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Christmas Hour Planned

The Albright student body, faculty and members of the community will take part in a college-wide Christmas Hour, on Tuesday evening, December 15, in Krause Hall. The program, which is sponsored by the Student Christian Association made up of the YMCA and the YWCA, will begin at 7:30 p. m.

Special effort is being made to urge all students to attend and the faculty has sent out special invitations to its members.

The program will include selections by the band and glee club and the audience will participate in singing several seasonal numbers. Dr. Edith Douds will read a special Christmas story, "Music at Christmas."

Social Groups Hold Induction; Schedule Dances

Seven pledges were inducted as members of the Kappa Upsilon Phi fraternity at a recent meeting. Included in the group are Gordon Oplinger, Frank Adshear, Arthur Bellisio, Richard Koetzle, George Updegrove, Albert Camilli and Gene Myers.

All freshmen and transfer students have been invited to the Christmas dance to be held tonight at the Orioles Home. Chaperones will be Prof. and Mrs. Howard Widdowson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gordon.

Phi Beta Mu

Six girls were inducted into Phi Beta Mu sorority at a meeting on Monday evening, December 7th. The new members include Jo Anne Duffy, Evelyn James, Ann Kocker '54; Stephany Bartoletti, Louise Muellershoen and Elissa Swisher, '56.

The members of the sorority were the guests of the Mu alumnae at a tea held on Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clayton Mellert in Pennside.

Zeta Omega Epsilon

Three pledges were recently inducted into Zeta Omega Epsilon fraternity. They include Donald Wise, George Conrad and Frank Del Rocco.

The fraternity's annual fall dance will take place tonight at the Manor Country Club.

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Circulation Manager Tells of Experiences

Rev. James S. Royer will speak to the student body in chapel Tuesday, December 15.

Joseph Abey, circulation manager for the Reading Eagle and Times spoke at the chapel program yesterday morning. Mr. Abey spoke on the topic "The Last Fifty Years in Newspaper Headlines," based on his own experiences. The Zeta Omega Epsilon fraternity was in charge of the program, which was sponsored by the Student Council.

Rector Ewert Moyer of Christ Episcopal Church in Reading addressed chapel last Tuesday on the subject, "Saints in Caesar's House."

Coffee Hour Today

Women's Student Senate will sponsor a Christmas Coffee Hour this afternoon in Selwyn Hall parlor from 3:00 to 4:30 p. m. Special Christmas decorations have been prepared for the affair. The Coffee Hour is open to all members of the faculty and student body.

Student-Parents Still Needed For Y Christmas Party

"Student-parents are still needed to make seventy-five underprivileged children of Reading happy at the Y Christmas Party," urged Roberta Crimbring, chairman in charge of distributing the children's names. The party, which will be held in Krause Hall Sunday, December 13, is an annual event of the combined organizations.

Students are asked to bring the children to the White Chapel at 3:00 p. m. where movies, including a Christmas story and comic strips, will be shown. Next, the kiddies, ranging in age from four to nine, will participate in games at Krause Hall. There, James Zaferes, disguised as Santa Claus, will give out stockings filled with gifts and toys to the group.

A buffet supper will be served to the children and students after the party. The children will then be returned to their homes.

Thelma Arnold and John Fetterman are general chairmen for the affair.

Marching Band Formed Unit In Reading Parade

The Albright College marching band formed one of the units in the Christmas parade held in downtown Reading last Tuesday evening. This parade was organized in an effort to put religion back into the Christmas spirit. All Reading churches and clubs supported the movement by submitting floats and marching units.

Pi Gamma Mu Hears Rev. Barth At Annual Dinner; KTX To Present Seasonal Play In Chapel Thursday

The Albright chapter of Pi Gamma Mu, national social science fraternity, held its annual dinner at the Crystal Restaurant on Wednesday, December 9th. Reverend Eugene Barth, a member of the society, was speaker for the affair.

The members attending were Claire Speidel, Ruth Snyder, Orchys Kramer, Margaret Israel, Barbara Farris, Marina Ashton, Miriam Worley, Stella Tryka, Virginia Marick, Richard Strauss, Ivan Moyer, Donald Downs, John Bash, Thomas Stults, Eugene Weidner, Donald Van Liew, Mahlon Frankhauser, James Barrett, LeRoy Brendle and Dr. Charles Kistler, advisor to the group.

IRC

The International Relations Club will hold its regular meeting on Thursday evening, December 17, at which time Adam Witold Maria Ciolkosz will be the guest speaker. The meeting which is open to all students will be held in the Lower Social Room and will begin at 8:00 p. m.

Eight EUB Youth To Attend Quadrennial Student Confab



When it comes to wrapping toys, the oldsters have as much fun as the youngsters do when they get them it seems. Such is the case with Y members.

Indiana Central Play Host To Gathering

Eight students from Albright College will be in attendance at the Quadrennial Student Conference of the Evangelical United Brethren Church at Indiana Central College, December 29-January 1.

This gathering, sponsored by the Board of Christian Education, occurs once in each student generation. Students from a number of state universities and other universities and institutions of higher education, besides those from eight EUB church colleges and its seminaries, will be present at this gathering. Albrightians attending are Rachel Kaebnick, '56, Orchys Kramer, '55, Dorothea Lang, '56, Mary Wolf, '57, Allan Hoch, '57, Raymond Horan, '56, Raymond Kaiser, '55, and Charles Moyer, '56.

Theme Stresses Faith

While this conference will be for fellowship and inspiration, the main purpose will be to challenge EUB youth with the Conference theme, "Our Dynamic Faith for World Struggle." Sub themes to be considered are "The Christian Faith in World History," "The Christian Faith and Today's Problems," and "The Christian Faith and Tomorrow's World."

The Conference has engaged a number of speakers who will consider the many problems of campus life and who will also confront those who attend with the possibilities of a dynamic faith in solving our world problems of today.

Dr. Mueller To Speak

Dr. Reuben H. Mueller, General Secretary of Christian Education of the EUB Church, will give the orientation message on the subject, "Why We are Here." Other speakers include Rev. Ervin E. Patznik, Dr. Lowell B. Hazard, Dr. W. Maynard Sparks, Rev. Warren J. Hartman, Rev. John T. Schaeffer, Mr. Norman Winkelman, Rev. Tom Wadsworth and Professor James Weber.

Major features of this conference will include inspiring worship experiences, minicoms, directed recreation and fellowship activities and a New Year's Watch Service.

The aim of the conference is not only to give the youth and professors who attend a real experience through the challenging messages of Dr. Hazzard, the Biblical appeals from Doctor Sparks, the inspiration of workshops and other aspects of the program, but in addition to these, the students will meet other students they have never met before.

200 EUB Youth Expected

One of the basic reasons for the Quadrennial Student Conference is that the EUB Church is vitally interested in the many young people of the church who are now in undergraduate and graduate schools.

Although there are no limitations in the number who may attend the Conference, it is hoped that at least 200 students and faculty from the eight colleges and three seminaries of the EUB Church, in addition to those from state-supported and other institutions will be present.

Special Committee To Discuss Song

At a meeting of Student Council on Tuesday, December 7, announcement was made that a committee comprised of alumni, faculty, students, and council representatives will meet in January to discuss the possibility of changing the Albright College Alma Mater. Much discussion has been already made in view of this situation, both this year and in previous years. Two songs are under consideration at present.

No definite action has been taken by the faculty regarding limiting the number of hour examinations to be given to one student in the course of the day. There is a faculty committee which has been formed concerning the matter.

The committee appointed to look into the matter of evening social hours has reported that no definite decision has been made regarding the reopening of Krause Hall for this purpose.

Dawn Communion Speaker Will Be Rev. M. C. Hallock

Rev. Maynard C. Hallock, pastor of St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Reading will be guest speaker at the annual Christmas Dawn Communion Service, next Friday, December 18th at 6:00 a. m. in the Seminary Chapel. A graduate of Gettysburg College, Rev. Hallock served a pastorate in Tamaqua before coming to Reading.

Soloists of the morning will be Ann Kocher and Mr. Harold C. Jordan. The Y Choir, under the direction of David Lubba, accompanied by Dean Priscilla Morton, at the organ, will sing an anthem.

Rev. Eugene H. Barth will serve communion. Others assisting in the service are Albert Dietz, Raymond Horan, Jonathan Kurtz, Ehrhardt Lang, and J. Robert Miller.

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HEO

The Home Economics Organization will have as its speaker on Monday evening, December 14, Dr. Joseph Daly, who will speak on the role of nutrition in dentistry and psychology.

Dr. Daly is a medical practitioner in Shillington. The meeting will begin at 7:30 in the home economics lab in the Administration Building.

Emma Seifrit, Theresa Winkler and Mary Wolfe are in charge of the program.

Skull and Bones

The Skull and Bones biology society met last Wednesday evening in the Science Hall. The speaker was Dr. Paul Gehris who spoke on the subject "Atomic Radiation and How It Affects the Human Body."

KTX

"There Is a Star In The Sky" is the title of the Christmas Play, the KTX, honorary pre-ministerial fraternity, is presenting in Chapel Thursday, December 17th. The play, written by Elsie Duncan Yale, is being directed by Nancy Lou Walker. Stage manager is Albert Dietz.

Members of the cast include Lucy Shuman, Martha Little, Mary Wolf, Marie Lorchak, David Ser-

In the Lion's Den

By Jack Lewis

Temple

The high flying Temple Owls have been called Philadelphia's finest team. Of course, only the future holds that answer—but an Albright loss, by only eight points, is slightly indicative of a good season. The Lions had trouble finding their sights during the first three quarters of the game, but in the fourth quarter they displayed an offensive threat that, after being groomed and spiced with experience, will keep pace with any and all future opponents.

E-Town

Again the Lions looked like N.C.A.A. threats for a half, but fell apart slightly in the last half, especially in the last quarter. One is always interested in the development of new material and Saturday saw two freshmen step in to the Albright "basketball spotlight." Bruce Riddell, former Lansdowne scoring ace rippled the nets for 12 points, but, more important, he handled the pivot with enough ability to fill the shoes of Connie Detling, last year's ace slot man. Jim Foreman, who hit three times straight, also revealed a very finished jump shot—we hope that he keeps hitting the mesh with the same accuracy. The Blue Jays had a few inches on the Lions, but it didn't prohibit Captain Jim Croke and Sophomore George Conrad from grabbing the main share of rebounds, from both our own and Elizabethtown's boards. Conrad also sided the scoring cause with 14 valuable points. Mrs. DePaul's ever present boy proved the value of foul shooting as he dumped 12 foul goals along with four field goals to lead the Lions with 20 points. Bill Spaide and Don Pryor made sure to Albright fans that the ability that made them varsity material last season had not been lost. We wonder if Mike DePaul made a conscious effort to miss that last foul shot. Oh, yes, the final score—"69"-62.

Mule Bray

Tomorrow night the Muhlenberg quintet will enter the Lion's den. They are again led by Larry Friedman, who for the last few seasons has been throwing the Mules' record book to the winds.

Dorm Women To Hold Annual Christmas Party

All dormitory women will meet in the Lower Social Room on Thursday, December 17th, at 11:00 p. m. for a Christmas Party, announced Shirley Haskin, president of Dormitory Council. The girls will exchange gifts and play games. Refreshments will be served.

The committee in charge includes Gail Ade, Judith Cohen, Lucy Schuman, Marilyn Teeter, and Cynthia Winner.

Monday, December 14th, is the date for a scheduled all-dormitory meeting in the parlor at 6:45 p. m.

Albright Basketeers Triumph Over Blue-Jays; Lions To Seek Revenge Against Mules Tomorrow

Gulianmen Post 1-1 Record In 2 Starts

Albright's Lions roared in triumph last Saturday night, as they trounced the Elizabethtown Bluejays, 69-62. It was Albright's initial victory, and also their first home game.

The Jays scored first on a foul shot by guard Hal Wilson, and advanced to a 5-4 lead. With six minutes remaining, center Bruce Riddell dropped a hook from the foul line and put the Lions in front for good. From then on the outcome of the game was never in doubt, as the Lions led 19-9 at the quarter, 38-22 at the half, and 53-36 at the end of the third quarter.

The Lazzies rallied in the final period. Guard Sal Paone and forward Harvey Jacobs accounted for seventeen points between them, but the attack suddenly stalled when Paone fouled out.

Mike DePaul was high scorer for Albright with twenty points. The other Lions in double figures were George Conrad with fourteen and Bruce Riddell with twelve. Paone was high man for the visitors with twenty, followed by Jacobs with seventeen.

In the preliminary game the Lion Cubs clawed the Junior Lizzies by a 54-38 count. Mickey Harbach, John Schiavo and Ron Bernhardt shared scoring honors with eleven points apiece. Jack Ferrich accounted for ten of the Jay's points.

Last week the Lions succumbed to the Temple Owls, 58-50. Playing in Temple's South Hall, Albright rebounded well but was handicapped by a low field goal percentage. Temple led, 25-16, at the half, and remained in front all the way despite a last-quarter surge by the Lions. Mike DePaul gathered scoring laurels for the Lions with nineteen points, followed by George Conrad with fourteen. Sam Sylvester led the Owls with fourteen, while Al Didricksen had ten.

Temple's Junior Varsity defeated the Lion Clubs, 55-29, in the opener.

Temple				Albright			
Sylvester	G	F	P	DePaul	G	F	P
Silcox	5	4	14	Conrad	8	3	19
Kane	2	4	8	Riddell	2	0	4
Miller	0	0	0	Croke	1	2	4
Didricksen	5	0	10	Seaman	1	1	3
Lear	4	1	9	Pryor	0	0	0
Reinfeldt	3	0	6	Spaide	4	2	6
Dankos	1	0	2				
Smith	0	0	0				
Totals	24	10	58	Totals	22	10	50

Elizabethtown				Albright			
Foster	G	F	P	DePaul	G	F	P
Jacobs	5	7	17	Riddell	5	2	12
Stine	3	3	9	Conrad	5	4	14
Wilson	1	4	6	Croke	2	2	6
Paone	8	4	20	Seaman	0	3	3
Lauria	1	1	3	Pryor	0	4	4
Einfalt	0	1	1	Spaide	1	0	2
Crumblyng	1	1	3	Foreman	4	0	6
Totals	20	22	62	Totals	21	27	69

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CROWDING THE NET



Eddie Gulian's "Fighting five" nipped the E-Town Bluejays on the home court last Saturday night to the tune of 69-62. Pictured above is Bruce Riddell (22) in a jump for which he is so well adapted. The Lions hope to clean their record against Muhlenberg tomorrow night.

Quintet Hopes Break In 7 Season Streak

Albright College's Roaring Lions will be trying to break the jinx that the Muhlenberg College's Muhls have been extending over the last seven seasons. The Lions last tasted victory over the Muhls in the 1944-45 season when they upset them 43-40. Having been primed for the big game against LaSalle, the Red and White should be in top shape to take on the Muhls in this traditional game. Game time is set for 8:30 o'clock tomorrow night with the preliminary starting at 7:00 o'clock.

Albright won their home opener last week over E-town by a rather impressive 69-62 decision and they extended Temple only to lose by a 58-50 margin. Muhlenberg, despite six returning aces, received quite a scare last Wednesday in their 84-78 verdict over the scrappy Moravian five. Coach Benny Bergmann's five opposed Pennsylvania on Wednesday.

The Lions will be banking on the sharp-shooting of Mike DePaul to keep their sports slate clean against their Allentown rivals this year. Already the Red and White chalked up two decisions over the Muhls this year. In football they were downed 6-0 and in the cross-country the Lions were victorious 25-32. Aiding DePaul will be George Conrad and Bruce Riddell at forward posts, Jim Croke at center, and former Central Catholic teammate Bernie Seaman.

Friedman Is Mule Ace

Muhlenberg will return to Albright's gymnasium with their high scoring center, Larry Friedman, who seems to be a cinch to top the 1,000 mark in scoring in his college career. Last year he tabbed 15 points in their 89-80 conquest of the Lions at Rockne Hall in Allentown. Veterans Frank Cutko and Vincent Osadchy will be the guards and Gerry Neville and Dick Rudolph will be the forwards. Friedman got off to an excellent start against Moravian by totaling 32 points while teammate Rudolph tallied 21.

Two years ago it was Dick Rudolph's two-bagger in the first overtime which nipped the Lions 70-68 at Northwest. Last year he tallied nine points. Vincent Osadchy ruined the Lions with his 19 points last meeting. Cutko dumped in nine points in the 1952-53 season and hit the baskets for 12 points the previous season.

Conrad Cops '52 Honors

As a freshman last year George Conrad from Mt. Penn hit the buckets for 10 field goals and seven extra points for the high score of 27 points. Don Pryor and Jim Croke were the only other returning Lions to score besides DePaul who netted 17 points. Pryor collected five and Croke three.

Not including the LaSalle game, DePaul is the leading scorer in the two games with 39 points followed by George Conrad 28, Bruce Riddell 16, Jim Croke 10, Jim Foreman 8, Bill Spaide 8, Bernie Seaman 6, and Don Pryor 4.

Next Wednesday the Lions will attempt to gain revenge against Temple for the 58-50 loss suffered last week. The game will be played on the home court.

Lineups:
Neville f Conrad
Cutko f Riddell
Friedman c Croke
Osadchy g DePaul
Rudolph g Seaman

About Nothing . .

Maybe the coffee's not always suited to the taste of a gourmet but the conversation's never below par in the SUB. Just yesterday you could have heard anything from a discussion of the stock market and "John Brown's Body" to the principle of variability and the strategy of Saturday's game. We don't know how things will stand when ye olde "Albrightian" goes to press, but as of this writing women have been emancipated at last as far as smoking in Sarah's sacred halls goes. (And was it ever sensible to prohibit it? It was like setting aside certain rooms for moral conduct and others for those nasty habits like smoking.) Who said there was no progress?

Scene and Heard

The "Cue" staff frantically meeting that December 9 deadline . . . Pat Eisenbise getting TV offers . . . Larry Grunberg drawing cartoons . . . Al Camelli looking for his name in print. (Aside to A.C.—mission accomplished, n'ce pas?) . . . Sydne Matz peering over the very metaphysical, metaphysical John Donne . . . Stella Tryka stopping over in the big city after the UN trip and Bill Himmelman meeting fellow APO's outside the General Assembly of said East River edifice for a few nostalgic moments . . .

Great Expectations

With only six more days of classes till you-know-what vacation, wouldn't it be wonderful if: every prof wouldn't think his was the only class you're taking and would be satisfied to have you work on that 30,000 word term paper without those extra 14 chapters for a Christmas present . . . Classes were suspended for those working this week . . . someone would give the cultural committee a carte blanc so we could have more programs like December 3rd's . . . the "silent" book lift in the library could be kept down to a roar . . . all eight clocks were outlawed . . . and the wishing well turned into Sylvan Pond and the dying fish reminded us of the five term papers, the three projects and the regular assignments ahead . . . Merry Christmas!! Hope they have a tree and a turkey at Babbling Brook for the Happy, Haunted and Hallucinated. —J.F.Z.

Communism Is Topic At Sunday Vespers

Jonathan Kurtz, freshman pre-ministerial student, will take charge of the Sunday evening vesper service on December 13th. He plans to discuss a vital subject of the day—that of communism. The topic for his message will be "Communism or the Truth."

"Communism," stated Kurtz, when asked the basis for his talk, "is a philosophy which places God second. I plan to center my talk around his idea."

Speaking at the service in Sylvan Chapel on Wednesday, December 16th will be George Updegrave, a junior at Albright.

Social Groups

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Pi Alpha Tau

Mrs. Consuelo Jordan, advisor of Pi Alpha Tau Sorority, held an informal party for the members of the group on Monday evening, December 7th.

At the meeting held previous to the party, plans were made for the joint tea that the Pats and Mus will hold in February. Jean Durnitt and Janet Gheres were appointed to serve on this committee.

Alpha Pi Omega

Alpha Pi Omega inducted Norman Ring and Robert Bowers into membership recently.

The fraternity held its dance on Friday evening, December 4, at the Goodwill Ballroom in Hyde Park. Herbert Mackler was in charge of the affair.

Pi Tau Beta

Pi Tau Beta fraternity will hold its annual fall dinner-dance this evening at the Mountain Springs Association. Induction of the newly elected officers will take place at this time. On Monday evening John Sherman was elected president of the fraternity. Other officers include vice president, Raymond Horan; corresponding secretary, John Catalano; recording secretary, Rodney Bentz; treasurer, Mauro Paolini and chaplain, David Serfass.

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