day that all the "welcome" mats will be brushed off and put out, the fraternity houses will be clean for the first and last time this year, and the library will be bustling and noisy again; for the alumni are coming home.

Extensive plans for entertainment have been completed by the various campus organization and a committee of the Alumni Association, including Rev. Leroy Bringer, Miss Anna Benninger and Robert L. Work.

### Muhlenberg Game at 2:30

Highlight of the program will be the Albright-Muhlenberg football game, starting at 2:30 p. m. Immediately following the football game, the sororities and fraternities will have open-house.

Pi Alpha Tau sorority will hold a tea from 4:30 to 6 p. m. in rooms 12 and 16, in Selwyn Hall. The president of the Phi Beta Mu sorority will welcome all sorority alumnae in her room.

### A. P. O. Smoker Tonight

Saturday, during the noon meal, the Phi Beta Mu alumnae will be seated at tables together. In addition to open house, the Alpha Pi Omega fraternity will hold a smoker Friday evening to welcome early arrivals.

Following open-house, at six o'clock, an informal alumni-student dinner will be served in the dining hall, accompanied by group singing and cheering.

### Drama Guild to Perform

The Drama Guild, an alumni dramatic group, will present a one-act play, "The Flattering Word," by George Kelly, in the chapel at 7:30. Included in the cast are George Levan, as the Rev. Loring Rigley; Jane Buttorff, his wife; Mrs. Zooker, Jeannette Henry; Lena, her daughter; Dorothy Butler, and Joseph Richter, a dramatic star.

Student Council is in charge of the alumni-student party occupying the remainder of the evening. The "Y" room will be open for games and an informal get-together. For those who prefer dancing, the dining hall will be available.

## Zeta's To Hold Open House Monday

Open house to Freshmen will be observed Monday night by the Zeta Omega Epsilon fraternity. The affair will get under way at 7:30 p. m. It will include motion pictures shown by Professor Henry Buckwalter.

The following persons were named as a staff to publish an alumni paper: Vincent Rusbosin, editor; Paul Carlo and William Bottonari, assistants; James Breen, circulation manager, and Roy Conner, sports editor. A discussion was held on the proposed inter-fraternity dance. No action was taken.

### Kappa's Discuss Dance

Kappa Upsilon Phi also discussed the dance proposition and took no action. A list of improvements was drawn up for presentation to the members next month.

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## Editorial

Protests galore have come to us from students who were dissatisfied with the method of naming players over the public address system at the Kutztown football game.

They didn't like the idea of using the players' numbers instead of their names. We don't either. In the first place, there seems to be only one thing in back of the system—to stimulate program sales. As much as we would like to see program sales hit a new high, we do not like the method tried two weeks ago.

Not everyone can afford to buy programs, let alone students of Albright and Kutztown. And persons who sit in the general admission stands usually can't afford to, either. If they could, they'd be in the reserved section.

Then, too, if the athletic council pays for a public address system, why not make use of it? Calling out numbers may be o. k. at a bingo game, but we're not playing bingo in the stadium.

And the players themselves. Don't you think they should get some credit for making tackles, or hurling beautiful passes, or skirting the end for first downs? We do, but not by means of numbers. There's enough regimentation and red tape already in effect in this free country of ours without subjecting the individual on the field to it, making him merely a number in a vast piece of machinery.

The system at Kutztown's game was merely a try-out, we hope. We think it was a failure and advocate a return to the old system. Even if each person entering the stadium were given a free program, we doubt if he would know all the players by number until the closing periods of play.

Tomorrow is home-coming day. We're rather sure the officials would like to see the alumni turn out for every game en masse. But the number system won't help to effect that. No sir. It might even turn the day into a going-home-mad day.

### Debaters To Meet In Chapel Next Friday

The first meeting of aspirants to the college debating team will be held in the chapel next Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Dr. John E. Douds, team coach, will attend a meeting in Harrisburg over the week-end to select a question for debate.

Left-overs from last year's squad include: David Levan, Seymour Mendelsohn, Charles Miesse, Olga Bitler, Dennis Strawbridge, William Bottonari, Arthur McKay, Verna Fye, Donald Blackmore, and Paul Ackert.



By Anne Gnymous

Bob Matson is certainly headed in the right direction.

We can't accuse George Evans of patting himself on the back, but have you noticed how he's giving himself a Hand?

Is Esther still trying to pass the Buck?

Marge and Earle are reasoning this way: "You're lonely and I'm lonely, so—"

Question of the week (from a non-Y-Retreater to a Y-Retreater) "Did you sing that "Sunshine" song at Retreat?"

Is Miesse getting hungry or is it "Sticky-bun" Stegman?

His parents called him Don Jermy— they didn't know it should have been Don Juan.

Tips to next year's Y-Retreaters: Sit beside Miss Elder. She DOESN'T like ice cream. (Line forms to the right).

Verna is being very be-Geil-ing. Her only comment is: "He's a WONDERFUL man." He must be—they were 15 minutes late for dinner.

We hear the Harold Andersons are "blessed-eventing."

"The way to a man's heart is through his stomach"—so the frosh home-ec girls have been making delicious pies.

Holly was very excited in Sociology class the other day.

McKay is doing OK with the frosh girls.

Don't tell anyone that Bollinger's given name is Willard. He wants to keep it a secret.

Where did the A.P.O.'s get those hats? Stevie!!!

Ask Bertino how he liked our nation's capital.

I wonder if Jim Holton often loses people at football games.

Congratulations to Al Gustitus—now an alumnus—on his recent engagement to Elsie Mae.

Polly seems to be getting her "Phil," of the frosh boys.

There's been some sort of nautical influence on one of our fair co-eds. Why that sudden interest in the Navy, Jerry?

According to general comment, Woody's slam at the Sophs didn't go over so big.

There's a new romance on campus. You make a cute couple, Ruth and Jerry.

We also think "red" is very becoming to Eleanor Troutman.

## GEORGE'S GOOFY AB

### Food for Thought

"Let's go to Moser's" . . . a famous saying by anyone on Albright's campus . . . so put your feet on the stove and a wad of tobacco in your cheek . . . Take a look at this streamlined version of the ole general store.

The smell of hamburgers . . . some people's jokes . . . "a coke with chocolate" . . . gabs of students . . . Tommy Dorsey's "I'll Never Smile Again" . . . ministers . . . freshmen . . . profs . . . West-ern Union boys . . . a soup salesman . . . all points vest.

Everything from sophisticated freshmen to green seniors (green with envy) . . . slot machines bop-bop-bopping . . . a daily strawberry milkshake . . . frosh freshies . . . the fight for Winchell's column (someone out to investigate him for fifth column activities) . . . crowds feeding their faces . . . anything from soup to nuts.

Discussions of America's Oriental policy (that was just an Occident) . . . to the latest bracelet Murmur Stegman wears . . . capitalists spending forty cents to the little girl buying a gum drop . . . Pop's cigar . . . the bing of the cash register . . . Kachel's "Who ordered vegetable beef?"

The well-worn comic sheet . . . pastry gazers . . . all kinds of buns (no it's not misspelled) . . . Florence and the crowd that Moser down (take that one easy).

Nuff said about the oasis across the street. If you're hungry for food, thought, or company, drop over to Moser's—"the im-mense store where the woo-men love to shop" . . . We're coming over, we're coming over . . .

Last Word Department—Coke . . . choke!

## Predigestion

By ROBERT L. WORK

Let the reader think that this column concerns itself only with the academic and the artistic. It must be said that the material which follows is the other half of last week's article with the proclitic paragraph by editorial request. One word more, however. The reflection of student opinion on conscription indicates that just a little more reading—or perhaps just a little reading—on that subject might be beneficial.

Here is a good start: (1) "Will College Present Arms?" by Thomas S. Kasper in THE CHRISTIAN CENTURY for Sept. 4. "Keep military training off the campus," is the exhortation of the chairman of the Department of Religion and Philosophy at Lawrence College in Appleton, Wisconsin. In turning over an answer to the self-imposed question—"How are church colleges going to face the perplexities of youth in the present enlistment-conscription tension?"—he has this to say, keeping in mind the "educational mistake of 1918": "Whatever may be the result of the present conscription hysteria, one point should be kept clear. Let the colleges remain colleges; let the army camps stay off the college campuses! The two cannot mix with any value to either. The experience of 1918 proved that!" (2) "If Conscription Comes" by William Hubben in THE CHRISTIAN CENTURY for August 14. Now that the Draft Bill has been passed, we can see through the experienced eyes of the director of religious interests

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By Harold Werner

Yes, yes, here we are once again—back amongst the molecules, toxins, forces, rock strata, hydrocarbons, chromosomes, germs. Speaking of germs, that reminds me of the fact that—

The Frosh have all been given tuberculin tests by Dr. Clarence Horn in the last two weeks. Dr. Horn, who is very interested in the "tuberculosis movement," gives this test every year as a part of the college physical examination.

Dr. Horn attended the bicentennial meetings of the Marine Biological Laboratories at Cole Spring Harbor, Long Island, N. Y., during the summer. He will also attend the Institute of the Public Health Association and meetings of the American Public Health Association in Detroit, October 5-9.

Prof. Oliver George reports that if the quota can be filled a course in aviation will again be offered this semester. During the summer, Professor George instructed a class of 28 students in ground school. Most of them were students from Reading, all of whom had one or more years of college background. The entire class passed the ground school work and a few are at present taking their flight tests at the municipal airport.

Professor George and his family took a short camping trip this summer. The trip was sort of a "blitzkrieg putsch," having touched so many places of interest in a very short space of time. The Georges visited such spots as the little Grand Canyon of Pennsylvania, Cook Forest Park, and Niagara Falls. The news would not be complete without the reports of the trips of our "wandering professor." And I mean—"wandering!"

Here is a refreshing bit of news—All of the biology majors of the class of '40 have been placed. All the Laboratory Technology girls have been accepted by accredited hospitals. These include Mildred Angstadt, St. Joseph's Hospital; Fern Dentith, Janet Horn, and Mary Etta Fibert, Reading Hospital; Bessie Knerr, Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia; Mary Lower, Harrisburg General Hospital, and Jane Reed, Lankanau Hospital, Philadelphia.

Of seven "Pre-Meds," six have been accepted by leading medical schools. They are: Wm. Butscher, Jr., Jefferson; Margaret Reed, Woman's Medical, Philadelphia; Emerson Hoppes, George Washington University; John Williams, Georgetown University; Howard Diamond, Bellevue Hospital Medical School, N. Y. C. Martin Epstein, also a medical student, has entered the University of Pennsylvania for graduate study.

Charles Hollenbach has entered the School of Natural History at Buffalo, N. Y.

The class of '40 is set. The class of '41 won't have to worry about jobs—It's got the draft.

The next meeting of the Astronomy club is on October 10, at 8 p. m. in the Science lecture hall. All students and faculty members are invited. Don't miss it, Frosh!

# Stubborn Mules Here Tomorrow

## Propose Students' Vote In Fraternity Council

Would Give Them Power Equal To Faculty Advisors

A proposal that members of fraternities, who sit in on inter-fraternity council meetings as advisers only, be given a vote in determining policy, was made at a meeting of the council on Monday.

The set-up, at present, is this: Each of the fraternities has a member of the faculty as an adviser; in addition, each fraternity appoints one of its members to the council; that member cannot vote, however; the faculty adviser can; the proposal would give the students power in council equal to the adviser's power.

Professor Oliver George was elected president of the council, and Miss Ernestine Elder, secretary. A discussion was also held on the possibility of holding an inter-fraternity dance.

## Robert Work Conducts First Fireside Chat

Inaugurating the series of literary teas to be held this year, Robert L. Work yesterday spoke to a group of faculty members and students who gathered around the fireplace at 4:30. Mr. Work's topic was, "Old Books Which Make Enjoyable Reading Today."

Library book-talks and teas will be held every first Thursday of each month. Various guest speakers from off campus will be featured.

## Would-Be Pilots Take Physical Exams

Preliminary health examinations were given on Tuesday night to 14 applicants for membership in the student flight training class soon to be started on campus. Professor Oliver George, ground school instructor, announced. A general session for all applicants was held Wednesday night. Professor George said he expects the course to get under way on Tuesday.

## Touch Football Loop To Start Soon

The inter-fraternity touch football schedule will be inaugurated next week. Plans for the season were made at a meeting of the inter-fraternity athletic council on Wednesday afternoon.

Sessions of the council will be held the first Wednesday of every month, hereafter. Those present at this week's meeting were: Bob Giamotti, Zeta's; Francis Roupp, Pi Tau's; Jack Gundlach, A. P. O.'s; and Ray Swett, second-floor Theologs.

## History Notes

Ada Gossler, '40, is the new secretary at the Historical Society of Berks County, assisting Dr. Gurney Clemens, the new curator. Miss Gossler was recommended for the position by Dr. Milton Hamilton, who is a member of the council of the society.

The prize-winning historical essay of Jane Buttorff, '40, "The Reading Theatre Until 1851," will be printed in the fall issue of the Historical Review of Berks County. Miss Buttorff received the J. Bennett Nolan Prize of \$15 at commencement last June.

## Provide Opposition For Lions In Home-coming Day Grid Battle

### Both Teams On Rebound After Defeat Last Week

Fumble, Field Goal Give Moravian 9-0 Win

A capacity home-coming crowd is expected tomorrow afternoon in the stadium when the Lions renew their traditional rivalry with Muhlenberg College of Allentown. The Red and White squad will be out trying to snap the two-year domination of the Mules, who are coached by a former Albright mentor, Doggie Julian.

The Muhlenberg team will be definitely on the rebound after suffering two successive defeats, one by Upsala, 7-0, and the other by Temple, 64-7. And don't let that 64-7 score fool you, because when Mr. Julian saw the cause was hopeless, he yanked his regulars out, and allowed the subs to take the beating. Besides, when two traditional rivals such as Albright and Muhlenberg get together on the gridiron, all past records must be thrown away. However, just for the general information, in nineteen meetings, the Mules have won twelve times. No game has ever ended in a tie.

#### Have Good Booter

Pete Gargone, former Windber High star, and co-captain Jimmy "Cowboy" Franklin, one of the east's leading field goal kickers last year, will lead the Mules' offensive tomorrow from the half-back posts. Johnny Bissett will be at fullback while Clark Diefenderfer will call the signals.

On the line, Doggie will have the veterans, Joe Ponday, former Hazleton star, and Peter Schneider, who scored the Mules' only touchdown this year, at the terminal posts. The tackle positions, which were Julian's biggest pre-season headaches, will be handled by co-captain Perry Scott, a six-foot-four, 210-pounder, moved from end this year, and big Frank Jakobowski, who starred for Reading High a few years ago. Jack Jupina, a veteran of three seasons, and Buch Walters will be in the guard slots. Franklin "Footer" Wolfe, an Allentown boy injured in the Upsala game, is expected to be fully recovered to handle the snapper-back duties.

#### Lions Want 2nd Win

On the Lions' side of the ledger, the boys will be trying for the second win of the season and the first over Muhlenberg since 1937.

Coach Dietz expects his squad to be at full-strength for the game as Captain Marshall Popelka, injured in the Kutztown game, will again handle the fullback post. The blonde powerhouse was missed last Friday night when the Lions took it on the chin from Moravian, 9-0, under the arcs at Bethlehem.

## Women's A. A. Ready To Begin Program

Schedule First Meeting For Tuesday Night

The athletic program for girls is expected to begin very soon. For the benefit of freshmen girls all sports are under the leadership of the Women's Athletic Association. Membership in the association is required for participation in any of the sports which it sponsors. Among them are: Hockey, basketball, baseball, archery, ping-pong, swimming, bowling, tennis and badminton.

In hockey, basketball, baseball, tennis, there are varsity as well as class teams. The others are all individual sports.

The point system for all sports leads up to these awards for girls: 500 points, class numerals; 1,000 points, letter A; 1,500 points, jacket; 2,000 points, key.

The association also has charge of various activities throughout the year, such as Play Day, a dance, and May Day. Hockey and archery will be the first two sports to start this fall. The first W. A. A. meeting will be held on October 10. Pictures taken last year on May Day will be shown.

Each class has a representative to collect dues, as follows: Freshman class, Mildred Reubman and Polly Grossman; sophomore class, Dorothy Reber; junior class, Kitty Gelb; and senior class, Evelyn Belmont.

The defeat marked the first time in a seven-year rivalry between the two schools that Albright didn't out-distance the Greyhounds. The smart, rugged Moravian eleven led by Larry Rosati and Jimmy Fritchman, sent the Red and Grey down the victory ball after five minutes of the opening quarter.

#### Moravian Scores

This is how it happened. Moravian won the toss and Baum kicked off to Moravian's Jim Sydorak returned the ball to the 22, and when two line plays failed, Fritchman kicked to the Lion's 39. On the first play, Bob Bennett fumbled and the Greyhounds recovered on Albright's 35-yard line. On the third play, Larry Rosati, 178 pounds of quarterbacking dynamite, hurled a 30-yard bull's-eye pass to lanky Jim McConologue on the Lion five. McConologue tallied standing up.

Fritchman, easily the best man on the field, salted away the decision early in the last chapter when his 19-yard placement went between the uprights to give Coach Judd Timm's charges a 9-0 lead.



There is no doubt that the 9-0 defeat at the hands of the experienced Moravian team last Friday was a serious blow to everybody—coaches, players, and loyal students.

We mention the coaches first because they took serious pains to arrange the schedule so that they might bring this inexperienced squad step by step into the big games, especially the Muhlenberg game. They felt that this year for the first time in many, the Lions had a breather game to start (Kutztown) and a not too hard nut to crack for the second step (Moravian) before the big game with Doggie Julian's supposed power house.

The mentors knew the Moravian game would be tough, but they sensed that our boys would come through on top. Then with two wins under the belt as extra incentive, the strategists figured their squad would be physically and mentally at full strength to meet the Mules.

The players also keenly felt the stinging blows of defeat in more ways than one. They were confident (maybe a little overconfident) that Albright could and would win despite the experience of the Moravian squad. They felt that their running game might not function as good as it did against Kutztown, but they had confidence in an aerial barrage and ability to stop Moravian's running game. And they practiced pass defense all week. They figured they were set. And then it happened. A fumble, a pass, and then a quick touchdown for the Greyhounds. It happened so quickly that the team never seemed to recover from the shock. Fumble followed fumble (eight in all), and pass interception followed pass interception. It just wasn't their night.

Some observers thought the play of the Lion ends and backfield, especially the quarterbacks, was far from par, but who can place the blame on one particular cause? Let's put it this way—the breaks just played overtime for Moravian.

The students also took the defeat pretty hard. They saw the inexperienced Albright squad show real class and promise against Kutztown. They saw the Red and White backs handle the ball cleanly. They saw pass plays work to perfection. So you can imagine the bewilderment of the students at not just the score but at the way it was lost, through fumbles and pass interceptions.

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## Student Pacifists Address I. R. C.

Relate Experiences During Summer Work

Their experiences as student peace workers this past summer were discussed by Margaret Hollenbach and Verna Fye, at the first meeting of the International Relations Club, last night.

Miss Hollenbach told how one hundred college students were selected to attend a training conference for peace volunteers by the Student Peace Service, a branch of the American Friends' Service Committee. After this training conference, held at Denison University, Granville, Ohio, each volunteer was assigned to a certain unit.

### 26 Peace Units

Miss Hollenbach, who was associated with a unit in Barnesville, Ohio, said there are twenty-six units set up in the United States, Cuba, and Mexico. She stated the four aims of Student Peace Service work are:

1. Keep America out of war;
2. Develop an appreciation for contributions of minorities as a basis for democracy;
3. Unite in a dynamic movement individuals who are determined not to approve of or participate in war; and
4. Work for political and economic changes essential to an enduring peace.

Emphasis is placed on social service as well as on peace education by means of speeches, discussion groups and poster displays.

Miss Fye, who was located at Brainerd and Saint Cloud, Minnesota, gave the background of the American Friends Service Committee, sponsors of the Student Peace Service work. She stated that the great contribution of the Quakers has been the spirit in which their work has been carried on. Friends service tries to strike at the causes of social ills through reasonable and peaceful means rather than covering up its effect.

An open discussion was held after the speeches.

### Faculty Comments

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#### Have Officers, Need Men

A different approach was used by PROFESSOR OLIVER M. GEORGE. He said "The army has had a large number of trained officers in its reserve corps since the end of World War No. 1 but has had few trained men under them. Peacetime selective military training will give a trained, non-commissioned and enlisted personnel for these officers to command in an emergency."

### Home-coming Day In A Nutshell

Here, in a few lines, is the Home-coming Day program for tomorrow:

- 2:30—Albright-Muhlenberg football game.
- 4:30-6:00 — Fraternity-sorority open house.
- 6:00—Alumni-student dinner in dining hall.
- 7:30—One-act comedy by Drama Guild.
- 8:15—Alumni-student party.

### Predigestion

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at George School, the Friends' Preparatory School near Philadelphia, the sorry plight we are in for. (3) "We Stand Here" by Kingman Brewster, Jr. and Spencer Klaw in THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY for September. Two undergraduates — a Yale senior, who is the chairman of the Yale Daily News, and a Harvard senior, who is a member of the Student Council and Phi Beta Kappa, as well as president of the Harvard Crimson—answer Mr. Arnold Whitridge, whose Open Letter to American Undergraduates voiced "indignation and consternation that so many younger citizens should oppose American intervention in Europe". They are observant enough to see that "the lesson of the last war writes too plainly the fact that out of the devastation and hatred of wholesale war does not come any promise of a fair peace or a lasting order". (4) "The Conscientious Objector" by R. F. and R. H. Jones in THE NEW REPUBLIC for August 12. Read what happened to Americans in our American jails during the last world war. Reports from Nazi Germany or Soviet Russia that might have been doctored by British propaganda agencies could not be more indicting.

Concerning the Church and the Draft: (5) "Conscription and the Churches" in THE CHRISTIAN CENTURY for September 25. This editorial brings the compulsory training news up to date and shows what is likely to happen to those who let others direct them as well as to those who think for themselves. Furthermore, it outlines an intelligent and practical course of action for church groups.

The shortest comment came from DR. CLARENCE U. HORN, who, when asked if he favored the draft, said, "Definitely, absolutely, yes. I'm 100 per cent in back of it."

DR. JOHN C. EVANS commented, "If we have a defense program for arms, we must have manpower. I believe in the volunteer system, but if that's inadequate, universal training is the only fair alternative."

The final statement came from PROFESSOR LEWIS M. SMITH. He said, "Because of present conditions, the United States has no other choice than to prepare for whatever eventualities might arise."

## Social Calendar

### Friday, October 4

- 10:00 A. M.—Honors and Awards Com.—Room 107.
- 2:30 P. M.—Lv. "Y" Delegation to F. & M.
- 4:30 P. M.—Men's Glee Club—Music Studio.
- 7:00 P. M.—Pep Parade and Bonfire.
- 9:00 P. M.—A. P. O. Alumni Smoker.

### Saturday, October 5

- ALUMNI HOMECOMING DAY**
- 2:30 P. M.—Football Game—Muhlenberg—Stadium.
  - 4:30-6 P. M.—Fraternity and Sorority Open House.
  - 7:30 P. M.—Drama Guild One-Act Comedy—College Chapel.
  - 8:15 P. M.—Alumni-Student Party—Dining Room.

### Sunday, October 6

- 9:00 A. M.—College Bible Class—Sch. of Theol. Chapel.
- 4:00 P. M.—Organ Recital—Sch. of Theol. Chapel—Herbert Quinter, assisted by Diane Gassert, soprano.

### Monday, October 7

- 10:00 A. M.—Chapel—Y. M. and Y. W. in Charge.
- 4:30 P. M.—Symphony Orchestra Rehearsal.
- 4:30 P. M.—Faculty Meeting.
- 4:30 P. M.—Student Council.
- 7:00 P. M.—Fraternalities and Sororities: P. B. M. Rush Party—Stegman's; P. A. T. Initiation—Parlor; Z. O. E. Open House for Freshman Boys.

### Tuesday, October 8

- 10:00 A. M.—Chapel—Y. M. and Y. W. in Charge.
- 4:30 P. M.—French Club.
- 7:00 P. M.—Meeting of Combined "Y's".

### Wednesday, October 9

- 10:00 A. M.—Chapel—Dr. M. W. Hamilton.
- 1:00 P. M.—Frosh Com. (Girls) "Y" Room.
- 4:30 P. M.—Band Rehearsal.
- 4:30 P. M.—Pi Gamma Mu.
- 7:00 P. M.—Sigma Tau Delta.

### Thursday, October 10

- 10:00 A. M.—Dr. M. W. Hamilton—Chapel.
- 4:30 P. M.—Girls' Glee Club.
- 7:00 P. M.—Collegians' Rehearsal.
- 8:00 P. M.—Philosophy Club.
- 8:00 P. M.—Reading Astronomy Club—Science Hall.

### Friday, October 11

- 10:00 A. M.—Debate Squad Meeting—Room 103.
- 4:30 P. M.—Men's Glee Club—Music Studio.

### Saturday, October 12

- 2:30 P. M.—Football Game with Upsala—East Orange, N. J.

### Sunday, October 13

- 9:00 A. M.—College Bible Class—Sch. of Theol. Chapel.
- 3:00 P. M.—Big and Little Sister Tea—Parlors.

## "Y's" Schedule

An outline of activities for the month of October was prepared by the "Y" cabinets. Here it is:

- Oct. 4—Conference with Dr. Thurman at Franklin & Marshall. Registration, 75 cents.
- Oct. 7, 8—Y. W. C. A. Tag Days.
- Oct. 8—Combined "Y's" Meeting.
- Oct. 13—Big and Little Sister Tea.
- Oct. 14—Preparatory service for Religious Emphasis Week in Seminary Chapel, 1 p. m.
- Oct. 15—1 p. m., service; 7 p. m., cabinets, Ad Building; 7 p. m., association meetings.
- Oct. 16—Preparatory service, 1 p. m.

While in Town—Stop at The Famous Eating Place

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