

**THE  
SUSQUEHANNA**

**Oct. 1944  
to  
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### Dr. Gilbert Entertains Classes at His Home

Once again the German and public speaking students enjoyed the pleasant tradition of visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Russell Gilbert.

This year, as in the past, some of the students visited the Gilberts on Tuesday evening, May eleventh, while the remaining classes were entertained the following evening.

The evenings were spent conversing about various topics of interest to everyone. Much discussed were the several men who are to receive their Doctor's Degree from Susquehanna University on May twenty-six. Conrad Richter, one of these men, has written several books about the Susquehanna Valley. Dr. Gilbert also told some of the interesting highlights of the life of George Catlin the artist. He too was interested in the Susquehanna Valley, and has painted the picture which Dr. Frederick Brush is presenting to the University.

The evening was climaxed in each case with refreshments served by Mrs. Gilbert.

It was generally agreed by the students that these visits are most enjoyable, and that they proved a good opportunity for the professors and students to exchange ideas.

### SU Civilian College Again as Cadets Leave

All of the Cadets, except for the "Permanent Party," left Susquehanna University on May 11. They were lucky enough to get a delay enroute of about eleven days, starting Wednesday night. In this last group there were approximately 40 fellows who are still in the Air Corps.

The "Permanent Party" men have been leaving by degrees. Lt. Peter Kardassakis was the first to leave SU, with Lt. Johnson leaving a little later. The men from the dispensary and the staff have gradually dwindled. Captain Green and Lt. Cowing, as commanding officers, will be the last to leave, as there are many details to be taken care of.

Hassinger Hall has been cleaned out and will be ready for use as a girls dormitory. Since it has been unoccupied, Sgt. Lemaire has lived at the Bond and Key Fraternity House.

The campus seems at least a little quieter and deserted since the Cadets have gone, and we wish them the best of luck!

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### DOUBLE FEATURE GIVEN BY SU THEATRE GUILD

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The first play, "Indian Summer," directed by Gloria Gasparoli, involved the inevitable triangle. Larry Grant, played by Danny Reitz, finds himself in love with two women and vice-versa. Nan Myers, as Sheila, and Dotty Sternat, as Mrs. Grant, played the parts of the two women capably. Ross Johns, a newcomer to the Susquehanna stage, turned in a commendable performance as Ken Manners.

Mary Lib Basehoar directed the second play, "Phoebe Louise." Although Ada Jayne Romg said little, she did much in the action of the play. As a cousin of the Burke family, supposedly, she visited them only to vanish with the penny-pinching family's bank roll.

A feather in the caps of the members of the cast, committees, and the director for this production Rme Winicy, as the penny-pinching father, Rubye Myers, as his wife, and Marian Willard (whose acting versatility is excellent) as Lydia, their little girl, played their parts commendably.

Members of the committees for "Indian Summer" were: Properties, Adele Heitboff and Ruth Bodorf; Make-up, June Hoffman; Prompter, Fae Smith, and Stage, Bud Smith.

The committees for "Phoebe Louise" were as follows: Properties, Marjorie Barton and Ruth Bodorf; Make-up, Jean Wheat, June Hoffman, and Carol Joyce; and Prompter, Jane Malkames.

These two plays climaxed another

successful season of the Theatre Guild. Mr. Walter Kelly, director of the Guild, is responsible in great part for the success of the organization.

### SU TO CONFER DEGREES ON CARMER AND RICHTER

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Conrad Richter was born in Pine Grove, Pennsylvania, on October 13, 1890. He is not a graduate of Susquehanna University, but did attend prep-school here. His early life was one of many and varied occupations, but he was especially interested in newspapers, and became a reporter for the Harrisburg paper for some time, and later became editor of other newspapers. The New York University Society of Library has awarded him a Gold Medal for distinguished writing; he is the author of a number of well-known and widely read books, his latest being *The Free Man*, a story of early Pennsylvania. During his interesting and active life, he lived for a time in Selinsgrove. He is a contributor to the *Saturday Evening Post*, and has worked with many of the big studios in Hollywood. Mr. Richter is also to receive an honorary Doctor of Letters Degree from Susquehanna University at commencement exercises.

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## Students Reorganize Sunday School Class At Trinity Lutheran

Under the leadership of Miss Unangst, dean of women, the Students' Sunday School class of Trinity Lutheran Church has been completely reorganized.

At the first meeting of the class on Sunday, September 17, the students decided to have their own opening devotional service each Sunday morning. As a result, a committee of students will be appointed each month to plan the devotional services for each Sunday of that particular month. An orchestra composed of girls from the Conservatory of Music from the college has been organized to play each Sunday.

The organization held an election of officers during the past week. The results of the election were as follows:

Vice President—Ruth Criswell  
Secretary—Jack Warner  
Asst. Secretary—Betty Reisch  
Treasurer—Marjorie Stapleton  
Asst. Treasurer—Fae Smith

Because of a tie vote, a new election has to be held for the presidency. The representatives from each class are: Seniors—Ruth Bodoni, Louise Kresge; Juniors—Virginia Hallock, Jane Malkames; Sophomores—Carolyn Pfahler, Marie Talbot; Freshman—Hope Hartsborn, Betty Jane Fisher. It is the duty of each representative to urge the attendance of the student body throughout the school.

## Men's Student Council Organized; Freshmen Orientation Begins

At a meeting of SU men students after chapel on Friday, September 29, the following men students were elected to the Men's Student Council for the present school year: William A. Stead, Hayes, Roswell James Johns, John Joseph Kocsis, Celso Vincent Letzel, Bernard Swienicki, Robert Willbur Surplus, John Daniel Warner, and Rine Graybill Winey, Jr. (Fresh men will please note these names.)

At an election on Friday afternoon Celso Letzel was elected vice-president and Rine Winey, secretary-treasurer. Jack Warner and Bill Hayes were tied for the presidency, so it was decided that Hayes would be president for the first semester and Warner for the second.

The primary purpose of the organization of the council was to inaugurate the Men's Orientation Program, which began on Tuesday morning, October 3. The council will, however, function throughout the year for discussing and aiding in any problems that might arise on the campus. Dr. Russell Gilbert is advisor for the organization.

### SERVICEMEN!

When you receive this issue of "The Susquehanna", will you please check the address to see if it is correct. If not, please drop us a line immediately, and should there be any changes in your address during the year, kindly let us know at your very earliest convenience.

## Numerous Changes Mark SU Faculty

The faculty of Susquehanna University has undergone several major changes in personnel since the end of last semester.

Mrs. Alice Glauque, last year's dean of women, has resigned, as dean, and is at present an instructor at the Conservatory of Music on campus. Miss Miriam Unangst, S. U. '42, is the new resident dean at Selbert Hall. Miss Unangst previously taught high school classes in Nazareth, Pa. Mrs. Mary Koch is housemother at Hassinger Hall, the new girls' dormitory.

Dr. Lois Boe of the Language Department has left Susquehanna for Skidmore College, New York. Miss Athalia Kline has taken Miss Boe's place as instructor of French and Spanish.

Dr. Harvey Heath of the commercial and business departments has joined the Army as a civilian worker. Mr. Crover C. T. Graham of Elmira College has taken Dr. Heath's place.

Professor Frederick C. Stevens of the Conservatory of Music has gone to Dickinson Junior College, Williamsport, and Mr. Elbert D. Haskins of Albany is now instructor in voice.

Mr. Walter Kelly of the English Department left Susquehanna to enroll as a student at the University of Pennsylvania where he is working for his Ph.D.

We, the students of Susquehanna, wish to extend to every newcomer to the faculty, a hearty welcome and the sincere wish that you have a long and enjoyable stay on our campus.

## SU Opens 87th Year

### 87th SU Convocation Hears Rev. Honeycutt

Convocation for the formal opening of the 87th year at Susquehanna University was held Thursday, September 21, in the chapel of Selbert Hall at 9:00 a. m.

The service was begun with a very impressive processional of the entire college faculty in their caps and gowns.

The service was opened with a hymn sung by the student body, followed by the scripture reading by President Smith. The Susquehanna Singers, under the direction of Mrs. Alice Glauque, sang Noble Cain's "Holy Lord God."

President Smith introduced the speaker, Rev. Carl A. Honeycutt, pastor of Zion Lutheran Church in Sunbury, who gave an inspiring talk on the theme, "The World's Need of Courageous Youth." In his remarks, Rev. Honeycutt strove to impress upon the students the fact that we are rapidly becoming what we are to be. He also strove to show the need for personal responsibility. He said, "You are here to be educated for responsible living, not just living. Our democracy, in its essence, is something deeper than liberty—it is responsibility. Unless we learn that lesson, there isn't much use in leaving any child alone."

Following the address, Dr. James W. Kretschmann offered a prayer. Dean Galt made several announcements, after which another hymn was sung by the students.

The Convocation service was concluded by a recessional.

### Success Marks Frosh Orientation Program

This year the girls who entered Susquehanna as freshmen experienced a new program which was initiated for the first time on campus as the Freshman Orientation Program. On Saturday, September 16 the program went into effect as the freshmen started arriving. It continued until Tuesday, September 19.

During the summer Jean Kinzer, who was chairman of the program, and Marian Willard, her assistant, planned for the fall opening. Upperclass girls were selected to be group leaders with assistant group leaders. The freshman girls were divided into groups of ten with a group leader and assistant in charge. The leaders wrote letters to the girls in their group throughout the summer to get better acquainted.

The group leaders reported on campus a day earlier than the freshman arrival in order to become better organized. The next morning, they were on hand to meet the girls in their groups, and help each one get situated. Also upperclass girls met trains, buses and were greeting the new girls as they entered campus. At the same time, the old student were invited to stay on campus in the dormitory for the orientation.

The outline for the program included a meeting of the groups at which time Miss Unangst, dean of women; Miss Hein, assistant dean; Miss Kline, faculty resident in Hassinger Hall, and Mrs. Koch, housemother in Hassinger Hall, were introduced. Seven meetings were held when the rules and regulations of the dormitories, information concerning the college, and other important material were read to the freshmen. All this material was found in the handbook. Explanations were carried out to better familiarize the students with these things that are important to their success in college. (Concluded on Page 4)

### Sally Mitke, '47; Skip Keller, '46, Join Waves

Two more Susquehannans have answered the call of the "navy blue." Our former classmates of last year, Sara "Sally" Mitke and Geneva "Skip" Keller, have met the requirements and have been accepted in the Waves. Upon receipt of official notification they will report to Hunter College, where they will receive training for whatever position they are best qualified.

Sally, a member of the freshman class, was enrolled in the Liberal Arts course. She was active in class activities which included freshman representative in the Student Council, a member of the Biemic Society and O. D. S. sorority. She will report to the WAVES on October 5.

Skip, a member of the sophomore class, took a keen interest in athletics and in addition to participating on the various class teams, was a member of the W. A. A. She was likewise a Liberal Arts student, and a member of O. D. S. sorority. She expects to report on November 2.

To you, Sally and Skip, we wish the best of luck in your new undertaking.

## FROSH LIKES AND GRIPES

Dot Eilhardt—Campus: Small very nice. Food: Not like I'm used to. Profs: Stiff but nice. Boys: Not bad. Studies: Darned hard!

Edith Thomas—Campus: Beautiful! Food: Utterly different. Profs: Very nice. Boys: What boys? Studies: Plenty of them and hard enough.

Adele Taub — Campus: Gorgeous; Food: Not like home, "New Jersey was never like this". Profs: Very good. Boys: I've never seen such handsome men in all my life. Studies: Hard, but I guess maybe I'll adjust myself.

Cynthia Carmel—Campus: Loveliest I've ever seen. Food: OK! Profs: All very good. Boys: The two I've talked to are very nice. Studies: Finding it a little difficult.

Hobbie Raelsoner — Campus: Very beautiful. Food: OK! Profs: Very good, and friendly. Boys: Few and far between but nice. Studies: Not too hard.

Gertrude Roberts — Campus: I like it. Food: Not bad! Profs: Most of them are OK. Boys: Most of them are cute. Studies: Not too bad.

Gaynelle Wagner—Campus: Beautiful! Food: I get plenty. Profs: I like all that I have. Boys: Hummmmm! Studies: Not so bad so far, but later on I don't know.

Red Nedick — Campus: Too many lights. Food: Are you kidding? Profs: Very nice. Girls: Some are terrific and some are terrifically awful. Studies: They're almost a habit by now.

Hilda Markey—Campus: Beautiful. Food: Could be better. Profs: I like

all of them. Boys: Don't know them too well yet. Studies: A lot but that's to be expected.

Jeannette Kramer — I haven't been here very long but so far I like everything about Susquehanna—especially the campus and I like the way the teachers take a personal interest in everyone.

Peggy Bathage — Everyone is so friendly and the whole college is so cozy-like. Good looking boys, too!

Roberta Gaetz—I like the traditions of S. U. Ever since I've been here the upperclassmen made me feel right at home.

Ray Moulé—Surely pleased. Uncanny sociability. Swell Profs. Quiet Frat. Houses. Undying spirit, Education, Heavenly campus, Attractive girls, Nutritious food, Never a dull moment. Another three years.

Gloria Walmer—I think S. U. is tops. It enables you to express yourself religiously, scholastically, and socially.

Ann Malkames—Everything is wonderful!

Ellen Helman—It would be nice if there were more boys like the ones already here.

Ellen Stein—A Utopia, if there was less studying.

Hope Peters—S. U. is even more beautiful than I expected. I'm sure glad I came.

Margie Johns: I like the idea of all the sports, but I wish we had more competition in sports. S. U. is the school.

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## EDITORIALS

Hello freshman! It's really great having you with us. Individually we have tried to give each of you a hearty welcome to S. U., and now we will do so collectively. The class of '48 comprises the largest part of the student body, and we not only warmly accept you into our group, but we look to you for the future of Susquehanna. A large class, such as yours, adds new vitality and spark to our campus. This is your school now too, and we are sincerely glad to share it with you.

Although Susquehanna has been affected by the war, you will probably be able to experience college during both war and peace time. There is a lot you have to look forward to. College during war is a test of character and will power to those who attend. Perhaps, as many do, some want to leave school to get high paying defense jobs. It takes perseverance and thoughts of the future to resist temptations such as the one I mentioned.

Freshman, you are going to have the valuable experience of attending college during war, and, we sincerely pray, that you will know Susquehanna during days of peace. We are leaving it up to you, and we know that you will make the most of S. U. regardless of worldly stress.

Once again let us say—it's great having you with us.

We who are in charge of this year's publication of "The Susquehanna" vow to you that we are going to carry on in the best way possible. We will undoubtedly make mistakes and probably have successes, and in either case we will welcome your criticism or compliment.

We are in war—our paper will not be as large or elaborate as in pre-war days. We will be unable to carry all the news and features in this small paper as formerly, but what we publish, you may feel certain, will be our best. Need more be said.

## MY LIFE THIS SUMMER

Marjorie Barton—Switchboard operator and general office work at Lowry Electric in Williamsport. . . . Joan Smith—Did some modeling for Blackbox Studios in N. Y. C. . . . Ed Madden—Worked at print shop in N. Y. C. and came to summer school, 2d semester.

## LOST & FOUND

WANTED—Golf balls by Coach Stagg. LOST—Many girls' hearts to a certain "frosch fella."

WANTED—A way to study for Dr. Russ's courses in less than three hours.

FOUND—A way—ask Bob Surplus. WANTED—A certain street-light removed from in front of Hassinger Hall.

LOST—Too much time studying. WANTED—The grass cut on the athletic field so that so many golf balls would not be lost.

WANTED—A muffer to silence that "job" of Frankie's.

FOUND—Some lipstick, paint, and powder, by every frosch girl. Coincidence?

WANTED—More moonlight nites like September 30, with more 11:10's.

TO RENT—My mailbox—No mail for a week.

WANTED—Bicycles for the girls going to senior high to practice teach.

WANTED—More men.

FOUND—One beautiful gym floor.

WANTED by certain frosch—"My mama" or boyfriend.

WANTED—A golf pro for a full time job—teaching.

WANTED—a person to do a better job of writing this column than I am—any applicants—or suggestions?

## Beckwith and Tietbohl Announce Engagement

Miss Carmen Marie Beckwith and Augustus V. Tietbohl have joined the ranks of S. U. couples who intend to make a way in life together. Better known to us as "Beckie" and "Gus," they met here in the fall of 1942 when both entered Susquehanna as freshmen. Both have taken an active part in extra-curricular activities.

Miss Beckwith is a member of S.A.I. Sorority, W.A.A., Susquehanna Orchestra, Susquehanna Singers, is a reporter for the "Susquehanna," The Theater Guild, S.C.A., and a member of the Women's Judiciary Committee. She is taking the Music Supervisor's course.

Mr. Tietbohl, now serving in the U. S. Army, is a member of Theta Chi Fraternity, Alpha Psi Omega, the Band, S.C.A. and the Theater Guild. After the war, he plans to return to S. U. to take the Pre-Theological Course.

The couple became engaged while Gus was enjoying a 15 day furlough at his home in Williamsport. Miss Beckwith, from Oakmont, Pittsburgh, spent a week at his home in Williamsport. Gus is now back at Camp Crowder, Missouri.

S. U.'s heartiest congratulations to both Beckie and Gus.

## CAMPUSOLOGY

The super-sleuths are on the loose again, and unlike the proverbial monkeys, we see all, hear all, and tell all—so beware! Your private life is our chop-suey!

The campus is chock full of new frosh a la rogues' gallery, decked with those lovely orange bows and that new back-to-nature make-up. Ah, yes! The sophs are really on the ball this year!

"In the Spring a young man's fancy lightly turns . . ." Well, it's fall, but Dan Cupid dressed nice and warm, is out to make plenty of news for us—Have you seen these charming two-somes emerging on the campus already? Larry and Bobbie; Ray and Jeanne; Russ and Cayle.

We've all been wondering why Scotty Small doesn't make up his mind between what Selbert and Hassinger have to offer. But then, it's nicer to give everyone a break.

Did you see that perfectly gorgeous man in Navy Blue (a native of Sunbury, by the way) who paid a most welcome visit to Betty Frank last weekend? As the song puts it—"The Navy gets the gravy."

Gus's latest appearance on campus was outlined only by that sparkling stone he had placed on Beckie's third finger, left hand. Congratulations, Kids! We've been awaiting the good news.

Corinne Kahn is one lucky and happy little gal. Her Clyde has a fur-tough and he plans to spend it with her! He should be here any day now—and she can hardly wait!

Roses are Red  
Violets are blue  
Red hair is sweet,  
and Red knows who!

Mary Lib's interest in life was given a sudden rise by the telegram she received from her man Burrell last Sunday. Thrilled? Well, that's an understatement, but you get the idea.

Dale is full of ideas about what little gals like. Have you seen that latest addition to Mary Moyer's collection of gifts—the cutest little cactus plant—bun genie!

Bloomsburg's fair seems to have had a great deal of attraction for a number of our students this weekend.

## Diary of a Frosh

GLORIA J. WALMER

Saturday, September 16th

Arrived on campus 11:00 A. M. Gee, what a beautiful place! Pine trees, row on row, beautiful buildings, and Selbert—just like a southern mansion. My what greetings—just like your own sisters.

Room Selbert, Third Floor—really neat with lovely view from window. Group meetings—they really "laid down the laws" to us, but that is only a part of what makes S. U. what it is today.

Gee, I wonder who that cute fellow is?

Oodles of fun at the Pajama Party. Sunday, September 17th

Attended Sunday School and Church, Trinity Lutheran. Excellent sermon by President Smith. Sunday P. M.—1st S. C. A. Vesper Program. Wonderful group religiously and socially.

House Meeting—Introduced to Student Council Association. Doing a fine job with all of the frosh.

Monday, September 18th

I am beginning to like this place. Beginning of Placement Tests.

Tuesday, September 19th

Registration Day. Motion pictures—slant on campus life. Very cute.

Foxy, "Bookie", Ben Herr, Lou, Beckie, Bill Hayes and Ruth Williams, Marlan with Pete, and some others traveled via bus or Pete's car to enjoy the revel of a Saturday at the county fair. Speaking of Pete he's leaving again Monday, and so Marlan will be rather a lonesome lass shortly—is the expression war-widow? Anyway, she's been kept very busy by his undivided attentions in the recent past—and it was fun!

The very first weekend anyone invaded S. U.'s campus who here invited Eze Zlock to see our Gloria. And then he pops up this weekend again too. See, frosch, how the x-students love the campus(?)

"Gigger's" summer job resulted in a visit this weekend from Mel, her good-looking chemist, who seems to be quite interested in Jeanie. (Say, I might charge Dr. Fisher for advertising his chemistry courses as a way to get a man!)

It's too bad Rolling Green's dance hall is closed for the season. Now what will those wolves, Warner, Winey and Gelnet do with their Saturday nites? They were the beaux of the ball and kept all the gals on their toes (or vice-versa). Art escorted Gay Wagner on Saturday last, so perhaps he'll be out of the wolf class ere long.

We haven't seen too much of Johnny Kosci's this year. Why? He's Northumberland's football coach. He, it is rumored, has also adopted another profession, that of singing. He often serenades Dotty with a chorus or two or "A Bicycle Built for Two."

Both "Skip" and Sally came up to see the "kids" for a final farewell before joining the Navy. The WAVES' headquarters will number them in their "Leads or Luck, Sailors!"

It seems a certain Frat House was overcrowded a few days ago, but they did something about it—they left one of the members behind Will Hayes' trunk. It is also rumored that Tony Payne has been trying hard to make Ray a charter member of his Night-Owl Club.

Well, that clears up the dirt in our back-yard for this week, but never fear, more will collect. We'll be "seeing" you!

Wednesday, September 20th

S. C. A. Party—plenty of fun with punch and cookies for everyone.

Thursday, September 21st

Convocation—very timely address by Rev. Carl A. Honeycutt.

Faculty reception—introduced to all the profs. (Don't know whether this is good or bad.)

This place is beginning to "grow on me".

Saturday, September 23rd

Washed my hair in preparation for Frosh Initiation Week.

Monday, September 25th

Beginning Frosh Initiation Week. Ouch!

They include (darn it):

1. Wear orange hairbows 2" x 8" until Thanksgiving.
2. Wear 4" x 8" name tags with name in red for two weeks.
3. Do not put up your hair for one week.
4. Do not wear any makeup for one week. (Falafacs)

Tuesday, September 26th

Social dancing in basement of Selbert. Sweet tunes and swing tunes!

Wednesday, September 27th

Studied as usual.

Thursday, September 28th

W. A. A. Meeting—Important to all future sportswomen.

Friday, September 29th

Saw that cute fellow again today.

Future—Hazing Day!

This is where I came in.



# OUR FROSH

Joan Apple with her contagious laugh is one of our Commercial Education students. She is 5' 4 1/2", with brown hair and laughing brown eyes. Joan, who is, by the way, from Sunbury, Pa., thinks Dennis Morgan is simply wonderful. As for the musical side of things she goes for Andre Kostelanetz and Harry James. It seems her heart is divided between the Navy and Army Air Corps, with a preference for the Navy as her favorite branch of the services. Joan hopes to be somebody's secretary some day, and will certainly make a cute one.

Frosta (Jack Frost) Arslnieu hails from Lewistown, Pa. She's a "Con" student and would like to teach music or play in a famous band. The Navy rates with Frosty, as well as Harry James, tennis, bowling and coin collecting. She has light brown hair and blue-gray eyes and a very nice personality. In regard to lessons she likes violin, but Frosta also likes hot dogs when it comes to food and dancing when extra-curricular activities are concerned.

Cora Arthur is another of our Freshmen who is taking Music Education with the ambition of teaching after graduation. She is 18 years old, 5' 3" tall, with brown hair and brown eyes. She hails from Muncy, Pa., and sticks to Pennsylvania in her taste of music—she takes to Fred Waring. In her spare time she likes reading, dancing, and sports—especially basketball. Her military preference is the U. S. Navy. Arslnieu Asch belongs to the Liberal Arts department of S. U. and is interested in child welfare. Three years ago she moved from Montreal, Quebec, to Scarsdale, N. Y., and from there she came to S. U. Max is always in a hurry for something. She goes for the R. A. F. in a big way. Tommy Dorsey has top place on her musical list. She plans to get quite some studying done this year, but by no means is she the bookworm type. Max has the ability to make anyone laugh. She really has a great sense of humor.

Peggy Bathgate from State College is taking the Medical Secretary course in the Business Department. Peggy is 18 and has brown hair and green eyes. Peggy isn't playing favorite with any fellow yet, though she does like Lon McAllister. Maybe that's why she likes to go to the movies so much. Also on the top of her list are Glenn Miller's orchestra, bike-riding, dancing and, in sports—basketball. She likes shorthand class best of all, but she wishes that more fellows were med-secretaries.

Nancy Lou (don't forget the Lou!) Bieking is another swell girl from Hazleton. Her brown eyes, brown hair and her smile have made her many friends already. Nancy Lou thinks the Marines are swell and likes Harry James and Tom Drake, too. Nan is 17 and 5' 6 1/2" tall. She likes dancing a lot, and in the line of sports she likes to horseback ride. The Liberal Arts department claims Nan, but as yet she has no definite ambition.

**MY LIFE THIS SUMMER**  
Harold Snyder—Inventory dept. at Middletown Air Depot . . . Marie Kilek—Worked in woolen factory and gave piano lessons . . . Marjorie Mengel—Nitecraft mill in Sunbury . . . Jane Gundrum—Measles, and German ones at that . . . Faye Smith—Worked on dad's farm . . . Laverne Kohn—Receptionist at R.C.A. in Camden . . . Myra Epstern—Worked in my father's drug store . . . Audrey Havice—Went to SU summer school . . . Caroline Marks—Worked in my grandfather's clothing store in Danville . . . Bob Surplus—Production Control Department of Murry Corp. of America, Scranton.

# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Sigma Alpha Iota

Sigma Alpha Iota held its first meeting of the year last Wednesday afternoon. Louise Kresge, the president, presided.

Improvements in the appearance of SAI Sorority room this year includes new draperies over the door and window, and a new coat of varnish on the floor.

More news about S.A.I. next week. So-long!

## Kappa Delta Phi

Kappa Delta Phi has held two meetings this week, the first on Monday, September 25, and the second on Wednesday. Plans were discussed for the Homecoming and Founder's Day celebration.

During the week, members of the sorority have been holding a barefoot frolic. Yes, you've guessed it. They're varnishing and polishing the floor, washing windows, and giving the room a general housecleaning in anticipation of some good times this year.

## Pi Gamma Mu

Pi Gamma Mu presented a sound motion picture, "18th Century Life in Williamsburg, Virginia," on Monday evening, October 2, in Steele Science Hall. The movie was open to Susquehanna students and the general public.

Future programs have been prepared to allow variety of subject and type. Two will be in charge of students and faculty members will conduct an equal number. Outside speakers will participate on two occasions and one other motion picture will be shown.

## Vespers

Hymns, how they came to be written and their authors, was the topic of the vesper service held in the chapel on September 24.

Louise Kresge read the scripture. Features of the evening were a trio and a solo by conservatory students. Charlotte Smith, Ruth Cochrane, Jean Straussner, and Hope Spicer presented short backgrounds of different familiar hymns. Each account was followed by the singing of that hymn. Some of these hymns were sung by the entire group in the chapel and others were sung by a group of conservatory students. All singing was accompanied by Marjorie Stapleton.

As special music, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," was sung by a trio, Jean Straussner, Virginia Hallock, and Hope Spicer. Gloria Machmer sang "Ave Maria" as a solo.

The benediction was pronounced by Dr. T. W. Kretschmann.

## Did You Notice?

Sibert Hall had its "face lifted" and now looks spic and span. The social rooms and kitchen in the basement were painted a light shade of green, which gives the rooms a more cheerful atmosphere. Then too, we have acquired a game room which is under the same regulations as the social rooms. Also the north and south wings on the third floor have been carpeted. Hassinger Hall was reconverted as a woman's dormitory. If you want to see a shiny building, just take a look. The girls' day student room is now located in the basement of Hassinger and is much cozier.

I guess most of you have seen the gym. The floors were sanded, new lines drawn, and then the floor was refinished.

The Business Department wasn't to be outdone, and so they decided to fix up their rooms in G. A. If you happened to see Ross Johns and Russ

Brown with spots of paint on their noses, you'll understand when you see the results of their labor.

## W. A. A.

The first meeting of the Women's Athletic Association was held on Thursday afternoon, September 28, President Frances Bittinger presiding.

All new freshmen were invited to this meeting, and it was explained to them how they could become members of the organization by earning the required number of points throughout the year.

At the end of the business meeting, refreshments were served.

The organization looks very promising for the coming year. Membership will undoubtedly be larger, and many activities have been planned for the coming winter season.

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# SUMMER NUPTIALS OF SU STUDENTS

The marriage of Miss Doris Hagarty to Mr. George Bass was solemnized Saturday, August 19, 1944, in St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Hawley, Pa. The Rev. Dr. Morris Gortner, Lansdowne, performed the ceremony, and Miss Helen Hocker presided at the organ.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and Mrs. Clyde Sechler, the former Louise McWilliams, was the matron of honor. The bridesmaids were the Misses Jean Buffington, Doris Welch, Mary Gilpin, and Mary Cummings. Bryan Dowd served as best man, and Herman Steumpfle and Frank McSheen were the ushers.

The bridegroom is a student at Gettysburg Theological Seminary.

Miss Margaret Gemmill became the bride of William Janson, Jr., on August 26, 1944, in the Messiah Lutheran Church, York, Pa. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. William Janson, father of the bridegroom.

A half hour recital preceded the wedding, and Mrs. William Janson, mother of the bridegroom, presided as organist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, with Miss Janet Hoke as her maid of honor. The Misses Jean Gemmill, Doris Janson, Elizabeth Mann, and Jane Smiley were the bridesmaids. The bridegroom's best man was Francis Bell; the ushers were Herman Steumpfle, William Miller, Jr., Roswell Johns, and Joseph Taylor.

The bridegroom is a student at the theological seminary at Gettysburg. The couple are now residing at 141 Baltimore Street, Gettysburg.

Miss Jacqueline Jacques became the bride of Cpl. Joseph P. Driscoll on August 30, 1944, in a ceremony solemnized in the St. Mary's Church of Norwich, Conn.

The couple's only attendants were the bridegroom's twin brother and his sister.

The bridegroom is now stationed at an air base at Springfield, Mass., and the bride is living with her mother on High Street, Selinsgrove.

### MY LIFE THIS SUMMER

Carmen Beckwith—Slept in morning, read in afternoon, and went to the movies in evening . . . Emily Bodorf—Waitress in snack bar in Pennsylvania Railroad Station in Harrisburg . . . Rhoda Klemmons—A counselor at Camp Raleigh, N. Y. . . Pauline Solomon—Teacher at nursery on Long Island . . . Ruth Ulrich—Worked at the Good Shepherd Home in Allentown . . . Jean Wheat—Was a clerk at Standard Vacuum Oil Co. in N. Y. C. . . Marty Sharwarko—Laboratory work in a hospital . . . Mary Lizzio—Secretary to my father at his store . . . Dot Ellhardt—Waitress at Castle Restaurant in Scranton.

### FROSH LIKES AND GRIPES

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Dawn Ebert—I like most of my subjects and hope the sophs won't be too hard on us. I'm glad I'm a day student, because who likes restrictions?

Jerry Moore—The girls are very sociable; upperclassmen are helpful and very accommodating. As for the profs—I can't say a word about them. The work isn't too difficult as yet, but so far, I've had plenty to keep me busy most of the time.

Betty Reisch—I'd much rather live in Hassinger than Seibert. I've met a grand group of girls and have found the upperclassmen helpful, except the sophs, of course. I can't say too much yet about the profs and the work, but I'm not sorry I chose S. U.

Joyce Burkhard—S. U.? It's wonderful! I love it! My only gripe is that everything is so smooth that I have nothing to gripe about, and that really comes from the bottom of my heart.

Nedra Polanchyck—All the teachers are nice—so far. The food is good and I much prefer Hassinger to Seibert. Haven't had much time for social life as yet, 'cause practicing in the Con keeps me busy. All in all, S. U. is really swell.

Naomi Garman—For the first time in my life I'm enjoying algebra. Think that means anything? The kids are all well and the profs are really helpful, co-operative, and humorous. The food is wonderful, and so long as I get my second helping, I'm happy.

Corra Mae Arthur—I like S. U. a lot, but I'll be glad when these first four weeks are over and I can go home.

Dorm life is swell. Upperclassmen are friendly and social life is O. K., as much as I've seen of it.

Anna Sheetz—I looked for a college which is small, where I could really study and make friendly contacts with my classmates. After visiting several colleges, I found that Susquehanna came up to my every expectation. I like the friendly attitude of both the students and the teachers.

Caroline Graybill—Dorm life is different, but lots of fun. Upperclassmen are all right, excluding the sophs. The food here is swell, but I could eat three times as much of everything. The men are O. K., but they're few and far between. My classes are interesting, the work is hard, but it's worth it.

### SUCCESS MARKS FROSH ORIENTATION PROGRAM

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Informal gatherings such as a tour of the campus September 16, and a pajama party the evening of the same day were held. Monday, September 18, the S. C. A. welcomed the new students at 7:00 p. m. Tuesday evening, Pete Lamor showed movies of the campus after which several upperclass girls presented a mock wedding in the chapel. A party was held by the S. C. A. in the Social Rooms of Seibert for the freshmen Wednesday evening. This period of orientation ended when convocation exercises that were held Thursday morning and classes officially started at 10 o'clock.

The girls who were group leaders are as follows: Mary Moyer, Jane Malkames, Marie Klick, Marjorie Stapleton, Jean Geiger, Dorothy Sternat, Marian Willard, and Ruth Cochane. The assistant group leaders were: Anna Miller, Lou Kresge, Charlotte Smith, Virginia Hallock, Gloria Gasparoli, Corinne Kahn, Hope Spicer, and LaVerne Kohn.

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## Class of 1944

From the immortal halls of Susquehanna advance scholars of renown. Not to be surpassed is the class of 1944.

For further information let us linger awhile and think about those of yesterday.

Norma Frank is a music supervisor in Lehigh county.

Olive Atherton is teaching in the commercial department at Reedsville.

Ethel Wilson teaches music at Nuremburg.

Louis Kramer has a position in the consolidated school in Turbotville, while Helen Hocker teaches music at Muncy.

Phyllis Wolfe teaches instrumental music at the Polk State School.

Janet Sechrist is employed as assistant director of music at Wildwood, New Jersey.

Jane Stitt also is on the music faculty at Elizabethtown.

Ada Jayne Romig, who attended Susquehanna this summer and received her permanent certification, is teaching in the junior high school at Wormleysburg.

Jean Harris holds a position in the Highspire commercial department.

Our librarian of the summer, Catherine Byrod, is employed in the Middleburg High School. Along with her

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## Geiger and Kinzer To Head "Lantern"

Miss Jean C. Geiger, from Williamsport, and prominent member of the junior class was elected by faculty and student representatives of the junior class, as editor-in-chief of this year's *Lantern*, the yearbook of SU. Also elected at the same time as business manager of the college annual was Miss Jean Kinzer of Newport, another active member of the class.

As yet neither the editorial or business staffs have been appointed, but both these staffs will be selected in the near future.

The duties of the editor of the *Lantern* are to decide the theme of the book, and have complete charge with the editorial management of the book, while the business manager has as her duties the financing of the book.

Arrangements are now being made for photographing the individual students.

## Did You Know?

Tuesday, October 17—Paper collection day at SU.  
Wednesday, October 18—Campus Club meets in Seibert Parlors from 3 to 5.  
Thursday, October 19—Inter-Sorority hike for sorority members and frosh girls from 5 to 7:30 p. m.  
Friday, October 20—Student Recital in the chapel at 4:15 p. m.  
Monday, October 23—Faculty Recital in Seibert Chapel at 8:15 p. m.  
Friday, October 27—High school students of Snyder County meet at Susquehanna at 2 p. m. to honor the 300th anniversary of the founding of the state of Pennsylvania. Dr. Dunkelberger will be the speaker.

# Alumni and Parents Enjoy SU Homecoming

## Parents Hear Shobert Dance Theme "Autumn"

The annual celebration of Homecoming, Founder's Day, and Parents' Day October 14, 1944, was officially begun with a Convocation in the chapel at 11 a. m. with Dr. G. Morris Smith, president of Susquehanna, presiding. The devotional portion of the program consisted in the singing of the hymn, "God of Our Fathers," and the reading of a scripture. The Susquehanna Singers, under the direction of Mrs. Clauque, supplied the music; a special arrangement of "Still as the Night." President Smith welcomed the Alumni and Parents, and invited them to relax and take a holiday from the cares of every-day living.

Mr. Earl Shobert, an alumnus of Susquehanna University, was introduced by Dr. Smith. Mr. Shobert was graduated from S. U. in 1935, and was then sent, on an exchange scholarship, to study in Germany for a year. He spent more than a year at Princeton University and later became Research Engineer with the Stackpole Carbon Company, St. Mary's, Pennsylvania. It is from there "By the Grace of God and St. Mary's ration board" that Mr. Shobert came to speak. "Life as I found it in Germany in 1935" was the general theme, in which Mr. Shobert gave the listeners a brief glance at the friendliness of the Germans to foreigners, such as he; and at the political, social, educational, and economic situation at that time. He concluded by pointing out the lack of encouragement the students in Germany received to participate in extracurricular activities, and emphasizing the importance of that phase of college life in building fine character and intelligent, alert citizens.

The Convocation came to a close with the singing of "Now Thank We All Our God" and Dr. Smith pronounced the benediction.

## Brown, Weller, Wolfe, Hays Chosen to Lead Classes for 1944-1945

Elections of the class officers for the school year of 1944-45 have been completed except for the Sophomore class, and the results are as follows:

- Senior**  
President—William Hays  
Vice President—John Warner  
Secretary—Corinne Kahn  
Treasurer—LaVerne Kohn
- Junior**  
President—Franklin Wolfe  
Vice President—Rine G. Winey, Jr.  
Secretary—Jean Kinzer  
Treasurer—Marjorie Barton
- Sophomore**  
President—Lawrence Weller  
Vice President—Helen Eby
- Freshmen**  
President—Russell Brown  
Vice President—Dexter Weikel  
Secretary—Edith Kemp  
Treasurer—Harriet Gould  
The remaining officers will be elected on a nearby date.

Those colorful autumn decorations blended with the smooth music of Ivan Faux and his orchestra created a most pleasant atmosphere to the 150 couples who attended the annual Homecoming Dance held in the Alumni Gymnasium on Saturday evening at 8 p. m.

Since Saturday was Parents' Day, Founder's Day, and Homecoming, the scene of the dance was well represented by parents who were enjoying the gaiety of their children, alumni who were very happy to be back on campus, and the servicemen who represented the various branches of the service. The Navy and Marines outnumbered the other servicemen, as they had been imported from the Navy V-12 program at Bucknell.

Among those returning Susquehannians seen at the dance were "Action" Rogers and Blanche Forney, Glenn Schueler and Helen Hocker, Jane Hutchinson, Kay Byrod, Jean Renfer, Ada Jayne Romig, Jean Harris, Warren Pirie, Dave Rishell, Charlie Ague, Ruth McCorkill, Emanell Whiteight and many others. Our campus couples included such twosomes as Jack Warner and Nancy Lou Bicking, Bill Hays and Edith Thomas, Don Wholsen and Lea Cryder, Larry Weller and Bobbie Kain, "Howdy" Paine and Toby Sweedler, John Kocis and Hilda Markey, Russ Brown and Gayle Clark, Rine Winey and Hope Spicer, Art Geinett and Edith Kemp, Bob Surplus and Ruth Cochrane, "Scotty" Small and Marie Stout, "Red" Deidich and Peggy Minier, Dave Bomboj and Harriet Gould, Ros Johns and Caroline Pfahler, Frank Wolfe and Jewel MacNamara, Bernie Swiencki and Elise Thompson, Joe Taylor and Jean Wentling, Jerry Moore and Annie Miller, Ira Wasserburg and Sara Lee Smith, Dexter Weikel and Dot Elhardt, and Aldo

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## 18 Students on Dean's List of Last Semester

Dean Russell Galt announced in chapel on Tuesday, October 10, that the following students comprised the Dean's list for the second semester of the 1943-1944 term:

- Catherine Fox, '47  
Jean Geiger, '46  
Virginia Hallock, '46  
Marianna Hazen, '47  
Norma Hazen, '46  
David Helm, '44  
Florence Houtz, '44  
Corinne Kahn, '45  
Jean Kinzer, '46  
LaVerne Kohn, '45  
Celo Leitzel, '45  
Nancy Myers, '47  
Daniel I. Reltz, Jr. \*  
Janet Sechrist, '44  
Elinor Jane Stitt, '44  
Margaret Walter, '45  
Rine Winey, Jr., '46  
Marian Willard, '45.  
\* Army Air Corps.

## LT. JAY BILLMAN KILLED IN FRANCE

### Graduate of SU '40, Third Man to Die in Present World War

First Lieutenant Jay Donald Billman, '40, serving with the artillery, was killed in action in France, September 27, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Billman, of Front Street, Herndon. Lt. Billman was the third graduate of Susquehanna to give his life in this war. The others were Lt. Vincent Prattell and Lt. Donald Wert.

Lt. Billman had been wounded on June 1, on the Italian front, but after a short period of hospitalization he returned to duty.

He was a teacher of Latin and English at Sonestown High School prior to entering the service two years ago. He received his basic training at Fort Bragg, N. C., and took his officer's training at Fort Sill, Okla.

A member of Bond and Key, Lt. Billman was an active student on campus. He was a Liberal Arts student, active in music work, being in the Motet Choir for his four years of college; in the choral society; the operetta, and the Theater Guild. In his senior year he was president of Pi Gamma Mu and on the Lanthorn Business Staff.

His brother, First Lieutenant Frederick Billman, '36, entered the service at the same time and throughout their army life were always near one another. They went abroad in March, 1943, and saw service in North Africa, Sicily, and Italy.

He is also survived by one other brother, Robert, who lives in Herndon. His father is justice of the peace at that place.

## SU Seniors Practice Teach in Selingsgrove Public School System

No doubt everyone has seen at some time or the other members of the senior class hurrying from one class or leaving the dormitory early at noon in order to reach the high school or the grade school building in Selingsgrove.

Yes, they are the practice teachers. The commercial department has two of its members practicing teaching. They are Corinne Kahn and Marian Willard. Corinne teaches Vocational English, Commercial English, and Typing; Marian teaches Law, Commercial Mathematics, and Shorthand.

The Conservatory has quite a few of its members trying their skill in teaching music in the Pine Street Grade School. Among these are Louise Kresge, teaching in the first and second grades; Jack Warner, third and fifth; Margaret Walters, first and second; Robert Surplus, fourth and fifth; Tony Payne, third and fifth; and Miriam Garth, fourth and sixth.

In the Liberal Arts department of our college we find that Mary Lib Baseahor is teaching eighth grade English. Mary Moyer has the senior class in Algebra, II. Patricia Snyder has the seventh grade in Ancient History, while LaVerne Kohn is teaching the sophomores World History.



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## EDITORIALS

Did you know that the "Crusaders" was the appellation given to Susquehanna football teams in 1924? They were given this name because of the fact that this is a Lutheran College and this links the players on these teams with "the idea of early Christian Crusaders." Deeply embedded in this thought is honesty in fighting for a cause, loyalty, consideration for others, disapproval of wrong, courteousness, or in just one word, sportsmanship. These former football players were honest and fair in their playing, considerate when others were injured, disapproving of rough play on their own team and abusive remarks from the sideline, and always loyal and doing their best for their alma mater.

Now that intramural sports are beginning to take place at S. U., should we forget these principles practiced by those who have gone before us? Or can we show them that we are true Susquehannans, true Crusaders, too? Let us also be fair in our playing, disapprove of rough play, accept the decisions of officials without question, and recognize and applaud any display of fine play or good sportsmanship on the opposing team as well as our own. As you know, this idea of good sportsmanship applies not only to sports but carries over into our own lives. Now, while we are here at college laying the foundations of our characters, let us incorporate into ourselves for all time good sportsmanship. Let's start in on games tomorrow.

"The freshmen are a fine group, but I wish they would keep up the regular frosh traditions like they are supposed to."

Many upper-classmen have passed a comment such as the one above. Perhaps the reason why the freshmen fail to observe the little courtesies that go into being a frosh is because they can't visualize the significance of these courtesies. As strange as it may seem, freshmen rules and hazing have their place in the preparation for our lives after we leave college. Seating an upper-classman, allowing him to precede you through a door-way, and the other freshman practices are all a

form of respect. Respect is something we all must have for authority and older people. In Susquehanna this respect that we must acquire to get along in life, is symbolized by the insistence that freshmen play by the rules.

Some day you will be upper classmen too, frosh, and then you can see more clearly what we mean, but for now let's cooperate and have the Class of '48 uphold S. U.'s traditions as well and better than other classes have done in the past.

## LOST & FOUND

**LOST:** Ability to think. Please return to Psychology class if found anywhere on the Campus.

**FOUND:** One gorgeous piano in Hassinger Basement.

**LOST:** All of the orange and green ribbon from the stores downtown. I'll bet that the Freshmen could easily supply this little item.

**WANTED:** An automatic leaf-raker-upper. (It would save a lot of stiffened backs.)

**WANTED:** Plastic hockey sticks. That way, fewer shins will be bruised. Thank goodness, eyes don't come into play in this case.

**WANTED:** More "hep-cats" to join in the dancing during Social Dancing hours. Get hep, but watch your step!!!!

**LOST:** Red hot dogs.

**FOUND:** Green ones.

**WANTED:** A patched-up fence around the tennis courts. There are more invisible holes in the fence than there are in a million doughnuts.

**FOUND:** Some luscious ping-pong tables at Hassinger and Selbert Halls.

**WANTED:** A coke machine for Hassinger Hall. Gee! One certainly does get thirsty at night while studying, and, of course, that's one way of getting those peanut butter sandwiches to glide down your throat.

**FOUND:** Beautiful green and maroon "dinks" by the Freshman fellows. They surely do remind one of little English boys although they are minus the Eton collars.

**WANTED:** More hearty singing of the Alma Mater by the Frosh fellows.

**WANTED:** The 6:45 bell, silenced.

**TO RENT:** Don Juan lipstick.

**WANTED:** A way to know which side of the dorm Bernie will stick to.

**FOUND:** Many socks—could it be hazing day?

**WANTED:** An elevator to reach 3rd floor G. A.

**LOST:** One arm after taking notes in Dr. Russ' class.

**WANTED:** At least luke warm eggs.

## CAMPUSOLOGY

The biggest news of course is our big week-end ending in that super duper event—The Homecoming Dance—And what an affair it was! With every branch of the service represented (the Navy in fullest force) the place was very much like a U.S.O.—only better. And "Elmer" said, "That that was the bestest shindig evah throwd in these hyar parts." Just about all the coeds went and so we can't mention you all, but we did notice you and we're sure you all had a grand time—we did! I'll bet that was the first time men were handed out wholesale! Just a few highlights: Peggy Bathgate escorted Dr. Russ' nephew, Will Hayes in his "tails", the Harvest moon, parents on the side-lines, the intermission. All in all it was perfect, and the only complaint I've heard is that it didn't last long enough!

The Merchant Marine can be mighty proud of its personnel if we may judge by the speclmen around here—our own Warren Pirie. And "Foxy" has been the choice to spend almost every minute of his brief stay here with him! They were a knockout at the dance (Foxy plus an orchid—wow, what a combination!) And then this Sunday afternoon found them picnicking along the river. And, speaking of the latter gala event, Tony and Toby, Lea and Yonkers, Scotty and Jean, were also among those present. Guess this must be Indian Summer all right!

The latest couple on campus is the Kocsis-Markey duo that seems to be in perfect harmony—witness that huge Phi Mu ring on Hilda's finger and that everpresent inspiration (A picture I mean). Those Frosh keep getting better and better each year, eh Johnny?

Jerry Moore seems to find a perfect partner in Annie Miller but we do wish he'd spread his charm among a few of the dotting gals around.

There are dates and there are dates, but the best I've heard in quite a while is a breakfast date for 8 a. m. on the morning of a holiday. Could it be that Helen and Ross really crave Wheaties?

Frank Wolfe is doing a mighty good job of deception—when were sure it's Fae, up steps Jewel, and vice versa—Frankie, how about clearing up this dilemma?

Corinne hasn't been going around in the clouds for nothing. Coming back after that perfect weekend at home with Clyde wasn't easy—but classes have proved to be more fun than ever with him always waiting outside. Why doesn't the Army do more of that sort of thing? A whole week—Ah, Bliss!

Mary Lizzio very seldom reveals that her letters (which are very frequent) from Brania, the man in her life, are as exciting as a Wild-West thriller. What a loyal morale-builder Joe's got himself there!

Danny Reitz, last year's campus Romeo, hasn't left us completely—not with those daily letters to Evelyn Will-hour!

Many of us can boast a Bucknell sailor here, but few can boast a dance there (as yet). Norma Hazen's got us beat there for she stripped the light fantastic with that darling gob, Cecil Baker, at Bucknell's formal Oct. 7. Corinne Frey and Rubye Meyers journeyed to see the football game in the p. m. and from all indications must have had a wonderful time!

**LOST:** One first aid vicium—scared?

**WANTED:** Comfortable chairs behind Steele Science.

**FOUND:** My Science Survey book—darn it!

**WANTED:** An automatic homework do-er.

**TO RENT:** The seat on the wrong side of Judiciary.

We all agree Russ Brown is quite a lady-killer—but it seems he's trying to confuse us by bringing twins on campus (after all, Russ, one at a time, please, or how are we to know which is the one?)

**Is life worth living?** Jeanette Kramer's answer would be, "and how!" No need to add that her boy was home last week, is there?

Some people are happy all year. Some are just for a day, But Gelnett will never shed a tear. When he can be near his Gay. Extra! Extra! Special Excursion to New York City:

Time of departure: Friday, October 20.

Ship: S. S. Katy Fox.

Captain: Ray Mould.

No reservations!

Not only did we celebrate Homecoming, but also Parents' Day, and there were loads of kids lucky enough to have the real McCoy here to help, such as Lou Kresge, Helen Eby, The Mal-kames's, Lee Cross, Benn Herr, Frances Leisinger, Dot Elhart, Myra Epstein, LaVern Kohn, Marian Willard, and many others. It was swell to see them all.

**IT'S RUMORED:** that "Skip" Madden is having trouble finding the right gal; that Dave Kemberling is about to start charging fare for the nightly excursions to Sunbury the Bond and Key boys take; that a charity fund is being organized to raise enough money to pay for a haircut for Ray Mould; that Bernie and Elle are looking serious again; that Red Neldich can give any inside info on the operation of the Student Council; that the frosh ain't crazy about the hazing; that Bond and Key is taking up a collection to buy binoculars; that Harriet Gould is to be made the official Alma Mater girl; that Harry Welliver's theme song is "I Won't Dance, Don't Ask Me"; that Ruth Cochrane and Surplus have taken up where they left off last year; that when a gal goes out with Wassergurg she has to remember the old song, "I Can't Give You Anything But Love, Baby"; huff said.

And now for the \$64 question—Where were Winey and Warner when they were paged in the movies the other nite?

That's all Folks!

## CLASS OF 1944

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teaching schedule she is the school librarian.

Janet Hoke is on the commercial faculty at New Oxford.

William Janson and Roy Gutshall are students at the Gettysburg Theological Seminary while Morris Smith is attending Mt. Airy Seminary at Philadelphia.

Henry Hopkins entered Drew Seminary, and David Heim is attending the Colgate Rochester Divinity School.

Geraldine Bemiller and Jean Renfer are chemists for E. I. duPont de Nemours, Inc. at Wilmington, Delaware.

Fred Lower was employed at Salesky's Hat Factory in Sunbury during the summer, and is now an instructor at Carson Long Institute, New Bloomfield.

Ka Aucker and Sue Goyne have no definite plans for the fall.

Roy Leader is now serving in the United States Army.

Richard Lepley is working on his father's farm awaiting his call to Uncle Sam's services.

Margie Gemmill and Doris Haggarty became brides during the summer. Last but not least is Florence Houtz, who will enter the University of Pennsylvania in November to do graduate work.



# OUR FROSH

Arla Bilger from Kreamer, Pr., graduated from Selingsgrove High. From there she went to Washington, and after an eight months stay she came to S. U. to take the business course. She intends to become a secretary. Arla is 19 years old, 5' 7" tall, and has blue-grey eyes and brown hair. Of all the services the Army rates highest along with Fred Waring's band and Cary Grant. Her hobby is collecting odd perfume bottles, of which, at the present, she has over a hundred. She likes slow dancing, but would like to learn to jitterbug. (Hepcats, take note!)

Florian Bilger, is one of the tallest girls on campus; she stands 5' 8 3/4". She comes to us from McClure High School, McClure, Pa. Floss has brown hair and brown eyes to match. The business department has another future office worker in its midst where Floss is concerned, but business isn't Florian's only interest, by any means. She likes Harry James' music, English class, the Army Air Corps, and dancing. For something to do she likes to plaster her room with pictures, pennants, etc. Basketball comes in, too, for its share of her attention.

David Bomboy is one of the Freshman fellows staying at Phi Mu. He's 18, about 5' 10", with brown hair and brown eyes. Dave is from Bloomsburg (from the fair of the same name), Pa., and is taking Pre-Theology here at S. U. He likes the Navy, baseball, and naturally—girls. Another loyal Pennsylvanian, his favorite band is Fred Waring. His ambition at present is to be a success, and he is bound to be one.

Ronald Boyer (no relation to Charles) is a quiet fellow from Bond and Key. He graduated from Elizabethtown High and lives in Pillow, Pa. Don is 18, reaches 5' 11". His hair and eyes are brown. His preference in bands is Sammy Kaye. Also on his list are baseball, basketball and dancing. He likes the Army best of the services, but he's not talking when it comes to the subject of girls. Ron is a Liberal Arts student, and success is his ambition.

Russell Brown, who is at Phi Mu, too, is from Roaring Springs, Pa. He is 17, is 5' 6" tall, and has brown eyes and dark blond hair. He is in the business department, where he's studying to be an accountant. Russ likes the Navy and likes to "swing and sway with Sammy Kaye". A red head named Marion seems to rate with Russ. He likes to follow the football, baseball, and basketball games, and also likes to putt around the golf course.

Anita Burk is 17, 5' 6" with blue eyes and red wavy hair. She comes from Manhattan, New York, and graduated from Hunter College High School. She has a boyfriend in the Army, which prejudices her in favor of that branch of service. She seems to like zoology and German classes here on campus and would like to do something in connection with child psychology. In her spare time she likes to knit, and likes square dancing and folk dancing. She also likes baseball and hiking. Nina is a student in the Liberal Arts department.

## Dr. Dallas Baer Makes Gift to Bus. Ed. Dept.

A stand to hold an unabridged dictionary was presented to the Business Education Department of Susquehanna in September, by Dr. Dallas C. Baer. Dr. Baer was former pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church in Selingsgrove, but is now located in Norwood, Pennsylvania, where he has accepted a charge.

# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Kappa Delta Phi

Friday evening, October 6, saw all the K. D. P's hiking down to the Isle of Que. The occasion? A picnic supper at the Luther Redcays. Everyone had her fill of hot dogs, baked beans, tomato and lettuce, potato chips, pickles, and onions, topped off with individual pies, milk, and popped corn.

## Sigma Alpha Iota

The regular meeting of S. A. I. was held on Wednesday of this last week in the sorority room. In order to make the Alumni feel more at home, it was decided to have candy and nuts in the room on Saturday, October 14th. On Thursday of this past week, Dorothy Jupina was formally initiated into the sorority.

Many of our Alumni were back for Homecoming. They included Jane Stitt, Helen Hooker, Lois Kramer, Janet Sechrist, Phyllis Wolfe, Jessie Walton Schmitthenner, Emanuel White-knight, June Hendricks Hoke, and Jean Warner Wardelich.

## Theatre Guild

The first meeting of the Susquehanna Theatre Guild was held October 3, at 7:30. Gloria Gasparoli was elected president and she explained the aims of the Theatre Guild and some of the projects planned for this year. All new members were asked to fill in papers stating any former dramatic or theatrical experience. A play, to be chosen and supervised by Alpha Psi Omega, the honorary dramatic fraternity of Theatre Guild, will be presented by the members of Theatre Guild some time in December. Try-outs for this play will be held in the near future.

## Business Society

The Business Society, the organization representing the Business Department of Susquehanna, held its first meeting of the year on Thursday evening, Oct. 12.

Rine Winey presided at the business meeting.

The aim of the Business Society is to do something that will benefit Susquehanna. Plans were discussed for activities to be carried out during the year. For this purpose all the members of the organization were divided into committees so that each group could work towards a certain goal.

Conforming to custom, the business meeting was followed by a social program. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Last year the Business Society was responsible for a successful scrap-paper drive and also for War Bond subscriptions, the credit to be given to Susquehanna University.

Membership of the organization promises to be very large this year as shown by the marked interest of the Freshmen as well as the upperclassmen.

## Vespers, October 15

On Sunday evening, October 15, Vesper services were held in the chapel in Seibert Hall. This service was a special occasion for the Student Christian Association, for Mr. Grant Yeager had constructed a beautiful wooden cross for the organization, and graciously presented it to the S. C. A. Dr. G. F. Dunkelberger formally presented the cross on Sunday evening at this Vesper service. His theme for the evening was "The Significance of the Cross." Special music was presented.

We of Susquehanna deeply appreciate this contribution and give our sincere thanks to Dr. Baer.

Vesper services are held each Sunday evening in the Chapel. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these programs.

## Vespers, October 8

"Friends, the joy of having them, and the requirements of a good friend," was the theme of the Sunday evening vesper service on October 8. The hymn, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," which was used, was conducive to this thought.

LaVerne Kohn read two poems: "Unknown Friends" and "Obligations of Friendship." The first of these poems, as the title suggests, showed that one does not know all one's friends and that unknown friends are often the truest. The second poem revealed friendship as being a business set up wherein each one has his duties and obligations.

Not only earthly, transient friendships but also the great everlasting Friend and our relationship to Him was brought to light.

The scripture was read by Peggy Bathgate.

## Sunday School Class

The newly elected president of the Students Sunday School Class at Trinity Lutheran Church, Mary Moyer, has already started the class on its way to a very pleasant year of fellowship and worship. It is the goal of the class to have sixty-five students present each Sunday. It is only a small part in

furthering the Christian way of life for each student to come to Sunday School and help attain that goal.

Beginning Sunday, October 15th, Roberta Gaetz, Charlotte Smith, and Jean Straussler will have charge of the devotional period. This committee, appointed by the president, will eventually enable every student to participate in the class worship.

Through the courtesy of Miss Un-angst, our Dean, we have been having very timely and interesting lessons of study.

## Omega Delta Sigma

The girls of Omega Delta Sigma held their weekly meeting on Wednesday, October 11 in the sorority room. Invitations were issued to the other sororities to come to the ODS Halloween party, which will be held Tuesday, October 31 in the social rooms. The guests are to come in costume.

Sunday night, October 15, the girls held an informal get together in the sorority room at 10:00. Refreshments were served and everyone had an enjoyable time.

On Homecoming Day the Omega Delta Sigma girls were easily recognizable for each one wore a large yellow chrysanthemum, which is the flower of the sorority.

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# -Sports-

## Crusader Squad Begins Basketball Practice; SU to Play 14 Games

On Monday, October 16, the Susquehanna dribblers will start their official basketball practice for the opening of the season sometime in December. Coach Amos A. Stagg Jr., this year will have to build a team from four lettermen and a squad of freshmen.

Heading these lettermen is Bernard "Bernie" Swiencki, ace shot from Glen Lion, Penna. Swiencki is a junior who last year proved to be one of the four outstanding basketball handlers in Susquehanna's history. The other three were Wazlewski, captain of the Crusaders in '35, Don Ford, and Phil Templin. All of them ranging in high scores of 40 to 45 points in one game.

The other veterans from last year's five are Captain John Kocis, guard; Joseph Taylor and Rine Winery, both guards. Also returning this year from the Army is Arthur Gelnett, veteran from the Jayvees in '43.

Some of the newcomers to Coach Stagg's squad are: Jerry Moore, regular forward from Sunbury High School; Donald Wholsen from Yonkers, New York; "Scottie" Small from Passaic, N. J., and Edward Madden, from New York City.

At present the Crusaders have a fourteen game schedule. Among the teams which they will meet are Penn State, Elizabethtown, Juniata, Gettysburg Theological Seminary, Dickinson, Mt. Alry Seminary, and perhaps Lafayette.

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## School to Buy Golf Clubs; 9 Men Remain In Golf Tournament

The Boys' Tournament recently started with twenty-two contestants seeking the golf championship of S. U. Twelve holes are being played.

At the present, there are nine who are reaching the final stage of the game. These include Joe Taylor, Scotty Small, Jerry Moore, Rine Winery, Frank Wolfe, Dick Neidick, Aldo Pescarmona, Ira Wasserburg, and Harry Welliver.

A Consultation Tournament is also being played to give the losers of one game another opportunity to display their skill.

In the near future, Catherine Fox will play eighteen holes to determine her par strokes on this course. After Kay has completed this, the boys will have a goal to strive for.

Coach Stagg has stated that twenty new clubs are being purchased because of the large number of boys and girls who are showing a keen interest in learning and playing golf.

## Stagg and Shure Plan Sat. Sports Program

Coach A. A. Stagg, Jr., director of men's physical education, and Miss Irene Shure, women's director, have planned an "all around" sport program for every Saturday afternoon from 1 P. M. to 5 P. M. on the University field.

## DANCE THEME "AUTUMN"

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Pescarmona and Gloria Reichley.

Intermission was held in the gym with refreshments of sandwiches, cookies, and punch being served. The members of the three sororities sang their songs at this time. Coach Stagg added his bit to the fun of the evening.

Guests at the affair included President Smith, Miss Betty Smith, Miss Unangst, Miss Kline, Dr. and Mrs. Sheldon, Dr. and Mrs. Galt, and Miss Allison. The chaperons for the evening were Professor and Mrs. Percy M. Linebaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Russell C. Hatz, Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson, Professor and Mrs. Amos A. Stagg, Jr., and Dr. and Mrs. George Robison.

Special thanks should be given to the committees whose fine work made this holiday such a success. To Lou Kresge and LaVerne Kohn for ar-

ranging the blind dates; to Mary Moyer and the Property Committee, to LaVerne, Jack Warner, and Bill Hayes for the decorations, to Mary Lib Basehoar and her aides for the refreshments, to Ross Johns and the boys for the lighting, and to the presidents of the sororities and fraternities, and to all who aided in the success of this gala event.

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## DUNKELBERGER ADDRESSES STUDENTS AT PENN'S 300th ANNIVERSARY EVENT

High School Students Present Pageant; 100 Piece Band Plays

A program to honor the Tercentenary Anniversary of the birth of William Penn, sponsored by the Snyder County Historical Society and the Snyder County Public Schools, was held on October 27, 1944, on the athletic field of Susquehanna University.

The program opened with the "United Nations March", played by the combined high school band, and the singing of the National Anthem. Dr. G. Morris Smith gave the invocation.

Following this, Dr. George F. Dunkelberger, of the Department of Education, Susquehanna University, gave an address on the life of William Penn, in which he included a record of the several trips Penn made from England to Pennsylvania, and also the information that Penn ended his life a mental defective in poverty on July 30, 1718. In conclusion, Dr. Dunkelberger said that if we should study Penn's relation to our native state, we would go home better citizens than before looking into his life.

A pageant, "William Penn—The Founder of Pennsylvania", was then presented by representatives from the five Snyder County High Schools. Presented by the Middleburg High School, the first scene told of Penn's trial in England for his religious views. Freeburg High School dramatized the portion of Penn's life in which he received his grant of land from the King. Penn's landing in America and his explanation of the plan of government to the people were presented by the McClure High School and the Beaver Vocational High School, respectively. The concluding scene, Penn making a peace treaty with the Indians, was given by the Selingsgrove High School.

After a stirring singing of "Pennsylvania" by all those present, Mr. Harold W. Follmer, principal of the Selingsgrove High School, spoke a few words in conclusion of the program. (Concluded on Page 4)

## Arthur Gelnett, Jr., '47, Pledge of Theta Chi

On Wednesday evening, October 25, Arthur J. Gelnett, Jr., became a pledge of the Beta Omega Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity at a formal meeting of the members and faculty advisors.

## Did You Know?

Saturday, November 4—Women's Auxiliary meeting in Selbert Hall at 2:30.

Thursday, November 9—Star Course Maxine Stellman, Metropolitan Opera soprano—Selbert Hall at 8:15

Tuesday, November 14—Business Society meeting—7 p. m.

S.A.I. party at 8:15

Wednesday, November 15—Rural Life Conference—10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Campus Club meeting from 3 to 5 in Selbert Parlors.

## Star Course of SU To Present Maxine Stellman, Soprano

Maxine Stellman, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Association, who sings here at Selbert Chapel, Thursday, November 9, 1944, at 8:15 p. m., was born in Vermont, a descendant of Miles Standish of the historic Plymouth Colony. She studied at the Institute of Musical Art in New York, and after winning the Breen Memorial Prize and the Morris Loeb Prize, she went on to study with the late Marcella Sembrich at the Julliard Graduate School.

She joined the Metropolitan Opera as a winner of the Metropolitan Auditions of the Air, and was chosen to sing Mary Rutledge, the feminine lead in Water Damrosch's opera "Man Without a Country." Since then she has sung many roles with the company, in New York and on the road tours, a notable performance being her appearance in the role of Elsa in "Lohegrin" in Boston. Other opera affiliations for Miss Stellman include the Montreal Opera Festival, the Chautauqua Operas, and Charles L. Wagner's Opera, with which she was recently engaged to sing Marguerite in "Faust" on an nationwide tour.

In concert she has been soloist with the Worcester Festival (twice), the Hartford Oratorio Society, the Syracuse University Chorus and other prominent organizations. Recital tours have taken her to many States.

## Mrs. Helen E. Houtz Died After Illness

Mrs. Helen E. Houtz, wife of Dr. John Jacob Houtz, a member of the Susquehanna University faculty, died at her home on October 18.

Mrs. Houtz was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church of Selingsgrove. She was a past matron of the Lafayette Chapter Order of the Eastern Star, an honorary member of Omega Delta Sigma Sorority of Susquehanna University, a member of the Woman's Club of Selingsgrove, and the Women's Auxiliary of Susquehanna.

Immediate survivors of Mrs. Houtz are her husband, Dr. J. J. Houtz; one son, Charles Calvin; a daughter, Joanne, and a grandson, John Hugh Houtz.

Dr. G. Morris Smith, president of Susquehanna University, conducted the funeral rites from the Houtz residence on Saturday, October 20.

## Fraternity Party to be Held in Gym on Nov 18

The three fraternities, Theta Chi, Bond and Key, and Phi Mu Delta, will sponsor an informal party to be held in the Alumni Gymnasium, November 18. Everyone is invited to purchase an individual ticket and enjoy the party which will be held from 8:30-11:30 p. m. on the 18th.

## KOHN, LEITZEL, WALTERS ELECTED TO "WHO'S WHO IN AMERICAN COLLEGES"

## SU Elects Dewey, 2-1 Over Roosevelt in Campus Straw Vote

In a straw vote conducted in chapel on October 27, of both faculty and students, Republican Candidate Thomas E. Dewey of New York soundly defeated President Franklin D. Roosevelt by nearly a 2-1 vote; the actual count being 109 votes for Mr. Dewey and 66 for Mr. Roosevelt.

Under 21	76	44
Over 21	5	2
Total	81	46
Male:		
Under 21	15	6
Over 21	9	3
Total	24	9
Ballots incorrectly marked as to age and sex groups	4	1
Grand Total	109	56

1 write-in vote for Norman M. Thomas 1 vote—"doesn't matter" 2 failed to vote for candidate.

## Crusaderettes Hockey Team Wins First Game Over Lebanon Valley

The Crusaderettes have opened up their hockey season successfully. On Saturday they traveled to Lebanon Valley College where they won their first game by a 3 to 1 score.

The game was the main feature of Lebanon Valley's Homecoming Day celebration. A large audience attended the game and the college band played between halves. The goal posts were decorated with Susquehanna's orange and maroon and the blue and white of Lebanon Valley.

Susquehanna was welcomed royally at Lebanon Valley. Before the game, dinner was served the team in the college dining hall and after dinner open house was held in all the buildings.

The game was fast and furious. The stickwork of S. U.'s forward line was superb, while the backfield did an excellent job of keeping the play away from the goal. Special mention should be given to Gayle Clark, center forward, who made two of the goals, and "Pank" Bittinger, right inner, who made one.

The line up was as follows: Center forward—Gayle Clark Right inner—"Pank" Bittinger Left inner—Selena Lehman Right wing—Betty J. Herr Left wing—Mary Lib Basehoar Center half back—Marian Williard Right half back—Adah Wolfe Left half back—Jean Kinzer Right full back—Dottie Wagner Left full back—Joyce Burkhard Goalie—Naomi Day. Substitutes: Carmen Beckwith—L. half, Maisie Leiby—L. half, Mary Lizio—L. inner.

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Selected for Scholarship, Leadership, and Future Usefulness

LaVerne Kohn, Celso Litzel, and Margaret Walters are the members of the senior class who have been selected by the members of SU faculty for nomination for inclusion in the 1944-1945 volume of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." The qualities for which these students were chosen were character, scholarship, leadership, and extra-curricular activities, and possibilities of future usefulness.

LAVERNE KOHN, of Merchantville, N. J., has taken the accelerated program and will graduate in three years. A very active student on the campus she is m'joring in Social Science teaching. She is a member of Kappa Delta Phi, Theater Guild, Alpha Psi Omega, Debating Society, Susquehanna Staff, Lanthorn Editorial Staff, Student Christian Association, Woman's Athletic Association, Phi Gamma Mu, on the Vice President Council, Treasurer of Junior class, and active in intermural sports.

CELO LEITZEL is a day student from Richfield, Pa., and entered SU in January of 1943. He is a Pre-Theological student and Vice-President of the Men's Student Council, is on the Student Christian Association Cabinet, and in the Pre-Theological Club, Phi Gamma Mu, and Debating Society.

MARGARET WALTERS, of Milton, Pa., is a day student who resides in Selingsgrove. She is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota Sorority and will graduate with a Music Education degree. Prominent in music activities she is a member of the Symphony Orchestra, Dance Orchestra, Patroness Secretary of S.A.I. and is Symphonist Concertmaster.

All three students have been consistently on the Dean's List of the college.

## Conservatory Faculty Recital Presented on Monday, October 23

Members of the faculty of the Conservatory of Music presented a recital Monday, October 23, at 8:15 p. m. in Selbert Chapel in the presence of a large and appreciative audience of students, faculty, and townspeople.

The program was as follows: "Trumpet Tune and Air" by Purcell, Percy Matthias Linebaugh, organist; "Concerto No. XI in G Major (1st movement)" by Spohr, Russell Conrad Hatz, violinist, and Nancy Bowman Hatz, accompanist; Choral Prelude "Come Sweetest Death" by J. S. Bach, Mrs. Linebaugh.

"Lamento Provincial" by Paladilhe, "Clair de Lune" by Szulc, "Les Petites Communiantes" by Fourdrain, "A des Oiseaux" by Hue, Mr. Haskins. "Menuet and Trio" by Mozart, "Lullaby" by Stoesel, Mr. Hatz.

"The Time for Making Songs Has Come" by Rogers, "Farewell" by La Rue (Dedicated to Mr. Haskins), "The Crying of Water" by Campbell-Tipton, "When Children Pray" by Fenner, "Hills" by La Forge, Mr. Haskins.



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## Editorials

A poll was taken in chapel last Friday on the forthcoming Dewey-Roosevelt election. Students were given a ballot and were asked to check a blank if they were male or female; under 21 years, or over 21 years; and then to make their choice between the two candidates. Only that simple procedure and yet 8 ballots out of 165 were incorrectly marked—a percentage of nearly 5% incorrectly marked votes. If this were to have taken place in a national election of 50 million voters and 5% were incorrectly marked, a total of two and one-half million votes would have been cast out—far more than enough to elect a president for our country.

Whether those mistakes that were made—two forgot to vote for a candidate, three forgot to mark their sex, three forgot to mark their age group—were realized by the person or not, it is still a sad commentary on college students.

College students should be able to understand such simple instructions. The future will hold far more complicated instructions for us, so let's be more careful!

One of the most encouraging sights seen on our campus this year was the grand audience that attended the Faculty Recital last Monday evening in Seibert Chapel—not only was the audience large, but appreciative as well.

When an artist enters the stage, and sees such a fine crowd, he will naturally give a far better performance than if only a few dozen persons were present. It is terribly discouraging to the speaker or musician, and embarrassing to the administration to have only a handful of students on hand when a prominent person is with us.

Let's keep up this fine spirit that was displayed the other evening and make it our resolution to attend every lecture or music program that we shall have presented at SU during the coming school year—it all leads to a cultured and well rounded college life.

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## I Wonder Why

... Art Gelnett makes so many trips past Hassinger Hall. Could it be that he has a special interest in some one in Room 20?

... Willie Hayes likes to play in the leaves. He seems to get quite a thrill out of pushing a certain Frosh in them.

... Edy Thomas is looking so glum lately. What's Penn State got that Susquehanna hasn't?

... Janie Gundrum has to measure a certain green sweater against the brown of Bernie Swienicki. Maybe Bernie and Brownie are the same build!

... (Except that Brownie is 6' 1" tall.)  
 ... Dot Eilhardt always plows her way into the phone booth every Thursday night. Could it be that she expects a long distance phone call from Scranton?

... Harry Welliver always anxiously waits for his mail at Phi Mu. Maybe it's because he's expecting an answer from Jean concerning the letter she received from three sophomore girls.

... Ray Stahl stands around with that fenshish look. Is he really a wolf at heart?

... Everybody calls Jane Malkames "Bathtub Jane."

... Annie Miller is playing up to all of the Phi Mu boys.

... Roswell Johns changes his affections between Hassinger and Seibert Hall.

... Ginny Doss receives so many birthday presents after her birthday has already come and gone.

... Joyce Burkhardt's favorite song is "Anchors Away."

... Dexter Weikel hates to see the leaves fall.

... Betty Smith has so many files in her room. Could it be that they're attracted to her coconut cake? (Which, by the way, is all gone now.)

... Room No. 7 down at the Con attracts so many bees. It's lucky that they (meaning the bees, of course) aren't too ferocious.

... Doctor Russ doesn't like to have his picture taken.

## Stars and Stripes

Today there are Susquehannans serving in all parts of the world, making names for themselves and bringing fame and credit to their Alma Mater. Many are receiving promotions for their leadership and valor.

Perhaps one of the most recent promotions was that of John W. Oberdorf, '34, who has advanced to the position

## CAMPUSOLOGY

Here sits the writer of this "tracy" column trying to get enough dirt to fill this space allotted, but it's awfully hard when no one does much of anything, and 9/10 of the frosh class moves home in a body over a weekend! Well, let's see now, what's been going on?

Peggy Bathgate's charms have been stealing into the hearts of our Warner over a period of weeks—and from what we can gather, they enjoy each others company more each day.

Do we envy Jean Kinzer with that Marine who was here the other day—and here's a little inside dope: he's not going to be very far from here from now on, so maybe we'll get a second view—we hope (Jeanie does too!)

And speaking of visiting men, who else was a very, very happy little girl one day last week? You're right—Marie Stout sure knows how to pick 'em (we could also put that in vice-versa).

We have a modern counterpart of the three men in the fiery furnace—only in this case it's one man in a cold stove! The frosh's escapade into the dark unknown of that stubborn grate evidently produced no good effects except laughs—cause there still ain't no heat at B. & K.

Just a sneak preview at some possible future permanent combination—watch B. J. Fisher and Roy (bashful) Stahl!

We always thought Lou was true to the Navy per Larry, but George Shaffron A/S, who spent the Saturday night of his furlough down here with her, is keeping it in the family tree—or rather the branch—I guess!! But where does Ray come in?

Before I forget, Jackie wants me to tell you that she and Aldo have had a platonic friendship that is useful only at our social dances—remember that!

At our outdoor picnic there were 2 gals noticeably among the missing—but Helen and Ruby were among the present at Bucknell's Thursday night open-post to be escorted by those majors from up there who were down here.

Oh, to be sure I'm in on time—well Corinne Frey's and Kate Fox's prayers were answered, and they are now the thrilled owners of brand new wrist watches, the latter's being a birthday gift from John D., no less!

Is that a spark we see burning—and will it develop into a flame 'ere long? Ask Hayes about Anna to find out.

Of Colonel. He took part in the European Theater of War and was on a special mission with General Harold Clark. He is also credited with playing an important part in the air-borne invasion of Africa, Sicily, France, and Holland. We salute you Colonel Oberdorf.

Recently several former students have dropped around to pay us a visit. Among these were Cpl. Charles Ague, x'44, who has since reported to McCook, Nebraska, where he finds it very much to his liking. \* \* \* Ensign Warren Pirie, x'45, of the Merchant Marines has been frequently seen on the campus. \* \* \* Sgt. Laird Gemberling, '35, has been spending a furlough here at home. \* \* \* 1st Lt. Martha Laudenslager, '31, is spending some time here in Selingsrove.

We also learn that Alton J. Garman, 531, anti-tank company, is located somewhere in France. \* \* \* Pvt. Daniel Reitz, x'47, is attending Gunnery School at Fort Myers, Florida. \* \* \* Pvt. Arnold Mix, x'45, is training as radio operator at George Field, Illinois.

I'm sure we are all interested in hearing about our former classmates; so if you hear of any news, promotions, or any interesting incidents, we would

Harry Welliver has a gold-mine in the person of his love-life at Kutztown S.T.C.—each and every letter from her contains one whole cigarette—practically a full week's supply free for nothing!

Why was Marlan Walker screaming "Gunny" so ferdianly in the gym Saturday p. m. Surely you ain't scared of all those South Wmsport men (?) are you?

Edie Thomas got the urge to trek that long way to Johnstown again this weekend—that Alvie must be some dish!

When asked why she bid and bid for that clock at the big event in town—the auction—Ellie declared it was for, and I quote, "the future Swienicki homestead!" She is evidently practicing up on her house-wifely duties by taking real good care of the needs of her sick man, Bernie!

This Saturday saw Kocis and Hilde, Marie and Joe, and Ann Gibson with the star of Norry's football team out on a pleasure-filled excursion to the game, a Republican Rally and a dance! This is just put in to prove to all you other girls that "life can be beautiful"—even in Selingsrove over a weekend!

IT'S RUMORED: That Bill Hayes, at table-list time, gets all his spending money from the boys by seeing to it that their love-interests are taken care of; that Jackie will now roll her own with the tobacco leaf fresh from the field a la Me!; that Red will soon need to buy a new lipstick for Naomi, seeing that their new theme song is "Neldick and Day. You are the One"; that we often forget very important incidents in the lives of our students—remember Marty's brother's visit?; that Wohlson just ain't going to get himself tied up with nobody; that Pirie will leave any day now—maybe; that Marian and LaVerne will soon organize a "Learn to Dance" class for all those interested in dislocated joints; that where there's Rine there should be Hope; that Gayle is definitely the one—Russ severed his connections at home—; that Eby, Ross and Rose are synonymous after Sunday! that Eve Zlock may soon move here permanently—or so it seems or so Gloria hopes; that "Skip" Madden is eating his heart out for Adah and would like a little cooperation; that Naomi Garman should be enrolled in Selingsrove High School; that it is enough stuff for today.

appreciate your informing us. Please report such news to Gayle Clark, c/o Susquehanna University.

## LOST & FOUND

WANTED—Less rain and more of that Pennsylvania sunshine.

WANTED—A table tennis net, ball and paddles.

LOST—A political argument.

LOST—One furnace, anyone who finds it return to Bond and Key—they're cold!

WANTED—Taxi service to Retch's.

LOST—One arm trying to get my mail.

WANTED—A fur coat for science survey field trips.

TO RENT—All green and orange bows—apply at any Frosh room.

WANTED—A longer Thanksgiving vacation.

WANTED—More of those formals including those "fellers" from Bucknell!

WANTED—Classes from 12:00 to 2:00 with two hours out for lunch.

WANTED—Time for ourselves.

FOUND—Truck loads of homework.

TO RENT—One alarm clock—too effective!

WANTED—Breakfast in bed.

# OUR FROSH

Joyce Burkhardt is one of the few girls in the Pre-Physical Therapy course and accordingly picks science for her favorite subject. Joyce is 18, 5' 8" and has light brown hair and blue eyes. She's from Freeport, L. I. The Navy (named Steve), Harry James, and Greer Garson are her favorites, but knitting, music, hockey, basketball, table tennis, and dancing rate with Joyce too.

Angelo Campo is another New York girl—New York City to be exact—and she graduated from Washington Irving High School there. Angie is 18 and has black hair and brown eyes; she's 5' 6". She's got a boyfriend, Mike, and she likes Harry James and Glenn Miller. Her favorite movie star is Cary Grant. Angie is Liberal Arts and wants to be a Spanish teacher. She likes to knit a lot and loves to dance.

Cynthia Carmel from Brooklyn, N. Y., is a Liberal Arts student. She's 16, 5' 5 1/2", with brown hair and blue eyes. Cynthia graduated from Erasmus Hall High School. She goes for the Navy in the form of a Lieutenant (j.g.). Vaughan Munroe and his band and Bette Davis are her favorite entertainers. Another favorite of Cynthia's is horseback riding; she really goes for it. Cynthia is a Liberal Arts student, but has no particular goal as yet.

Ruth Criswell, from Philadelphia, is one of our freshmen who came to us after working for a few years. She's 20, 5' 6 1/2", and has red hair and brown eyes. Ruth graduated from John Bartram, and is taking a Liberal Arts course here. It seems as if her heart belongs to the Army. She also likes football, Tommy Dorsey and Duke Ellington, but she doesn't stick to popular music, as the classics are tops too.

La May Cross is our blue-eyed blonde from Upper Darby, Penna. The old saying about gentlemen and blondes seems to hold as Lee has 5 favorites. She will say that the Marines rate first, though, and so does Van Johnson. Her hobby is collecting stuffed animals. The Liberal Arts dept. claims Lee, and she'll probably be a teacher. Another favorite of hers is dancing; she loves it.

Lols Dauberman, from Nemaconlin, Penna., is 18, 5' 5", and has brown hair and hazel eyes. She likes Paul Whiteman's music, George Murphy's acting, and the Navy (Bucknell sailors in particular). Dobbie is taking Liberal Arts and wants to teach. Some of Dobbie's other interests are hockey, football, dancing, and the piano. Dobbie's real interest, though, is sleeping late in the mornings.

## News About Notes

According to very reliable reports, the HIT PARADE is still tops in good listening. So to give you the best of the week, this column will present some of the HIT PARADE songs including the BIG THREE and those that are climbing to popularity.

First on the HIT PARADE this week was I'll Walk Alone, the sentimental song for lovers who are parted by miles but enjoy the thought of being lonely for each other. Featured by Dinah Shore in "Follow the Boys," the lyric is written by Sammy Cohn and the music by Jule Styne.

Second in popularity this week was Dance With the Dolly. The listening public proves its love of novelty by elevating this tune, much like Buffalo Gals, to a place with the TOP THREE. (Concluded on Page 4)

# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Sigma Alpha Iota

The regular meeting of S.A.I. was held last Wednesday afternoon in the sorority room. Miss Kathleen Davison, the National President of S.A.I. will visit Susquehanna's chapter some time this year. Each year Mrs. Sullivan, the Province President, visits, but this year the sorority is going to have the additional honor of being hostesses to Miss Davison.

## Kappa Delta Phi

Kappa Delta Phi held its regular meeting after the inter-sorority hike on October 19 in the sorority room. Routine business was discussed after which the new records which have been purchased recently by the sorority were played and enjoyed.

At 7:00 on Thursday, October 26, another meeting was held at which time the president read the Inter-Sorority Council constitution in compliance with the rules of that organization. Plans were discussed for future activities and regular business was carried out.

## Theta Chi

On this past weekend, Jack Warner and Art Geinert represented the Beta Omega Chapter at a regional conference of Theta Chi National Fraternity. The conference was held at the huge chapter home at Lehigh University in Bethlehem, Pa.

Representatives of the Theta Chi Chapters at Penn, Dickinson, Penn State, Delaware, Lafayette, Rutgers, Washington, Drexel, Lehigh, and Susquehanna were there. These chapters comprise the third region, one of the ten regions of Theta Chi in the United States.

The conference started at 9:30 a. m. Saturday morning with a discussion of present problems and general suggestions for the future. The noon dinner was served at the Beta Sigma Chapter home followed by another informal meeting. Then the representatives attended the Lehigh-Drexel football game which Drexel won, 13-6. After the game, there was a tour of Lehigh University's campus and then another discussion took place at the chapter home.

## Inter-Sorority Hike

The three sororities of Susquehanna University, KDP, SAI, and ODS, sponsored an inter-sorority hike for all the girls of SU on October 19. The girls left Seibert Hall at 5 p. m. and hiked to the beach on the Isle of Que. Miss Unangst, Miss Allison, Miss Shure, and Mrs. Koch accompanied the girls on their hike. Hot dogs, cider, apples, potato chips, doughnuts, and ice cream were awaiting the hikers, and soon disappeared.

The girls gathered around the bonfire and each sorority sang its sorority song for the freshmen. All the girls then joined in singing popular songs. At seven o'clock the girls began the hike back to the campus.

## Student Recital

The first afternoon recital class of the term was held at 4:15 p. m. Friday, October 20, 1944, in Seibert Chapel. The program opened with the election of officers: President—Howard Payne, Vice-President—Dorothy Sternat, Secretary—Hope Spicer, Monitor—Roy Stahl.

Thereafter, the following persons rendered selections: Carmen Beckwith, Jane Clark, Arlan Gilbert, Frances Leisenring, Emily Botdorf, Jean Hill, Dorothy Jupina, Anna Miller, Virginia Hallock, Hope Spicer, Janet Rohrbach.

## Vespers

In place of the regular Vespers of October 22 there was held an informal hymn sing for which everyone was seated in the form of a circle in the parlors of Seibert Hall.

The hymn sing was opened with the singing of "Beautiful Savior", after which a prayer was offered. Then everyone picked his favorite hymn, and it was sung by the group. After a most pleasant meeting, the service was closed by Dr. T. W. Kretschmann who pronounced the benediction.

Vesper services Sunday evening, October 29, were conducted by Carmen Beckwith. The theme of the service was religion as a guide to sportsmanship, in which emphasis was placed on fair play.

The vesper service next week is going to be presented in the form of a radio broadcast, telling the story of Ruth and Boaz. The program is entitled "Ruth." For such a highlight as this, we'd like to see the entire student body attend the service. Won't you please come out next Sunday evening?

## Alpha Psi Omega

A meeting of Alpha Psi Omega was held on Friday, October 27. "320 College Avenue" was chosen as the play to be produced by the Theatre Guild this year. The date for the play has not been definitely decided, but it will be presented in March some time.

Further plans for the production will be discussed after the Christmas vacation.

## Religious Interlude

Led by the Dean of Women, Miss Unangst, a spiritual interlude was held between 10 p. m. and 10:30 p. m. in Seibert Parlor Thursday, October 25, 1944. Choosing the theme "Prayer," Miss Unangst read a few passages of Scripture and gave a brief talk. Singing of hymns started and concluded the short, informal gathering.

This meeting inaugurated similar weekly sessions to be held every Wednesday night, same time, same place. All girls who feel the need of a quiet, spiritual "pause" are welcome to attend.

## CRUSADERETTES HOCKEY

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Assistant Manager—Ruth Botdorf, Time keeper—Grace Lemon.

After the game, tea was served to members of both hockey teams in the parlors of the girls' dormitory.

The main event of the day came when the members of S. U.'s hockey team stopped at Hershey on the way home and attended an ice hockey game in the Hershey Arena between Hershey and Buffalo.

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# I'd Vote For - - -

Reporters of The Susquehanna recently asked students on campus who they would vote for as President of the United States, and why they would vote for him.

Here are the answers:  
Evelyn Wilhour—I want Dewey. I don't know anything about politics, but my father says Dewey; and so do I.

Marjorie Barton—I want Dewey. I don't believe in more than two terms. Dewey is a young man, and is capable of the presidency.

Betty Jane Herr—I'm a stiff Republican, but I am for Roosevelt because he knows the problems of the country better than a new man would.

Jean Geiger—Roosevelt. For our president we want a man who knows the business, and who is capable of doing a good job. Roosevelt is the man we want and need.

Russel Brown—The best man, naturally—Dewey.

Frank Wolfe—It is inevitable that Congress will be Republican, and we need and want unanimity between congress and the executive. My choice is, therefore, Dewey.

Lenore Garman—Roosevelt. To insure a lasting peace there should be a continuation of democratic policies. The New Deal is doing very well at present. Past experience assures the nation a bright future.

Jewel MacNamara—Roosevelt. Why? Because my boyfriend in Hawaii voted for him.

Ronald Boyer—I don't care very much, but I'd vote for Dewey.

Jerry Moore—I would not cast a vote. I am not a person of a political mind. Politics are too confusing.

Gayle Clark—Roosevelt. He has done a fine job so far, allow him to continue for the benefit of the country.

Betty Frank—Roosevelt, because the best man always wins.

Cynthia Carmel—Roosevelt. Mr. Roosevelt has been able to retain the Presidency on his own merits rather than by emphasizing his opponent's weak points.

Gloria Machamer—Roosevelt. I don't believe in changing horses in mid-stream.

Mary Lib Basehoar: Are you kidding? Dewey, of course. My grandfather is a Republican, my father is a Republican, and so I am a Republican! Dewey is a good man; we definitely need a change.

Emily Botdorf—Dewey. He is the best man for the job.

Jane Malkames—If the war continues Mr. Roosevelt is the man for the job, but if it doesn't, Mr. Dewey is definitely my choice.

Doris Williamson—Norman Thomas—Because I think he is the man for the office.

Maisie Leiby—Thomas Dewey—Because my father is Republican.

Ruth Williams—Thomas Dewey—I'm Republican and I think that no president should have more than two terms.

Marion Walker—Thomas Dewey—I think he's most capable. Three terms are too many.

Harriet Gould—Thomas Dewey—Dewey definitely will do it.

Carmen Beckwith—Dewey, of course. I think it is time to change horses even though it is in the middle of the stream.

LOST—Half of a freshman class during weekends.  
FOUND—Back in class on Monday.

## NEWS ABOUT NOTES

(Continued from Page 3)

Another novelty number, much more cleverly done and easier to listen to is *The Trolley Song*, a moving little ditty about a trolley romance that is amusing from the first ding to the last chug. This jumped up to third place this week and promises to keep moving to the top.

The other seven numbers were largely songs of sentiment and romance. Always and Together are two excellent examples. Always, a Berlin creation, is at present being used in twelve motion pictures and is perhaps the most popular revival of today. A new number, *Let Me Love You Tonight*, entered in ninth place and should go places especially when sung by Frank Sinatra, whose voice is well suited for this type of song.

## DUNKELBERGER ADDRESSES

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He said that these principles of Penn shown in the pageant shall not perish. His closing words contained the thought that now, while Pennsylvania's ideals are in danger, we should "rally to her defense" so that the "principles of liberty and democratic government . . . shall not die."

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#### Students and Faculty Give to Blood Bank

Ten Susquehanna students and several of the members of the faculty and administration donated blood to the Blood Bank held at Trinity Lutheran Church on Wednesday, November 1.

Virginia Hallock, a junior, was the first Susquehanna University student to donate for the fourth time. Others donating were: June Hoffman, Ruth Cochrane, Helen Kahn, Joseph Taylor, Marjorie Barton, Carmen Beckwith, Marie Klicik, Will Hayes, and Jane Makames.

Dr. and Mrs. William A. Russ, Miss Audrey North, Miss Ruth McCorkill, and Mrs. Helen P. Ulrich of the administration also gave blood for this drive.

Miss Bertha M. Hein, registered nurse and assistant dean of women, served as one of the nurses for the blood donors service.

The blood plasma, collected by such Blood Banks all over the nation, is sent overseas to our fighting forces.

The Blood Bank of Snyder county was conducted by the mobile unit from Harrisburg.

#### Marian Willard Heads Drive; Goal—\$2 from Each Student

The World Student Service Fund has opened its 1944-1945 campaign in order to obtain \$150,000 in funds which will be used in aiding students all over the world to proceed with their education which has been interrupted as a result of the present war.

On our own campus, led by Chairman Marian Willard, the WSSF Drive is being conducted this week by the Student Christian Association.

Hoping to surpass last year's goal of \$180, the SCA is asking each student on campus to donate \$2 to this most worthy cause that is aiding our fellow students in war torn countries who hope to continue their education, and to our own American prisoners of war who are located in prison camps in our enemies' land.

To create a lively interest in the campaign, two teams have been chosen to see which can raise the larger amount. All the boys on campus and the girls of Hassinger Hall are on the "Hassinger" team, and the girls residing in Seibert Hall are members of

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#### Norma Jane Hazen, '46, To Wed Mr. Cecil Baker

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Hazen, of 319 Catawissa Avenue, Sunbury, announce the engagement of their daughter, Norma Jane, to Cecil E. Baker, of son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Baker, of London, Ohio.

Norma Jane is a prominent student on our campus, being a member of the junior class, having transferred from Dickinson Junior College, Williamsport, Pennsylvania, her sophomore year.

While at Dickinson, she was very active in all school activities, and has continued her fine work here at Sus-  
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MISS MAXINE STELLMAN

#### SCA OBSERVES 58th YEAR; STUDENTS TO HEAR REINARTZ

The 58th anniversary of the Student Christian Association will be commemorated this coming Thursday evening, November 15th, with a special banquet for the cabinet members. Following the banquet a meeting will be held in the chapel at 7:00 o'clock to which all students are invited. This is the first anniversary celebration ever held by the Association.

Dr. Eppling Reinartz, Promotional Secretary of the United Lutheran Church of America, from Philadelphia, will be guest speaker at the meeting. Dr. Reinartz, who is a prominent speaker, will also give a talk in chapel on Friday morning. You are urged to attend this observance on Thursday evening as his topic will be both timely and interesting.

Music will be provided by the conservatory students.

#### Well Received Program Presented by Soprano

Maxine Stellman, charming Vermont soprano and six-year veteran of the Metropolitan Opera Association, opened the Susquehanna Star Course season last Thursday night, November 9, 1944, in Seibert Chapel, with a concert which was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed by students, faculty, and townspeople.

Miss Stellman attended the Institute of Musical Art in New York, won the Breen Memorial Prize and the Morris Loeb Prize, and studied further with the late Marcella Sembrich at the Juilliard Graduate School. She joined the Metropolitan Opera as an Auditions of the Air winner.

Dressed in a lovely gown of black lace over black satin, Miss Stellman opened the program by joining with the audience for the national anthem. The rest of her recital, with the changes she made because she felt they would appeal more to the audience, consisted of the following:

#### Her Program

"Per pieta," from "Il Florido" by Stradella, Recitative and Aria from "Iphigenie en Tauride" by Gluck, "Kennst du das Land" by Hugo Wolf, "Die drei Zigeuner" by Liszt, "Hat dich die Liebe berührt" by Marx, and a Brahms' Folk Song... Miss Stellman.

"Exaltation" by Schumann, "Etude in A flat" and "Etude in G flat" by Chopin... Mr. Meyer.

"Apres un reve" by Faure, "Attributs" by Pouenc, "Chanson Triste" by Duparc, "Hymnal Soleil" by Georges, "The Unforseen" by Scott, "The Pasture" by Naginski, "Lass from the Low Country" by Niles, and "The Sleigh" by Kountz... Miss Stellman.

When continued clapping brought Miss Stellman back for an encore, she repeated "The Sleigh" at the suggestion of her accompanist, Mr. Meyer, then explained, "Now we'll do what I said we'd do" and sang "Annie Laurie." Inasmuch as the enthusiastic audience still would not let her go, she sang, as a final encore, "Homing" by Del Riego.

#### Reception for Miss Stellman

Finally making her way through a crowd of autograph seekers after the recital, Miss Stellman, an honorary member of Sigma Alpha Iota's Theta Chapter (North Texas State Teachers College of Denton, Texas), attended the Conservatory reception held by her local fraternity sisters in their room in Seibert basement, where she signed still more autographs and proved to be as charming a person as singer.

Also signing autographs was Mr. Paul Meyer, her accompanist and a fine soloist in his own right, who was just  
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#### SU Sixth in Enrollment Of Lutheran Colleges

Listed in order of enrollment, the complete list of the United Lutheran Church Colleges is as follows: Lenox Rhyne, 392; Wittenberg, 362; Gettysburg, 354; Roanoke, 217; Wagner, 228; Susquehanna, 181; Midland, 165; Carthage, 150; Newberry, 146; Thiel, 133; Muhlenberg and Hartwick, 115 each; Marion, a Junior College, 80; and Waterloo, 66.

### Some Statistical Facts About the Student Body of Susquehanna

The 181 students of Susquehanna University have some very interesting facts about their lives. The SU students present a broad religious picture:

Denomination	Men	Women	Total
Methodist	5	28	28
Lutheran	15	49	64
Episcopal		8	8
Presbyterian	2	14	16
Evangelical		7	7
Jewish	2	23	25
Reformed	1	9	10
Roman Catholic	3	9	12
Baptist	2	2	4
Russian Orthodox		1	1
United Brethren	2	1	3
Mennonite		1	1
Jehovah's Witness		1	1
Greek Orthodox		2	2
Congregational		1	1

Looking into the future, statistics show that the S. U. student is preparing for these vocations:

Field	Men	Women	Total
Accountant		1	1
Advertising	1	1	2
Banking		1	1
Business	2	2	4

Chemist	1	3	4
Dentist	1		1
Housewife		1	1
Journalism		2	2
Librarian		2	2
Lab. Technician		9	9
Lawyer	1	2	3
Medical Secretary		5	5
Merchandising		1	1
Musicalian	1	2	3
Nursing		3	3
Personnel Man.	1		1
Physical Therapy		3	3
Physician	6	2	8
Psychologist		1	1
Secretary		13	13
Social Worker		3	3
Teaching	8	72	80
Theology		5	5
Undecided	2	24	26

This is the way the classes line up:

Class	Men	Women	Total
Freshmen	13	85	98
Sophomores	4	34	38
Juniors	5	19	24
Seniors	8	13	21
	30	151	181

#### Did You Know?

Tuesday, November 14—Business Society—7 p. m. in game room of Seibert Hall  
SAI party at 8:15 in Seibert Social Room  
Wednesday, November 15—Rural Life Conference—10 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
Campus Club meeting from 3 to 5 in Seibert Parlors  
Thursday, November 16—S.C.A. Anniversary—Dr. Eppling Reinartz, speaker—7 o'clock in Seibert Chapel  
Friday, November 17—Recital Class—4:15 p. m.  
Sunday, November 19—SU Sunday School Class—Trinity Lutheran Church, 9:30 a. m.  
SCA "Thank Offering Service" in Trinity Lutheran Church, 7 p. m., Celso Leitzel, speaker  
Tuesday, November 21—Students' Evening Recital, 8:15 p. m.

#### Theta Chi Frat Pledges Celso Leitzel, '45, Nov. 6

Celso Vincent Leitzel, '45, became a pledge of the Beta Omega Chapter of Theta Chi National Fraternity on Monday evening, November 6, 1944. The formal meeting was attended by all student members and faculty advisors at the home of Dr. Dunkelberger. President Jack Warner presided over the installation of Mr. Leitzel.

# The Susquehanna

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## CONGRATULATIONS FROSH!

You have indeed begun your life at Susquehanna in a great manner. Already you are being looked upon as being the bulwarks of SU next year. You have entered into such extra-curricular activities as sports, dramatics, newspaper writing, religious activities, and in each and every organization on the campus.

We upperclassmen, who are outnumbered by you, are coming to depend more and more upon you to carry your heavy share of the responsibilities.

All we can say is, "Nice going, frosh." You already have taken your places with the upperclassmen here at Susquehanna. But don't forget, you have four years of work ahead of you—don't slow up in those later years.

## RIBBONS & RAZZES

**RIBBONS** to the State College photographer for taking such perfectly wonderful pictures of the students at S. U.

**RIBBONS** to all students who attended the concert given by Maxine Stelman. It really was a grand evening of song.

**RAZZES** to the Sophomore hockey team for losing the hockey game to the Frosh team. (The score, incidentally, was 6-2.)

**RIBBONS** to the Inter-Sorority-Fraternity for the swell Christmas dance they're planning for the student body on December 16th.

**RAZZES** to the girls at Bucknell for coming back to college. Now the S. U. coeds won't see as much of the sailors as they previously have.—But, then, one never knows, does one???

**RIBBONS** to all men students who went to the hockey games and offered their support by cheering the various teams on to victory. You know, those cheers certainly help a lot.

**RAZZES** to students who talk consistently during Chapel exercises.

**RIBBONS** to Roy Stahl for raising and lowering the piano tops on the night of Maxine Stelman's performance.

**RIBBONS** to Joe Taylor's tandem. It certainly does get around. And we don't mean perhaps!!!

**RAZZES** to people who go on diets.

It simply can't be done around here. **RAZZES** to students who push and shove while getting their mail in Selingsrove Hall. Please remember that the Hall isn't the athletic field.

## THE EDITORIALS

It is not our purpose in writing this editorial to ask you to read the editorials of our school paper—for if you are interested in the betterment of school life at S.U. you will do so.

Why does nearly everyone at SU first turn to "Campusology?" For the simple reason that we are more interested in the social whirl than in the more serious side of life—and perhaps justified in so doing.

But you may be sure that the editorials published are not just written to take up space in our paper, but because we realize there are certain problems and situations that do and will exist on our campus, and it is through the means of the editorial column that we hope to aid in the bettering of them.

## Stars and Stripes

Several of Susquehanna's men have recently received promotions. It is now Lieut. (jg) John Zuback '43, having been promoted from the rank of an Ensign. Lieutenant Zuback is stationed on the Admiralty Islands in the South Pacific. . . . Howard Hugus, '46, formerly stationed at Camp Shelby, Mississippi, and now with an A.P.O., has been made a sergeant.

Word has been received from Courtland, Alabama, that Capt. John M. Reichard, of Wilkinstown, Pa., has been assigned to the A.A.F. four-engine pilot school at Courtland as navigation instructor.

Ray Schramm, '44, is now attending Harvard University. . . . Lt. Francis R. Gelnett, USNR, former Signal Officer for the Port of Marseilles, is now in North Africa. . . . Cpl. Thomas Bittinger recently arrived in England and has been assigned to Bomber Squadron where he is a radio operator on a flying fortress.

Pfc. James Pearce is now convalescing at the Percy Jones Hospital in Battle Creek, Michigan, from wounds received in action on July 3.

Private Pearce, who went over from England when the Allied Armies invaded France, was in action twenty-eight days before he sustained serious injuries, including the loss of his left leg, below the knee-cap. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Flight Officer Eugene Grandolini, '45, recently spent several days on campus. F.O. Grandolini is a bombardier and will report to a B-29 school in Nebraska.

## CAMPUSOLOGY

Hi, Kids! All ready for some juicy news of the antics of our students(?) Well, here goes . . .

Seen in town, on the Sunbury bus, and in Swinefords with a lobster dinner (no less), Ruth Boddorf and a cute little sailor (from Bucknell, Ruth?). Looked like fun from where we sat!

It seems a very snappy, happy foursome left Selingsrove for the big city of Hazleton last weekend—"Yonkers" and Nancy Lou, "Scooty" and Jean Wortley! Oh, and while we think of it, did you girls all know that you are out of luck entirely now? That foot-lose and fancy-free Scooty has decided to settle down—Jeanie has his ring, but have you agreed to that "going steady" proposition yet, Jean?

Trying to meet a train can prove to be very nerve-wracking, especially if you don't leave on time—Carolyn Pfahler can ditto that sentiment. That riding back and forth to Sunbury to meet little Johnny Moore was a problem—but worth it! Foot note: His heart does not belong to Daddy!

The Navy seems to be rapidly becoming the favorite on campus—we are judging by Dotty Jupina and Fae Smith who were well taken care of by a duo of jobs, Saturday night.

At last Raymond's little family arrived, waving their coonskin caps from the back of that Conestoga wagon that plowed its way valiantly over the mountains—all that just to see little Raymond in his great big school!

Isn't Jack Warner ever going to make up his mind? It's nice to keep us guessing (also provides news) and is more fun for Peggy, Jean, and Carolyn, to say nothing of all the others.

Ruth Criswell is a lucky girl to have her mother visit so often to say nothing of that very charming girl friend who spent this past weekend at S. U.

Becky's expected trip to see Gus was unavoidably postponed, but she doesn't feel TOO bad since that phone call of Friday and that lovely corsage of Saturday—what a man!

THE man on campus is undoubtedly Wasserburg—why he has so many devoted females that he has to work in shifts; Bobbie, Corinne, Sara Lee, etc., have all fallen before his irresistible charms!

We have a very loyal hockey fan, Girls—a real rooster and constant spectator. Who? Jerry Moore, of course!

## News About Notes

Since the students of Susquehanna are busy doing other things on Saturday nights, your tipster will give you the down beat on this week's top-notch tunes. First on this week's Hit Parade, taking the place of I'll Walk Alone was Dance With the Dolly. If the sock remains unsworn, this novelty tune has a good chance of remaining in first place for a while.

Coming down a step in the popularity ladder was I'll Walk Alone, a song which seems to go with the events of today while all sweethearts are away at war.

Running third was the Trolley Song. It has been racing at top speed, and with Frankie singing the lyrics, the tune is definitely among the tops with the American listeners.

Among the remaining seven songs, Always rated fourth place. The song has a tune that when once heard, keeps you humming it over and over again. A newcomer which cracked the Hit Parade last Saturday was Strange Music. It has a tune different from any that the Hit Parade has had and still favorite enough to rate seventh place was It Had to Be You, sung by George Murphy in "Show Business."

Next time any new man arrives on campus will someone please make sure that Harriet is the first to meet him? She almost got into trouble with Dr. Sheldon in her enthusiasm over seeing Flight Officer Gene Grandolini (incidentally, it was good seeing him on campus again) from upstairs in the Con!

Little Ann Malkames has been teased unmercifully about her little Bucknell sailor, so why are we mentioning it here?

Added: One huge diamond to the third finger, left hand. Whose? Why, haven't you heard, Cecil Baker and Norma Jane Hazen have dood it!

Eisenhower and MacArthur have nothing on Hilda and Johnny—they have every weekend planned for the next million years!

Mel and Jackie have started a hope chest. Contents: one toy airplane and one toy jeep! Necessities you know!

Would that furloughs were as easy to get as rigs—but Johnny Merbach got one and came straight up to see Dottie Wagner—he misses S. U. for more than one reason!

Ellen Hellman's love-life made his appearance on campus recently and changed his appearance to one of radiance—she looks pretty elated at those daily telegrams from him, too!

Peggy Bathgate's uncle threw a big shindig in Hazleton Saturday and Peggy left us to take part in it—we wish we could have been there! "Ded" finally got to go home! And Marian and "Roomie" went to visit Ben in Hazleton (that town gets all the hat!)

Football games are just too much fun—depending upon whom one goes with! If you ask Fox, she'll tell you about the game—but more about Warren Pirie, and if you ask LaVerne, you'll hear all about Lt. Dick Shaffer! Yup, football is a wonderful invention!

Have you seen those super movies of the campus and its inhabitants that Anna has? If not, don't fall to be on hand when she shows them next—'s wunnerful!

At last sight, Margie Barton was anxiously awaiting the arrival of a friend from home—Did he get here? Corner her and then let me in on it!

That's all I know right now—but if you hear anything interesting just go around and tell it! (That's what we do!)

## At the Stanley

Monday and Tuesday, November 13 and 14—"Show Business," including Eddie Cantor, Constance Moore, George Murphy, and Joan Davis. A history of stage people vividly portrayed by George and Constance. Full of fun and dancing. If you have more than one 10 o'clock for the week, and like musicals, it'll be worth your 30c.

Wednesday, November 15—"Make Your Own Bid," starring Jack Carson and Jane Wyman. Disguised as maid and butler, Jane and Jack play detective in some rather serious business. Can you roast a chicken? Well, Jane couldn't! A "must" if you've no tests on Thursday.

Thursday and Friday, November 16 and 17—"Gypsy Wildcat" with Jon Hall and Maria Montz. The title is enough! What do the college coeds say about it?—"It's a scream!"

Saturday, November 18—"Seven Days Ashore," showing Wally Brown and Allen Carvey. A group of sailors back from sea-traveling. A day for the boys to celebrate. Plenty of sailors! At last it's a change from the regular Saturday night westerns.

Plan to see this coming flicker at the Stanley: Red Skelton and Esther Williams in "Bathing Beauty."

# OUR FROSH

**VIRGINIA DOSS**—blonde, vivacious, amiable—comes from Cranford, N. J., and is taking the Medical Secretarial course. She's 5' 4 1/2" tall and especially likes dill pickles and maroon convertibles. Her special interest (Louis) is in the Merchant Marines, and her pet hate is her temper. She likes all sports and collects identification bracelets.

**DOROTHY EILHARDT** is from Dalton, Pa., and is one of those lucky persons who possesses those "cool and limpid green eyes". She's interested in all sports, especially bicycle riding, and spends her spare time sewing. Her favorite food is French friss, but she insists only the Castle Restaurant can make them. Every Thursday night finds her standing by for that 'phone call from home, but aside from that she likes to listen to Glenn Miller and collect miniature cups and saucers.

**DAWN EBERT**, one of the frosh who is usually seen but not heard, comes from Shamokin Dam. She is 5' 6" tall and is taking the Commercial Education course. Ice cream and cherry pie are her favorite foods, and her hobby is collecting pictures of Ronald Reagan. She loves to read and go to the movies, but she simply detests washing dishes. (Males: take notice.) Swimming ranks first on her list of sports, and the Navy is her favorite branch of the service.

**MYRA EPSTEIN** is Lyndhurst, New Jersey's contribution to the class of '48. She's a Liberal Arts student, majoring in psychology. She likes to swim, thinks Harry James is "tops", and is interested in dramatics. In her leisure time—when she has any—she goes to the movies in Sunbury. She says she could practically live on skaks, and wouldn't complain at all if she had nothing to do but dance and write letters to "The One" in the Navy.

**BETTY JANE FISHER**, only five feet tall and blonde, comes from Allentown, Pa. Her ambition is two-fold: to be a good secretary and to own a convertible. She likes tennis, bicycle riding, and spaghetti with meat balls. Just one peep into her room will let you know that she collects snap shots and magazine pictures galore. Her pet hate is getting up early, but on the other hand, she loves to write letters—most of which find their way to West Point.

**BETTY FRANK** is another Liberal Arts student, whose home is in Great Neck, Long Island. She is especially fond of thick, juicy steaks and places basketball first on her list of sports. Her ambition is to own a one-room house with a special room set apart to display all the souvenirs which she has collected in her travels. She dislikes conceited people and, to date, can't make up her mind between the Navy and the Army Air Corps.

## Conservatory Recital

The afternoon recital class of the Conservatory will be held Friday, November 18, 1944, at 4:15 p. m. in Seibert Chapel. The following students will participate:

Piano solos: Emily Botdorf, Helen Reday, Velma Shook, Marjorie Mengel, Hope Spicer, Marie Talbot, William Rohrbach, Roy Stahl, Marie Klick, Margaret Walter.

Vocal solos: June Hoffman, Janet Rohrbach, Jeanette Kramer, Harriet Gould, Carmen Beckwith.

Violin solo: Frostia Arsenlu.  
String trio: Margaret Walter (violin), Virginia Fallock (cello), Janet Rohrbach (piano).

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# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Susquehanna Girls' Band

The Susquehanna Girls' Dance Band, formed last fall and reorganized again this year under its leader, Mrs. Russell Hatz, was dissolved Thursday, November 2, to provide practice time for the newly-organized Girls' Band. As explained by Dr. Sheldon, the change has been made in order to provide:

1. A nucleus for the Susquehanna Concert Band, which will be formed at some later date.
2. An organization with which the student conductors (Conservatory Juniors) may work for experience.
3. An instrumental group which includes a greater percentage of the Conservatory students than the more exclusive Dance Band.

## Sunday School Class

Mary Moyer, president of the Students' Sunday School Class, has announced that a party will be held for the members of the class on December 11 at Trinity Lutheran Church.

The new program committee has been assigned to Jean Kinzer, Peggy Bathgate, and Dexter Welkel. This committee, which was effective on November 12, will have charge of the program for four weeks.

All students are urged to participate in the Sunday school services. If the attendance goal of sixty-five members is to be attained, each student must accept his personal responsibility to attend regularly. A loyal Christian should be willing to give one hour a week for the study of the lesson.

## Theater Guild

The monthly meeting of the Theater Guild was held Tuesday, October 21, in the chapel at 7 o'clock.

Marian Willard was elected to serve as secretary-treasurer of the organization for the year.

After the business meeting, Mr. Haskins, who is the faculty advisor of Theater Guild, spoke to the group as a whole. He gave the aims for the year and told about the work of Theater Guild.

Ruby Meyers will direct a one-act play November 28. The Guild plans to have a play for each month with a student director.

A make-up class has been started by June Hoffman with people who are interested in make-up coming to class once a week. The first class was held yesterday afternoon.

## Pi Gamma Mu

The Pennsylvania Gamma Chapter of the National Pi Gamma Mu met Monday evening, November 6, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. William A. Russ, Jr. The regular business meeting was conducted by the president, Rine Winy, during which time the members discussed plans for future programs.

LaVerne Kohn introduced the speakers of the evening, Rine Winy and Celso Litzel, who in turn presented their views on the topic: Shall we advocate compulsory military training for civilians after the war? A general round-table discussion followed this brief presentation of the problem. Opinions on the election to be held the following day were exchanged.

## Dance Decorations

Inasmuch as a moon is needed so often when Dance Decoration Committees prepare for a "formal", Mr. Grant Yerger has kindly offered to construct a halfmoon, to be kept by Sigma Alpha Iota for the benefit of any and all organizations needing a half moon to decorate the gym.

## Omega Delta Sigma

On Halloween evening, October 31, Omega Delta Sigma entertained KDP and SAI at a Halloween costume party. Everyone came in costume, and many characters appeared; a ballet dancer, an old colored couple (who turned out to be our two deans in disguise), a threesome of SAI triplets who appeared in pink bonnets and triangular pin-ups and many others. Games were played and refreshments were served. The whole evening was enjoyed by all.

The Omega Delta Sigma alumnae have presented the sorority with a check which will be used to buy new furnishings for the sorority room.

Next Sunday evening the girls will hold a get-together in the sorority room. A meeting of this sort is held once a month, as the girls enjoy meeting occasionally with all their sorority sisters informally.

## Biemic Society

The first meeting of the Biemic Society was held in Room 100 of Steele Science Hall at 7:00 o'clock Thursday evening, November 9. All students who have taken or rare taking a science or mathematics course were invited to come, as well as Dr. John Houtz, Dr. Flske Scudder, Dr. George Fisher, and Dr. George Robison.

After the meeting had been called to order by the president, Nancy Meyers, an animated film, "What Is Electricity", was shown. This film explained the fundamentals of electricity in such simple language that everyone

could understand and so proved interesting to all.

Since the meeting was adjourned early at 7:25, due to other events scheduled for the same evening, the election of officers, with the exception of president, was postponed until the December meeting.

## Theta Chi

On Saturday evening, November 4, Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert, Jack Warner, Robert Surplus, and Arthur Geinert represented the Beta Omega Chapter at a Theta Chi banquet held in the Orange and Blue Room of the Hotel Lewisburger at Lewisburg, Penna. The banquet was held for Beta Kappa alumni of Bucknell University in preparation for starting a Theta Chi chapter at Bucknell after the war.

After a delicious steak dinner, Philip Campbell, deputy regional advisor, introduced Dr. Russell Gilbert and Francis Ede (National Secretary of Theta Chi), both of whom gave short speeches on the general organization of Theta Chi National Fraternity.

After these talks, an informal discussion took place on the prospects of organizing an alumni chapter of Theta Chi in central Pennsylvania which would include Susquehanna, Bucknell, Penn State, etc. However, it was decided to postpone any definite decision on the matter until a later date after another session of the chapters involved.

## SCA CONDUCTS

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the "Seibert" team. Members of SCA are this week contacting individually the students and faculty members.

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## Who are the Budges' and Sarazens' of Susquey?

Who is the Don Budge of Susquehanna University? Shall Ed Madden or Ira Wasserburg wear the crown of glory? Bets are being made all over campus as to who will be S. U.'s tennis champion.

In the first round of the tournament Dave Bomboy, Bloomsburg's pride and joy, beat Russ Brown with the score of 6 to 4. Don Herrold, a local boy, lost to Don Wohlsein 4 to 6. Ed Madden won his match with Deck Welkel with a 6 to 1 score. Frank Wolfe triumphed over Scotty Small with a score of 6 to 2, and Ray Mould beat Jerry Moore 6 to 1. Ira Wasserburg beat Dick Neidich, the red-headed blitzkreig with a racquet, with the score 6 to 1. Larry Weller licked New York's own Aldo Pescarmona 6 to 1, and Harry Welliver beat Roy Stahl 6 to 0.

In the second round of the tournament Dave Bomboy defeated Don Wohlsein 6 to 4, and Ed Madden won the match with Frank Wolfe, 6 to 2.

## Frosh and Sophs to Play Hockey Finals

The Round Robin in intramural hockey started on Tuesday and ended on Thursday with the freshmen and sophomores tying for first place. Each of these teams won two of the three games which they will take place next week. The two teams, the sophomores and the freshmen, are very evenly matched and the game should be a very good one. The sophomores are possessed with smooth, excellent teamwork while the freshman team is strong and hard-hitting.

Ira Wasserburg defeated Ray Mould, 7 to 5, and Larry Weller beat Harry Welliver 6 to 3.

While everyone held their respective breaths, Dave Bomboy, Ed Madden, Ira Wasserburg, and Larry Weller fought a terrific battle, with Ed beating Dave 7 to 5, and Ira beating Larry 6 to 1.

The "Battle of the Boroughs", starring Ed Madden for Manhattan and Ira Wasserburg for Brooklyn, will be enacted soon. The winner of this match will be our tennis champion for 1944.

**NORMA JANE HAZEN, '46 TO WED. MR. CECIL BAKER**  
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quehanna. She is on the Susquehanna staff, a member of Kappa Delta Phi Sorority, and a newly elected member of Pi Gamma Mu Fraternity. Her name has consistently appeared on the Dean's list.

Her fiancé has recently received an honorary medical discharge from the Navy. Before entering the navy in September, 1942, he attended the Ohio State University and was enrolled in the pre-medical course.

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He received his naval training at Pensacola, Norfolk, Naval Academy Preparatory School, and the V-12 course at Bucknell University.

No definite date has been set for the wedding since Norma Jane and Cecil both expect to finish their college education, she at Susquehanna University, and he at Ohio State University.

### SU ENJOYS MAXINE STELLMAN, MET. OPERA STAR

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recovering from a bad cold.

Veteran of many operas and concert tours, Miss Stellman had been signed up to tour for the first two weeks with the same opera company whose presentation of "Carmen," in English, was attended in Sunbury Saturday night, November 4, 1944, by many Susquehannans. However, illness prevented her from making the tour.

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Susquehanna was the last of a series of concert tours for Miss Stellman and Mr. Meyer, who went directly back to New York, where Miss Stellman started in yesterday rehearsing at the "Met" for the forthcoming season. She extended a most cordial invitation to her sorority sisters to come to see her if they were ever in New York.

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## SU HOST TO RURAL LIFE CONFERENCE

A conference on Rural Life was held on November 15, beginning at ten o'clock in the morning when opening exercises were held in Selbert Chapel. Dr. Dunkelberger acted as chairman of the conference which is held annually for ministers, laymen, and community leaders of Central Pennsylvania. About 25 ministers, teachers and community leaders were asked to attend, but due to transportation difficulties, the attendance was considerably smaller. Registration of the delegates took place between 9:30 and 10:00 a. m.

Prof. Oliver Baker, of the University of Maryland, was the first authority on rural work to speak. His address, "The Drift from Dependence on the Family to Dependence on the State," proved to be full of enlightening statistics. Prof. J. K. Stern, Pennsylvania State College, spoke on "The Value of the Cooperative Movement"; the Rev. Talbun D. Hewlett, Stewartstown, spoke on "Rural Evangelism"; by Dr. Harvey D. Hoover, Gettysburg Theological Seminary, spoke on "Some Post War Problems". Each speaker led a discussion after his address.

After the general session of the afternoon, seminar groups dealt with different ways to develop responsible family life, the practical ways to meet community problems, and the part of each individual citizen in the post-war world play.

## Miss North, Librarian Awarded A.M. Degree

Miss Audrey North, librarian at Susquehanna, was granted her Master of Arts degree by the Regents of the University of Michigan last Friday. Miss North, who returned to the campus on November 1, earned her degree at that school by taking summer work. She had previously received her A. B. degree at Rockford College and her Bachelor of Science degree at the University of Buffalo.

## Students Conduct Thank Offering at Trinity Sun.

On Sunday evening, November 19, the Student Christian Association conducted the Vesper service in Trinity Lutheran Church. This service took the place of the weekly Vesper Service held each Sunday evening in the chapel of Selbert Hall.

The service was a Thank-offering program entirely under the leadership of students of Susquehanna. Mr. Celso Leitzel, a pre-theological student, delivered the message of the evening, and David Bombo, another pre-theological student, assisted with the service. Dorothy Sternat was the student organist for the evening. The special music of the evening was given by the Susquehanna Singers. The group sang the "Thanksgiving Prayer" by Baker.

Immediately following the service, a social hour was held in the basement of the church. This gathering was sponsored by the Women's Missionary Society of Trinity to take the place of the church reception for the students which was formerly held each year.

## Thanksgiving Day -- 1944

This Thanksgiving of 1944, our third in this great war, brings us blessings, but also it holds many heartaches. We can thank God that this Thanksgiving has brought us much closer our prayed for victory, but we also realize that more and more of our friends and loved ones have left us, some never to return, to aid in bringing that victory to us. This Thanksgiving is not only one in which we can give our thanks for another bountiful crop, one like we have never before known; but that our forces are fighting and winning our inevitable victory throughout the world.

On November 23, 1944, as we sit down to a Thanksgiving table in a free America, where we still have the rights of free speech, unmoled religion, and public assembly, let us utter a fervent hope to God that in another year our country shall be victorious, and then that forever the peoples of the world, seeing their mistakes, shall lay down their arms and return to their peaceful pursuits. As in that first Thanksgiving of the Pilgrims, we are again faced with grim realities. Let us vow that we shall put forth every effort to the task that still remains before us, praying that until we observe another Thanksgiving Day the virtues of Peace shall have swept over our land.

## Mrs. Ulrich Resigns As Admissions Secy.

Mrs. Helen P. Ulrich, admissions secretary, offered her resignation to the college this week in order to accept a position on the visiting staff of the Snyder County Board of Assistance on December 1.

Mrs. Ulrich, who qualified under Civil Service for war duration appointment to the assistance board post, fills the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. Barbara Spigelmyer, of Paxtonville.

The university regrets the departure of Mrs. Ulrich, admission secretary since September, 1939.

## Clark Led Crusaderettes To Victory Over S.S.T.C.

The Susquehanna "Crusaderettes" hockey team once again proved themselves victors, this time over Shippensburg State Teachers College to win their second straight game.

The team traveled to Shippensburg, leaving Susquehanna at 8:00 A. M. The chauffeurs were Mr. Brungart, Miss Betty Smith, and Miss Irene Shure.

The team arrived at Shippensburg, donned their tunics and won the game, the final score being 7-0.

The lineup for Susquehanna's team was as follows:

Gayle Clark, center forward  
"Pank" Bittinger, right inner  
Selena Lehman, left inner  
"Ben" Herr, right wing  
Faye Smith, left wing  
Marlan Willard, center halfback  
Lee Cryder, right halfback  
Nancy Myers, left halfback  
"Dottie" Wagner, right fullback  
"Ginnie" Doss, left fullback  
Naomi Day, goalie

Substitutions were made by Mary Lib Basehoar, Jean Wortley, and "Bobble" Kain.

Honorable mention should be given to Gayle Clark, who made six goals, "Bobble" Kain, who made one goal, and Naomi Day, the goalie, who played.

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## British Student Taken To Hospital After One Day Stay on Campus

A new pre-medical student, Ongkar Narayan, of British Guana, arrived on campus last Thursday afternoon, and the following day was removed to the Evangelical Hospital in Lewisburg, with a very serious case of grippe.

Mr. Narayan, staying at Phi Mu, is a confirmed Lutheran and holds the certificate given by Cambridge University, England, indicating the completion of the British Secondary course of education.

The wishes of SU are extended you Ongkar for a speedy recovery and a pleasant stay at Susquehanna.

## REINARTZ SPEAKS TO SU STUDENTS

"Avoid the attitude that you are only a drop in the bucket in this world of ours," Dr. T. Epling Reinartz told a large gathering of students and faculty in Selbert Hall Chapel on Wednesday evening, November 15. Dr. Reinartz's address was part of the celebration that marked the occasion of the 58th anniversary of the founding of the Student Christian Association on SU's campus. Before Dr. Reinartz's talk, a delicious meal was served in Horton dining hall in honor of the speaker, members of the present cabinet of the SCA: Franklin Wolfe, Marie Kliek, Marjorie Stapleton, Mary Lib Basehoar, Jane Malkames, Fae Smith, Celso Leitzel, Mary Moyer, Jean Kinzer, Rine Winey, Marian Willard, Dorothy Sternat, and Jean Geiger, and the Advisory Committee: Dr. G. Morris Smith, Miss Hein, Miss Unangst, and Dr. Scudder.

Dr. Reinartz, who is promotional secretary of the United Lutheran Church of America, centered his interesting talk around the theme of some insights into Christian missions.

Jane Malkames read the scripture and introduced the speaker, and Jean Strausser sang a solo, "O Lamb of God." The meeting was closed with the benediction by Dr. Kretschmann.

## SU GRAD KILLED IN FALL FROM PLANE

### 1st Lt. Kenneth Klingler, '43, Dies After 200 Foot Plunge

Word was received on the campus Monday evening, November 20, that 1st Lt. Kenneth H. Klingler, '43, of the United States Air Corps, died at 7 a. m. that day, in a hospital at Lawrenceville, Illinois, after sustaining severe head injuries Friday afternoon when he fell 200 feet from the airplane he was piloting over George Field. Lt. Klingler was unconscious when taken to the hospital and never recovered consciousness before his death.

The circumstances of the accident are as yet, and shall probably remain, unknown, except that after the plane was about 200 feet in the air, Lt. Klingler was seen hurtling to earth, and a moment later the plane crashed killing instantly the other occupant of the ship.

Lt. Klingler, or "Kenny," as he was known on the campus, graduated from SU in January, 1943, under the accelerated program, with a B. S. degree in Business Administration. A member of Theta Chi Fraternity, he was active in baseball, being co-captain of the SU team his last year. He also played football his senior year.

He enlisted in the Air Corps Reserves while on campus, and was called for training in February of 1943. A month previous he was married to Miss June Fecker, of Sunbury. They were the parents of a son, Kenneth Lee.

Lt. Klingler is the fourth man and officer of Susquehanna known to have perished in this war. The others, all killed in action were Lt. Vincent Fratelli, Lt. Don Wert, and Lt. Jay Billman.

## Rev. John Ritter to Speak at Services Thanksgiving Morn

As is the custom at SU, the annual Student Christian Association Thanksgiving Service will be held in the chapel on Thanksgiving morning at 10:30.

The Rev. John Ritter, pastor of the Lutheran Church in Kratzville, will deliver the address, and Miss Gloria Machamer will sing a solo. Rine Winey, Jr., is in charge of the service.

All students remaining on campus, faculty members, and townspeople are welcomed to this program giving thanks to God for a bountiful harvest.

## Conservatory Students Present Recital Tonight

Tonight, Tuesday, November 21, 1944, the students of the Conservatory of Music will present an evening recital at 8:15 p. m. in Selbert Chapel. The varied program consists of the following:

"Poem" by Taylor, Dorothy Jupina, (piano); "Mazurka" by Liszt, Louise Kresge (piano); "When Celia Sings" by Mohr, Jean Strausser (song); "A Song" by MacDowell, (string trio) Margaret Walter (violin), Virginia Hallcock (cello), and Janet Rohrbach (piano).

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Thanksgiving, Nov. 23	.....	Psalm 103
Friday	.....	John 14
Saturday	.....	Psalm 23
Sunday, November 26	.....	Psalm 1
Monday	.....	Matthew 5
Tuesday	.....	Romans 8
Wednesday	.....	I Corinthians 13
Thursday	.....	Psalm 91
Friday	.....	Matthew 6
Saturday	.....	John 3
Sunday, December 3	.....	Isiah 40
Monday	.....	Psalm 46

## Stars and Stripes

Information has been received regarding the honor which has been bestowed upon Lieut. Donald Shafer, '44, formerly of Selingsrove. Lieut. Shafer has been awarded a second Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal for "meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight". He is a pilot of a Fifteenth Air Force Flying Fortress. He also earned the European-African, Middle-East Theatre Ribbon.

Sally Mitke, '47, has completed her basic training at Hunter College and has been sent to Yeoman School in Iowa for further training.

George Stowe '46, paratrooper, is being sent across according to word received recently. Robert Wohlsein '46, of the Navy, is now in Washington, D. C. Geneva "Skip" Keller '46, now stationed at Hunter College, finds the life of a Wave very interesting.

Two of our former classmates were back with us this past week, Ensign Ray Hochstahl, '43, who has just returned from the shores of France where he was on duty with an LST, and Wilmer Grimm '44, who is a Lieutenant in the United States Army Air Corps.

## CONSERVATORY STUDENTS PRESENT RECITAL TONIGHT

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"Ballade" by Debussy, Marjorie Stapleton (piano); "Barcarolle" by Dethier, Marie Klicik (organ); "Reverie" by Schutt, Louise Schlick (piano); "Oriental" by Albaniz (Janet Rohrbach (piano); Micaela's Air from "Carmen" by Bizet, Hope Spicer (aria); "Gavotte Caprice" by de Bueris, Lenore Garman (clarinet).

"Legende No. 1" by Campbell-Tipton, Wells Gemberling (piano); "Concerto in G Minor" (first movement) by Mendelssohn, Mrs. Margaret Witmer (piano), and Professor P. M. Linebaugh (organ); Waltz Song from "Romeo and

Juliet" by Gounod, Gloria Machamer (aria); "Carillon" by Delomarter, Dorothy Sternat (organ); "Serenade du Tsigane" by Valdez-Kreisler, Margaret Walter (violin).

"From a Railway Carriage" by Haddley, and "Dance a Cachucha" by Sullivan, Susquehanna Singers, directed by Mrs. Alice Glaugue.

The heartfelt sympathy of the student body and faculty is extended Mr. Jerry Moore upon the passing of his mother.

## What Did You Give?

Northumberland, Pa. November 17, 1944

Dear Mr. Winey: On Thursday we received "The Susquehanna" and today Mrs. Gross forwarded it to our son, David. Before sending it I noticed an article that each student was requested to contribute to the World Student Service Fund.

Well, we consider David as still one of the student body of Susquehanna, only away on leave, and since he is sending money home to enable him to go back to school again we feel that he would like to be numbered among those who have contributed. We did not notice who were the chairman or solicitors of the different teams but hope you will see that the proper person receives this check for \$5.00.

Thanking you for this service, I am,  
Yours very truly,  
WILLIAM S. GROSS.

(Ed. Note: Lt. David Gross, '44, was a pre-law student at SU, and is now a pilot of a B-25, in the 5th Air Force in the Southwest Pacific.)

## News About Notes

First on the Hit Parade this week was that speedy little Trolley Song, which has been aiming for the top for several weeks. Last week's winner, Dance With the Dolly, dropped to fourth place and I'll Walk Alone climbed up again as number two song of the week. Together hit the "top three" in third place.

Let Me Love You Tonight entered the Hit Parade in sixth place. As sung by Sinatra it should be a coming top tune. Another new son, I'm Making Believe, seventh in listening pleasure, received a large applause and a few weeks should see it among the top three.

## CAMPUSOLOGY

And here, Ladies and Gentlemen, we have the side-show of this hyar paper—the collection of freaks and antics, the spice of S. U.'s life—

Ross and Helen were Newport bound on last sight and since no news is good news, I guess they arrived O.K. Nothing like a week-end with the "Folks."

Poor Ira's got it s'int good! But how could he help improving 100% after the delegation—Corinne, Rubye, Sara Lee, Bobbie, Larry, Aldo, and Red—arrive? We're 'all pullin' for ya, Boy! The mystery of mysteries has reared its head on our peaceful campus—Who is the unknown female who phones that killer-dillo Aldo every nite ? ? ? "Call for Sherlock Holmes."

Life's little ironies can best be illustrated by the sad story of Elaine Lake's week-end! She strangely preferred S. U. to home when she discovered that both her brother and a handsome man picked that time to come here to visit her ! ! Ah, this cold, cruel world!

The Spotlight was on Tommy Tucker's band, but our spotlight searched the crowd and found Janie Malkames and Leah Cryder having a wonderful time in spite of the fact that they were sharing the sailor in the party! ! !

"We did it! ! We did it! ! We did it! ! Beat Shippensburg"—signed, The Girls Hockey Team Congrats, Gals! ! That's super—and what a score! ! 7-0. Before I forget, two frosh told me they would enjoy seeing their names in the paper. Here you are, Girls—Cynthia Carmel and Betty Leiderman.

Jean Wentzel formed a one woman cheering section for the Navy at the game Saturday afternoon—but with Jean in that capacity they didn't need any other! ! ! And speaking of that game—did you see the way the girls were drooling over those gorgeous men! Bet you gals didn't know they were all going steady and had dates (darn it! ! ) Carolyn Pfahler knew the one—chummy, huh?

This weekend seemed to be open house—at least visitors were here by the score. . . . Janet Geiger was seen pointing out the interesting spots to two charming girl friends; Janie Gundrum's sister from Harrisburg was here, too; Doty Croft came back for seconds on something (did she get it??)

## At the Stanley

Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 20, 21

Seventh Cross starring Spencer Tracy. Tracy in a new kind of role—here with six comrades escapes from a German concentration camp. You'll live every moment of those hours with Tracy as he wanders around sought by to turn for help. A movie well worth the Gestaap and at a loss as to whom your evening. . . . A war movie—yes, but one that more Americans should see and take to heart.

Wednesday, Nov. 22

The Canterville Ghost featuring Margaret O'Brien. This three hundred year old ghost was the terror of the house until under tiny Margaret O'Brien's influence, he is found to be a big "scaredy cat." Don't sit in an end seat or you'll be rolling in the aisles.

Thursday, Nov. 23

Take It Big with Jack Haley, Harriet Hilliard, and Mary Beth Hughes. A rollicking movie that starts when the saddle end of the horse (Jack, in disguise) inherits a ranch and makes "good."

Friday and Saturday, Nov. 24, 25

Bathing Beauty featuring Red Skelton and Esther Williams and in technicolor too. It's a riot. Red is the only male in an all girls' school. You can imagine the rest. For further details ask anyone who has seen it.

And Sunday afternoon saw two little sailors expressed from Bloomsburg to see Jean Wortley—Bobbie got the other one—not Johnny! ! ! But what about Scotty? ? and Larry? ?

Welliver's fancy seems to have turned Lenore Garman's way. Anyway, Friday night saw them on the tandem taking turns with Harriet and Dexter W.

B. J. Fisher's interests have changed again (I think). Could Dave Bomboy be the lucky one this time? ?

Long-distance calls come in fast and furious around here, but there was only one that meant anything to Adele Taub 'cause Boris was on the other end of that one! ! !

Frankie Wolfe has at last sold his car! ! His dates from now on will have to be secured on a strictly "man" basis.

Come back again and we'll have a new show rigged up for youse ! !

## THE FORUM

As women nhave taken over nearly every job that men can do, several students on campus voiced their opinion when this question was asked them, "Do you think a woman will ever run for President of the United States?" Here are their answers.

JANIE GUNDRUM—Yes, I think that in another generation a woman will run for the presidency, but I don't think that women are capable of handling the office. I don't think she would be elected if she ran against a man, but if she were, it would only be for one term.

CAROLYN PFAHLER—In about half a century I believe a woman will try to run for president. I think women are capable of being in the office, but she probably wouldn't be elected, and if she were, it would be for one term.

MARY LIZZIO—I feel that in a century a woman will be put up for the office of president, but I doubt the capability of women in such a position. Prejudice would probably prevent her from attaining the presidency, but if she won she'd only last one term if that long.

JEAN KELLY—It is my belief that a woman will try to run for president in approximately forty years. As far as capability goes, I think she would be capable intellectually, but not emotionally. She might be elected, but only for one term. I think Clare Booth Luce aspires to the position, but I personally don't think she is capable.

HARRY WELIVER—Yes, I believe a woman will run for president in a generation or so, but I don't think women are capable of such an office. I definitely do not think she will be elected because men wouldn't want it and the women would probably be jealous.

BETTY RAMER—Women do everything else so, they'll probably run for president too. I don't know whether they're capable or not, but it will be a century anyway before she's nominated. I think she'll be elected by the men, and will probably be in office for one term. I think Mrs. MacArthur would be capable.

DEXTER WEIKEL—Yes, I think that within twenty years a woman will run for president, but I don't think any are capable and I don't think she would be elected if she were to run. She'd only last one term if she did get elected.

ART GELNETT—Probably in fifty years a woman will run for president but she wouldn't be elected if she were to run. I definitely think women are not capable of the job.

# OUR FROSH

**ROBERTA GAETZ** is Ms. Carmel's contribution to our freshman class. She's 5' 4 1/2" tall and is taking the Liberal Arts course. She likes classical music, roast veal, and ping pong. She is partial to the Air Corps, as those frequent letters from Texas show. Her pet hate is people who brag and she collects foreign dolls.

**MARTHA GIRARD** comes from Lewisburg and is enrolled in the Liberal Arts course. She plans to major in journalism and is helping to further her career by writing for the *Lewisburg Saturday News*. Her favorite food is steak with mushrooms and her pet hate is dieting. Swimming ranks first on her list of sports and her favorite orchestra leader is Fred Waring.

**NAOMI GARMAN** is enrolled in the pre-medical course and comes from Richfield. She says she just "loves" to bowl and play basketball. She spends all her spare time writing letters, which, incidentally, find their way all over the world. In line with that, her hobby is collecting foreign money. She likes all food in general—and the more the merrier. Her pet hate is people who take her seriously.

**HARRIET GARNER**, whose home town is Hazleton, is a music student. She is especially fond of spaghetti and meat balls and her favorite sport is badminton. In her leisure time she reads magazines and also collects souvenirs. She hates to have people tell her that she can't do this or that because she is a P.K. (Preacher's Kid, to you.)

**ANN GIBSON** is another pre-medical student whose home is in Lewisburg. She's 5' 5" tall and loves to dance. She collects Glenn Miller's records and places spaghetti first on her menu. She's partial to civilians and her pet peeve is getting up early in the morning. When asked what she does in her leisure time, her only reply was, "What leisure time?"

**HARRIET GOULD** comes from Johnstown and is a music student. She likes stuffed pork chops, but would much rather dance than eat—and that's going some, believe me! She also likes swimming and tennis, while her ambition is to lead a large choral group. Her pet peeve: conceited people.

## I Wonder Why

... Mary Ellen Wood is so crazy about the night watchman?  
 ... Skip Madden enjoys "flipping" the girls around while they're jitters-bugging with him?  
 ... Rine Winey likes onions?  
 ... There were so many "ah's" and "oh's" at the women's house meeting last Thursday evening? Could it have been the mention of various foods that brought out these exclamations of pure joy?  
 ... All of the coeds are so anxious to meet the new male on campus?  
 ... Celso Leitzei dislikes having people address him as "cello?" (Pronounced "chello.")  
 ... Adele Taub has been getting so many lovely gifts lately? Come on, Adele, who is he????  
 ... Cora Mae Arthur writes on flower-ed stationery? Could it be that the unique paper does something to "him"?  
 ... Marian Willard is always sewing buttons on her jackets? Maybe it's so she'll have something to wear.  
 ... Ann Malkames is so lonely lately? We certainly wish that LaMay Cross hadn't left S. U. We're all going to miss her, and so does Ann.  
 ... Ellen Stein can hardly wait until Christmas comes? Is she expecting

# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Debating Society

The Debating Society under the able guidance of Dr. Russell Gilbert, has begun work on the topic of this season's debate: "Resolved that the Federal Government should enact Legislation requiring the settlement of all labor disputes by compulsory arbitration when voluntary means of settlement have failed, constitutionality conceded."

The debaters are planning on several trips during the year. They plan to attend the State Debators' Convention at Pennsylvania State College in the spring and a debate tournament at Shippensburg State Teachers' College. Radio debates are also being planned.

An incentive for the debaters to do their best is Tau Kappa Alpha, an honorary debating fraternity on campus.

Members of the Debating Society are Celso Leitzei, Aldo Pescarmona, Gloria Casparoli, Cynthia Carmel, Lillian Werner, Jean Wentzel, Naomi Garman, Arthur Gelnett, LaVerne Kohn, Ruth Boddorf, Alma Williamson, and Pauline Solomon. All students interested in debating are cordially invited to attend the next meeting of the society which will be held Thursday at 4 in G. A. 300.

## Sigma Alpha Iota

On Tuesday evening, November 14, S. A. I. held an "EVENING IN PARIS" for the other sororities. Miss Virginia Hallock was the head-waiter in the "Paree Night Club". The entertainment was imported, and of a very high degree. Marie Klick, Elise Thompson, June Hoffman, and Louise Schlick were the Can-Can dancers, as well as performing their duties as cigarette girls. A ballet dance was offered by Hope Spicer. Dottie Sternat and Virginia Hallock were Apache Dancers. Of course no night club would be complete without its Torch Singer. Carmen (Hildegarde) Beckwith, the noted(?) singer, handled this part of the program. The petite French artist, Jean Strausser, was one of the noted guests at the Club. The music was furnished by France's noted Girls' Orchestra. For refreshments Champagne (Ginger Ale), ice cream, pretzels, and sandwiches were served. An enjoyable evening was had by all.

## Hospitalized Students

Last week Dawn Ebert, '48, day student from Shamokin Dam, had her tonsils removed at the Sunbury Community Hospital.

Ira Wasserburg, '45, entered the Evangelical Hospital last Saturday evening after being confined to his room at Bond and Key for several days with a severe case of gripe.

Our wishes for the complete and speedy recovery of these two members of our student body.

the arrival of a petit package which can mean only one thing?

... Naomi Garman can't stand people who are constantly moving furniture around in their rooms?

... Carl Herman is so quiet?

... Joe Taylor likes to wear red drawers while playing basketball? - Maybe they remind him of "rushing." (Red Russians.)

... Mary Lib Basehoar asks her students at the High School to kindly wait until after class to tell jokes? A joke's a joke any time, though.

... Don Wholsen didn't have any extra pictures made of himself? Surely they couldn't have been that bad!

... There is so much secrecy about the play which is going to be presented sometime in the future?

## Thanksgiving Dinner

The annual Thanksgiving turkey banquet for the students and faculty of Susquehanna University was held on Monday evening, November 20, at 6 o'clock in the Horton dining hall. The affair, one of the annual epic events on the SU campus, was marked by formal attire.

As the annual Thanksgiving vacation has been reduced to one day, Thanksgiving Day itself, this occasion will be the best substitute that can be offered those students who will not be fortunate enough to travel home for the holiday festivities.

## Business Society

The monthly meeting of the business society was held Tuesday evening at 7:00 p. m. in the recreation room of Seibert Hall.

Plans were discussed for having a hay ride, but nothing definite has been formulated as yet.

The ways and means committee gave reports on various ways of raising money for the society. The most successful drive in this line has been the collection of scrap paper here on campus. The members also proposed having a booth at the auxiliary bazaar to be held December 2nd.

Rine Winey tendered his resignation as president of the business society, and Betty Jayne Herr was elected to fill this office for the remainder of the year.

## Student Council Representatives

Eleanor Steele and Catherine Fox have been elected as representatives of the freshman and sophomore classes respectively in the Student Council. They will attend the meetings of the council, but will have no vote. It is their responsibility to present matters of their respective classes to the council.

Freshmen and sophomore representatives of good scholastic standing are nominated by the Student Council and are elected by the women of the respective classes at the close of the first six weeks of the academic year.

## Vespers, December 3

On Sunday, December 3, at 5:45 p. m. the Student Christian Association will present a Bible drama at its weekly Vesper service. The drama, entitled "Ruth," will be presented in the form of a radio broadcast. Those taking part are as follows:

Ruth—Marie Klick  
 Naomi—Marjorie Stapleton  
 Boaz—Rine Winey  
 Servant—David Bomboy  
 Announcer—LaVerne Kohn  
 Hope Spicer will have charge of the sound effects and Dorothy Sternat will be the organist.

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### Sophs Win Over Frosh To Gain Hockey Crown

The hockey Round Robin has come to a close and the sophomores are the winners of a hard earned title. The final game in the contest was played last week at which time the sophomores fought their way to a 3 to 1 victory over the freshmen.

The game was closely contested from beginning to end with neither team having a decided advantage over the other.

The sophomores scored first with a goal by Gayle Clark in the first half. The frosh retaliated with a goal before the end of the half. The second half was a brilliant display of defensive power by the sophomore team as they held the frosh scoreless and at the same time put across two more goals.

With this game went the championship of the girls' intramural hockey league.

The line-up for the game was as follows:

Sophomores	Position	Freshmen
Clark	Center	Kahn
Lizzio	R. Inner	Reimer
Lehman	L. Inner	Frank
Herr	R. Wing	Oglenksy
Wolfe	C. Halfback	Steele
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Day	Goalie	Gould

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### SU Cagers Prepare For Opener Nov. 30

Coach A. A. Stagg, Jr., and his eleven dribblers are diligently preparing for the opening of the coming basketball season, which begins on November 30, with the Milton Y. M. C. A. cagers. At present, the team is working out every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from three until five.

This year Coach Stagg must build a team around four lettermen: Captain John Koscis; Bernard Swiencki last year high scoring forward for the Crusaders; Joseph Taylor and Rine Winey, Jr. Along with these four on the prospective list are: Donald Herrold, an upperclassman, and "Scottie" Small, Don Wohlsein, and Jerry Moore, freshman candidates. There is also a possibility that Celso Leitzel may report for the team since he is the keenest shot of the men in the school excluding Swiencki.

Of the possible combinations for starting line-up there is Koscis and Taylor at guard, Swiencki at center and perhaps Moore and Herrold at forward. The other men who are working hard for starting positions are Winey, Wohlsein, and Small. The other men who are candidates for the team this year are Ros Johns, "Skip" Madden, and Carl Herman. Art Gelmett reported for the team but is definitely out for the season because of a heart murmur.

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At the present time the Stag men are looking for scrimmage games with local high schools and organizations in order to shape up for their fourteen game schedule. In addition to their present schedule they anticipate an alumni game with all former Susquehannans who can be present for the game. Bud Smith will head the squad along with Eugene Smith, William Janson, Herman Stumpfle, George Bass, Robert Fisher, Tom Valunas, and numerous others.

**Practice Games**  
Last Thursday evening the SU five, in a practice game, soundly trounced a civilian five from Bucknell, 51 to 32. However, on the following Saturday afternoon a Bucknell Sailor quintet reversed the proceedings with a 61 to 28 win over several members of the SU squad.

**CLARK LED CRUSADERETTES**  
(Continued from Page 1)  
ed a splendid game, not allowing the opponents to score one point. The entire team played a splendid game, and the cooperation of the players was thrilling to observe. After the game a delicious dinner was served to both teams. Entertainment was provided by several of the

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ceeds from Shippensburg. Next on the program was a swimming party in the beautiful pool in Shippensburg's gymnasium. This was greatly enjoyed by all who participated.

Following the swim every one was served hot chocolate and sandwiches.

The team then started on its return home, tired but happy.

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**BOYS—**

Sorority rushing makes the evenings this week seem rather dull, huh?

- A Play Review -

**"Death Comes to My Friends"**

"Curtain going up". Excuse me, mechanics were a little wrong, but after some struggle the curtain finally parted on the Theatre Guild's first play, "Death Comes to My Friends," revealing Prince Alecki of Scotland with a group of his most intimate friends in the dining room aboard the S. Y. "Clerians".

The principal character, Prince Alecki, was dramatically portrayed by Rine Winey, who emphatically declared to Cynthia one day at practice, that "nosing" should ever separate them. (Jackson probably gave him too much champagne.)

Cynthia, Alecki's lady love, was played by Bobbie Kane, for her purpose the port hole was constructed. You know—to see the full moon—Ahhh! Oh yes—the port hole—that was Ruthie Ulrich's and Martie Shawarko's work. Pretty nice, we thought.

Speaking of the port hole—weren't those sound effects rare? Everyone actually shuddered when Harriet "made the thunder and rain."

Then, of course, you remember Leah Cryder with her gray hair, who was "Fill-er-up-to-the-top" Lady Lenster. (Or don't you remember that line? But, of course, you do.)

Completing the cast were Bobbie Gaetz as Alecki's sister, Mariachi, (remember her, with those ear-piercing shrieks at the end of the play), and Dave (yes, sir) Bomboy as Jackson, the ship steward.

How did you like that ending? Dramatic, wasn't it? Someone remarked, "You just can't kill a good man like Winey". True, but wasn't it too bad about the rest?

Well, anyway, orchids to Rubye Meyers for her skillful direction and to Mr. Haskins for his grand assistance. Let's have more Theatre Guild plays like this one.

P. S. Onions to anyone who laughed at this serious drama.

**4th SU Grad Killed**



1st LT. KENNETH H. KLINGER Who died of injuries received after his plane crashed at George Field, Illinois, on November 20

- This is My Story -

**By Ongkar Narayan as told to Jackie Braveman and Dottie Wagner**

Ongkar Narayan arrived on Susquehanna's campus November 17th and was welcomed by Dean Galt. It was five days since he had left his home in Georgetown, British New Guinea, and started the trip north. Ongkar's trip was far from uneventful. His plane stopped at Porto Rico, Haiti, and was delayed at Cuba because of engine trouble. At Miami, Ongkar boarded a train which took him to Washington, and then Sunbury, where he completed his journey on one of the familiar BKW buses. He was accompanied as far as Washington by a friend who went on to Thiel College.

Unfortunately Ongkar became ill and was forced to go to the Evangelical Hospital in Lewisburg, where he remained in bed for a week. While in the hospital, Ongkar saw his first snow and had turkey on Thanksgiving, which helped to make things pleasant.

Ongkar is tall, good looking, and eighteen years old. His birthday is February 20th. Even after such a short while Ongkar has come to be famous on campus for his gorgeous dazzling smile. He is East Indian by birth and has lived all his life in British Guiana. He graduated from public school in six years instead of the regular eight and then attended high school for two years. He then passed Junior and Senior exams at Cambridge University which has a branch in British Guiana. While waiting to be notified of his grades Ongkar taught in the high school. (Concluded on Page 4)

## STRINGFELLOW BARR SPEAKS TONIGHT ON "TOWARD A NEW WORLD ORDER"

**Sorority Rushing Begins KDP 22, ODS 26, SAI 12**

Sorority rushing period was formally opened yesterday when the Inter-Sorority Council held a tea in the Seibert Parlors from 4 to 6 o'clock for the upperclass girls and the freshmen.

The period of rushing will last until 1:00 a. m. Sunday, Dec. 10, when quiet period shall be observed. The quiet period will end Monday noon, December 11, when the rushees bid the sorority they desire.

It has been decided as a war-time emergency that the number of members, active and pledges, shall not exceed forty-five. The number of girls that may be pledged this year by each sorority are: Sigma Alpha Iota, twelve; Kappa Delta Phi, twenty-two; and Omega Delta Sigma, twenty-six.

Each sorority has a big party as a high light of rushing. Also each sorority has three other parties that last from 9:30 to 10:30 p. m. At the present, these parties are being held for the rushees.

**Dance**

An inter-sorority fraternity dance will be held on December 16 in the Alumni gym. The theme of the dance will be Christmas.

The chaperons, who will act as judges, will choose a Christmas Queen from the girls attending the dance.

Ivan Faux will provide the "make you want to dance" music. The admission is \$2.10 per couple.

**Star Course Number Presents Pres. of St. John's College**

At 8:15 tonight, December 5, 1944, Stringfellow Barr, president of St. John's College, Annapolis, Md., and second number in the Susquehanna Star Course series, will speak in Seibert Chapel.



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The latest step which brings St. John's to public attention is the establishment of entrance requirements which enable fifteen-year-olds to enter the college at the end of the sophomore year in high school, giving these boys the opportunity, through the accelerated four-years-in-three program, to complete this liberal education before draft age. This innovator calls attention to the fact that Robert M. Hutchins, president of the revolutionary University of Chicago, is on the St. John's Board of Directors.

Born in Suffolk, Va., President Barr received the B. A. and M. A. degrees from the University of Virginia and won a Rhodes Scholarship from Virginia. Following two years of Army service in the first World War, he enrolled at Balliol College, Oxford, where he won the B. A. degree in Honours School of Modern History, later receiving the M. A. and going on to further study at the Sorbonne in Paris and the University of Ghent. At the University of Virginia, where he taught modern history from 1924 to 1937, he also edited THE VIRGINIA QUARTERLY REVIEW.

## Crusader Five Defeats Alumni and Milton YMCA; Loses to Gallaudet

**Susquehanna 42, Alumni 41**

Susquehanna's cagers opened their 1944-45 season by squeezing out a 42-41 win over a strong and fighting alumni team on the Susquehanna floor Friday, November 24. The first quarter was a nip-and-tuck battle ending with the Crusaders leading 9-8. However, at the end of the half the count was 22-14 with the home lads out ahead. The second half proved to be a thriller with the alumni hot on the trail of the S. U. dribblers. With only 30 seconds remaining in the fourth quarter the Crusaders were leading 42-41, when Gutschall of the alumni had two free throws. He missed both and the game ended with the Stag men as the victors.

Bernard Swiencki led the Crusaders with 2 points while "Bud" Smith and Janson were high men for the alumni with 11 and 9 points. Herrold and Moore, forwards for Susquehanna, were second with 8 points each.

Alumni	Field	Foul	Total
Zlock	3	0x 0	6
Smith	4	3x 4	11
Whiteley	0	0x 0	0
Janson	3	3x 3	9
Gutschall	2	1x 3	5
Stuempfle	2	2x 3	6
Baker	1	0x 1	2
Valunas	1	0x 2	2

**Totals** .....16 9x14 41

Susquehanna	Field	Foul	Total
Herrold, f	3	2x 4	8
Wohlsen, f	1	0x 0	2
Moore, f	3	2x 4	8
Swiencki, c	6	8x10	20
Kocsis, g	1	0x 2	2
Taylor, g	1	0x 2	2
Winey, g	0	0x 0	0

Totals .....15 12x22 42  
Referees, Shadle, Kimmerer.  
Scorer, Mould

**Score by periods:**

Susquehanna	9	13	11	9-42
Alumni	8	6	11	16-41

**Susquehanna 61, Milton YMCA 39**

Susquehanna's passers vanquished the Milton Y. M. C. A. five 61-39 in the Alumni Gymnasium on Wednesday, November 29. The Crusaders took the lead early in the game and were in front the whole way. S. U. piled up a convincing lead in the first quarter by a margin of 21-6. As the whistle sounded for the half the home team was leading 33-17. Throughout the second half the Crusaders lead the Y. M. C. A. team and the game ended 61-39.

Swiencki again led the Crusaders with 28 points. Don Herrold, an amazing player, scored 12 points. (Concluded on Page 4)



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Tuesday .....	Philippians 4
Wednesday .....	Revelation 21

## New Books at Library

**The Christ of the American Road** by E. Stanley Jones is a challenge to cast off our un-American and un-Christian hesitations and walk boldly the American Road with Christ. Mr. Jones probes contemporary American life and points out its failings to practice the principles it professes.

**Incredible Era** by Samuel Hopkins Adams discusses the Great Speakeasy Age and its leader. It takes readers back to the early twenties when Warren G. Harding was the easy-going leader of the country characterized in that era by the riotous living.

**Frederick Bodmer's The Loom of Language**, similar to the popular **Mathematics for the Million**, portrays how human needs have shaped language. This book presents the linguistic origins, its growth, and its present use. Through interestingly written basic vocabularies, family resemblances of languages, and translation tricks, the simultaneous mastery of several languages is made comparatively easy.

**Fading Trails**, prepared by a committee of the United States Department of the Interior, presents the dramatic story of American wildlife. It pictures primitive America as a vast storehouse of natural resources and tells the tragic story of the gradual disappearance of many of the birds, mammals, fish, and reptiles.

Robert Goffin, in his book **Jazz**, takes the attitude that whether you like it or not, jazz is here to stay. This book traces this new music's origins, the impact its emergence had on Europe, and tells of various men and bands important in the world of this music of democracy.

## THE FORUM

The question for this week's Forum column was, "What I think of THE SUSQUEHANNA this year; its points of merit and my suggestions for constructive criticism. Here are the an-

swers the reporter received.

**Marie Stout**—I think it's a pretty good paper, a lot better than our high school paper. I think a cute idea would be a column where you link the name of a person with a song title.

**Betty Blamer**—I think it's really interesting—it tells what everybody does and not just a few individuals. I'd like to see a column that tells why different people chose to come to S. U. **Carolyn Pfahler**—I think the paper is better than it was last year except the gossip column. Not enough people are mentioned.

**Ellie Thompson**—I think the paper this year is good.

**Bernie Swieneki**—I think the paper is pretty good. I like it the way it is. **Reeene Riemer**—I think it is very interesting.

**Charlotte Oglensky**—I think the paper is very good because it covers everything. Why don't they put Sunbury's movies in too? **Adele Taub**—I think the paper is a very good college paper. We ought to have more humor in it though.

**Maxine Aesh**—I think the paper should have more about the faculty; they never seem to enter into everything. I think the paper is pretty good, but I also think that they ought to have an exchange column.

**Myra Epstein**—I think it is very nice. I like it a lot. I'd like to see it come out weekly if it's possible.

**Jean Wentzel**—I think the paper is good but it should leave out some of the gossip.

**Fae Smith**—I think it's just OK. We ought to have a column of campus fads.

**Joyce Burkhard**—It should be a more generalized, not of such a personal nature.

**Ben Herr**—I think the paper is very good. How about a joke column?

**Carmen Beckwith**—I think it's better this year than it's ever been. This year it's organized. I think a joke column would be good.

**Dot Ellhardt**—I think it's nice and I enjoy reading it. We used to have a crossword puzzle on school activities in our high school paper.

**Ginny Doss**—I think it's a pretty good paper.

**Jean Kelly**—It should have more news. The editorials could be better. There should be less gossip.

**Mary Lizzio**—I find the Susquehanna very newsy and amusing. I think a joke column would be good.

**Louise Schlick**—I think it's got the right amount of variety in the articles. It would be swell to have pictures if it were possible.

## CAMPUSOLOGY

Personally I think the most popular fellow on campus a while ago was our yearly visitor, Mr. Turkey, from the dressing of the same name. And what a reception he did get! Formal dress and candle light made a perfectly lovely dinner which will always be a highlight of the year. I say, boys, didn't all the gals look cute? Now don't tell me you didn't notice?

Speaking of Thanksgiving and turkeys and such, I do hope Mrs. Kain had (I say had 'cause I'm sure there wasn't any left) a giant bird—she had to feed Ray and Larry besides Jean and Bobbie.

By now you should all be able to

## At the Stanley

Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 4, 5  
 "Greenwich Village" in technicolor, starring Don Ameche. Critics say it's one of the best and so do I. Don't miss it.

Wednesday, Dec. 6  
 "Henry Aldrich's Little Secret" with Jimmy Lydon. Henry learns the woes of a mother and finds he isn't fit to be a father. Preview snaps of Henry and Dizzy taking care of a baby show good prospects of a riotous show.

Thursday, Dec. 7  
 "Marine Raiders," featuring Pat O'Brien and Ruth Hussey. The girls are seeing this one twice. Must be the Marines!

Friday and Saturday, Dec. 8, 9  
 "Rotin' Tootin' Rhythm" with Gene Autry. This one is self-explanatory.

Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 11, 12  
 "Up in Mabel's Room," presenting Marjorie Reynolds and Dennis O'Keefe. It's worth a ten o'clock.

Wednesday, Dec. 13  
 "It Happened Tomorrow," featuring Dick Powell and Linda Darnell. Would you like to know today what is going to happen tomorrow? After seeing this movie you should be glad you can't foretell the future.

Thursday, Dec. 14  
 "Mask of Demetrios," starring Sydney Greenstreet. A thriller! A mystery, but a good one.

Friday and Saturday, Dec. 15, 16  
 "The Impatient Years," presenting Jean Arthur. Every one is so familiar with these "Impatient years" that it would be drastic to miss this one.

## News About Notes

Step right up ladies and gentlemen! Last chance to win a prize and show how smart you are! Yes indeed, here is your chance. All you have to do is look into the future and predict what the top three numbers will be on the Hit Parade the week of Dec. 16. Here are the simple contest rules.

1. The top three tunes are to be guessed in order.
2. Your name, class, and dates must be on the paper you hand in.
3. Your guesses or deductions must be in the box in the vestibule of G. A. before noon, Friday, December 15, in order to collect and tabulate them.
4. Prizes will be awarded according to accuracy and neatness.

Now for the interesting music of the week: Still rolling along at top speed is the **Trolley Song** in first place. **Dance with the Dolly** has jumped up to second place and a new and very pleasing number, **I'm Making Believe**, has come in as third this week, after entering the parade last week in seventh position.

A number to watch—**Don't Fence Me In**. One of those typically American songs that gets to be first in the hearts of many people because of the words as well as the easy moving music.

recognize Don Price, better known as "Junior"—the little boy with the big car—who spends the best part of his weekends on campus with Margie. By the way, this little romance developed this summer (just another advantage of summer school, Golly!)

Some people are lucky though, and have men around like Johnny who throws kisses to the love-of-his-life on his way up and down the basketball floor—when Hilda returns them, it's a sure basket (—but for which side?)

Toby's Happy Birthday was complete when those two huge orchids arrived—courtesy the man, who incidentally is now overseas. Presents are just presents, but the sentiment, uh m m!

Here's a little item of personal interest that came along a little late for last issue, and might be old news to us, but to Ellen Stein, the visit of her one and only was the best news ever and we can hardly blame her. Did you see him? They tell me he was definitely O.K.—pipe and all!

You've all heard vague rumors about our boys marrying the girls from overseas, but here's one fact I'll bet you didn't know—Marlan Willard's brother is engaged to a charming little Australian girl. What do they have that we don't have? Nothing—but they have it there!

The weather last Wednesday night might have been stormy, but Bobbie Gaetz didn't even notice it—she had her love (or is he just a love) to keep her warm! Anyway, she did seem to be having fun with that cute soldier from home.

Dottie Wagner went to visit a man this weekend—her grandfather! Better old than none at all, as Shakespeare would say. (My apologies to the old bard.)

That Art-Gay romance is still going strong, but it seems to me Art could do a little more to uphold the name of man—after all when Gay's bowling score is highest in every game it no longer is coincidence!!

Old Man Winter arrived, too, and how!! Let's take little Marie Talbot for example. The wind blew, and the snow fell, and the winds blew some more. And while she was pouring over her psychology, she noticed her feet were slowly freezing and her hands were a beautiful shade of blue tinted with purple. "Where shall I go? What shall I do?" she wailed. Who—er! What came to the rescue? Nan's bed! Yes, Nan's bed provided a haven—or else Marie would have been an icicle. Oh those outside rooms!!!

Those boys who traveled to Washington were the lucky boys—some even got to the Army-Navy game (incidentally Johnny sat next to Ruthie Garman there) and from the reports on the rest of the weekend it must have been fun!!

But one of the little boys was anxious to get back—you'll never guess who. Jerry Moore, and the reason is very simple. Carolyn Pfahler was occupying his thoughts, and that little romance is blossoming out rapidly. They even went to church together.

Gunny's "Brownie" was home for Thanksgiving and left a trace of his visit in that darling locket. It fits well—how about the knitting she's doing for him? Can we say the same??

Bucknell gets the limelight as much as S. U. in this column so it seems! This week we have Ruth Williams making the trip for a weekend visit!!!

A little plea—If you know any news that should be printed in this year column, please let me know about it!!! Just write it down or tell it to me personally and I'll see that the school hears about it. Bye for now.

LaVerne



# OUR FROSH

**CAROLYN GRAYBILL** claims Richard as her home and is taking the Liberal Arts course. Her favorite foods are pot pie, fried country ham, and celery. She likes tables tennis, but her specialty is taking long hikes in the woods. To be a teacher and share an apartment is her two fold ambition. She spends all her spare time embroidering, and her pet peeve is D's in history.

**ELROY HACKER** is a music student, and her hobby is collecting different kinds of sheet music. She likes lemon meringue pie and juicy steaks and is partial to the Merchant Marines. "Cause that's where he is." Her pet hate is mosey people, her favorite orchestra leader is Benny Goodman, and her ambition is to become a music teacher.

**HOPE HARBESON** is a music student from Milroy. She's 5' 5" tall, never gets up for breakfast, and would rather eat chicken and filling than anything else. Her hobby is collecting photographs, and her heart belongs to that certain radio man in the Army Air Corps. Her ambition is to teach music—until the war is over, perhaps?

**AUDREY HAVICE** comes from Lewistown. She's taking the pre-med course and hopes to be a Navy nurse some day. She likes all winter sports, especially skiing and ice skating, but spends her week-ends studying. Her hobby is collecting snapshots, she's partial to civilians, and claims she just couldn't live without her coffee.

**ELLEN HERRLMAN** is enrolled in the Liberal Arts course and comes from New York City. Her favorite sport is riding, and mail-less (male-less?) days are her pet peeve. She's partial to the Army Air Corps (You should see that handsome man!) and her ambition is to get married. Her favorite food is spaghetti, her pet hate, sausages.

**CARL HERMAN** is a day student who lives eight miles north of Selinsgrove. He's taking the pre-med course and wants to be a surgeon. His favorite food is beef steak and basketball ranks first on his list of sports. He spends his leisure time working on his father's farm and his pet peeve is driving back and forth to school each day.

**MARGARET JOHNS**—Ross' little sister—comes from Honesdale, is 5' 3 3/4" tall and is majoring in languages. She likes swimming and soccer, when she doesn't get bumped around. Jon Hall is her favorite actor, and she especially enjoys musical comedies. She hates homework, but likes to get mail from Honesdale and Lewistown. Her ambition is to be a success.

**BARBARA KAIN** comes from our capital city—Harrisburg. She likes chocolate cake, ice cream, and grapes, and she just loves to rehearse those "special" scenes for the Theater Guild's plays. Her ambition is to be an orchestra singer, and, by the way, she used to sing with an orchestra in Harrisburg. She is an ardent disciple of The Voice and spends her leisure time eating, singing, and eating.

## I Wonder Why

... Jack Warner's affections have turned from Selbert to Hassinger.

... There was so much commotion from 10 to 10:30 last Thursday. Could it have been the birthday party that the girls had for Mrs. Koch? Incidentally, they gave her a beautiful new umbrella.

... Carolyn Pfahler likes the name "Moore"—Need we say "more"?

... Paula Moskowitz enjoys dancing with Ross Johns so much.

# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Article by Dr. Russ

An article entitled "The Origin of the Ban on Special Legislation in the Constitution of 1873," by Dr. William A. Russ, Jr., appeared in the October, 1944, issue of PENNSYLVANIA HISTORY Magazine.

In the article, Dr. Russ stated that the early Pennsylvania Legislature was noted for its corruptness. He defines "special legislation" as applied to individuals; "local legislation" when applied to a county, city or town, and "general legislation" when applied to everyone in a group, class, or state. Special legislation was banned because of the many evils, among which were: the passing of franchises without production for future generations, the purchase and sale of special privileges to one company or person by lobbyists, local laws deemed necessary by the members fearing they would not be re-elected without them, and time spent dealing with special measures for individuals and separate companies rather than for the general welfare of the people.

... Ronnie Boyer doesn't pay any attention to the girls on campus. Gee, who could find a better selection?

... Harriet Gould forgot to pull the curtain after the final scene of "Death Comes to My Friends." Could she have been too interested in "making rain" behind the scene?

... There is such a small turn-out of students at the Evening Student Recitals. They're really well worth your while.

... Bobbie Gaetz has been looking sort of starry-eyed these past few days. Maybe "he's" a military secret, hum-m-m??

... LaVerne Kohn enjoys entertaining her "aunt" for dinner. I'm sure that we've never seen an "aunt" wearing a haval uniform . . . and so well, too. How about that, LaVerne???

... Ruth Ulrich has put up a lot of Esquire girls on her walls in her room. Could they be a substitute for wallpaper??? Not a bad idea at that, though.

## Pin-Up Girls Wanted!

The following letter was received by the editor last week from a soldier in Greensboro, North Carolina.

Dear Sir:

This request of mine may be a bit unusual, but would it be asking too much if you could send me the back copies of your school newspaper from the time classes began in September.

If you do not have a paper at your school than pamphlets or magazines pertaining towards your school will do. Especially with the pictures of your girl students.

I thank you,

Pfc. Peter Nieminski.

Editor's Note: Copies of the Susquehanna will be sent to Pfc. Nieminski, but the editorial staff is short on pictures of our girl students, therefore will every girl on campus please give to the editor a snapshot of herself that they may be forwarded to Pfc. Nieminski to show him the patriotism of SU. Just observe these rules, please:

1. All pictures must be handed to the editor not later than Sunday, December 10.

2. Write your name and school address, with any message you wish to make, on the back of the pictures.

Let's make this a Merry Christmas for Pfc. Nieminski. Give him the gift every soldier wishes—a picture of a girl—especially an SU girl.

## Sigma Alpha Iota

S. A. I. held its regular meeting on Thursday, November 30. Sigma Alpha Iota's party for the freshman music students will be held on Wednesday night, Dec. 6. Recently S. A. I. has had the honor of having Miss Kline, instructor in French, as a patroness of S. A. I. She has transferred her patroness membership from Alpha Gamma chapter at Muskingum College, to Sigma Omega chapter here at S. U. We are honored to have Miss Kline as our patroness and shall do everything to make her feel that this is her home chapter.

## Margaret Walter Teaches

December will be a busy month for Margaret Walter, Conservatory senior, because she has been signed up as substitute supervisor of music of the Middleburg grade and high schools from December 4 to December 29, with only December 25 and 26 for Christmas vacation. (This shortened vacation is due to the loss of school days at other times during the year.) Miss Walter temporarily replaces Mrs. Helen Diefenderfer, who was granted a month's leave of absence during her husband's furlough.

Commuting daily to Middleburg and endeavoring to keep up with college homework as well, Miss Walter anticipates a full schedule. Besides teaching regular music classes for all twelve grades (appreciation classes in the high school, she will direct five choruses, the band and the orchestra, and

supervise the Christmas assembly.

## Theta Chi

Arthur J. Geinett, '47, and Celso V. Lettzel, '45, became active members of the Beta Omega Chapter of Theta Chi National Fraternity at a meeting of the chapter on Tuesday evening, November 21, 1944. All student members and faculty advisors were at the meeting.

After the formal initiation of the two new members, the business affairs were discussed and then refreshments were served. Mr. Geinett was elected to the position of guard of the Chapter, and Mr. Lettzel received the office of the chaplain.

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**CRUSADER FIVE DEFEATS ALUMNI AND MILTON YMCA**

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ing spark on the team this year, was second with 14 points. Robinson led the Y boys with 22 points.

Milton Y. M. C. A.

	Field	Foul	Total
Robinson, f	9	4x 8	22
B. Miller, f	1	1x 1	3
Ritter, c	0	1x 2	2
Heyman, g	1	0x 0	2
K. Miller, g	1	0x 0	2
Simon, g	2	0x 1	4
Moore, g	1	3x 5	5
Totals	15	9x17	39

Susquehanna

	Field	Foul	Total
Herrold, f	7	0x 2	14
Madden, f	0	0x 0	0
Wohlsen, f	0	0x 0	0
Moore, f	6	1x 3	13
Swiencki, c	10	8x 9	28
Kocsis, g	3	0x 3	6
Winey, g	0	0x 0	0
Taylor, g	0	0x 2	0
Johns, c	0	0x 0	0
Small, g	0	0x 0	0
Totals	26	9x19	61

Score by periods:  
Milton Y. M. C. A. .6 11 9 13-39  
Susquehanna .21 12 19 9-61  
Officials: Shadle, Valunas.  
Scorer: Thompson.

**Gallaudet 46, S. U. 37**

The Crusaders lost their first game in three starts on Friday evening, December 1, to the Blue Bisons of Gallaudet at a game played at the Roosevelt High School gym in Washington, D. C. The Bisons took the lead from the opening of the game and held it throughout the game. It was the sharpshooting of Roy Holcomb of the Bisons that kept them well out in front. Holcomb had ten field goals for a grand total of twenty points. He has been a star athlete of Gallaudet's for the past three seasons.

Bernie Swiencki, high scorer of last year's season, kept the Crusaders in

the game by scoring nineteen of their points. Swiencki made seven field goals and five fouls, ten of his points being made in the last quarter, when it looked as if S. U. might come out victorious.

Gallaudet

	G	FG	T
Holcomb, f	10	0	20
Ammon, f	0	0	0
Witczak, f	3	1	7
Cuscaden, f	2	2	6
Schleiff, c	0	0	0
Padden, g	1	2	4
Fisher, g	2	0	4
Massey, g	2	1	5
Totals	20	6	46

Susquehanna

	G	FG	T
Herrold, f	2	2	6
Moore, f	1	1	3
Wohlsen, f	1	0	2
Swiencki, c	7	5	19
Taylor, g	0	1	1
Kocsis, g	3	0	6
Small, g	0	0	0
Winey, g	0	0	0
Totals	14	9	27

Referee: Jot Mitchell.  
Umpire: Dave Keppel.

**THIS IS MY STORY**

(Continued from Page 1)  
school for two months, which also enabled him to keep up with his studies. Ongkah was sent to Susquehanna by the Lutheran Church and hopes to enter medical school. He will not accelerate but will work during the summers he spends here.

The average temperature of British Guiana, at least around Georgetown, is 84 degrees so we can't blame Ongkar for turning up his coat collar against the cold wind. But in spite of the weather he plans to spend two happy years with us.

Ongkar has seven brothers and two sisters. His parents are both Indian. The turban which Ongkar shall wear when it is a little warmer, is worn out of respect and appreciation of his parents and ancestors. Aside from head-gear, Ongkar says that there is not much difference in wearing apparel between the two nations except of course, their clothing is so much lighter than the clothing worn in the United States. The food, though, is very much different, according to Ongkar. He enjoys our food nevertheless, especially desserts and delicacies.

Ongkar is staying at Phi Mu Delta which he likes very much. He thinks the house is lovely, his room nice, and the downstairs of the house unbelievably wonderful, because of the many amusements it offers, including the ping pong table. His favorite sport is cricket and he has won many honors playing the game. (No girls, he doesn't dance.)

Life, according to Ongkar, is very

different here from British Guiana. Living is much slower there and the people do not seem to continually enjoy themselves as Americans do. "Here," said Ongkar, "people really live." He is truly grateful to the faculty and student body for being so kind to him, and also to the boys at Phi Mu for keeping the house so nice and warm, among other things.

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## Christmas Queen Chosen at Holiday Dance

### SU GRAD, '40 MISSING YEAR, REPORTED DEAD IN BELGIUM

Lt. William A. Troutman, an alumnus of Susquehanna University, from Millersburg, Pennsylvania, has been officially declared dead by the War Department.

Lt. Troutman has been missing since October 20, 1943, when the B-17 on which he was a navigator, was lost in a mission over Walchern, a German fortification near Antwerp. No trace has been found of him in this twelve months period, and therefore he has been listed as a fatality.



LT. WILLIAM TROUTMAN

Lt. Troutman had received the Distinguished Flying Cross for efficient administration of first aid to a crew man during one of his score of missions. An Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters was received by his mother as a posthumous award. He entered the Air Corps from Snyder County in August, 1941.

William Troutman was a graduate from Susquehanna in 1940. He was graduated in pre-legal course with an A.B. in Education and was listed in "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities." He was active in soccer and was captain of the team his sophomore and junior years, and was co-captain of the track team his senior year. He was a member of the Phi Mu Delta Fraternity and the Susquehanna Players.

While attending Susquehanna he worked at the Governor Snyder Hotel to help finance his education.

### Lt. Fred Lower, '44 Weds Miss Shirley Bowman

In a ceremony marked by military tradition, Miss Shirley A. Bowman, of Sunbury, became the bride of Lieutenant Fred L. Lower, also of Sunbury.

The double ring ceremony took place on Sunday, December 10, at 4 o'clock in the Centennial Building on the campus of Carson Long Military Institute, New Bloomfield, where Lieutenant Lower is an instructor. The marriage was performed by Rev. Park (Concluded on Page 4)

### KDP PLEDGES 13; ODS, 20; SAI, 12; PHI MU, 6; THETA CHI, 2 AS RUSHING ENDS

Phi Mu  
On Friday, December 15, 1944, at 12:05 a. m. six freshmen that are now attending Susquehanna University were pledged into the Mu Alpha Chapter of Phi Mu Delta Fraternity. President John J. Koecs presided over the ritual, assisted by Roswell J. Johns and Joseph Taylor, other officers in the fraternity.

The freshmen pledged were: Russell Franklin Brown, Jerry Donald Moore, George Kenneth Small, Roy Edward Stahl, Dexter Neil Welkel, and Donald Fisher Wohlson.

The ceremony was followed by a party given by the three members to the pledges.

The following evening the pledge group conducted a meeting of their own in which the following officers of the group were elected: Dexter N. Welkel, president; George K. Small, vice president; Roy E. Stahl, secretary; Russell F. Brown, treasurer; Donald F. Wohlson, sergeant-at-arms; and Jerry D. Moore, chaplain.

Theta Chi  
Early Friday morning at 12:30 A. M. David Edward Bomboy and Carl Lindberg Herman became pledges of the Beta Omega Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity. The installation of these freshmen took place at the chapter home in a very impressive service under the direction of the active undergraduate members, who are Jack Warner, Robert Surplus, Celso Lettzel, and Arthur Geinett.

After the meeting, refreshments, and informal discussions were enjoyed by the active members and newly-initiated pledges. This meeting concluded the rushing season of one week which lasted from 8 P. M. on December 7 to midnight last Thursday, December 14. The pledges were given Theta Chi pledge buttons in order to allow their pledgeship to be known.

### Dinner, Pageant, Caroling Mark SU's Christmas

On Monday evening, December 18, Susquehanna enjoyed her annual Christmas celebration. The formal dinner was held from 6 to 7 with the traditional turkey and all the trimmings. At 7:30 a Christmas pageant was presented by the S. C. A. The following persons took part: Norma Hazen, Corinne Kahn, Nancy Myers, Naomi Garman, Lou Kresge, Marian Willard, Marjorie Stapleton, Lenore Garman, Jean Strasser, Celso Lettzel, Joyce Burkhardt, Gloria Walmer, Eleanor Steele, Lillian Werner, Dexter Welkel, Rine Winey, John Smith, Jerry Moore, Roy Stahl, Art Geinett, Joe Taylor, Dave Bomboy.

Special music was furnished by Velma Shook on the marimba and The Susquehanna Singers. Dorothy Sternat was organist for the program.

The annual Christmas caroling throughout the town by students began at 8:45 and following this a Christmas Party was held in the Social Rooms of Seibert Hall.

### Sorority Rushing

Sunday, December 3, at midnight started the period of intense rushing. At that time the invitations were distributed and informal room parties were held.

Monday afternoon rushing was formally opened with an Inter-Sorority Tea. Monday night the Omega Delta Sigma girls gave a Pin-Up party in their sorority room, where the rushees brought their boy friends pictures and the best looking was chosen. The same night the Kappa Delta Phi girls gave a Gypsy party with a fortune teller as the main attraction. The Sigma Alpha Iota girls had a soda party.

On Tuesday night SAI had a room party and the other girls were asked out by the other two sororities.

Wednesday night found the ODS girls giving a Wishing Well party and the KDP girls giving their Scavoda party. SAI held their big Indian party in the Social Rooms.

Thursday night KDP held their big ship party in the social room. The ODS girls took the girls out to dinner.

Friday ODS had their traditional "Old Heidelberg Inn" open for the evening. After entertainment and the chicken dinner, the Heidelberg was closed for another year. Lenore Garman held a dinner at her home for the SAI girls.

Saturday night ODS served a buffet supper in the sorority room and KDP took the girls out and had a party afterwards.

Monday between 9 and noon voting (Concluded on Page 4)

### Mrs. D. I. Reitz Dies Following Operation

Mrs. D. I. Reitz, wife of Prof. Reitz, instructor of business subjects at Susquehanna, died in the Gelsing Hospital, Danville, on Sunday evening, December 10, following an operation several days previously. She had rallied following the operation, but on Sunday afternoon her condition changed for the worse and she sank rapidly until her demise.

She is survived by her husband and three children, Miss Florence Reitz, an alumna of SU and now teaching at Paxtang; Pvt. Daniel Reitz, with SU AAF in Florida, and a student of SU last year; and John E. Reitz, a senior at Selingsgrove High School. Also surviving are three brothers and six sisters.

The daughter of John and Nevada Lietz Hamner, of Berks county, Mrs. Reitz taught school for seven years in Palmerton, Lehigh county.

She was an active person in civic affairs and a highly respected member of Trinity Lutheran Church. Funeral services were conducted on Thursday, Dec. 14, with The Rev. Phares Reitz, nephew of Prof. Reitz, conducting the services. Burial took place at Weathersville, Pa.

### Hope Spicer Selected; 60 Couples Enjoy Dance

The second Inter-Fraternity-Inter-Sorority dance of the school year, A Holiday Season Dance, was greatly enjoyed by sixty couples on Saturday evening, December 16, in the Alumni Gymnasium, with Ivan Faux and his orchestra furnishing that "makes you want to dance music."

### CHRISTMAS QUEEN



MISS HOPE SPICER

Upon entering the gym floor, one passed through an arch way that was covered with Christmas green and the traditional mistle-toe. After passing through the receiving line of the presidents of the different sororities and their escorts one noticed the false ceiling consisted of red and green streamers converging in the middle of the gym, with a beautiful Christmas tree on the center of the floor, covered with icicles that glistened under the beam of the "spots." Further decorations of holly and other Christmas trimmings added greatly to the beautiful effect of the dance.

Following the Grand March, at which time the chaperons chose a Christmas Queen; and the singing of the sorority songs, the event of the evening was the crowning of the Christmas Queen, Miss Hope Spicer, junior Conservatory student from New Providence, N. J. Dr. Russell Gilbert presented the Queen with a crown of one dozen red roses.

Another highlight of the dance was Virginia "Santa Claus" Hallock, who not only brought cheer to the crowd, but the delicious punch as well.

Chaperons for the dance were Dr. and Mrs. Russell W. Gilbert, Dr. and Mrs. William A. Russ, Dr. and Mrs. Fisk W. S. Scudder, Prof. and Mrs. Amos Alonzo Stagg, Jr., Mrs. Alice H. Glauque, and Mr. Elbert Haskins.

Among the campus couples present were Willard and Hays, Markey and Koecs, Johns and Warner, Myers and Weller, Smith and Wolf, Bicking and Wholsen, Eby and Johns, Stout and Taylor, Spicer and Wley, Elhart and Welkel, Minier and Madden, Campo and Bomboy, Cochrane and Surplus, Wagner and Geinett, Clark and Brown, Fisher and Moore, and Wortley and Small.

Former Susquehannans, now in the Service, and back for the dance were Bob Wholsen who escorted Leah Cryder, Frank Zeldier and Dottie Croft, Frank Zerbe and Harriet Gould, and Danny Reitz and Evelyn Wilhour.

Carmen Beckwith, Mary Jane Zane and Mary Ellen Wood had their brothers as escorts, while the Misses Stapleton, Peters, Harbeson, Leisenring, Day, Gibson, Roberts, Ramer, Shook, Williams, Fisher, Havice, and Smith all (Concluded on Page 4)

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## Where Credit is Due

### THE DANCE

The second Inter-Sorority, Inter-Fraternity Dance was a complete success. Those few words could very aptly describe the dance that was held in the gym on Saturday night. The decorations were lovely, the music "solid," and the crowd in a jovial spirit. Congratulations to everyone that in any way contributed to the success of that dance. It certainly proved that with a little effort something can really be made a success on our campus.

### GRANT YERGER

Here is one of the custodians of Susquehanna that is really doing an exceptional job in aiding all the organizations with his woodworking ability. That fireplace in Hassinger Hall that he made from a discarded piano can be called a masterpiece. The "moon" that he made for dances certainly has the appearance of the "man in the moon," and the cross that he made for the SCA is a fine piece of work—and these are only a few of the many things he has made or repaired.—Hats off to Grant Yerger.

### THE CHRISTMAS DINNER

Another feather in the hat of Mrs. Humphreys, her help, and the waitresses. We, who just sit down to a meal, cannot realize the tremendous amount of work that is involved in the preparing of such a meal as that Christmas Dinner. To have everything ready to serve 200 persons in about 45 minutes is a task that cannot be easily imagined.

Not only the food, but the pleasant Christmas atmosphere, the girls in gowns, the soft Christmas music, the singing of carols, all blended to make it a Christmas Dinner that will long be remembered at SU.

### THE BASKETBALL GAMES

The last home game played on the floor of the Alumni Gym was one with fight from start to finish. It ended in the fifth period with Juniata win-

ning 45-41, but the loyal support that the student body gave the team helped to compensate for the loss. It is not easy for a team to show spirit and zip when it does not have the backing of the school. Let's keep up that grand spirit.

## THE FORUM

The reporter has been out on a special assignment for Santa Claus this past week and has unearthed the secret desires of some of the good boys and girls on campus. Santa will surely read this and do his best to make everyone happy.

Marty Sharwarok: A sailor on a ten day leave.

Marian Willard: Lots of sleep and pleasant dreams (of George).

Donald Wohlsein: A deferment.

LaVerne Kohn: "Do they dehydrate Naval officers?"

Eileen Stein: An engagement ring.

Mary Johns: A longer vacation, a reducing machine, and a few more cuts.

Dr. Wilson: A Frequency Modulation and Television set.

Elaine Laks: A "C" in Science Survey.

Jane Malkames: Her brother.

Jeanette Kramer: "A Fellow on a Furlough."

Sara Lee Smith: Too darn much.

Scotty Small: I want "to Dance With a Dolly, etc."

Ellen Hellman: A handsome man named Lee.

Corinne Frey: That strapping he-man doctor, Phillip.

Dot Eilhardt: A White Christmas.

Gloria Walmer: To meet Harry, the sender of lovely gifts.

Eleanor Steele: A raspberry-colored mutt like Smitty's.

Miss Kline: A car, a portable radio, and a portable typewriter.

Ira Wasserburg: The girls on campus to start swooning again.

Nancy Myers: A pair of brown figure skates.

Harriet Gould: The men back home again.

Pank Bittinger: An electric phonograph and her brother home to play it.

Gayle Clark: "Just to be back in Philadelphia is enough for me."

Dot Wagner: Something from Holland—not tulip bulbs either.

Marion Walker: Just "Charlie."

## CAMPU SOLOGY

Greetings, Mr. and Miss Co-ed, let's go to press! Now for the latest gossip around campus. . . A lot of our glamour girls and goon-boys have decided that a 14-day vacation was much too long to be away from each other without each having some token of friendship (?) to carry back home with them. Ross has given Helen his Frat pin which has given Helen a glowing radiance about her. Helen is retailing with a beautiful ring. . . so it is rumored. Johnny and Hilda have both displayed a wonderful Christmas spirit what with Johnny giving Hilda a gorgeous set of Tweed perfume and cologne and Hilda giving Johnny not one, not two, but eight Christmas presents. Ask John for the particulars. They're too numerous to list. Then, we have the Frankie-Fay duo. Ask Fay to show you that gold cross with the diamond sparkling in the center. It's really worth noticing. To make sure that Carolyn wouldn't let her affections wander while at home, Jerry put his "ball and chain" (in other words identification bracelet) around her wrist.

Now for some strange two-somes:

### I Wonder Why

. . . A certain group of people at the Sunday School party were called "windbags." Could it have been because they had more strength and vitality in blowing a paper cup along a string to win a game???

. . . Jeanette Kramer had a headache in Dictation class the other day. Perhaps it was caused by her not being able to read Maynard's letter before the class started. What do you think, Jenny???

. . . The road in back of Steele Science Hall is called "Lover's Lane." Need more be said?

. . . "Prexy" Smith was bombarded with snowballs as he calmly walked out of the Dining room last Friday. Oh, yes, it was just a little friendly snowball battle in which Johnny Smith was participating, too. It's all right, no one was seriously hurt.

. . . There is so much mistletoe around the parlors at Hassinger and Seibert. We agree, tho, it does come in mighty handy . . . hum-m-m-m . . . mighty handy!

. . . The freshmen on students are looking forward so eagerly to taking instructions on the trombone next semester. It couldn't be because they all want to be second Glenn Miller's, could it?

. . . Dr. Sheldon is so anxious to find the owner of the five cent coin that was found in one of the practice rooms the other day. (P. S. If anyone has lost it, go to the Conservatory office and the same will be returned, providing that you can prove your ownership—that's the catch.)

. . . The theme song of all the girls on campus is: "Have you a problem, a money problem?" All right, so Christmas is right around the corner. We won't say any more. The song title speaks for itself.

. . . Norma Jane Hazen is so excited about her Christmas vacation in London, Ohio. Perhaps it's because she's going to see the "Baker" for eleven days.

. . . Roy Stahl has been so sleepy lately. Too much night life, Roy???

. . . Hilda Markey has been buying so many fish wafers lately. Could it be that she has a tiny baby fish in her room that she received for a Christmas present?

. . . Everybody is planning on a peaceful and happy Christmas. I know—no studies!

Who would ever have thought that Red Neidick and Jane Malkames could have found something in common. 'Tis rumored that that reddish glow on Red's face was lipstick! Then, there's that Campo-Bombay affair. It's about time that they started holding hands in public. After all, why should they keep it a secret, we're all one big happy family.

What is Skip Madden doing with his time while Peggy Minier meets Larry on the sly?? I imagine that Gloria Reichley finds time dragging, too. And now, Nan Myers and Larry have us more confused than ever before.

Roy and Harriet celebrated both their birthdays (which, incidentally, do fall on the same day, Feb. 6) a little prematurely. One of Roy's shirts must have been looking for romance as it was found in one of the girls' laundry down at Hassinger. Harriet dressed it up in a beautiful package and presented it to Roy at dinner, and Roy, blushing furiously, opened it to the strains of "Happy Birthday." Not to be outdone, Roy rewrapped the package again and sent it back to Harriet. To the same tune, she opened it, and a half eaten piece of meat fell into her lap!!

What is this Christmas card that everybody's whispering about? Does it have anything to do with the dirty looks some of the boys have been receiving lately? We've been hearing some "horse-y" stories about it.

Marie Kilek is still writing to Dave Gross. We're still wondering whether or not his Frat pin will come back C. O. D.

We heard a remark from Rine to the effect that he would like the job of interviewing the Christmas Queen himself. Could he have known it would be his date, Hope Spicer???

Gloria Gasparoli had a little trouble via the phone over her "dates" for the dance. Corinne had a call from Clyde this week, and Jackie heard from Mel that—a way, too. Adele's Ted called her four nights in a row, and she was never in the dorm. Just to show that her heart was in the right place, Adele called him up to hear what he had to say.

I guess when we come back from vacation Joan Smith will have a beautiful Florida tan as will Hilda Markey. Joan went down to join her parents, and Hilda is joining someone who isn't quite a relative. Incidentally, Hilda named her baby fish, "Kappa."

Kay Fox has left S. U. to winter in Florida and practice golf. We know that everybody's going to miss Kay, and we wish her the best of luck.

Why didn't Gloria Machamer take her soldier date to the dance Saturday night? What had Sunbury that the Christmas dance hadn't?

Mary Lib can't be too homesick with "the boy next door" here at school. "It must be love" because they both look so swell.—Reminds me of a song, and the words could be applied in this case.

Have you heard about the big blow-out party that's being planned for December 30th in New York? If you're going to be in the vicinity that day, by all means, get the details from "one of the natives." I guess the kids can't bear to be separated from one another even during a vacation.

Donald Wohlsein and Lenore (Lennie) Garman seem to really hate it bad. They hold hands while eating and don't even bother to keep them under the table. She must save fallen for the cute way that Don looks cross-eyed at her. Will it be for "Always"?

Well, Chicks and Hicks—er-r-r—we mean fellows, have a very Merry, Merry Christmas and a happier New Year.



# OUR FROSH

EDITH KEMP is a day student who commutes each day from Sunbury. Incidentally, her pet peeve is walking down to the bus from her home "up in the country" these cold, dark mornings. She's enrolled in the Business Education course, and from what we hear, she makes a neat little secretary. Her favorite pastimes are eating pretzels and pickles—and writing to Lee, who was recently wounded in Germany. Her pet hate is people who gossip.

PHYLLIS KNISS is another day student whose home is in Shamokin Dam. She's taking the Liberal Arts course and plans to major in English. Her favorite foods are ham and cherry pie and the Saturday Evening Post is her favorite magazine. She hates cold weather and her hobby is collecting snapshots. She spends all her leisure time ringing up sales in the Weis store in Sunbury, and writing letters to her hero in the Army Air Corps.

BERNADINE KOONS is one of Mt. Carmel's representatives at S. U. and is enrolled in the pre-med course. Her ambition is to become a heart specialist, but she admits she can never make decisions. In her leisure time she reads Reader's Digest, embroiders, and collects poems. Her favorite sports are volleyball and basketball, and her pet hate is cramming for tests. Candy and ice cream are her favorite foods.

JEANETTE KRAMER, whose heart belongs to Maynard, lives in Sunbury and is a Con. student. Her pet hate is mothers who take their crying babies to the movies. Her favorite magazine is Good Housekeeping and in her leisure time she writes letters and scrubs room 12. (Quite domestic, isn't she?) Her hobby is collecting(?) ash trays and her ambition is to be a concert singer—she says.

ELAINE LAKS comes from Kingstons, Pa., and is taking the Liberal Arts course. She's interested in social work and wants to be a child psychologist. Ice cream and candy are her failings and her pet peeve is conceited people. She doesn't favor any branch of the service—she likes 'em all! Her hobby is sports, of which swimming ranks first. She likes S. U. very much, "cause everyone is so friendly and so willing to help you."

FRANCES LEISENRING lives at Bear Gap and is taking the music course. She's especially fond of semi-classical music. Her favorite food is beef steak and roller skating is her favorite sport. She collects stamps and plays the piano in her leisure time. Her favorite magazine is Life; she favors the Navy; and she hates people who try to be too dignified. Her ambition is to be a music teacher.

## The Queen

I can assure you it is a pleasure to interview a Queen—but there could have been better places and more opportune moments to interview SU's Queen of Christmas, Hope Spicer, than on the night when the "Susquehanna Singers" banded into a large group and went caroling over the snow covered streets of Selinsgrove. But as a headline of a paper approaches one is not particular where the interview takes place as long as the news is gotten. So between the wind, the snowflakes, and caroling, I obtained a few facts about our Queen. Sure, I'll share them.

It seems as though she just missed voting for Roosevelt? Dewey? (We left politics out of the picture) for she won't be 21 until next July. One could easily see that she was a comely blond, about 5 feet 8½ inches tall, and would weigh about 122 pounds, but I left her

# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Formal Christmas Dinner

The annual formal Christmas banquet for students and faculty of Susquehanna University was held in Horton Dining Hall on Monday evening, December 8, at 6 o'clock.

The menu included Tomato Juice, Cranberry Sauce, Celery, Roast Turkey, Filling, Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Buttered Brussel Sprouts, Candied Apple Salad, Ice Cream, Cake, and Tangerines.

The effect of this affair, one of the annual events on the SU campus, was heightened by candlelight and Christmas music.

## Sunday School Class Party

Provided with a program of varied entertainment and a well-filled refreshment table, sixty Susquehannans made a "merry" Christmas party last Thursday evening in the social rooms of Trinity Lutheran Church. The party was given for the SU Sunday School Class by the church led by Sunday School Superintendent, Mr. Clayton Leach. Refreshments were contributed and served by women of the church.

The program, planned by entertainment committee, Virginia Hallock, Ruth Hallock, Ruth Botdorf, Hope Harbeson, and Carolyn Pfahler, began with carol singing. A series of hilarious games and contests followed. There were two circle games, Zip and

tell me that her eyes were gray, but could very easily change to a green (with envy) or blue (as the sky).

It seems as though that picture "Two Girls and a Sailor," put our Queen overboard for that current rage of the country—Van Johnson. Her dorm room (Selbert second) is just plastered with his pictures—and also with the pictures of our canine friends.

I guess you probably know that our Queen hails from New Providence, N. J. She graduated from Summit High School in '42, and so that would make her a junior here at SU—at the Con. Hearing her sing those Christmas carols assures me that they are teaching those students in the Con more than we realized. Her father is a high school teacher, and she has two brothers, one in the Navy in South America, and a married brother living in Illinois, who by the way, will add to her Christmas enjoyment, for he's visiting at home over the holidays. She's not expecting much for Christmas, but is anxious to know what that gift is that her brother sent from South America.

By this time we began talking about sports. She likes tennis and swimming but would like to improve in both and naturally one of her biggest moments was when she was chosen Queen.

And as we reached the dorm, wouldn't it be natural that one would think of food, with those refreshments awaiting us in the social rooms. Well, I learned that she likes most any food at any time, but that butterscotch sundaes are something a little special.

Well, after ruining one good? voice, trying to sing carols, and injuring several part of the anatomy resulting from falls, these are the things I learned about our Christmas Queen, Hope Spicer. Gee, what a person won't do for "The Susquehanna."

## LOST & FOUND

WANTED—Ear muffs and fur coats for the walk to breakfast from Hasinger.

FOUND—Those horrid Western European History Books.

WANTED—Some ways and means to understand them.

Missing Nouns; the last-named including stunt penalties. Two contests completed the list: a yacht race involving the blowing of a paper cup across a string, and a ring-passing race in which rings were passed along each line on toothpicks held in the mouth.

Refreshments of hot coffee, assorted sandwiches and cookies, and pickles were served toward the end of the evening. The party closed with music including "Rise Up Shepherds and Follow," sung by a trio: Virginia Hallock, Hope Spicer, and Jean Strasser.

## Miss DuFrain Receives Ph.D.

Miss Viola DuFrain, a former instructor in commercial subjects at Susquehanna University, will receive her Ph.D. degree from the School of Business of the University of Chicago at the December convocation. This is the first time such a degree is to be awarded by the Department of Business Education.

Miss DuFrain has recently been elected president of the Chicago Area Business Educators Association.

While on S. U.'s campus, Miss DuFrain was made an honorary of Kappa Delta Phi Sorority.

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## Recital Class

The December Recital Class, presented by students of the Conservatory, was held in Selbert Chapel at 4:15 p. m., Friday, December 15, 1944.

Students playing piano solos were Dorothy Sernat, Marian Attinger, Jean Hill, Jean Attinger, Mary Ellen Wood, Elise Thompson, Robert Surplus, and Lenore Garman.

Vocal solos were rendered by Nedra Polanchyck, Lenore Garman, Marie Klick, Marjorie Stapleton, Janet Rohrbach, and Virginia Hallock.

Roy Stahl played an organ solo, and Virginia Hallock a 'cello solo.

The class concluded with a brief talk on "Organs and Their Builders" by Professor P. M. Linebaugh.

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### Juniata and Penn State Subdue SU Quintet 45-41; 53-12

Juniata, 45; SU, 41  
A gallant Susquehanna five suffered a defeat of 45-41 to a strong Juniata team in the Alumni Gymnasium on Wednesday, December 6. All students and fans witnessed a game packed with thrills from the beginning to the end.

The Indians went on the warpath in the first period to take a lead of 8-3, but when half time came, the Crusaders showed that "purging ahead spirit" and the score stood 14-14.

In the last half, the teams took turns holding the lead. With only six seconds remaining, the Stag men were ahead 39-38. However, Rupert, guard from Juniata, was given one free foul shot and "wisked the net" with one point to tie the score as the horn sounded for the end of the game.

After a two minute time-out, the courtmen again resumed the fight for the "survival of the fittest." After five minutes of "nip and tuck", the Indians held a slight lead of four points chalking the final score as 45-41.

"Bernie" Swiencki again showed his skill by leading the S. U. five with 12 points. Next in line came Kocsis and Don Herrold with 10 and 9 points respectively. Wareham, lanky center for the "Indians", led the scoring for the five with 16 points.

	Goals	Fouls	Total
Herrold, f	4	1x 3	9
Wohlsen, f	0	2x 2	2
Moore, f	1	4x 6	6
Swiencki, c	5	2x 3	12
Kocsis, g	4	2x 4	10
Winey, g	0	1x 1	1
Taylor, g	0	1x 3	1
Totals	14	13x22	41

	Goals	Fouls	Total
Weiner, f	0	1x 2	1
Ford, f	2	0x 0	4
Restuccia, f	2	1x 1	5
Sell, f	0	0x 0	0
Wareham, c	5	6x 8	16
Kaylor, g	6	0x 4	12
Rupert, g	1	3x 4	5
King, g	1	0x 0	2
Totals	17	11x19	45

Susquehanna 3 11 13 12 2-41  
Juniata 8 6 14 11 6-45  
Officials: Shadle, Herman.  
Scorer: Wentzel.  
Penn State 53, SU 12  
On Wednesday, December 13, 1944.

a valiant quintet from Susquehanna University journeyed to State College to meet a strong State team, composed mostly of Navy V-12 trainees. State's overwhelming advantage of height proved the downfall of the small-civilian quintet of the Crusaders.

State, using men freely, scored easily on the Crusaders. At the end of the first period the score was 10-2, and at the half 37-4. The final score of 53-12 found Wilson of State leading the parade of scorers with eight points. Swiencki of the Crusaders was high with five tallies with Herrold, Moore, and Taylor tallying two each. Captain Kocsis added a foul for a sum total of twelve points.

KDP PLEDGES 12; ODS, 20; SAI, 12; PHI MU, 6; THETA CHI, 2

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took place and the girls pledged the following sororities: Omega Delta Sigma—Ruth Ulrich, Bobbie Kain, Marty Sharwarko, Nancy Lou Bicking, Angie Campo, Bobbie Raclonzer, Betty Smith, Ann Malkames, Peggy Minier, Gloria Reichley, Peggy Bathgate, Lillian Werner, Lois Dauberman, Helen Zahn, Marie Stout, Ruth Criswell, Betty Reich, Joan Apple, Joyce Burkhart, Helen Lepley; Kappa Delta Phi—Gloria Walmer, Eleanor Steele, Margie Johns, Bobbie Gaetz, Hilda Markey, Ann Gibson, Gertrude Roberts, Gaynelle Wagoner, Maxine Asch, Adele Taub, Ginnie Doss, Dotty Ellhardt, and Dawn Ebert; Sigma Alpha Iota—Frosta Arsenu, Mary Ellen Wood, Hope Harbeson, Hope Peters, Jeanette Kramer, Harriet Gould, Elro Hacker, and Cora Mae Arthur.

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had civilian dates.  
Service men were the dates for the following girls: Kresge, Miller, Kramex, Basehoar, Malkames, Kane, Ulrich.

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### L.T. FRED LOWER, '44, WEDS MISS SHIRLEY BOWMAN

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L. Wagenbach, of Grace Lutheran Church, Sunbury.  
Leaving the altar, the newly married couple passed through the traditional archway of crossed swords, and with attendants and invited guests, proceeded to a wedding reception held in the Centennial Building. After a short honeymoon, the couple will reside in New Bloomfield on the Institute campus.

Mrs. Lower is a graduate of Sunbury High School in the 1944 class. Lt. Lower was graduated from Sunbury High School in 1940, and received his bachelor of arts degree at Susquehanna University commencement exercises this spring. He was a member of Bond and Key and has been social science instructor and assistant coach at Carson Long since September.

### CHRISTMAS QUEEN CHOSEN AT HOLIDAY DANCE

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Service men were the dates for the following girls: Kresge, Miller, Kramex, Basehoar, Malkames, Kane, Ulrich.

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And last but not least were Ira Warsawburg who dated Rubye Myers' cousin, and Dick Neidich, who escorted Ira's sister.

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## Phi Mu Entertains At Open House Party

Following the basketball game on Saturday evening, January 13, Phi Mu Delta Fraternity held the first Open House of the year.

Upon entering from the cold outside, the cheery atmosphere and the bright blaze from the fireplace, gave one a warm welcome. Colorful decorations added more beauty to the scene.

Soft music filled the air as couples danced to the ones of well known orchestras.

In the basement there was ping pong for those who were weary of dancing. This proved great fun, and the competition between various couples was keen.

Refreshments were served in the dining room at tables displaying colorful valentines. The food included sandwiches, cocoa, soft drinks, and potato chips.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson and Professor and Mrs. Russell Hatz were chaperons of the evening. Among the couples present were: John Kocsis - Hilda Markey; Joe Taylor - Anne Miller; Ross Johns - Ben Herr; Bernice Swienicki - Elise Thompson; Don Wohlson - Leah Cryder; Dexter Welkel - Dot Eilhardt; Roy Stahl - Harriet Gould; Russ Brown - Gayle Clark; Harry Welliver - Dotty Jupina; Scotty Small - Edith Kemp; Jerry Moore - Nancy Myers; Bob Surplus - Ruth Cochran; Dave Bomboy - Angela Campo; Art Gelnett - Gaynelle Waggoner; Larry Weller - Peggy Minier; Rine Winey - Hope Spicer; Tony Payne - Rubye Myers; Ray Mould - Gloria Gasparoli; Dick Neldich - Jane Malkames; Frank Wolfe - Fay Smith; Aldo Pescarona - Emily Botdorf; Ed Madden - Adah Wolfe.

## SU CONTRIBUTES \$242.50 TO WSSF

The World Student Service Fund at Susquehanna University ended last week with \$242.50 received. According to Miss Marian Willard, general chairman, not all students have paid their pledge. It is anticipated that \$250.00 will be the final total when all obligations have been met.

To increase competition and stimulate interest for the drive, the school was divided into teams. The Hassinger Hall team contributed \$109.00 and Seibert Hall, 103.50.

## Did You Know?

Wednesday, January 17—Campus Club, 3-5 p. m.  
Basketball—SU and Dickinson at Carlisle  
Thursday, January 18—Alpha Psi Omega, 7 p. m.  
Friday, January 19—Conservatory Recital Class, Seibert Chapel at 4:15 p. m.  
Saturday, January 20—Basketball—SU and Bucknell Junior College in Alumni Gym at 8 p. m.  
Thursday, January 25—SCA meeting in the Social Rooms at 7 p. m.  
Friday, January 26—Semester ends Saturday and Monday, January 27 and 29—Semester Vacation  
Tuesday, January 30—Registration for second semester in the Library  
Wednesday, January 31—Classes resumed.

## "Headwaiter" Hays Bids Adieu to Susquehanna

William Anstead Hays, better known as "Bill" or "Will," hails from Johnstown, Pa., and is one of the most familiar and active figures on S. U.'s campus.

Bill is leaving us at semesters and intends to take a position with Westinghouse in Pittsburgh in the field of Personnel Management. He will live in Wilkensburg. In addition to his job, Bill will do graduate work at the University of Pittsburgh for his M.A. degree.

Since Bill is the only senior who will graduate this January, he hopes to come back for Graduation Exercises in May.

Bill's activities are numerous and varied. He is probably best known for his position as head-waiter which he described as "a lot of fun." We'll all miss those "no social dancing" or "a hockey captain will be elected" announcements. For the past two years he has been president of Bond and Key fraternity. "I'll never forget working with the girls in the dining hall and with the children at the fraternity house," he says. Bill is also Senior Class President and President of the Men's Student Council. He took part in the Theater Guild play, "Magnificent Obsession," is a member of S. C. A. and the Business Society and served on the Civilian Defense Council during blackouts.

Although Bill is indebted to the entire faculty and dean, he particularly expressed gratitude to Dr. Dunkelberger, who has influenced him more.  
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## SHS Girls Tangle With SU Coeds--in Basketball

On Thursday, January 4th, the girls' basketball teams from Selingsrove High School visited the campus of Susquehanna. The occasion of the visit was practice games between the high school girls and the freshmen and sophomore co-eds.

High scorer on S. U.'s freshman team was Jeanne Wortley while Adah Wolfe gained top honors for the Sophs: Susquehanna's line-up:

**Freshmen**  
Forwards—J.J. Wortley, J. Burkhard, R. Ulrich, R. Reller.  
Guards—V. Doss, G. Reichley, N. Garman, E. Kemp.  
**Sophomores**  
Forwards—A. Wolfe, E. Leiby, E. Thompson, D. Wagner, F. Smith.  
Guards—N. Myers, G. Clark, L. Cryder.

## Wave Sally Mitke, x'48 On Leave, Visits Campus

Our own Sally Mitke is back to visit us in her Navy blue Wave uniform. Sally started her boot training at Hunter College last October. After six weeks of training she was transferred to Cedar Falls, Iowa, where she attended Yeoman School. Now Sally is on a ten day leave after which she will be sent to Washington, D. C. Although she is not in the recruiting branch of the Waves, Sally's enthusiasm for the service is obvious and seems to say, "Won't you join, too?"

## GOVERNMENT ORDER, "WORK OR FIGHT" MAY EFFECT 13 MALE STUDENTS OF SU

### Braveman, Walmer, Gould Editors of Next "Susquehanna"

It has usually been the custom at Susquehanna that one issue of the school paper should be edited and managed by the members of the freshman class. However, as last year there was no freshman issue, this year's paper will be the Soph-Fresh issue.

Miss Jackie Braveman, sophomore Liberal Arts student from New York City; Miss Gloria Walmer, freshman Commercial Education student from Penbrook; and Miss Harriet Gould, freshman music student from Johnstown, will be the co-editors of the issue.

The entire paper will be edited by these students who will appoint their own staffs and have complete charge of the issue. They have already begun work on it and they promise it to be a colorful issue.

Because of semester holidays, the next paper will be published on Tuesday, February 6.

## SU Five Wins Two More Over Milton And Westinghouse

Susquehanna 50; Milton YMCA 32  
The Crusader courtmen captured their fourth win of the '44-45 season on Saturday, Jan. 6, 1945 from the Milton YMCA five, by a score of 50 to 32. From beginning to end the S. U. boys were out in front. At half time they held a strong marginal lead of 24 to 12.

Again, as in previous games this season, Swienicki led the Crusaders with seven goals and four foul shots or a total of 18 points. Moore was next in line with 12. The opponents were led by Robinson, who chalked 15 points.

Milton Y.M.C.A.	Field	Fouls	Total
Neltz, f	6	0x 0	0
Robinson, f	6	3x 4	15
Ritter, c	1	0x 0	2
I. Miller, g	1	0x 0	2
Heyman, g	1	0x 0	2
K. Miller, g	1	1x 2	3
Moore, g	3	2x 3	8
Totals	13	6x 9	32

Susquehanna	Field	Fouls	Total
Herold, f	3	1x 2	7
Moore, f	5	2x 2	12
Swienicki, c	6	6x 6	18
Wohlson, f	1	0x 0	2
Kocsis, g	2	1x 1	5
Taylor, g	1	2x 2	4
Winey, g	1	0x 0	2
Totals	19	12x13	50

Milton YMCA ..... 5 7 12 8-32  
Susquehanna ..... 15 9 16 10-50  
Officials: Shadle, Valunas.

### Susquehanna 41; Westinghouse 36

Stamping out its fifth win of the season the Susquehanna cagers defeated a strong Westinghouse five by a score of 41 to 36 on Saturday, January 13.

Susquehanna, playing poor ball, found itself trailing at the end of the first quarter, 12-10, but a counter-offensive that lasted through the next  
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### Men Rejected for Military Service Face Possible Draft Into Industry or Service

The trend of national affairs at the present time is to draft all able bodied men into the armed forces or into some type of defense industry. In order to accomplish this, all males over the age of eighteen will be reclassified. It is obvious and inevitable that the male student body at Susquehanna will be affected by this so-called "new order."

The present classification of the masculine student body on Susquehanna's campus is as follows:

- 13—physically unfit for service.
- 5—honorably discharged.
- 2—pre-theologs.
- 5—seventeen years of age.
- 5—liable to immediate induction.
- 1—foreign student.

These are the opinions of the men on our campus who will come under the proposed "work or fight" order of the government.

Dexter Welkel—I am willing to do whatever the government asks, but I would prefer going into the army rather than into industry.

Harold Snyder—I am speaking as a 4F, and I know there is a definite need for this new trend. So many able bodied boys are fighting, and I would be willing to be of any service to my country; not into the army, but into industry.

Rine Winey—Naturally I would like to get into the service. I do not know if the necessity is great enough to warrant the drafting of every male, but if the needs be, I shall be glad to comply to either of the government's requests whether it be "work or fight." Until that time, however, I shall remain in school, but I do not think any discrimination should be shown to college and non-college men.

Jerry Moore—I am not very well versed in national affairs, but the little bit I do know about them makes me come to the conclusion that there is a need for a larger armed service, but no necessity to increase the labor supply. Too many people in industry now are earning wages higher than they ever did before, and they are loafing on the job. There is a laxity in industry due to inefficiency of the laborer, not lack of labor supply. If the government decides to call me to service, I would do so willingly, but I should like to finish my college education because  
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## Don Herrold, '46 Leaves For Service January 25

Donald Herrold, junior day student from Port Trevorton, was accepted for duty with the armed forces on December 27, and has been ordered to report for duty on January 24.

Herrold, one of the starting five on SU's basketball squad, was taking the Liberal Arts course, and was planning to enter the teaching field.

He is a graduate of Selingsrove High School in 1942 and is a member of Bond and Key.

The sincerest wishes of SU go with you, Don, as you enter your country's service.



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## EDITORIALS

During the summer an unfortunate event occurred in the Theatre Guild room in G. A. In some manner, the steam valves of the radiator leaked, releasing into the room steam, which condensed into vapor and fell on the various properties. Not only were the metal objects, such as hammers, lights, and make-up kits badly rusted, but curtains and costumes were damp and mouldy. A scene of great damage and chaos greeted us when we returned to campus in the fall. We were all dumbstruck, and decided to pitch in and get rid of the mess in doublequick time. But did we? Are the lights in any better working condition, or have the curtains been shaken and brushed? Has anything been done? What would Mr. Kelly think? These things are not our personal property which we can ruin as we please. They belong to the Theatre Guild—to those who have gone before us and taken care of the things, to us, and to those who come after us. The responsibility for repairing this damage rests with our elected officers, whose duty it is to appoint committees and to supervise the work. Let's have action instead of promises for a change!

During war-time we are supposed to become hardened to good-byes, but it seems that each time we must say good-bye it is more difficult. We've said farewell to the first group of Susquehanna men who left for the Army in February of '43, to those who left for the Navy in May, and to those who enlisted in the Air Corps, Merchant Marine, and Marines. Now we are going to lose some more of the men of S. U. to the service. We want you who are leaving to know how much we will miss you and just how happy we were that you were able to be with us as long as you have been. You are going to make it possible for not only your own speedy return, but for the return of all those who have had to leave their homes and colleges to serve their country. We wish you Godspeed and all the luck in the world, fellas!

We are entering upon a new calendar year here at Susquehanna. During the past year certain problems have arisen among us that demand a New Year's resolution on the part of all of us.

1. Let's resolve to put an end to this petty bickering among the respective sororities and fraternities. At a time when the number of us here at school is so small, there are still some persons who insist on "calling names" and "pulling petty animosities." Let's be men and women enough to respect all the students as members of Susquehanna rather than of any particular sorority or fraternity.

2. Let's resolve to stop our eternal griping—especially about the nature of some of the meals. It may be that sometimes the food here at school is not just to our satisfaction, but would you rather exchange places with our men who are fighting throughout the world and living on K-rations and sometimes going many long hours without any food. The next time you want to gripe about the food—just remember that it is no easy task to prepare three meals a day for 150 students.

3. Let's resolve to back the school projects and activities. On November 28, a play was given by the Theatre Guild in GA300. Today, nearly two months later, you will find that not a curtain, which were used as a setting, has been taken down. Even the nails and tools still remain back stage just as they were left that evening. Where is the stage committee that was appointed? Some persons are very glad to say they will help, but where are they when the work is to be done?

There was a basketball game on Saturday evening with Westinghouse. Perhaps Susquehanna doesn't have a great team, and maybe the game wasn't one of top billing, but still, more than 25 students should have been there to back the team. The cheerleaders were on hand and did a splendid job—but they could have done much better with a larger crowd. Let's get behind the organizations and activities of the school and really do some work instead of a lot of talking.

## CAMPU SOLOGY

Must take time out from my studying (it's the end of the semester you know) and let you in on some sly doings from here and there—mostly here!!!

Now it can be told—that is officially. All you have to do is gaze at that rock on Ellen Stein's third finger left hand to know whereof I speak. The occasion of the return home this week-end was the engagement party at which many famous people were present, including her roommate, Ellen (the name must be contagious) Hellman.

Speaking of rings, Santa visited both Corinne and Bobby Gaetz with the same kind of gift via Clyde and Bob respectively—only lest you all become unduly excited, these are not engagement rings but are beauties just the same. And Marlon's real pearl earrings from George ain't to be sneezed at either.

IT'S RUMORED: that Eve Zlock's new nickname is "bad penny" 'cause he turns up so often; that the latest "Book-of-the-Month" bears the intriguing title of "Old Spice and New Wine"—or is that the latest couple of the month?; that there will soon be a little house in front of the big house—namely Theta Chi—for Ruth to use these cold winter nights while waiting for Bob; that Sally Mitke makes a simply gorgeous Wave; that Elaine Laks' conversation is just full of her new man; that Adele Heltorf was one one of the most welcome sights S. U. has seen in many a day—incidentally boys, she's to be a permanent fixture.

next semester; that Annie Miller and Joe Taylor have found each other at last; that "Lil" Werner will be back soon—no foolin' 'cause Phil will have to have answered Uncle Sam's call again; that in the after-Christmas rush Jerry overlooked Carolyn—could a trip to West Point have had anything to do with it?; that Norma Hazen's trip to Ohio was perfect—what with Cecil there awaiting; that the future Mr. Ruth Criswell made bright the dull life at S. U. with his recent visit to that happy young lady; that Don Wohlsein, "Yonkers" to youse, ain't so sure now what with Lt. Joe Shusta whisking Nancy Lou right from under his nose; that Larry and Peggy Minier make the cutest couple and is this a case!; that I'd better not add any more.

LOST: about 4 hours in New York two Saturday nights ago. If found, please return to "Skip" Madden.

Helen Eby is one of those lucky, lucky girls who never lacks a man—witness Johnny, Bucknell's cutest salo, or her date last night, and Bob Leslie, who mounted all obstacles to visit our Helen at Christmas. Oh, to have it!!  
No one was happier to see Hilda back than Johnny who was like a fish out of water without her—even that bag of Florida oranges didn't help.

One Nite Ray Mould called 9087R12 and asked for one of our little gals. Frosh: She's taking a bath." He: "Sorry, wrong number."

Which only goes to prove that corn grows even in January.

LaVerne

## I Wonder Why

... Harry Welliver likes the idea of "moonlight and roses, and tobacco road." Could be he's nothing but a romanticist???

... Dr. Sheld was so pleased with his New Year's present that he received recently at the S.A.I. party, January 10th. Perhaps he was anxious to put the puzzle together as it was a pin-up girl, you know!

... Certain people in the Freshman English class have been using bobby pins to clip their newspaper articles to their outlines. Don't they realize that there's a metal shortage???

... The time seemed to fly so quickly at the Phi Mu Open House the other night. I guess everybody was having such a wonderful time that it was over much too soon.

... Everybody's so anxious for the semester vacation to roll around. Rumors have it that practically all of S. U.'s student body is going to New York to spend a "quickle" four days.

... Ice skating is so appealing. Yes, indeed, "crack the whip" is a very interesting game, a very interesting game!!

... Social dancing was so successful last Monday night. Could it have been because the Phi Mu pledges decided to come far a change???

... Mary Moyer and Marie Klicik were comparing letters the other day. Could it have concerned their men?

... "Pank" Bittinger has become so interested in French lately. Um, men—'l'amour toujours l'amour.

... Donald Herrold never gives the girls an even break. After all the ratio is 5 to 1.

... Dottie Sternat was so nervous the other Sunday. Could it have been because she was to play the organ at the First Lutheran Church.

... Jackie Braveman (with all due apologies to Melvin) had such a wonderful time with Ensign Jimmy over the last vacation. For further information just visit Jackie's room and

## At the Stanley

Monday and Tuesday, January 16 and 16—"Marriage Is a Private Affair"—Lana Turner, John Hodiak, and James Craig.

Lana, the doubting bride, decides to go out and have some fun. As you've probably guessed, she goes back to John more than ever. Guaranteed to cure your blues.

Wednesday, January 17—"Take It or Leave It"—Phil Baker's program now on the screen. On the air it's a riot, on the screen it's terrific.

Thursday, and Friday, January 18 and 19—"Kismet"—Marlene Dietrich and Ronald Colman.

This old fairy tale has been given the works. The technicolor is especially good.

Saturday, January 20—"Cowboy of the Clouds"—Need more be said.

Monday and Tuesday, January 22 and 23—"The Very Thought of You"—Dennis Morgan, Eleanor Parker, and Dane Clark.

Two war workers find their romance on the street car. Here's a picture everyone's talking about. You'll come out reeling. A must.

Wednesday, January 24—"The Mask of Dimitrios"—Sydney Greenstreet and Peter Lorre.

Characteristic of these two actors. A high class criminal operating in the Balkan capitals before World War II. Thursday and Friday, January 25 and 26—"When Irish Eyes Are Smiling"

—Dick Haymes and June Haver. As Irish as shamrocks. Full of chorus girls and color. Be gorry and it's an emerald from yhr Emerald Isle. Sure and you're missing a lot of fun if you miss this flicker.

Coming to the Strand in Sunbury this week:

Monday and Tuesday, January 14 and 15—"Laura."

Saturday, January 20 — "Casanova Brown."

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# OUR FROSH

RHODA KLEMONS, who is 5' 6" tall, likes to play tennis very much—in fact, she taught it this past summer at a camp. Rhoda is taking the Liberal Arts Course, and leans toward becoming a lab technician. Her favorite orchestra leader is Glenn Miller, and her favorite song is "White Christmas." She is partial to redheads, especially the Forest Hills, Long Island, type.

BETTY LIEDERMAN, who originally came from Chicago, and now lives in New York City, is 5' 7" tall and has hazel eyes. Her hobby is knitting. In food she likes steaks; in sports, swimming; and in magazines, "Coronet." Betty has a wonderful sense of humor. Although she is taking the Liberal Arts Course, she wants to major in MRS. The Army Air Corps has her heart.

EDWARD MADDEN, who is better known as "Skip," also hails from the big city of New York. He would like to enter advertising work after graduation, but expects to be taken by Uncle Sam in the near future. "Skip" likes basketball, baseball, football, and skiing. He enjoys the music of Benny Goodman and the strains of the song, "I Don't Want to Leave You."

ANN MALKAMES, the tiny girl from Hazleton, likes the music of Fred Ward and Harry James. She finds "Mademoiselle" magazine interesting reading and enjoys Greer Garson's movies. Ann is taking the Liberal Arts Course, and expects to teach. As a hobby she collects perfume and earrings. She is an ardent sports fan, and after a game likes to go to Reich's for a hot fudge sundae.

HILDA MARKEY, that striking blond from Hassinger, hails from York. She keeps a diary in her spare time while listening to the tunes of Glenn Miller or Charlie Spivak. She is taking the Commercial Education Course and expects to teach. Dancing, swimming, and football are her favorite sports. A certain somebody in Hilda's life adds much to her stay at S. U. She also enjoys fashion magazines, candy, ice cream, traveling, and big cities.

CAROLINE MARKS, of Danville, likes the Navy. Writing letters is her hobby. She likes swimming, football, and steak smothered in onions. Caroline is majoring in history with an English minor, and expects to follow in her brothers' footsteps and teach. The orchestra of Harry James and the books of William Saroyan rank high with her. Her dog "Bingo" is her favorite pet.

PEGGY MINIER, S. U.'s cute red-head from Millersburg, enjoys swimming and tennis. She is taking the Commercial Education Course and wants to be either a teacher or a secretary. Her tastes in music are classical and semi-classical especially when played by Fred Waring or Harry James. She likes cocker spaniel dogs for pets.

# THE FORUM

This week the reporter of this column was asked to question a cross section of the student body with regard to the particular New Year's resolution that he made—and will try to keep. Here are the resolutions that were given:

Dexter Welkel—Not to make more than one trip a day to Reich's.

Phyllis Kniss—To write at least once a week to all the fellows I know who are overseas.

Mary Lib Baschoer—Resolved: Never to indulge.

# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Conservatory Recital

Students of the Conservatory will present an afternoon recital in Seibert Chapel at 4:15 p. m., Friday, January 19, 1945. The following students will participate:

Piano solos—Elro Hacker, Earl Le-May, William Rohrbach, Madge Forster, Jean Hill, Velma Shook, and Virginia Hallock.

Vocal solos—Howard Payne, Harriet Gould, and Rubye Meyers.

Trombone solo—Howard Payne.

Organ solo—Louise Kresge.

Clarinet solo—Lenore Garma.

The program will be concluded by an instrumental quiz conducted by Prof. R. C. Hatz.

## Pi Gamma Mu

The Pennsylvania Gamma Chapter of the Pi Gamma Mu met in the social rooms of Seibert Hall Monday evening, January 7th. The Rev. Dean, pastor of the Freeburg parish, was the speaker of the evening and he presented the problems of Europe as he himself had witnessed them. Following his most interesting address, the members present engaged in a discussion of the war and post-war world. Miss Corinne Kahn and Miss Norma Hazen were the hostesses of the evening.

## S. C. A. Meeting

The regular meeting of the S. C. A. was held in the social rooms of Seibert Hall on Thursday evening, January 11.

Harold Snyder, a senior pre-theological student at S. U., was the leader of the program, and was assisted by Franklin Wolfe. Mr. Snyder delivered an inspiring meditation on the theme "The Foundation of Life."

The meeting was closed by everyone pronouncing together the Mizpah benediction.

## Omega Delta Sigma

At a recent meeting of the pledges of Omega Delta Sigma the following girls were elected as officers: President, Joan Apple; Vice President, Marie Stout; Secretary, Ann Malkames; Treasurer, Gloria Reichley.

## "HEADWAITER" HAYS BIDS ADIEU TO SUSQUEHANNA

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than any one person in his life.

Bill says, "The happiest days of my life thus far have been spent at Susquehanna. I'm going to miss the kids, and I'm looking forward to getting back." The feeling's mutual, instead.

Gloria Gasparoli—To go to bed early. Dawn Ebert—To write loads of letters and not fight with my mother.

Bobby Gaetz—To get up every morning for breakfast.

Russ Brown—To have only one woman at a time.

Corinne Kahn—To be true to him until he comes home.

Jayne Troutman—To control my temper and to be tolerant.

Naomi Garman—To get to bed nights and to pass one algebra test next semester.

Carolyn Marks—To get to bed at least by 2 a. m. before Dr. Russ' exams.

Art Gelnett—Not to make any more New Year's resolutions so I won't have to break any.

June Hoffman—To participate in only one ball session a week.

Helen Lepley—to write to "Kenny" every day.

Gayle Clark—To answer all my letters on time.

"Pank" Bittinger—To treat everybody like a human being.

## Discussion Group

All the students interested in current events and post-war problems will be glad to learn about the discussion group that meets in the Library basement on Friday evenings. These informal meetings are held at 7:30 p. m. and usually adjourn by 9 o'clock. The discussion group was started by the students and will continue as long as the students are interested.

The first meeting was a discussion of the Star Course lecture by Dr. Stringfellow Barr. In the second meeting held January 11, the discussion centered on the Dumbarton Oaks Conference. The next discussion group will be held the first Friday of the new semester and the topic for discussion will be "What shall we do with Germany economically after the war?"

The meetings are open to everyone. Anyone may join in the discussion and ask questions. Any problems that anyone would like discussed may be brought up in the future.

## Sigma Alpha Iota

S.A.I. started the New Year with a party held for the Conservatory faculty Wednesday evening, January 10.

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when all of the faculty of the "Con" waded through the snow and came to the sorority room. After playing some interesting games, each member of the faculty and their wives received a humorous gift. Refreshments were served buffet style. Besides the regular members of S.A.I., those present included: Dr. and Mrs. Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. Hatz, Mrs. Glauque, Miss Pottelger, Prof. and Mrs. Linebaugh, Mr. Haskins, and Miss Kilne.

During semester vacation the sorority will take a trip to New York City. Some of the girls will stay in private homes, and the rest will stay in a hotel. On Saturday afternoon the girls plan to go to the Metropolitan Opera House to see the opera, and on Sunday afternoon will attend a concert at Carnegie Hall. Sunday evening they will visit another concert at the National Broadcasting Company.

The pledges of SAI had their first meeting last week and the following officers were elected: President, Hope Peters, vice president, Harriet Gould; secretary, Elro Hacker; and treasurer, Hope Harbeson.

## KDP PLEDGE OFFICERS

Pledge members of KDP Sorority recently elected their officers. Hilda Markey was chosen as president with Ginny Doss as Vice-president. Gertrude Roberts is secretary-treasurer.

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some people will be more useful in the field of education than in the field of militarism.

Jack Warner—For people who are just "sitting around," I feel that the recent Congressional bill is very desirable. However, if the schools are not considered essential, I believe that the entire educational system of America will be jeopardized. I wouldn't like to have to leave school, especially since I'm so near to finishing.

Howard Payne—If it becomes necessary to either "work or fight," I'd leave school, but I wouldn't especially like it since I'm so near finishing.

William Hays—I think it's a good thing, but I'm not in favor of men being pulled out of college. If the nation is to have good future leaders I think that the fellows should be allowed to finish school.

Harry Welliver—I expect to be called for a re-examination and naturally I hope I will be accepted, but if I shouldn't, I'd much rather go to work in a war plant than be put in a labor battalion. I certainly would like to at least finish my year here at school, but I know lots of fellows were inducted and they never had the chance to go to college, so I shall be only too glad to go whenever or do whatever the government asks.

Frank Wolfe—If I would be called, I would be delighted to serve in either capacity. I would like very much to get in the Navy.

Roswell Johns—My deferment will last until the beginning of February when I hope to enter the Maritime Service. Because of my three years of college, I have a chance for a commission.

Aldo Pescamona and Larry Welliver—We would rather finish our education, but if we were called, we would enter the service, rather than work in a war plant. Should we be drafted, we would like to continue our pre-med course in the Navy, if possible.

**SU FIVE WINS TWO MORE OVER MILTON AND WESTINGHOUSE**

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two quarters, gave Susquehanna great enough lead to win the game.

Swiencki, center for the SU five, led the scoring chart with 14 points, followed by Moore with 8. McIntyre led the visitors with a total of 15.

This is the second time this year Coach Stagg's lads have defeated the Westinghouse team.

On Wednesday, January 16, SU will journey to Carlisle to meet Dickinson College. Line-up:

Susquehanna	Goals	Fouls	Total
Moore, f	3	2x 4	8
Herrold, f	1	3x 3	5
Swiencki, c	5	4x 7	14
Kocsis, g	2	1x 2	5
Taylor, g	2	1x 2	5
Wohlsein, c	2	0x 1	4
Totals	15	11x19	41
Westinghouse	Goals	Fouls	Total
Bright	1	0x 0	2
Benner	4	0x 5	8
Culp	1	0x 0	2
McIntyre	5	5x 8	15
Abrams	2	0x 1	4
Malnowski	0	2x 3	2
Umholtz	1	1x 1	3
Totals	14	8x18	36
Westinghouse	12	9 6 11	36
Susquehanna	10	14 12 5	41

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**In 'The Susquehanna'**

**ONE YEAR AGO:**

Susquehanna started a drive to raise \$75,000 in war bonds so that a pursuit plane could be named after the school. Jean Kinzer was elected secretary of KDP to replace Margaret Gemmill, who will graduate from SU at Semesters.

23 members of the faculty and students gave blood to the Red Cross Blood Donor Service.

SU's basketball team defeated Elizabethton 41-40 and Milton YMCA 59-26.

Miss Sonia Grodke addressed the student body about the World Student Service Fund.

Norma Frank, Mary Lib Basehoar, Marjorie Barton, and Gloria Gasparoli were initiated into Alpha Psi Omega.

**TWO YEARS AGO:**

Six seniors, William Curry, John Galski, Kenneth Klingler, Keith Lozo, Richard Matthews, and John Zuback were graduated at semesters, January 15.

Lantern group pictures were taken on January 13 and 14. Classes for the second semester began on January 20.

Susquehanna was being considered as a school for army trainees. "Are Husbands Necessary," "Black Swan," and "Somewhere I'll Find You" were playing at the Stanley. The Crusader five was defeated by Drexel, 32-26 and Bucknell 39-25.

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## STAR COURSE PRESENTS THE HART HOUSE STRING QUARTET FEBRUARY 12



The Hart House String Quartet has long since taken its place among the leading ensembles of the world. It has visited every province of Canada many times, leading cities of the United States from Boston to San Francisco, and the major music centers of Europe. Since its inception, the Quartet has given more than 1,000 public concerts and has crossed the North American Continent more than a dozen times.

James Levy, first violin, was already a familiar figure in the chamber music world when he joined the Hart House group in 1935, having been leader of the famous London String Quartet for twelve years touring both Europe and America every season with this popular organization.

Henry Milligan, second violin, gifted Canadian musician, was born in London, Ontario, studying under the distinguished violin pedagogues, Dr. Ludwig von Kunitz, late conductor of the Toronto Symphony Orchestra, and Geza de Kresz, former leader of the Hart House Quartet.

Cyril Glyde, the gifted English violist, is a licentiate of the London Royal Academy of Music, with extensive quartet-ensemble concert and radio experience on both sides of the Atlantic.

Boris Hambour, concert cellist of international reputation, and member of the distinguished musical family of London and Toronto, has been associated with the quartet ever since its inception in 1924, and is noted for his musicianship, knowledge and style, especially in the field of chamber music.

### Dr. Sheldon Injured

Dr. E. E. Sheldon, of the Conservatory of Music, fractured his leg last Monday morning, January 29. When this reporter asked Mrs. Sheldon if Dr. Sheldon had any remarks to make, Mrs. Sheldon replied, "Yes, he made some remarks!"

Dr. Sheldon will be back at his regular duties this week with the aid of crutches.

### Did You Know?

February 8, Thursday S. C. A. meeting—Social Room, 7 p. m.

Campus Club Party, 7:30 p. m.

February 10, Saturday Basketball—Elizabethtown and S. U. at Elizabethtown

February 12, Monday Star Course—Hart House String Quartet, Chapel, 8:15 p. m.

February 13, Tuesday Alpha Psi Omega Fraternity, 5 p. m.

Business Society, Social Room, 7 p. m.

February 14, Wednesday Basketball—Dickinson and S. U. at S. U.

February 16, Friday Recital Class—Chapel, 4:15 p. m.

February 20, Tuesday Students Evening Recital—Chapel, 8:15 p. m.

February 21, Wednesday Basketball—Elizabethtown and S. U. at S. U., 8 p. m.

February 22, Thursday S. C. A. Meeting—Social Room, 7 p. m.

February 27, Tuesday Alpha Psi Omega, 5 p. m.

Theatre Guild—G. A. 300, 7:30 p. m.

February 23 Variety Show rehearsal.

## CAST CHOSEN FOR BIG SPRING PLAY OUR STAFF

### Theatre Guild Presents Letters to Lucerne

It is Saturday afternoon at one o'clock. I join the other nervous young hopefuls in room 300 at G. A. It is casting time for the Theatre Guild's forthcoming production of *Letters to Lucerne*. Mr. Haskins, faculty advisor and coach, in cooperation with Gloria Gasparoli and LaVerne Kohn, co-directors of the play, put the aspiring thespians through their paces. All of those present get an opportunity to display their dramatic ability by reading passages of the various characters. Numerous interpretations were portrayed.

The theme of the play, written by Fritz Rotter and Allan Vincent which was presented on a New York stage a few seasons ago, provides a colorful background for the action. The play opens near Lucerne, late in the summer of 1939. The girls are just returning to school after the recess. Under the protection of a wise and pleasant schoolmistress, they are living an idyllic life apart from the hatreds of the world. It is her hope to keep the school isolated when the war breaks out, but the girls' letters from home, which they read aloud, carry the bitterness in.

I know, after seeing the try-outs, that the completed production of "Letters to Lucerne" will be well worth watching for.

The cast is as follows: Olga Kirinski, Nan Meyers; Gustave, Art Gelnett; Erna Schmidt, Rubye Meyers; Gretchen Linder, Maxine Asch; Hans Schmidt, Rine Winsy; Margarethe, Jean Wentzel; Mrs. Hunter, Harriet Gould; Bingo Hill, Helen Eby; Felice Renoir, Bobby Kain; Sally Jackson, Bobby Gaetz; Marlon Curwood, Marian Willard; Koppier, Frank Wolfe; the part of Francis will be announced later.

### RECEPTION FOR REV. HELLER

A reception for Rev. and Mrs. Heller was held Friday evening, February 2, 1945, at Trinity Lutheran Church. A short program preceded the light lunch that was served.

After the entertainment, Dr. Gilbert offered a short speech of welcome, after which Rev. Heller acknowledged the hearty welcome.

### Cupid on the Loose

Once again we catch a glimpse of Cupid as he glides into Selbert on two wings and a bow, Thursday afternoon, February 8th. He's headed for the party down in the room rooms to use his magic powers on the faculty members and their wives. His loyal attendants, Mrs. Glauque, Miss North, Miss Hein, and Miss Shure, provide a great welcome and entertainment for all. Yes, we even find the faculty lost in the enchanting robes of Saint Valentine. The members of the Campus Club also have received invitations for this festivity.

### Mary Gohl Improves

Friends here at Susquehanna will be glad to know that Mary Gohl, who has been confined to the infirmary with pneumonia since early last week, is much better. Girls from both Halls who have visited Mary recently, report that she is almost back to normal. We all hope to see her up and around the campus in a short time.

### Kappa Delta Phi

The annual pledge dance of Kappa Delta Phi will take place on Wednesday, February 7, 1945, when the active members and pledges will meet to dine at the Colonial Tea Room. Miss Miriam Unangst, Mrs. William Russ, and Miss Bertha Hein have been invited to attend this dinner as guests of the sorority.

### Ex-S. U. Student Killed

Word has been received from overseas concerning the death of Lt. Robert Chalot on January 11, 1945. Lt. Chalot was a bomber-pilot in the United States Air Force. Bob was a member of the class of '46. While at Susquehanna he played end on the varsity football team and center on the basketball team. He was a member of Phi Mu Delta Fraternity. Lt. Chalot's last letter contained very vivid descriptions of more than 30 bombing missions in which he participated.

This issue of the Susquehanna is the Frosh-Sophomore Issue. The entire staff of reporters and editors was made up of members of these two classes.

The staff was as follows: Editors: Jackie Braveman, Harriet Gould, Gloria Walmer; Business Manager, Gayle Clark; Sports Editor, Joe Taylor; Reporters: Jane Gundrum, Marian Walker; Photographers: Margaret Johns, Roberta Gasta, Carolyn Graybill, Betty Smith, and Martha Garard.

We, the Editors, extend our heartfelt thanks to the reporters who have cooperated so wholeheartedly in making this Frosh-Soph. Issue of the Susquehanna a success.

### Party at Theta Chi

On Saturday evening, February 3, Theta Chi held a house party from 8:30 to 11:30. The following couples were present: Bob Surplus - Ruthie Cochran; Art Gelnett - Gay Wagner; Dave Bomboy - Angie Campo; and Jack Warner - G. G. Roberts. The chaperones were: Dr. and Mrs. Russell Gilbert; Prof. Irvin Reitz; Rev. and Mrs. John Heller, and the Rev. Mr. Heller's sister, Miss Knapp; Jack Shippe and Ellen Bennage, alumni; and Mr. and Mrs. James Charles.

Immediately following the arrival of the couples, a red carnation, which is the fraternity flower, was given to each person. During the course of the evening, ping pong, pool, darts, and dancing were enjoyed.

One high-light of the evening was the performance of the well-known Surplus-Warner duet, "Pistol Packin' Mama" with its many variations. Another musical rendition was "Ave Maria" played by Bob Surplus on his trumpet.

A delicious lunch was served, followed by an informal round table discussion. Dancing brought the evening to a close.

### BUSINESS SOCIETY

The Business Society would like all students to collect their waste paper and have it in a convenient place by Thursday afternoon of this week. Ray Mould is the conductor of this project and requests that everyone cooperate with him and his committee.

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## To the New Frosh

You may be a little confused and perhaps even slightly homesick after your first week on Susquehanna's campus. You may feel out of place and very, very green. You may even regret that you left home and ventured out into a new world that is icy underfoot and where stars shine down on you as you slide along to your eight o'clock class. There is one thing that is true, no matter what trepidations you feel now, within a month, or a week, or a day, you will learn to love Susquehanna as a "home" away from home.

Everyone is glad to see you on campus and hopes you are as glad to be here. Any overclassman or second semester freshman will be more than willing to help you or give you advice if you should need it. Regulations may seem tough and classes even tougher, but we know you will come through with flying colors. The rules aren't hard to keep, and the faculty members are kind and understanding, and so don't let anyone frighten you. Just smooth those wrinkles out of your foreheads, sharpen your pencils and, to borrow a phrase from the Chinese, "Gung Ho"—to success.

## Want Blood Donors

Susquehanna University is still assisting in keeping up the excellent record which Snyder County has set in blood donations to the Red Cross. On the last donation day, the following members of the college community cooperated with the Red Cross. Those donating blood were: the Misses Audrey North, Corinne Frey, Joan Reyner, Dorothy Jupina, Jean Kinzer, Louise Kresge, Carmen Beckwith, Dorothy Ellhardt, Virginia Hallock, Ruth Cochrane, June Hoffman, Jane Malkames, Marjorie Stapleton, and Leah Cryder. In the administration of the Blood Bank Miss Bertha Hein acts as nurse and Mrs. Russell Galt is receptionist.

A change in the method of soliciting blood donors now makes it necessary for all those who wish to give to assume the initiative. Instead of being solicited as in the past, all those who desire to donate must send in their names in advance to the Blood Bank and secure a definite appointment. Those under twenty-one years of age should secure a blank form from the college office and have it signed by their parents.

The Blood Bank will not come to Selingsrove as frequently this year as in the past; therefore, there is a greater necessity for volunteers when it does come. Announcement of the next date for donations will be made in the college chapel.

## So Long Boys

Susquehanna points with pride to you who have answered the call of Uncle Sam and joined his ranks of fighting men.

Your absence from the campus will be felt by all, but the prayers of our hearts go with you wherever you may be. Yes, our thoughts will be with each one of you—Donald Herrold, Ronald Boyer, Scotty Small, Ed Madden, and Don Wohlson. Reciprocation with letters would be appreciated.

On each one of you rests our country's future, and after the conflict is over your home here will be waiting. You may also be sure that the homefront folks will be working for you and doing their part to speed your return.

May you be so inspired as to do your best for God and country.

## At the Stanley

Monday, Tuesday, February 5, 6— "And Now Tomorrow" (Para.) Alan Ladd's first since his release from the Army teams him with Loretta Young in Rachel Field's best seller about a tangled romance. Susan Hayward is the other girl. Sounds rather interesting!

Wednesday, February 7—"Kansas City Kitty" (Col.) Promises to be quite a treat. But remember, Dr. Russ will be after us the following morning!

Thursday, Friday, February 8, 9—"Frenchmen's Creek" (Para.) Joan Fontaine and her pirate produce quite a romantic melodrama in Daphne du Maurier's story of a French raider. Staged lavishly in technicolor with no dull moments guaranteed.

Saturday, February 10—"Oh Susanna" (Rep.) A mystery to what! You'll have to see it to find out what it's all about.

Monday, Tuesday, February 12, 13—"Doughgirls" (W. B.) Starring Ann Sheridan and Alexis Smith. This sounds like plenty of show with plenty of fellows, we hope! A current favorite.

Wednesday, February 14—"Conspirators" (W. B.) Features the beautiful Hedy Lamarr and the expert Sydney Greenstreet. A fast moving picture filled with treachery and spy melo-

## CAMPUSOLOGY

It does one's heart good to see so many faces that heretofore were frowns beaming so happily. Why? Why, they belong to the lucky people who don't have to attend study hall anymore.

Did you notice that the girls who stayed in school over the weekend of dormsters looked slightly bald? The dorms were so quiet that they were tearing their hair out.

When Bill Hays left at semesters, he got up before the sun to get an early train—and missed it!! Undaunted, Bill called up Seibert and asked Margy Johns for an early date. I hear that they had a lovely morning in Sunbury together, buying records and strolling around.

It seems as though everyone talks to servicemen on trains these days. At least, everyone going to New York does. Jeanette Kramer is the only one we know to date who received a proposal en route.

Audrey Havice is wearing Bill's class ring. Did you know about that?

Will someone please tell poor innocent me what's behind the lines—"Behind these doors—"

Lucky Dot Foulk spent this last weekend at Juniata. So did our basketball team, but that's a different story, isn't it?

For twenty four hours, we dug through snow banks and scoured the highways looking for Alvin Glanzberg. Now that we've found him, it seems he was just last, not lost.

Everyone is glad to see Dottie Sternat well again, and from now on, Dot, stay away from splintery wood.

Why is Anna Sheets walking around in such a haze? By the way, and this has no connection with the last statement, Bill Hays is keeping his speech with S. U. with three or four bomb-poppers in Seibert alone.

We understand that B. J. Fisher's heart is divided up into four big pieces. One for the Army, one for the Navy, and she can't forget the Marines or Coast Guard either. A lot of our comrades feel the same way, but they're not fickle, fella's, honest. They just love 'em all.

Something new has been added to Jane Malkames. It's a lovely glow, and we hear it's because George is now stationed within reach of Hazleton.

Helen Eby sounds just a little excited over her proposed trip to see the man of the hour. I don't blame her.

do you??

Our three Brooklyn Caballeros (whoops!—Now there are four) are sure a welcome sight on campus. Do the rest of you miss Scotty, Yonkers, and Skip, too? If I weren't majoring in English, I'd say, "It ain't fair!"

Carolyn Marks heard from not one, not two, but five boys stationed at Citadel College in North Carolina. Why doesn't that happen to me??

Margie Stapleton is being "smiller" than usual. We're glad she got that cablegram from Paul.

You've heard of the Rockettes, but have you seen the Susquehannettes do their stuff? Their shuffle-shuffle-tap-tap to the tune of "Three Blind Mice" is really out of this world. Just drop into the Gym any Tuesday or Thursday at 2 or 3 to see them go to town.

In case you're wondering who that strange sailor was on campus the other day, it was Marian Willard's date.

Toby and Bobbie were the lucky girls selected by two of the new Freshmen fellows to show them Saturday night life in Sunbury.

Harriet Gould, Betty Frank, Jeanette Kramer, and Ann Gibson were to New York over semesters and met some of the cast of the "Hats Off to Ice" show after the performance. The girls also saw Count Basie at the Blue Room at the Edison Hotel. Some stuff!

Did you hear about the two dizzy coffeees who, to do something new and different, went to Northumberland Saturday to see the same movie that was playing in Selingsrove? Anything for excitement!

Surprise! Johnny Smith has a girl up in Seibert.

Elsie Laks and Joan Smith are making glorious plans for a week-end in Sunbury. The plans include a formal dance, and a sleigh ride. Sounds wonderful, doesn't it??

Congratulations to Eleanor Steele's Captain on his recent promotion.

What is the question, and more important what will be the answer, that Ben has to ask Gayle?

It is now a known fact that Dave Bomboj has to be chased out of Seibert parlors every night. Angie you should train Dave better than that.

Ruthie Williams and Dave Kemberling are quite a steady twosome these days.

For this and other exclusive information, see this column next week.

## LOST AND FOUND

Lost—a science survey book. Will finder destroy it, and say nothing more.

Lost—one joke book. Reward: Finder may read it.

Found—some sour notes. Will owner please call for them at the conservatory.

Lost—a howl by Mr. Wolf. Will all fellow wolves be on the lookout for it.

Lost—One gallon ice cream. Will finder please keep from eating it and return it immediately.

Found—One carton of Camels. If owner does not claim them, we will be forced to give them to whoever desires them.

Found—a man fitting the description of Van Johnson. Sorry, he's already been claimed.

Lost—Dick Tracy Comic Book. Return immediately to the library as there is a long waiting list.

Found—A way to become a success after leaving college. Get in touch with I. Emma Failure.

Lost—Several males between semesters. Oh where, oh where, could they be???

drama, typical of Lisbon. If it's your ally, don't miss it!

## Alumni News

Did you know who has been back on campus lately to pay us a visit? Well, to elucidate. First there's Walter Meek back from the Aleutians. Walter graduated in the class of '41.

Kenneth King, '40, was also here. He is now stationed at Panama City, Florida.

John Wolfe, a graduate of '43, was here to inform us that he is now stationed at the Navy Yard in Charleston, South Carolina.

And last, but not least, Chaplain John Gentzel. Chaplain Gentzel gave us all a very inspiring talk in chapel last week. Not only was his talk informative and interesting, but also quite humorous. Incidentally, his wife, the former Audrey Dodge, is attending Susquehanna.

In concluding his talk, Chaplain Gentzel said, "We should never lose faith and hope in the flowing river of life." We, the students of Susquehanna, wish Chaplain John Gentzel the very best of good luck in his mission of guiding the Navy men while they are overseas.

—Remember soldiers abroad with frequent V Mail letters.



# OUR NEW FROSH

**HERBERT DANKMAN** is very tall, in fact, 6' 2" tall. Herbert comes from Brooklyn (which he said very proudly), and likes to putter with radios. He is taking the Pre-med Course. His favorite song is "Ballad for America" and he enjoys reading the "Hobo News". A dog which answers to the name of "King" is his favorite pet. Quoting Herbert, "There is something about a woman," so the Waves is his favorite branch of service.

**ALVIN GLANZBERG** also hails from Brooklyn and is 5' 11 1/4" tall. His hobby is music, and his favorite sport is football. Alvin is taking the Pre-med Course and expects to go to graduate medical school when he leaves S. U. He also likes: steaks—2 inches thick and a foot square, Jennifer Jones, and prefers the Navy. When asked what he thought about S. U., he said "Sweet!"

**JACQUELINE F. GRING** comes from New Bloomfield and is 5' 3" tall. In her spare time she likes to collect poetry or read a good historical fiction book. Jacqueline is majoring in Commercial Education and will be a private secretary. Among her other interests she likes field hockey, Liberty magazine, French fries and hamburgers, her pet dog, Glenn Miller or Harry James, and "My Devotion." A certain somebody in the Army Air Corps has her heart. She thinks S. U. is a very nice school and has very nice students.

**JEAN C. KELTON**, who is 5' 2" tall, comes from New York. Her favorite sports are roller skating, bowling, and baseball. She likes to read a good fiction book while listening to the music of Vaughn Monroe. In her spare time she writes letters. She also likes all kinds of food, *Esquire Magazine*, Robert Walker, and "Holiday for Strings." She is undecided as to her major subject, but believes it will be sociology. Jean prefers the Navy because "there's something about a sailor," and likes S. U. "lots so far."

**EDITH MCCONNELL** is a 5' 6" tall Philadelphian. She plays the piano for a hobby and in her spare time reads the Saturday Evening Post. Edith is majoring in Physical Therapy and expects to attend the U. of P. upon leaving S. U. In sports she likes hockey; in food, chocolate ice box cake; in books, anything by Richard Halliburton; in actors, Tom Drake and Greer Garson; in orchestra leaders, Glenn Miller, and in songs, "Embraceable You." Her pet is Annie Malkames, and she prefers the Navy as that branch claims two of her sisters, two brothers-in-law and friends. "S. U. is pretty swell."

**JACK C. LARSEN** comes from Brooklyn and is 5' 9" tall. He likes lacrosse, any kind of meat, Laraine Day, and Glenn Miller. He is taking the Business Administration Course and expects to continue school after leaving S. U. Jack collects records for a hobby. His favorite reading material is the Reader's Digest, Esquire, or "The Human Comedy." "Moonlight Serenade" is his favorite song, and Jack thinks S. U. is "Okay."

**CHARLIE MITCHELL** comes from Brooklyn and is 5' 9" tall. He likes to play football and his hobby is music. Charlie is taking the Business Administration Course and expects to continue school upon his graduation from S. U. The Air Corps is his favorite branch of service because "you can be alone." He also likes meatballs and spaghetti, Saturday Evening Post and Collier's, Cary Grant and Theresa Wright, and Jimmy Dorsey. His favorite book is "All Night Long" and his favorite song "Star Eyes."

—Mail is the greatest morale builder —write to your soldier friends.

# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## DIARY OF AN S A I GIRL

**Fri. Dear Diary:**  
Such hustling and bustling to get ready for our New York trip. It hardly seems possible that the day is finally here. I'm so glad the 12:16 was on time, but gosh was I tired by the time we arrived in the city. The hotel room seemed like a haven.

**Sat. Dear Diary:**  
Started out bright and early to see all the famous sights of old New York. I'll never forget the thrill I had when I walked into the Metropolitan Opera House for the first time. Rise Stevens and James Melton sang the leading roles but I really think Ezio Pinza "stole the show."

**Sun. Dear Diary:**  
I found myself among hundreds at the beautiful morning service at St. John's the Divine. Finished dinner just in time to make it to Carnegie Hall for the N. Y. Philharmonic. Oh, to be able to conduct like Leonard Bernstein—with heart and soul.

The tour of the N. B. C. Broadcasting Studios was very interesting. Who would ever think that almost all sound effects are only fakes?

**Mon. Dear Diary:**  
Did some last minute sight seeing, and then to the stores for bargain hunting. About 8:30 we were headed for Madison Square Garden to see Sonja Henie and her 1945 Ice Capades. The costumes were gorgeous, and the skating—gosh, it looked so easy. At midnight we were at Penn station all ready for S. U. Glad there aren't any classes, so that I can catch up on my sleep. It has been a perfect week-end!

**Dear Diary:**  
The next thing we S. A. I. girls are planning on, is a radio broadcast of our own over W. K. O. K. sometime in the spring.

## Omega Delta Sigma

On January 17, 1945, the O. D. S. actives and pledges attended the Pledge dinner at the Colonial Tea Room. Miss Miriam Unangst and Miss Bertha Hein helped to make the dinner a very pleasant affair. The dinner was held in place of the regular weekly meeting.

Lee Cryder was taken in as a pledge of O. D. S. on February 2. Lee, being a transfer student from Elmira and a sophomore, could be taken in at this time.

## FRATERNITY NEWS

The members of Bond and Key will hold an election in the near future to elect a House President. Bill Hays, who graduated in January, previously held this position.

On the night of January 24, 1945, the Phi Mu Delta Fraternity, Mu Alpha Chapter, was honored to take into its brotherhood the following men: Roy Stahl, Dexter Weikel, Russell Brown, Jerry Moore, George Small, and Donald Wholsen.

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Brothers Kocsis, Johns, and Taylor officiated at this formal ceremony. Two days after becoming active brothers, Small and Wholsen reported to their respective branch of the service for immediate induction.

## Advice to the Lovelorn

**Dear Cora Cix:**  
I am a beautiful teacher, fifty years old, but with my new store teeth and my gorgeous blond hair (dyed by my own hands), I don't look a day over twenty.

In my algebra class is a tall, good-looking senior with whom I have fallen madly in love. I have already flunked him twice so that he wouldn't graduate and leave me with a bleak future.

My problem is a very serious one and has been causing me many sleepless nights. How can I be sure of his love?  
**Ima Mالد.**

**Dear Ima Mالد:**  
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with them and make the first senior jealous. Then maybe he will wake up to the fact he is also in love with you. I am sure this method will work.  
**Cora Cix.**

**Dear Cora Cix:**  
I am a gorgeous freshman. All the boys are crazy over me, but the one I really like. I am getting so tired of answering the phone calls of my numerous suitors, but of course, I can't help that I am so beautiful. What am I to do to chase these fellows away, and acquire the friendship of the one I really like?  
**Love Lee.**

**Dear Love Lee:**  
My advice to you would be to stick to your numerous admirers because with such conceit as yours, you will probably never gain the friendship of this fellow.  
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**Cora Cix.**

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# SUSQUEHANNA VICTORIOUS 3 TIMES

**Susquehanna 46, Gettysburg Sem. 39**  
On Thursday evening, February 3, 1945, the Crusaders of Susquehanna University defeated the Gettysburg Seminary to the tune of 46-39. This made the sixth consecutive victory and eighth win in eleven starts.

The Crusaders took a narrow 6-4 margin in the first period, but Sem. came back to tie things up at 14-14 at halftime. The third frame saw Susquehanna seal the contest while scoring 22 points to the visitors' eight. Sem came back to outscore the winners 17-10 in the finale but couldn't overcome the lead.

The big star was Swiencki of the Crusaders who dropped in 11 field goals and 3 of 7 fouls for a total of 25 points, while Moore, a former Sunbury High boy, netted 10 points.

Two former Susquehannans kept the Seminary in the game by their topnotch performance. Janson, last year's Crusaders captain, scoring 11 points and Stumpfle collecting 12 points.

Gettysburg Sem.	Field	Foul	Total
Wentz, f	3	0x 0	6
Zumbrun, f	4	0x 0	8
Stumpfle, c	4	4x 5	12
Moreland, g	1	0x 1	2
Janson, g	4	3x 6	11
<b>Totals</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>7x12</b>	<b>39</b>

Susquehanna	Field	Foul	Total
Moore, f	5	0x 1	10
Winey, f	3	0x 0	6
Swiencki, c	11	3x 7	25
Taylor, g	0	0x 0	0
Kocsis, g	2	1x 1	5
<b>Totals</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>4x 9</b>	<b>46</b>

Score by periods:  
Gettysburg 4 10 8 17-39  
Susquehanna 6 8 22 10-46  
Referee, Valunas; umpire, Shadel.

**Susquehanna 52, Dickinson 27**  
In a fast moving game played at Carlisle on Wednesday, January 27, the Crusaders routed the Dickinson College Indians by a score of 52 to 27. The Indians took the lead in the opening minutes of the game by scoring six points, but the determined Crusaders came back with Moore, Swiencki, and Taylor dumping them in from all angles to take the lead 12 to 7 at the end of the first quarter.

The second quarter proved to be very fruitful for the Crusaders as they increased their lead to the tune of 24-10. In the third and fourth periods, they turned on the steam with a combin-

ation of Bernie Swiencki and Jerry Moore accounting for 26 points to really sew up the game. Swiencki led the scoring parade with a grand total of 28 points and he alone outscored the Carlisle five. Jerry Moore had 16 points while Joe Taylor netted 6. Captain John Kocsis played his usual fine defensive game. Captain Gus Hoffman led the Carlisle team with 8 points.

Susquehanna	Field	Foul	Total
Moore, f	8	2	16
Herrold, f	0	2	2
Winey, f	0	0	0
Swiencki, c	12	4	28
Kocsis, g	0	0	0
Taylor, g	2	2	6
Small, g	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>52</b>

Dickinson	Field	Foul	Total
Marine, f	1	0	2
Cosby, f	1	0	2
Hoffman, c	2	4	8
Swoyer, c	3	0	6
Elkis, g	2	1	5
Ludwig, g	1	0	2
Spool, g	1	0	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>27</b>

**S. U. 53, Bucknell Jr. College 40**  
Behind the heavy scoring of Swiencki and Moore, Susquehanna University ran up a 53-40 triumph over Bucknell Junior College of Wilkes-Barre on Saturday evening, January 20th at S. U.'s gym.

Swiencki looped in 28 points with 10 field goals and 8 out of 9 foul attempts, while Moore had eight bakets from the field. Junior College scoring was topped by Shoemaker and Markoski with 12 and 11 points, respectively.

This was the last game this season for four of the men of Susquehanna's team. Don Herrold, varsity forward, has joined the United States Navy and is now in active service. Don will really be missed for the remainder of the season. "Scotty" Small, Don Wohlsein, and "Skip" Madden have departed at 0 semesters and will all join Uncle Sam's forces in the near future. These men were very valuable reserves who will also be missed a great deal in the remaining games.

Susquehanna	Field	Foul	Total
Herrold, f	1	0x 0	16
Moore, f	8	0x 0	16
Wohlsein, c	0	0x 0	0
Swiencki, c	10	8x 9	28
Taylor, g	1	0x 0	2
Kocsis, g	2	2x 0	4
Small, g	0	0x 0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>8x 9</b>	<b>52</b>

Bucknell Jr. Col.	Field	Foul	Total
Shoemaker, f	4	4x 7	12
Markoski, f	4	3x 4	11
Gorski, f	0	0x 0	0
Kochuca, c	2	2x 2	6
Cappelline, c	2	0x 1	4
Staclubis, g	3	1x 2	7
Janeliski, g	0	0x 0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>10x16</b>	<b>40</b>

Score by periods:  
Susquehanna 7 13 16 16-52  
B. Jr. College 11 7 7 15-40  
Referee: Shadle; umpire, Herman.  
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## LT. JOHN E. HUGUS KILLED IN ACTION; 7th SU MAN TO DIE

Lt. John E. Hugus, Jr., 24-year-old officer of a Tank Destroyer Artillery unit, was killed in action in Belgium on January 19, according to an official statement received by his parents, Dr. and Mrs. John E. Hugus, of West Walnut street, Selingrove, Pa.



LT. JOHN E. HUGUS

Lt. Hugus enrolled at Susquehanna University in 1939, but upon passing his Civilian Military Training Corps examination in Harrisburg, February, 1942, he withdrew from college upon receipt of his commission as a Second Lieutenant. He reported for duty at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, and was later transferred to Camp Hood, Texas, after which he was detailed to Camp Claiborne, Louisiana, where he was advanced to First Lieutenant. After a year's training there he embarked for overseas service.

Lt. Hugus prepared for his commission by attending CMTC school at Camp Meade in 1938 and at Fort Hoyle the summers of 1939 and 1940. He completed his studies by correspondence course that fall while enrolled at Susquehanna University.

He was exceptionally active in civic and athletic activities during his civilian life. He was a member of Beta Kappa Fraternity and was treasurer (Concluded on Page 4)

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## Hart House Quartet Acclaimed by SU On Star Course Program

An appreciative audience attended the Star Course concert given by the Hart House String Quartet last Monday, February 12, at 8:40 p. m. in Selbert Chapel.

This exceptionally fine quartet, which has toured Canada and the major music centers of Europe, found winter travel in our own United States on this tour to be rather un dependable, inasmuch as their bus broke down for an hour and a half in Middleburg on this end of a long hop from their last concert in Saline, Kansas. Consequently, they reached Selbert Chapel twenty minutes after the concert was scheduled to start. The quality of their playing more than compensated for the delay.

James Levey, first violin, who joined the Hart House group in 1935, was formerly leader of the London String Quartet for twelve years.

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## Pvt. Wilfred J. Sheetz Missing In Germany

Pvt. Wilfred J. Sheetz, '46, son of Mr. and Mrs. Corbett L. Sheetz, East Pine street, Selingrove, is listed as missing in action since December 20th in the fighting around the Belgian Bulge. His parents were informed by the War Department last week that he was missing.

He was graduated from the Selingrove High School, and studied one (Concluded on Page 3)

## SCA Board Members Attend Convention of Lutherans at KSTC

At 4:00 Friday afternoon, we noticed a few of our students heading for parts unknown. Upon questioning, we discovered that several members of the Student Christian Association were going to attend the 25th Annual Conference of the North Atlantic Region of the Lutheran Student Association of America, held at Kutztown State Teachers' College. Herm Stuempe, a graduate of Susquehanna, is president of the North Atlantic Region, and Franklin Wolfe is president of the Susquehanna area.

The theme of the conference was "And This is the Victory." The students were divided into groups and the different conference panels discussed the topic of "Our Faith Victorious." Many noted speakers addressed those in attendance at the conference.

Along with the various discussion groups, there were many recreational (Concluded on Page 2)

## Harry Culp, Ex-Marine, Enters S. U. as Pre-Vet

Harry C. Culp, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Culp, Sunbury, Penna., has enrolled as a freshman at S. U. in the pre-veterinary course.

Culp served in the U. S. M. C. until recently, when he was discharged for injuries sustained while in a South Pacific Naval battle. He wears the Purple Heart and holds a Presidential citation received by his Marine squadron.

## Swiencki Sets School Record As SU Five Defeats E'town and Dickinson

S. U. 62, Elizabethtown 55

In a fast moving basketball game on Saturday, February 10, the Susquehanna Crusaders upheld their victorious trend over Elizabethtown on the E-town court. The S. U. cagers won 62-55. This was the ninth win out of 13 games for the Crusaders this season.

Buch, six foot forward for the E-town cagers, was the high scorer for the evening with a total of 42 points. "Bernie" Swiencki, center for the Stag Men, played his usual role of high scorer with 30 points. Harry Culp, a newcomer to the S. U. line-up, chalked up 12 points in his first game of the season.

Susquehanna	Field	Foul	Total
Culp, f	5	2x 2	12
Moore, f	6	2x 6	14
Swiencki, c	12	6x 8	30
Kocsis, g	2	2x 3	6
Taylor, g	0	0x 0	0
Totals	25	12x19	62

Elizabethtown	Field	Foul	Total
Buch, f	14	14x21	42
Myers, f	0	0x 0	0
Whitacre, c	2	0x 2	4
Bucher, g	0	2x 2	2
Hershey, g	3	1x 2	7
Totals	19	17x27	55

Score by periods:  
Susquehanna ..... 11 16 21 14—62  
Elizabethtown ..... 14 11 14 16—55  
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BERNIE SWIENCKI

I was sitting on the edge of my seat in Alumni Gym at 9:34 p. m. on Wednesday, February 14. SU was leading Dickinson 22-20 with 30 seconds left to play. Just then I saw a weaving figure moving up the floor with the ball; he shot, and it was

good—thank goosh! But Bernie, "why did you try a shot like that with so little time to play and the score so close." But then I remembered, Bernie need 18 points to break the scoring record of 298 points set by Phil Temple in 1941—and that was the 17th and 18th!

Bernie, who puts his 170 pounds in a 6' 1" frame, is a product of Glen Lion. He played basketball through all his years at Newport Township High School. And then in January of 1943, Bernie entered SU. He immediately made the J-V squad and ended up the year as a starter on that team.

Then last year Bern went places on the varsity. He scored 198 points and (Concluded on Page 2)

## SU HEARS DR. KOCH SPEAK ON SUBJECT OF SOCIAL MISSIONS

Dr. C. Franklin Koch, Secretary of the Board of Social Missions of the United Lutheran Church, stressed in a speech before students, faculty, and townspeople in the social rooms of Selbert Hall last evening, February 19, that the need of social workers in the Lutheran Church is desperate.

A banquet was tendered the speaker by the students and advisors of the Cabinet of the Student Christian Association in the Horton Dining Hall preceding his talk in the social rooms.

Dr. Koch, who has done outstanding work in the service of Social Missions, has traveled extensively throughout the country visiting institutions and aiding in the work for their rehabilitation.

The speaker pointed out that the need for social workers in the field of returning veterans and war workers following the war would be great. He further told how scholarships are available by the church for advanced study in this type of work.

Following his interesting address, a number of the audience questioned Dr. Koch on subjects pertaining to the work. This was followed by individual discussion with the speaker.

This morning in chapel services, Dr. Koch addressed the student body in a general talk about social missions.

## "Red" Neidich to Enlist In United States Navy

Dick Neidich, one of Susquehanna's freshman boys, was forced to leave school at semester because of the necessity of entering the Armed Services in the near future. At present Dick is at home studying for tests that will enable him to enter Naval Radar School when he is called. Dick was living at the Bond and Key House while at school.

Edward Madden of the class of '48, was also a resident at Bond and Key. "Skip," as Ed was known to all his friends, is now a private in the Army, stationed at Fort Dix, but expects to be sent to another camp down south for his basic training.

Don Wohlson, '48, and Kenneth Small, '8, both members of Phi Mu Delta, are at home waiting to be called into the service.

Pvt. Donald Herrold is now stationed at Camp Blanding, Florida.

## 'Since You Went Away'

One week ago today was February 13; a day that most students on the campus of Susquehanna connected no significance, but the handful of students that still remain on campus who were here on that day—Saturday, February 13, 1943, well remembered the meaning of that date, for on that day Susquehanna really went to war. That was the day when 30 happy and care-free youths took up the soldier brown in place of the college plaid. That was the day when 30 men left Susquehanna for war.

That day still lingers in our minds, who were there. Remember, the (Concluded on Page 4)

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NOTES OF A WOMAN  
 ABOUT TOWN:  
 Seen in the smart places—like Reich's: That new but steady twosome, Ruth and Ross, who seem to have fun just being together—that's all; Peggy and "Doc" with two of the cutest G. I.'s to invade these hills who traveled all the way from Penn State for the occasion; Jane Malkames and that home-town representative to the Naval Reserve whose way of looking at her was just darling; Nan Myers and Jerry, a case that's on and off and definitely unpredictable; then there's Nancy Lou and Frank Wolfe—another?; Annie and Joe to whom all rights on the title of "the couple of the month" are reserved; those two lone-wolves, Herbie and Al, who, it is hoped, will soon find their way around (the girls); a "different" foursome—Ray and Bobbie Kain closely followed by that latest addition, Harry, with Peggy

Bathgate—jealous???; but the cutest couple of all—Aldo and Carolyn Graybill "sippin' cokes through a straw."  
 Valentine's Day has come and gone, but it looks like those deadly arrows of our little friend cupid who reigned supreme last Feb. 14, hit their mark—at least those aimed at Jack Warner (could be 'cause he's quite a target) did. He's been hit with more than one, and the latest objects of his affection have been "G. G." and Edie Kemp—which all goes to prove what I said before, Jack is an all-around man.  
 Something hit Ruth and Bob too, but it must have been something other than cupid's arrows, 'cause they were both "indisposed" at the same time and that's more than coincidence. I don't know how the food affected Bob's sailor or brother, but I do know that Lenore (who had the pleasant job of keeping him happy during his brief visit) was also adversely affected—by the food, I mean.

### At the Stanley

Mon., Tues.—Feb. 19, 20—"Casanova Brown" (RKO) with Gary Cooper, Teresa Wright and Frank Morgan. When a man gets mixed up with three girls something is bound to happen and it does! It's quite timely. Fellows, you'd better not miss it!  
 Wed., Feb. 21—"San Diego I Love You" (Univ.) featuring Jon Hall, Louise Allbritton, and Edward Everett Horton. If you want to see a wild shooting, "Ip roaring western, see "San Diego." It has everything, as usual!  
 Thurs., Fri., Feb. 22, 23—"THU We Meet Again" (Para) showing Ray Milland, Barbara Britton, and Walter Slezacek. Definitely a modern war picture.

And while we are on the subject, St. V.'s Day didn't go without some of the S. U. gals, for example Gloria Machmer, receiving the usual heart box of chocolates and some, like Corinne, receiving a thrilling long distance. But then, they are the lucky ones.  
 Nothing could have made Hilda's birthday more perfect than Johnny's orchid. But to top it all off, two other luscious female members of the Markey family came up to make the weekend more fun!

And when Harriet celebrated the addition of another year, up stepped "Sir Galahad" Stahl and escorted her to dinner and a movie besides. Now there is a right neighborly attitude (which reminds me of that old proverb "love is blind but the neighbors ain't").  
 Did you hear about Ben Herr's birthday card—only six months late! What those birthday dinners won't produce!

Fri., Feb. 24—"Going to Town" (RKO) featuring "Lum" in Abner; Herbert Rawlinson and Florence Lake. Everyone knows "Lum" in Abner." If you're interested, don't miss this one, it's O. K.!

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Mon., to Thurs., Feb. 26 to Mar 1—"Since You Went Away" (U. A.) including Shirley Temple, Claudette Colbert, and Joseph Cotton. This is one you can't afford to miss. Ask anyone who has seen it.

Newspaper: Lou's Larry is now a Lt. (j.g.)!!!! In case you wondered why all the excitement on third floor Seibert a while back, here's the story: "Gigger" had gone home to see Mel, and when she didn't arrive on schedule, some old gossip started the rumor that she had taken the fatal step—she didn't—and it was probably all because of a piston ring not a wedding ring that she came back late—still on the loose!!  
 Slips That Pass in the Night:

At the Strand—Sunbury  
 Mon., Tues., Feb. 19, 20—"Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" with Gail Ruddle and Diana Lynn.  
 Wed., to Mon., Feb. 21 to 26—"Meet Me in St. Louis" starring Judy Garland and Margaret O'Brien.  
 Feb. 27, 28—"Ministry of Fear."  
 Mar. 1, 2, 3—"Can't Help Singing."

Seems like slips mean falls and falls mean broken this and that—a regular epidemic of busted stuff like Audrey's rib, Angie's arm, Hilda's elbow, and last but not least, Charlie's teeth. Don't you know there's a shortage of M. D.'s? Or is it possible you want the pre-meds around here to get a little practice?

stand up as some of the best individual scoring in the East. His best night this year was against Westinghouse when he netted 31 points. Against Etown he scored 30 and in three other games he had 28 points per game. His foul shooting is also exceptional, for in this season he has made 63 out of 87 shots, for a 72.4 percentage. Very seldom does anything phase Bern when he is on the floor. He has only been fouled out of one game, and that was the only time he left the floor during the entire season, and so he has been making better than one point in every two minutes of play.  
 Though Bernard Swiencki is studying to become a doctor, we at SU shall always remember him for his greatness as a basketball player. I think these words of Coach Stagg are a fine tribute. "Bernie is a phenomenal player."

The Hit Parade?  
 S. U. has a Hit Parade of its own, and the song that is currently carrying off top honors is none other than that nostalgic tidbit, "I Want to Get Married." Why that should be so popular I don't know unless it's the paucity of those essential men or perhaps the unconscious propaganda Audrey Gensel just radiates for the cause. But whatever it is, my vote goes for it, too.  
 Another big hit is our new cheer leader, Harry "Hungarian Cheer" Weller!!!! Don't fail to come to the next basketball game if you want a glimpse of that notorious flip-flop yell that's all the rage with the smart cheerers these days.

With one game yet to play, we have every reason to believe that this mark hung up by Bernie Swiencki will be a school record that will remain unchallenged for many years.

Before I sign off this week, I'd like to congratulate the writers of this column of the past few weeks for the super sleuthing they did as well as the way they wrote up the latest gossip—what I liked best was that it gave me a rest, but now the "rest" is all.

LaVerne

### EDITORIALS

Our chapel service is supposed to be a period of devotion in our busy day. It hardly is treated as such. Before chapel starts the student body talks loudly, opens letters, and carries on in a very irreverent manner. It is common courtesy to speak, if you must speak, in a hushed tone when you enter a place of worship. The chapel is our place of worship, and a few minutes a day devoted to prayer is not too much to ask of anyone. It is even worse when this discourteous behavior continues throughout the service. We are college students, and we are supposed to show the results of good breeding. Our chapel service is a good breeding to start practicing what we have learned about etiquette.

By the size of the student turnout at the recent concert given by the Hart House String Quartet, we students were looking forward to something we would enjoy. Some of us found them excellent and enjoyed ourselves to the utmost. Others of us found them excellent, but we did not enjoy ourselves. Of course we realized that the quartet was perfect in precision, balance, and harmony, and gave superb renditions. We felt that their selections were very effective and put over well as far as dynamic goes. However, we found these selections too much alike; there was not enough variation for anyone but students of music, and even some of them found a bit of the sameness about the evening.

The choice of encores pleased us, and we only wish that instead of pieces containing movements they had chosen more like the encores. To be sure, all of this is spoken purely from a student's standpoint, but after all isn't it the students the Quartet came to play before?

### SCA BOARD MEMBERS ATTEND CONVENTION OF LUTHERANS

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 activities open to everyone, and a birthday party was held Saturday evening.

The highlight of the weekend was communion on Sunday morning, with students from all the colleges represented, partaking.

Students from Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Washington, D. C., New England, and Maryland attended the conference. Those from our S. C. A. cabinet who went were: Mary Moyer, Marie Klicik, Marjorie Stapleton, and Rine Winey.

### CAMPUS FADS

Hi Fals and Fellows!! Let's take a look around the campus and see what's cookin' on the clothes line.

Say fellows, here's a tip for you. Have you noticed the pennies that the girls are wearing in their shoes?? Well here is the lowdown on what they mean: Two copper pennies means that she is on the loose, so, here's your chance; a copper penny and a platinum penny mean that she just doesn't care, and last, but not least, for those lovey-dovey couples; two platinum pennies mean that she is going "steady." So much for the feet.

Let's travel to another part of the anatomy now. These "straight-haired" belles have really started something. Now everyone is running around with straight hair. Have no fear, they'll look cute for special occasions.

Keep your shirts on fellows. If you don't the girls will. We are all out for plain shirts and even the plain ones. This style is worn with the "tail" out. Rather sloppy, but, oh how we love them!!

Jingle-Jangle-Jingle!! Silver bracelets are here again from wrist to elbows—Charm bracelets. Identification bracelets, and those with school and sorority seals on them. Some are just plain chains, but, the more we have the happier we are. Maybe we should start a contest to see who has the most. It's hard to tell who would win, since some girls even wear them around their ankles!!

Well that's all for now. See you later for the newest "togs" and jewelry.

### Little Clothes Horse?????

### SWIENCKI SETS SCHOOL RECORD

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 broke two school records—scoring 41 points in a single game, and making 20 field goals in that same game, besides being a sparkplug on the team.

There is a reason why Bernie has been the high scorer in every one of SU's 14 games. Nearly every afternoon you find him in the gym taking shots from any place on the floor.

To watch "Gunner" dribble on the court is a spectacle. The perfect coordination between his mind and muscles makes him one of the smoothest players in years at SU.

Though Bernie has received no publicity outside of school, his little better than 21 points a game will undoubtedly



# OUR FROSH

JEWEL McNAMARA is another student from the neighboring town of Sunbury, and incidentally, she has lived in about sixteen different places, but still prefers Sunbury. Jewel is taking the Liberal Arts Course and is majoring in sociology. In sports she likes golf, dancing, and is an ardent football fan. Her favorite pastime is writing letters to a certain Lieutenant there is anyone who knows how to get to Hawaii cheap.

AUDREY GENSEL, who is 5' 5 1/2" tall, comes from Washington, D. C. She is majoring in English. Audrey prefers the Navy-Johnny's branch. Other than hockey and swimming, she enjoys fried chicken, and "All the Things You Are" by Andre Kostelanetz. In her spare time she also enjoys the Reader's Digest or a book by Lloyd C. Douglas. Hearing s rmons is her hobby. When asked how she likes S. U., she said, "Fine."

MARJORIE MENGEL has a hobby of reading and writing letters and collecting snapshots of people. This Con student, who hails from Freeburg, likes to play basketball. Glenn Miller's orchestra or Robert Walker movies make her sigh. Her favorite song is "I Dream of You," and probably has something to do with her preference for the Army Air Corps. Marjorie likes to read the Look Magazine or eat a dish of Italian spaghetti and meatballs.

## The Life of a Waitress

A Waitress—

Br-r-r-ing! What? 6:45 already? Maybe the alarm's set wrong. No such luck! Oh, well—think I'll sleep until 8:30 anyway. So I yawn and roll over—settle myself, shut one eye; then, "pop" it hits me—my weak to wait tables. Better hurry as I have only fifteen minutes. So I drag myself downstairs, "quiek like a bunny rabbit", set up my tables and then wait for "your" arrival into the dining hall.

It's my morning to take two drink orders—what will they be please? One says two coffee, one tea and five milk—the other, three tea, one coffee, and four milk. Let's see, that's five coffee—no four—three coffee; and three tea, no four tea—and oh well, I'll just hope I get it right. Don't they know milk's healthy?

Now for the cereal order, and then I'll eat the first installment of my breakfast. So I settle myself at the table and have my spoon half way to my mouth, and I hear "psst!"—"More milk for the cereal please."—Sure, sure, right away. Might as well take the toast in, too. This done, I settle myself again—eat five spoonful and "Psst—seconds please."

While I'm up, I'll clear the cereal bowls. So at the same time I start to clear the bowls. Everyone leans his or her elbows on the table. Betcha if it could, the bowl would sing. "Don't fence me in." "Please—cant'ela, wan't'ela, move your elbows when we clear?"

Gez whiz, 7:45, and I have an 8:00 o'clock. Wish they'd stop the gossip and get out of here—don't they know I have to set up the table yet? So they talk some more and—finally, decide to leave.

So I run here and there—clear-scrape—"Anybody have two extra forks?"—and so on. Guess I'll have to do without breakfast after all.

8:02 and I'm finished. Only five minutes late for class. Oh well, next week I sleep.

P. S. Breakfast is mild—dinner is the "picnic."

# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Recital Class

College and town students of the Conservatory presented a recital class in Seibert Chapel at 4:15 p. m., Friday, February 16, 1945.

Piano soloists included Elizabeth Redcay, Barbara Stagg, Velma Shook, Hope Spicer, and Joyce Gilbert.

Vocal solos were given by Nedra Polanchuk, Carmen Beckwith, and Ruby Meyers.

Emily Bottdorf played a trumpet solo, and Sully Depp'n, a flute solo.

The Girls Band played three numbers under the direction of Mrs. Hatz.

The program was concluded by a questionnaire involving the sixteen SAI sisters who visited New York over semester vacation.

## Business Society

The Business Society held its monthly business meeting on Tuesday evening, February 13, the newly-elected president, Betty Jayne Herr, presiding.

At the close of the meeting the future secretaries and business executives danced to the fine music of "Mary Lizzio and her recording machine."

At 9:30 the punch bowl was the center of attraction, and refreshments conforming to the theme of Valentine's Day were served.

This informal party took place in the social room, which had been transformed by decorative hearts and cupid.

Guests of the organization for the evening were Miss Unangst, Miss Hein, Miss Eva Leiby, and the commercial students from Selinsgrove High School. Also present were Miss Allison and Prof. Reitz, faculty advisors of the Business Society.

## Sunday School Class

Will the American Airlines put through better service to Pittsburgh than the Transcontinental? Not post-war planning—this is just a phase of the new membership drive recently launched by the student's class at Trinity Sunday School. The class has been divided into two teams. One is called American Airlines; the other, Transcontinental. For each person on the team present the team gets one point. Visitors are counted as half point; however, if a visitor comes for three Sundays, his name goes on roll of that team. The plane route is New York to Pittsburgh to St. Louis to Salt Lake City to San Francisco. Each inter-city trip costs 35 points. If a team is to reach San Francisco by the last and fifth week, every member must attend every Sunday. At the close of the contest, the losing team will treat the winning team.

## Omega Delta Sigma

On Wednesday night, February 14, Leah Cryder was formally taken into Omega Delta Sigma. As is the custom, Lee was presented with a corsage. Following the initiation, the regular weekly meeting was held. It was decided that wallets for commencement favors would be ordered.

Sunday night, February 18, all the O. D. S. actives and pledges gathered in the sorority room from 9:30 until 10:30 for the monthly Sunday night get-together. The main attractions at these parties are sitting around, talking, dancing, and mostly eating.

On Friday night at seven o'clock, February 23, Betty Smith, who is the president of the O. D. S. honoraries, will have a dessert at Pinealawn.

## S.C.A. Program Planned

The S. C. A. program for this Thursday evening promises to be something very special according to reports from the cabinet meeting last Wednesday. The evening will include a devotional service featuring a talk by Pastor John Heller, of Trinity, and an informal reception for the Pastor in the Social Rooms of Seibert Hall following the talk.

The committees for the program, recently announced by Miss Unangst, dean of women, are as follows: Entertainment, Marjorie Stapleton and Faye Smith; Refreshment, Jean Kinzer and Mary Moyer; Publicity, Dottie Sternat and Jean Geiger. Faculty members and students are invited to attend.

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## PVT. WILFRED J. SHEETZ

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year at Susquehanna. He entered military service February 13, 1943, when quite a number of our fellows left the campus for service. He received his basic training at Camp Croft, South Carolina, and further instruction at Camp Pickett, Virginia. From here he went to New England and was then sent overseas.

Pvt. Sheetz landed in England in October, 1943. In civilian life Private Sheetz was interested in marksmanship, and he improved his talents along those lines under Army instruction. He became an expert infantryman in the British Isles.

Pvt. Sheetz, wearer of the expert infantryman's medal, was a member of a division that has been in combat from the time they went into France in July, until the present, with the exception of a short rest in Wiltz, Luxembourg. He was with the first division to march through Paris, and they advanced through France, Belgium, and Luxembourg into Germany.

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**LT. JOHN E. HUGUS**

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of that organization in 1943. He was also a member of the Men's Student Council his junior year. On Susquehanna's campus, he excelled in track and soccer, being a member of both teams.

Lt. Hugus is the older of the Hugus sons. His brother, Sgt. Howard H. Hugus, when last heard from was stationed in England with an Anti-Tank Unit. He, too, was a former student at Susquehanna University. Both boys volunteered for military service.

Dr. John E. Hugus, the father of the boys, is a veteran of the last World War, and Mrs. Hugus is affiliated with the Auxiliary of the American Legion and the local chapter of War Mothers of America.

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**'SINCE YOU WENT AWAY'**

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weather was just like this February 13th. The ground was covered with a blanket of snow and a few flakes were still fluttering down from the grey heavens. And then, at 11:30 we went down to the Con, and saw those 30 fellows climb aboard a BKW bus. There were good-byes, tears, and promises, and then they were gone.

That was two years ago. We have not seen most of you since that day, but our thoughts are still with you. Many of you bravely faced the baptism of fire and have withstood it for many long days. You have suffered hardships that we back here cannot imagine, but yet we know that you have, are, and will continue to show that same spirit and be the same fellows we knew, only more mature and resolute, than when you left our campus.

We can be grateful that God has been with you men through these two long years of bitter struggle and that in that time only one, Pvt. Wilfred Sheetz, may have made the supreme sacrifice.

We cannot say that we have made great sacrifices back here, but we are glad to say that our promise, "We will carry on at SU till you come back" is still true, and Susquehanna is here and better than ever.

I know that you still think of those familiar scenes—running for the mail. We still do it, anxiously waiting to hear from fellows like you. We still like to say good-night on the porch of Seibert. We still like to have those bull sessions. We still cheer for SU at the basketball games, and we still come in late to chapel.

Yes, we're carrying on in the way we hope you want us to. No matter how long we shall have to wait for your return, we shall do our best to have SU just as it was when you left so that when you come back you can say, "Gosh, it's the same old place."

Please think of us as we think of you. We think of you Bowman, going through 180 days of hell on the front lines. We think of you, Bergstresser, on the lines in France. We think of you Sheetz and of the nights you spent in the Huertgen Forest. Yes, our wishes and prayers are with you.

We know our sacrifices have been meager, our letters few, but remember this—our thoughts and hopes always go with you and we will say, "Though we shall soon be gone we can assure you that there will always be a Susquehanna for you to come back to."

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**SWIENCKI SETS SCHOOL RECORD**

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S. U. 34, Dickinson 29

The S. U. cagers were in their form Wednesday night in the Alumni Gymnasium when they handed Dickinson a defeat of 34-29. Coach Stag's five led the visitors at half time with a slight margin of 17-13. In the final quarter the home team showed its strength again by taking the five point lead which won the game.

Swiencki led the Crusaders scoring chart with 18 points. These 18 points broke Susquehanna's individual scoring record. Thus far Swiencki has scored 299 points in 14 games or an average of 21.3 points per game. Hoffman led the visitors with nine points.

Susquehanna	Field	Foul	Total
Culp, f	1	0x 3	2
Moore, f	4	1x 2	9
Swiencki, c	8	2x 5	18
Cosby, g	2	1x 1	5
Taylor, g	0	0x 0	0
Totals	15	4x12	34

Dickinson	Field	Foul	Total
Marine, f	3	0x 0	6
Cosby, f	0	1x 1	1
Hoffman, c	4	1x 3	9
Elks, g	3	1x 4	7
Ludwig, g	3	0x 2	6
Totals	13	3x10	29

Susquehanna	14	3	7	10-34
Dickinson	6	7	12	4-29

Officials: Shadle, Hatton.

Wednesday night, February 21, the Susquehanna cagers play their last game of the season with Elizabethtown in the Alumni Gymnasium at 8:30 P. M.

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**HART HOUSE QUARTET ACCLAIMED BY SU**

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Henry Milligan, second violin, studied under Dr. Luigi von Knunits, late conductor of the Toronto Symphony and Geza de Kresz, former leader of the Hart House Quartet.

Cyril Clyde, violist and "baby" of the quartet, having joined it only last year, studied at the London Royal Academy of Music.

Boris Hambrug, cellist of the quartet since its inception in 1924, is of the distinguished musical Hambrug family of London and Ontario.

The program presented by this excellent ensemble was as follows: Quartet in B Flat, Opus 18, No. 6, by Beethoven; Quartet in G Minor, by Vaughn Williams; and Quartet in F Major, Op. 96, No. 6 (American), by Dvorak. Encores: Andante Cantabile by Tschaiowsky, and Minuet by Beethoven.

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## WAR STAMP DRIVE OPENS ON CAMPUS

### Fitzroy Davis Speaks on "Theatre" on Star Course Number; Honored at APO Reception

Fitzroy Davis, actor, director, stage manager, dramatic critic, and author, was the lecturer on the Susquehanna



FITZROY DAVIS  
Star Course on Monday, March 5, 1945,  
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### Klick, Sternat Elected To Positions in LSAA

Dottie Sternat and Marie Klick, both of the S. C. A. Cabinet, have been elected to positions in the Susquehanna Area, Middle Atlantic Region of the Lutheran Student Association of America, according to an announcement of February 28.

Marie Klick, Girls' President of the S. C. A., has been chosen editor of "North Atlantian," paper of this region of the association; other members of the S. C. A. Cabinet at Susquehanna will comprise the editorial staff.

Dottie Sternat has been elected vice president of the Susquehanna Area of the Association.

### Ex-Students Recent Visitors on SU Campus

A number of former students of S. U. have returned recently to the campus. On the civilian side, there was Fran Day Kevelson and Claire Holcombe. Fran came from Brooklyn to see us and Claire from Rosedale. Claire is working in Hillside, New Jersey, for the Cooper Alloy Company.

Now for the military. "Scotty" Small came back to visit us, with his new hair-do—a la army, before being inducted into the Army at Fort Dix.

Ensign Dave Rishell was back to give us a glimpse of what a Merchant Marine uniform can do for a man!

These week-end visits of Gus have made Beckie happy and us too. Who can forget that laugh?

"Skip" Keller paid us a flying visit—just long enough to make us want to join the Waves. Good luck to both you and Sally in Washington!

Pfc. Danny Reitz has been making classes seem like old times by his visits. Danny will soon be leaving for Lincoln, Nebraska, where he will train on a B-29.

We of Susquehanna wish that your future visits may be oftener and longer.

### Miss Harder Speaks To SU About Japan

On Monday, February 26, Miss Harder, a former missionary to Japan, addressed the student body in the daily Chapel exercises.

Miss Harder spent some years in Japan as a missionary of the United Lutheran Church. After Pearl Harbor all the missionaries were forced to leave Japan, and so Miss Harder and many other missionaries returned to America. Miss Harder is now working for the Board of Foreign Missions of the U. L. C. A. She is going to the various churches throughout the country and is telling of the missionary work, not merely that of Japan, but of the field as a whole. Miss Harder spoke in Zion Lutheran Church, Sunbury, this past week-end. It was through the efforts of Miss Mildred Winston, who was also visiting the campus, that Miss Harder came to our campus to speak to us.

Miss Harder wants to go back to foreign service after the war is over. She said she felt certain that, in spite of war and present conditions in Japan, Christianity will survive. "Once the seeds of Christianity have been planted," she said, "they will never die." She cited several striking examples of consecrated Japanese ministers, who, in spite of opposition, are carrying on the work of the departed missionaries.

Miss Harder's fine Christian spirit and hope for the future were indeed a challenge to all who met her.

### Virginia Walker Enters SU; Transfer from State

Miss Virginia Walker, of Beavertown, Pennsylvania, enrolled as a student at Susquehanna last Monday, February 26, in the Music Education Course. She had taken first semester work in the music course at Pennsylvania State College. Miss Walker, who is residing in Hassinger Hall, is a graduate of Beaver Vocational High School in the class of 1944.

Her father is Director of the Bureau of Letters at Harrisburg.

### "Letters to Lucerne" Premiere, March 20

The main project of Theatre Guild and Alpha Psi Omega this year will be the spring production, "Letters to Lucerne," a human and moving drama of the present war. The play is under the faculty supervision of Mr. Elbert Has-kins and Gloria Gasparoli and LaVerne Kohn are the co-student directors. The play, written by Fritz Rotter and Allan Vincent and presented in New York several years ago, is a story of a girl's school near Lucerne and its humor and laughter mixed with its moments of tragedy will undoubtedly make a play long remembered on our campus.

Rehearsals are being held several nights a week in G. A. 300. The cast of characters include: Olga Kirinski,

### Four Week Drive to Continue Till March 28; Seek 100% Faculty, Student Participation

### DEBATE TONIGHT; SU TEAM ENTERS CONTEST AT SSTC

This evening at 8:00 in Steele Science 100, two Susquehanna teams will debate the question of "Compulsory Arbitration of Industrial Disputes." The affirmative speakers are: Norma Hazen, Naomi Garman, and Celso Leitzel; the negative speakers are: Gloria Gasparoli, and Arthur Gelmet. Jean Wentzel is also a member of the team. This debate type and will last about an hour. Everyone is cordially invited as this is the only home debate this year. It would be well worth all students' interest and time to attend this meeting.

Susquehanna will participate in the seventh annual debate tournament to be held at Shippensburg State Teachers College on March 10. Among other colleges participating in this debate are John Hopkins, Gettysburg, Dickinson, and Penn State. In this tournament each team will debate six times and each will participate in three rounds of debating. They will debate upon the same topic, "Compulsory Arbitration of Labor Disputes" at that time.

### SAI Broadcasts Over Station WKOK Tonight

This evening, March 6, from 7:00 to 7:15 p. m. the Sigma Omega Chapter of Sigma Alpha Iota will present a program over radio station WKOK in Sunbury.

After opening with the theme, the Sigma Alpha Iota whistle song, the following program will be presented:

Violin solo, "Czardas," by V. Monti, Margaret Walter; Soprano solo, "Annie Laurie," arranged by Liza Lehman, Gloria Machamer; Piano solo, "Scaring," by Robert Schumann, Louise Kresge; Sigma Alpha Iota "Chorale," the active members.

Janet Rohrbach will be the accompanist for the program.

This program is part of a projected suggested by the National Executive Office of Sigma Alpha Iota.

Nancy Myers; Erna Schmidt, Rubye Meyers; Gustave, Jerry Moore; Gretchen Linder, Lear Cryder; Hans Schmidt, Rine Wines; Margarette, Jean Wentzel; Mrs. Hunter, Harriet Gould; Bingo Hill, Helen Eby; Felice Renoir, Bobbie Kain; Sally Jackson, Bobbie Gaets; Marion Curwood, Marian Willard; Koppier, Frank Wolfe.

The following committee chairmen have been appointed to prepare for the production which is scheduled for March 20; Publicity, Jane Malkames; House, Marjorie Stapleton; Costumes, Marjorie Barton; Scenery, Rine Wines; Lighting, Ross Johns; Property, Jean Geiger; Make-up, June Hoffman; and Tickets, Mary Lib Basehoar.

We did it before—we can do it again? What?

Last year we sold enough war bonds and stamps to name a pursuit ship after Susquehanna University. This year our goal is 100% student and faculty participation in the purchase of war stamps and bonds. We of course are interested in the amount you give, but more in the fact that each and every student is buying his way to victory.

What sacrifice are you making now? Certainly you can afford to buy a stamp each week and form a habit which will pay you dividends. Three bonds today are worth four ten years from now. Our war bond drive which officially opened yesterday, will continue throughout the semester, but we're putting forth our greatest drive during the month of March. So do your share and buy a war stamp when you are approached by one of your fellow students.

Would you like some idea of what your defense stamp will purchase? If eight students buy a ten cent stamp, one soldier will be provided with K rations for one day; seven ten cent stamps will buy C rations for a day. Then if six of you purchase ten cent stamps, one serviceman in the U. S. can be fed for a day, or nine stamps will feed a serviceman overseas. Think what 180 students could do!

The general chairman of the drive is Rine Wines, whose responsibility it is to see that everyone cooperates to make our drive a success. Corinne Kahn is the general treasurer who takes care of all stamps and money turned in. Marian Willard is the general sales manager and she is in charge of the captains of the various teams. You've probably admired several posters advertising our drive. The credit all goes to Mary Lizzo, who is also taking. (Concluded on Page 3)

### Dr. Smith Honors Coach Stagg, Cagers at Dinner

This evening at six o'clock President G. Morris Smith will honor Coach Amos Alonzo Stagg, Jr., Susquehanna's 1944-1945 basketball team, and the managerial staff of the squad at a dinner in Horton Dining Hall.

The Crusader squad, which was victorious in eleven of fifteen games this season, was composed of the following men: Captain John Koests, senior, New River, N. J.; Celso Leitzel, senior, Richfield; Frank Wolfe, senior, Pottsville; Bernie Swienick, junior, Glen Lyon; Rine Wines, junior, Selingsgrove; Ross Johns, junior, Honesdale; Don Herrold, junior, Port Trevort; Joe Taylor, sophomore, Wildwood, N. J.; Art Gelmet, sophomore, Selingsgrove; Jerry Moore, frosh, Sunbury; Harry Culp, frosh, Sunbury; Don Wholsen, frosh, Yonkers, N. Y.; Scotty Small, frosh, Passaic, N. J.; Skip Madden, frosh, New York City. Herrold, Small, Wholsen, and Madden left the squad at semesters to enter the service. Ray Mould, frosh, Bronxville, N. Y., was manager of the team.

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## EDITORIALS

### "We Can, We Will, We Must"

You will be approached a number of times in these next four weeks by student who are selling War Stamps. The object is essentially the same as that drive now going on at the Western front. Here at Susquehanna we only give money towards victory, but the First Army is giving their all, and then some. Any military endeavor requires full cooperation and coordination to succeed. That is what we are striving for in helping the war effort—100% participation from everyone. It's rather ridiculous when you compare our meager contribution towards peace and victory with the tremendous sacrifices the men on the fighting fronts are making. Our help, regardless of how insignificant it may seem, is all part of the United Nations' Army forever marching forward. Take your place along side of a soldier in Germany, and, make our War Stamp drive a "mission completed."

### It's Courtesy

It's common courtesy to greet our classmates and friends our own age with a cheery "Hi" or "Mornin'." It's customary to reply to a request of one of our fellow students with such answers as "Okay," "Sure," and "Be with you in a moment." But because we use such literal language to friends our own age is no excuse that we should use such language to members of our faculty or superiors.

Our faculty and superiors are deserving of more than the "Hi" or "Okay" that we give our classmates. They are our elders and should be granted every courtesy we possibly give them.

The habits we develop in our life here at school will be carried over into our later life. It can not be expected that our employers in the future will welcome such phrases as "Sure" or "Mornin'."

Let us cultivate a spirit of more respect and courtesy to our superiors with such salutation as "Good morning, sir" or "Pleasant morning, doctor."

### BEST WISHES

The best wishes of the college faculty and administration and the student body to you, Dr. Kretschmann, for your continued and speedy recovery, and may the time not be distant that you may take up your duties again as instructor.

## At the Stanley

Mon., Tues., Mar. 5, 6—"Merry Monahan"—(Univ.) A jig saw involving Jack Oakie, Donald O'Connor, and Peggy Ryan with quite a problem—how to keep Oakie sober!

Wed., Mar. 7—"In the Meantime Darling" (Fox) Sounds O. K. You'll have to find out for yourself. But then, Wednesday nites, the movie really doesn't matter.

Thurs., Fri., Mar. 8, 9—"Princess and the Pirate" (RKO) (Technicolor) Here Bob Hope is tops in a rip-roaring pirate story with Hope as "Sylvester Crosby", the pirate. Virginia Mayo is O. K. too. Don't miss the ending!

Fri., Mar. 10—"Heavenly Days" (RKO) A thoroughly harmless comic strip about Fibber and Molly's trip to Washington. A bit of propaganda included. Let's take a night off!

Mon., Tues., Mar. 12, 13—"Thin Man Goes Home" (Metro) That famous couple and super sleuths, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Charles—Myrna Loy and William Powell, are back together again ad on the loose with fun!

Wed., Mar. 14—"Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" (Para) Promises to be well worth an evening. We're looking forward to it.

Thurs., Fri., Mar. 15, 16—"Can't Help Singing" (Univ.) (Technicolor) New music by Jerome Kern is sung by Deanna Durbin including romantic interest in the person of Robert Paige and a lightweight story of 1850 pioneer days.

Sat., Mar. 17—"My Pal Wolf"—(RKO) Why did I have to end up with this?

**AT THE STRAND**  
 Mon., Tues., Mar. 5, 6—"An American Romance" with Brian Donlevy and Ann Richards.

Wed., to Sat., Mar. 7, 8, 9, 10—"Here Comes the Waves" starring Bing Crosby.

Mon., Tues., Mar. 12, 13—"The Climax" featuring Boris Karloff and Susanna Foster.

Wed. to Sat., Mar. 14, 15, 16, 17—"Hollywood Canteen" presenting Joan Leslie.

## CAMPUSOLOGY

### NEWS REPORT TO THE NATION:

Latest Communicues from the "Love" Front:

Gus and Beckie are together again. Did you ever hear of anyone glad to have car trouble? Beckie's little heart sang for joy when the old Ford sputtered to a stop 'cause it kept Gus here one day longer. (P. S. She saw him the next weekend too.)

Looks like "the thing" between our Fae and Harry—but then I heard from a very reliable source where Harry plans to divide up his time, so it ain't a lost cause yet.

It's very obvious where Ray's affections lie—and this time it's the real thing in the person of Edie Kemp.

Every time I sign my name to the column and push it in the box, I remember something I forgot to mention, and it's most always that thriving little affair between Ira and Corinne—but now I remembered.

A report on Jeanie Kinzer closely resembles the "Second Front" story. For the past two weeks she's been in a rush to get home to be with her Marine, Don, and yet the latest addition to her heart-throb collection is a luscious picture of the wife of the Air Corps, Jeff. Well, all's fair in love and war.

### Civilian Travel Speeds Up:

The railroad line between New York and Sunbury was busy carrying Joan Smith's Arthur along and then carrying the two of them back for a perfectly heavenly holiday together. Some people who heard the "excitement" when he called were not sure she'd be in fit condition to greet him, though.

Now two sailors came in from somewhere to spend the weekend with Peggy and "Doc"—those two get more breaks! I think these were the ones met en route to S. U. some time ago, right? (Now don't all the rest of you gals

### On the Editor's Desk

Susquehanna University,  
 March 3, 1945

Dear Editor:

Several weeks ago we students (yes, we "college" students) were privileged to hear the Hart House String Quartet. Yet some of us had the nerve to accuse these musicians of the lack of a variety in their program. Beethoven (a Classicist), Dvorak (a Romanticist), and Williams (a Modernist) represented three different schools of music in addition to their own nationality; isn't this a variety? Instead we "gloried" in their presentation of Tschalkowsky's "Andante Cantabile." Why? Because in the realm of our past experiences, we knew the theme was taken to make the popular song "Isle of May."

We in America pride ourselves as being the best educated people in the world. However, can we consider ourselves truly educated if we lack a knowledge or an appreciation of good music? When one considers that the average person in European countries understands and appreciates fine music, he is very skeptical about the American viewpoint on this form of culture.

Can we be able only to appreciate selections which we know and like? Don't we ever desire to learn new things? Can't we appreciate things for what they are worth in spite of the fact that we don't understand them and therefore don't like them?

The primary aim of the Star Course Series is to bring to the students and faculty of Susquehanna a high form of culture not experienced in our everyday life. Therefore, let's find out who these fellows Beethoven, Dvorak, and Williams are before we offer any criticism or comments on their music.

Sincerely,  
 A STUDENT

dash away in hopes!!!)

Then Danny Reitz dashed in to set "Roomie's" heart a-flutter with that telephone call that meant a date.

After a slew of phone calls from Clyde at Camp Meade, Corinne's plans were finally set and off she went to be with him for a day or two before he'd be off again—where being a military secret. It was a short but wonderful trip, 'tis said.

And "Scotty" arrived amidst the horrified screams that accompanied any one's first glimpse of that haircut that gives him the look of some Dick Tracy character, was it "Flat Top?" Carolyn Pfahler had a date with Dave Kemberinger so she wasn't there when those many phone calls he put in to Hassinger in an attempt to get her came in. Nuts!!!!

The other nite I answered the phone in the library and the nicest voice asked for Rhoda Klemmons—I overheard her say she had a date, but I couldn't be nosey and ask her who it was, so soppusin' you ask her and then tell me. After all, if I tell you all I know, I think the rest of you "students" should reciprocate in like manner.

Not always are train trips the signal for a perfect future. There are times when departing trains bring such sweet sorrow as for example the lonely Johnny Hilda left behind last weekend, and the dejected Bernie who did nothing but think of Ellie up in Reading with Marie Tabbot and Louise Schlick. Life can be cruel.

### The Flet's In:

On his way to Cornell Sunday, one little bug stopped in to see Ann Gibson and left a definite mark of his visit in that lovely corsage she was sporting. Some people really rate, I guess.

George, Lou's date from Bucknell for that dance last fall, spent one nite of his last leave before shaking the dust of Bucknell from his feet forever down here saying good bye. Oh, did you know that Lou's Larry and Ann's Bill had met somewhere in the CENSOR-ED—well, they almost met.

At one of the dances in the school room, I looked once and saw Paula alone—I looked again, and there she was dancing with a sailor. By inquiries I discover it's her cousin—and here I thought I had a big news story about the boyfriend!

Little Dots and Dashes from Here and There:

Ben and Helen spent a delightful evening with Ben's future brother-in-law in Sunbury last Tuesday. They attended the cinema and saw a picture they'd all seen before—that goes to show how much of a choice there is of things to do around this place.

Art Gelnett set the record for the number of dates a guy can have in one evening. I saw him with at least five different gals in two hours. But last Saturday he came back to normal and devoted all his time to "Doc."

And here's a real bit of news: Harry Welliver decided it was time to do something before he was a marked woman-hater, so he dated Dotty Juliana. My worries over him are relieved for a while.

### LaVerne

### Dr. Sheldon Returns

For the first time since he fell and broke his ankle, January 29, 1945, Dr. Sheldon was out at the Conservatory Tuesday morning and all day Wednesday of last week to take over his duties there. During the month that he was kept at home by the slippery pavements, his classes and piano students went to his house for classes and lessons.

—V Mail is fastest to soldiers abroad.



# SU Cagers End Season With 11 Wins, 4 Losses

The Susquehanna basketball players ended their successful 1944-45 season on Wednesday, Feb. 21, by defeating a strong Elizabethtown five. This season has been one of the most successful seasons for the Crusaders in many years. With an all civilian team, the S. U. boys were able to establish the remarkable record of 11 victories and only four defeats. Here is a brief resume of the season:

SU opened her cage season against the Alumni and edged out an exciting 42-41 victory in the last half minute of play. The cagers then had little difficulty in overcoming a Milton YMCA team, 61-39. Traveling to Washington on December 1, SU met her initial defeat at the hands of a smooth passing Gallaudet College team in a hard fought game by the tune of 46-37. Playing on her home court, SU lost her most heartbreaking game of the season, 45-41, in an extra period to her traditional rival, Juniata College.

Bounding back from Juniata's loss, SU went on a scoring spree against Westinghouse Electric and swamped them 70-37. However, the Lions of Penn State had too much power for our collegians and SU was badly mauled from opening to closing run on the Penn State floor and ended upon the end of a 53-12 score. Then SU went on to win again from Milton, 50-32, and in a poorly played game eked out a 41-36 win over Westinghouse.

Reversing her playing of the last game, the Crusaders played their best game of the season when in brilliant passing attacks, coupled with super shooting, trounced Dickinson College at Carlisle, 52-27.

Herold, Small, Wholsen, and Madden played their last ball for SU for the duration and it was a fitting tribute to them as SU won a 52-40 victory from a strong Bucknell Junior College team.

SU hung up her fifth straight and eighth win of the season when in a strong third quarter push, she scored enough to beat out a 46-39 win over Gettysburg Sem. Again Juniata proved the jinx for SU and defeated the Crusaders 47-41. SU started out well, but a powerful Indian team soon completely outclassed SU.

Even Et'own's Buch's 42 points were not enough to stop the Crusaders from winning in a rough and tough tussel at Et'own, 62-55. Again proving her superiority, SU played hard and managed to win a close 34-29 win from an improved Dickinson team. SU closed her season on her own hardwoods by stopping Buch and Elizabethtown and came out victorious, 42-34 for the 11th game of the season.

This year Coach Stagg loses two senior members from the team. They are, Captain John Koess, guard, and Celo Leitzel, also guard. Bernie Swiencki, lanky center for the Crusaders will remain on next year's squad until January 19, 1946. Swiencki has set an all time scoring record for S. U. this year by scoring 324 points in 15 games or an average of 21.6 points per game.

## THEATRE GUILD ENJOYS MONOLOGUES BY STUDENTS

The regular meeting of the Theatre Guild of SU was held in Selbert Chapel on Thursday evening, March 1, at 7 p. m. Gloria Gasparoli, president of the organization, was in charge of the meeting. Among the things discussed was the reception to be held for Fitzroy Davis on Monday evening. Following the close of the business meeting, Lillian Werner, B. J. Herr, and Lois Dauberman each presented a very humorous monologue which was thoroughly enjoyed by the members of the group.

## NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

### Kappa Delta Phi

An informal party was held in the sorority rooms at 9:30 p. m. on Monday, February 26. Refreshments were served, and an enjoyable time was had by all.

On March 15, Kappa Delta Phi will have a tea for the honorary members in the sorority rooms.

In the near future the active members of the sorority will give a theater party for the pledges. A date has not as yet been set.

### Theta Chi

David Lloyd Bomboy and Carl Lindberg Herman became active members of the Beta Omega Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity on Thursday evening, Feb. 22, 1945. The meeting was attended by all undergraduate and faculty members. Mr. Bomboy was elected assistant guard and Mr. Herman received the position of librarian.

### S. C. A.

George Washington's Birthday was the occasion for quite a bit of S. C. A. festivity—the regular meeting plus an entertainment program in Selbert Social Parlors in honor of Pastor Heller.

Dottie Sternat was in charge of the program for the regular meeting. Main event was a talk about George Washington by Pastor Heller. Jean Strauss gave a solo, Cesar Franck's "Heavenly Manna" accompanied by Marie Kluck.

Two marimba solos by Velma Shook started off the reception program directed by Marjorie Stapleton. A comic interpretation in pantomime of society in George Washington's age followed. The skit was acted out by about fifteen students with Corinne Kahn as reader. At the end of the program, an informal talk was given by President Smith. Daniel Reitz, Army air cadet, home on a furlough, also extended his greetings. Refreshments included cookies and cocoa.

At the next S. C. A. meeting, March 8, Ongkar Narayan, our student from British Guiana, will talk on his experiences.

### Omega Delta Sigma

The regular weekly meeting of Omega Delta Sigma was held on Wednesday evening at 6:45.

A buffet supper was planned for March 17 for the honoraries. The theme will be patterned after St. Patrick's Day. It will be held in the social room from 5:00 till 8:30 and will be attended by honoraries, actives, and pledges.

In the absence of Corinne Kahn, the sorority president, Mary Lib Basehoar conducted the meeting.

—Remember soldiers abroad with frequent V Mail letters.

### Conservatory Recital

Students of the Conservatory will present an evening recital at 8:15 p. m. Monday, March 12, 1945, in Selbert Chapel. All students are invited.

### WAR STAMP DRIVE

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ling care of the thermometer on which all sales will be recorded. There is a booth located in the parlors of Selbert Hall, where stamps will be sold after supper. Marge Barton is in charge of this booth.

The student body and faculty members have been divided into teams whose leaders are: LaVerne Kohn, Jean Wheat, Nancy Myers, Russ Brown, and Jane Malkames. Other members of the student body who are participating to make our drive a success are: Ruth Botdorf, Ross Johns, Norma Hazen, Gloria Gasparoli, June Hoffman, Evelyn Wilhour, Jane Gundrum, Joe Taylor, Ben Herr, Pauline Solomon, Hilda Markey, Joan Apple, Edie Kemp, Dawn Ebert, Marie Stout, G. G. Roberts, Dave Bomboy, Lois Dauberman, Ann Malkames, Eleanor Steele, Bobbie Gaetz, Bobbie Kain, and Harold Snyder.

If every student and faculty member will participate in this drive, we may proudly fly the United States Treasury flag. So let's all jump on the bandwagon and ride to victory.

### Individual Scoring Records

	Games	Field	Fouls	Total
Moore	15	60	22x37	142
Herrold	10	26	11x20	63
Swiencki	15	127	70x95	324
Koess	15	35	9x27	79
Taylor	15	9	9x22	27
Winey	12	5	2x 12	2
Culp	3	11	4x 8	26
Wholsen	8	4	2x 3	10
Gelnett	4	0	0x 1	0
Small	6	0	0x 0	0
Johns	7	0	0x 0	0
Leitzel	2	0	0x 0	0
Madden	3	0	0x 0	0
Totals	277	129x211		683

### Averages Per Game

Field Goals	18.46
Fouls	8.6
Points	45.54
Susquehanna 42, S. U. Alumni 41.	
Susquehanna 61, Milton Y.M.C.A. 39.	
Susquehanna 37, Gallaudet 46.	
Susquehanna 41, Juniata, 45.	
Susquehanna 70, Westinghouse 37.	
Susquehanna 12, Penn State 53.	
Susquehanna 50, Milton Y.M.C.A. 32.	
Susquehanna 41, Westinghouse 36.	
Susquehanna 52, Dickinson 27.	
Susquehanna 52, Bucknell Jr. Col- lege 40.	
Susquehanna 46, Gettysburg Semi- nary 39.	
Susquehanna 41, Juniata 57.	
Susquehanna 62, Elizabethtown 55.	
Susquehanna 34, Dickinson, 29.	
Susquehanna 42, Elizabethtown 34.	
Total points scored in season:	683
Opponents	610

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PAULA MOSKOWITZ claims Passaic as her home town. She is 5' 4 1/2" tall and enjoys tennis and skiing. Harry James is her favorite orchestra leader and "Lost in Love" her favorite song. Paula likes to read the Cosmopolitan or American Magazine and the book "Rebecca." John Payne and the U. S. Army rank high with her too. She is undecided about her major, but after leaving S. U. hopes to get married. In food she likes steak and chocolate cake, and in pets she likes dogs.

CHARLOTTE OGLENSKY is majoring in the Pre-law Course expecting to enter graduate school when she leaves here. This 5' 6" tall lass claims Freehold as her hometown. She prefers the Army Air Corps because of two brothers and many friends. Charlotte enjoys reading biographies, novels, or the Ladies Home Journal. Van Johnson and Harry James rank high on her list of favorites. She also likes the song "Rum and Coke," hamburgers smothered with onions, and any kind of sport. Knitting is her hobby.

JERRY MOORE, who is 5' 9" tall, also comes from Sunbury. He is a pre-theological student majoring in Greek and his ambition is to be in the Navy chaplaincy. Jerry likes every sport, but especially baseball. For a hobby he studies athletic records and statistics. He also likes the music of Kay Kyer, the song "My Hero," Joyce Reynolds and James Stewart's movies, and baked ham, corn custard, and ice cream. In reading material he likes the Bible, sports books, and the Reader's Digest.

LUCILLE MITTLEMAN comes from Washington, D. C., and is 5' 4" tall. Her hobby is any kinds of sports, piano playing, and saving pictures. Van Johnson is her favorite movie star;

Benny Goodman her favorite orchestra leader; Journal, McCall's and Good Housekeeping her favorite magazines; and "Every Time We Say Good-bye" her favorite song. Lou is majoring in merchandising and has a preference for the Army. She also likes steak and chocolate ice cream.

RAYMOND MOULD, better known as Ray, comes from Bronxville, N. Y., and is 5' 7" tall. He is taking the Business Administration Course and is majoring in advertising. Ray enjoys a good game of golf or tennis, but for a hobby likes hunting and fishing. Fried chicken satisfies his appetite. His favorite song is Glenn Miller's "Moonlight Serenade," and his favorite artist is Gale Storm. The Reader's Digest, New Yorker, or "Les Miserables" provide him interesting reading.

HOPE PETERS, who hails from Reedsville, is 5' 5" tall. She is majoring in Music Education and expects to teach when she leaves S. U. Fo listening pleasure, she likes Dave Greer's orchestra or the song "Tonight We Live." Hope also collects popular music for a hobby. Softball is her favorite sport, ice cream her favorite food, and Life her favorite magazine. Among her other interests are the Navy, Greer Garson, fiction books, and a cocker spaniel dog.

FITZROY DAVIS SPEAKS ON THEATRE  
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at 8:15 p. m.

Mr. Davis gave a very amusing and personal talk on being the scene life of a number of the famous Hollywood stars with whom he has worked, among

them being Tyrone Power, Celeste Holm, Mae West, Robert Taylor, Constance Bennett, and Director Gregory Ratoff.

Following the enjoyable lecture numerous questions were asked Mr. Davis on a number of personalities connected with the theatre. Mrs. Davis was introduced by Mr. Haskins, faculty advisor for SU's Theatre Guild.

Alpha Psi Omega, national honor dramatic fraternity on our campus, honored Mr. Davis with a reception in the social rooms. Gloria Gasparoli and LaVerne Kohn were hostesses. It was during this time that a number of the students personally met and questioned Mr. Davis.

Mr. Davis has a wide variety of experience upon which to base his lecture. Coming from Evanston, Illinois, he studied the theatre in Russia, Sweden, Germany, Czechoslovakia, France and England. He began his dramatic career by working on the road with Katherine Cornell in "Romeo and Juliet," with Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontaine in "Idiots' Delight," and in Orson Welles' modern revival of "Julius Caesar." Following this he acted on Broadway, directed a summer theatre, and made sketches of actors and actresses on the side.

Mr. Davis' interest in the entertainment world next took him to Hollywood, where he wrote dialogues and scenarios for producer-director Gregory Ratoff, by whom he was assigned to such films as "The Deal is On," starring Mae West, the new Robert Taylor film, "Song of Russia," "The Band Wagon," etc.

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## LOUISE KRESGE CHOSEN MAY QUEEN

### DEBATE TEAM TIES FOR THIRD PLACE IN CONTEST AT SSTC

The seventh Annual Tournament of Debating colleges was held at Shippensburg State Teachers College March 10, 1945. The Susquehanna team left Friday afternoon as the first round was held early the next morning, and there were two that same afternoon. Dr. Russell W. Gilbert accompanied the team and assisted as judge at the debates. Each team had three debates. Out of six debates, Susquehanna won four, tying us for third place with the Pennsylvania State College Women's Team. Mt. Mercy (Pittsburgh) won five debates, taking second place; and the Penn State Men's Team took first place, winning five.

Susquehanna defeated the American University, Dickinson, Gettysburg, and Shippensburg; and lost to Penn State Women's Team and Mt. Mercy.

In this tournament were all Oregon (cross-examination) debates. The topic was "Compulsory Arbitration of Industrial Disputes." The S. U. affirmative (Concluded on Page 4)

### To be Crowned 1945 May Queen



MISS LOUISE KRESGE, '45

### Kinzer Lady in Waiting; Six Others Form Court

In a vote in chapel on Tuesday, March 14, Miss Louise Kresge, a senior conservatory student, was chosen by the student body to be Queen of May at the traditional May Day exercises on May 12 on the campus. Miss Jean Kinzer, of Newport, was selected as Lady in Waiting, and Jean Geiger, Mary Moyer, Patricia Snyder, Corinne Kahn, Marjorie Willard, and Margaret Walters comprise the remainder of the court.

For many years prior to the present war, it had been the tradition to present the May Queen and her court as the novel attraction on Subfreshman Day which is the day prospective students visit our campus.

This year this old time tradition or custom has again been adopted, and the May Queen and her court will reign on Subfreshman Day, May 12.

Scenes from the operetta which will be produced by the conservatory students will be given at this time also. The traditional May Pole Dance and other dances will likewise, be presented.

On the evening of this festive occasion, the annual prom, sponsored by the junior class, will be held.

The Queen of the court is Miss Louise Kresge, a conservatory student from Ocean Grove, N. J. Louise is a very popular and active student on our campus, being a member of Sigma Alpha Iota Sorority, the Women's Student Council, the Women's Athletic Association, the Theatre Guild, the Susquehanna Staff, the Intersorority Council, the Student Christian Association, and the Girls' Swing Band.

The Lady-in-Waiting is Miss Jean Kinzer, from Newport, Pa., who is a commercial educational student. Jean accelerated her program and will receive her degree this summer. She is a member of Kappa Delta Phi Sorority, the Women's Athletic Association, the Business Society, and the Business staff of the Susquehanna.

The members of the court are as follows (Concluded on Page 4)

## SUSQUEHANNA REACHES 99% AND 97% PARTICIPATION IN WAR STAMP DRIVE; ELIGIBLE TO FLY U. S. TREASURY FLAG

### Theatre Guild, Alpha Psi Omega Give "Letters to Lucerne" Tonight

### Joyce Jenkins Weds Ens. William McClure

The marriage of Miss Joyce Jenkins to Ensign William Horting McClure was solemnized Saturday, March 10, 1945, at 4 p. m., in the Elm Park Lutheran Church, Scranton, Pa.

The Rev. John Marvin, pastor of the Lewistown Presbyterian Church, and the Rev. Dr. Harold C. Chase, Elm Park pastor, performed the ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and her maid-of-honor was Miss Margaret McClure, sister of the bridegroom. The Misses Margaret Seigle, Scranton; Margie Shields, Langhorne; Betty Folk, Lewistown; and Jean Geiger, Williamsport, were the bridesmaids. Miss Barbara Wurz and Miss Nancy Morgan were junior bridesmaids, and the flower girl was Miss Nancy Kramer.

William A. Hayes, Johnstown, a grad of S. U. in January, was best man for Ensign McClure, and C. Pinkney Jones, Merton H. Wheeler, Donald J. Fulton, and Donald D. Arnold were ushers.

A reception followed at the Century Club.

The couple later left for New York and New England on a wedding trip and appeared on campus for the first time as Mr. and Mrs. last Friday.

The former Miss Jenkins attended Susquehanna and is now a cadet nurse at Lewistown Hospital. Ensign McClure also attended S. U., and was recently commissioned at Midshipman School, University of Notre Dame.

### Over \$400 In War Stamps and Bonds Sold; Last Week of Drive

Last week's sales of over \$300 in war bonds and stamps brings the Susquehanna drive to a total of approximately \$455 with a faculty and student co-operation well above the 90% margin required for the Minuteman's flag. This week, the last week in the March drive, should see a 100% co-operation total!

Interclass and faculty-student rivalry, promoted by a variety of charts, has played a large part in the drive. The first week saw student predominance with a total of \$116.90 and an average of about 100% co-operation against a faculty \$34.10 of purchases and 80% co-operation. The sophomores, juniors, and seniors "hit the bell" with 100% participation while the large freshman class missed it by a narrow margin of only 2%. Total sales for that week were \$151.00.

The second week of the drive the faculty bought a large number of bonds, bringing their weekly total to \$243.00. The students purchased a total of \$61.52 in stamps and bonds. Combined co-operation was 97% compared to the first week's 99%.

The drive began with a patriotic pep talk given by the general chairman, Rine Winey. During the first week, enthusiasm ran high—students anxiously viewed thermometers and charts recording class and student-faculty co-operation which were posted in the Auditorium and in Seibert hallway; chapel and dining room announcements were frequent, and team captains were seen rushing from person to person between classes and in the dormitories.

This last week, the general treasurer, (Concluded on Page 4)

Did you receive any letters today? If not, you will enjoy the letters that are received by school girls in the play entitled "Letters to Lucerne" being presented in Seibert Auditorium tonight at 8:15. The play, written by Fritz Rotter and Allan Vincent, was presented on the New York stage several years ago. It is being presented by the Susquehanna University Theatre Guild and Alpha Psi Omega, under the faculty supervision of Mr. Elbert Haskins, and student direction of Gloria Gasparoli and LaVerne Kohn.

It is difficult to determine who is the heroine in this human drama, but Olga Kirinski who is being played by Nancy Myers, and Ruby Meyers, who is Erica Schmidt, both have very important roles. Rine Winey is the hero as Hans.

When the play opens near Lucerne, (Continued on Page 2)

### Marian Willard Teaches In Northumberland JHS

Miss Marian Willard has been substitute teaching in the Northumberland Junior High School for the past two weeks, having ended her teaching March 16.

She taught two classes of seventh grade English and three of ninth grade Junior Business training. Marian enjoyed her work and felt that it had given her much valuable training.

Marian is a senior Commercial Education student and will graduate this summer, as she has been taking the accelerated course for the past two summers.

### Pvt. Wilfred Sheetz x'48, Prisoner in Germany

Pvt. Wilfred Sheetz, who has been reported missing in action since December 20, has now been declared a prisoner of war in Germany. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Corbett L. Sheetz, of East Pine street, Selinsgrove, were advised of this by the War Department March 15. More information would be sent on later, they were told. Pvt. Sheetz was reported missing in February.

Having been in continuous action since landing with a combat force in France in July, the group was given a short rest at Wiltz, Luxembourg. He was in the First United Nations division to march through Paris. His division was recalled from Luxembourg when the Germans made their pre-holiday drive west.

Pvt. Sheetz attended S. U. during the school year of 1942-1943, and left February, 1943, when many of S. U.'s boys entered the service.

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## Spring!

Spring! It seems here to stay. Did you ever notice the magic transformations that take place on campus at this time of year? The trees burst out in buds and delicate shades of tiny green leaves, and the birds and squirrels work busily until sundown. Some times it seems too good to be true—well, it almost is too good to be true. We are most fortunate to be here at S. U. The amazing thing is that we are at Susquehanna, not just another college. Susquehanna, located in the center of one of the most beautiful, picturesque sections of Pennsylvania. It is a really great feeling, knowing that you have shared some of your most memorable years at a place such as this.

Yours truly isn't exempt from the list of grippers found on campus on any campus for that matter, but Spring seems to bring about the realization of how much more we have to enjoy and be thankful for than we have to complain about. Instead of grumbling on your way to your eight o'clock tomorrow—look around you and see if you don't find yourself saying, "It's good to be alive, it's good to be in the midst of growing things and beauty, it's good to know you're safe—it's great to be at S. U."

## Elections

Last Wednesday the student body elected a May Court. And where was this election conducted? In the chapel during our devotion period. Not only is this an intrusion upon our religious service, but also it prevented many persons who were not required to attend chapel on Wednesday from voting for the Court.

Most colleges select all their student officers by elections, elections that are held on the same principal as regular elections.

Why can't we do this here at Susquehanna? Many of the students are soon of voting age, and many undoubtedly have never filled out a ballot, so why couldn't they be given that experience, by holding regular student elections on the campus. Perhaps the class in Government could do this as a project. If an election is required again on campus, let's do it the democratic way, by allowing everyone to have the privilege as a voter.

## STARS & STRIPES

S. U. was glad to welcome back to the campus Mr. and Mrs. William McClure, who were recently married. Mrs. McClure is the former Joyce Jenkins. . . . Danny Reitz again surprised us by showing up in Selingrove. . . . Ensign Lave Rishell and Lt. Donald Shafter are also back home. . . . Bruce Shoemaker '46, came back to his Alma Mater and informed us that he is expecting to go overseas again. . . . Bob Fisher '46, has just been made a sergeant. Congratulations! . . . Donald Wohlens is in the Merchant Marine. . . . Dick Neidick is in the Navy at Great Lakes. . . . Skip Madden is enjoying Army life at Camp Gordon, Georgia. . . . We were sorry to hear that George Stow, '46, is in a hospital in England suffering from injuries received in action while in Belgium. . . . also Robert Dornisfe, '45, is somewhere in Italy recuperating.

A very impressive service was held in Trinity Lutheran Church, Selingrove, on March 18, to honor the memory of Lt. John E. Hugus, Jr., '43, who was killed in action in Belgium on January 19, 1945.

## On the Editor's Desk

Editor's Note—The policy of "The Susquehanna" is to welcome letters of criticism or praise in regard to anything relating to our school or of your opinion of any matter of interest to the students of our faculty; however, we must remind you that any publication that you submit must bear your signature, not necessarily for publication, but to affirm your good faith in the subject you present. If you do not wish your name published to the article as it appears in "The Susquehanna," it will be withheld, but you must have your signature on any publication you submit to the editor.

## THEATRE GUILD, ALPHI PSI OMEGA GIVE "LETTERS TO LUCERNE" TONITE

(Continued from Page 1)  
Switzerland, late in the summer of 1939, the girls are just returning to the girls' school after the recess. The other girls, besides Erna and Olga, are Bingo Hill, a typical American girl played by Helen Eby; Felice Renoir, a French girl, Bobbie Kain; Marlon Curwood, an English girl, Marian Willard; and Sally Jackson; American, Bobbie Gaetz.

Under the protection of a wise and

## CAMPUSOLOGY

### Big Town Talk:

Think I've discovered who the "nice voice" over the phone was—All! At least this weekend Al and Rhoda were together, so putting two-and-two together—but then, I'm just guessing.

Had the census-taker been around Scranton last weekend, he would have been shocked at the inaccuracy of his report, courtesy S. U. Not only did "Roomie," Lou, "Gigger," "Beekie," Marian, Ginnie, and Dot weigh Will Hayes' car down to the ground on the way to Bill and Joyce's wedding, but Sara Lee and Elaine picked this same time to take Lucille, Toby, Rhoda and a few others up for a gay time at home. Say, what does Scranton have that Sel-

ingrove doesn't have? Don't answer that question!!!

Anna Sheetz did not heed Miss Hein's warning about not sitting under the apple tree with anyone else (incidentally, who was the somebody else?), 'cause that horrible (believe me, I know) stuff, poison ivy got the best of her. Let that be a lesson to the rest of youse.

Will some one please explain why every time I'm coming up from town I see Florence Strause going down—but she'll never admit she's going in the wrong direction. Frankly, I'm more than curious—

"Did you see Henry?" "Yah, ain't he the cutest thing?" "Did you see Henry?" "—see Henry?" "—Henry?" He was the talk of the campus for days after he dashed in to see Marty. Doggone it all, I didn't see him—but she did and that's all that matters.

Speaking of men home from the war, some people have all the luck. Jeanette's Maynard was home again—couldn't help knowing without even being told what with that radiant glow so evident. And along the same line, saw Carolyn Marks with a sailor the other nite—which one was he??

Play rehearsal had to limp along without Miss Linder the other night when Leah dashed off to Sunbury to say a fond farewell to the boyfriend in the station—that was short but sweet.

"Fank" can claim a little different kind of service man—Rozie but not "the Riveter." This one is Rozie Jacques-Jeanes of the French Air Corps. Get her to read you one of his letters (written in French by the way) sometime—they're good!!!! Add: did you know that she hears from Johnny Zuback a whole lot???

"In the spring a young man's fancy—" you know the rest, but just to prove that spring is here, here's the latest communique from the love front: The report shows Nancy Lou and Frankie winning a great victory and carrying off top honors; G. G. and Jerry are another promising little twosome; and Ross and Ann Gibson will bear your watching, too; Rine is still keeping "Hope busy," and Angie is still the object of Dave Bomboy's affections; Harry Welliver's latest date was Margie Johns; shall I add Joan Reyner and Ira? On second thought I don't think I shall.

IT'S RUMORED that someone will soon eat his or her way through the candy stored in the spacious hall room at Reich's if Fred doesn't move it—but soon!!! that R. R. no longer stands for Ruth and Ross, but just plain railroad again; that Adele Taub is so crazy about her room, she doesn't even care to go out in the luscious weather; that if you want a ride on the tandem, you've got to sign the waiting list—or better yet, see Annie that Belgium means more to Arla Bilger than it ever did before; could it be that one of Uncle Sam's lads has caused the interest? Definitely; that Peggy should stay here weekends judging by that lost look Larry carries around; that Edith McConnell has had a crush on all the men around here—the latest being Johnny Smith; that Herbie is getting the basic fundamentals of the two-step from "Charlie" Walker; that the wedding cake the gals have been sleeping on may someday produce the desired results; that Eve is a perfect darling if we may take the orchid Gloria was wearing as proof; that Jack wishes that draft board would make up its mind—he's off again at their request; that birthday telegrams can't be sent any more—but leave it to Burnell to get around that, eh Mary Lib?; that Letters to Lucerne is a pipedream and that anyone who misses it is—well you'd better be there. 'nuff said!!!!

## At the Stanley

Mon., Tues., Mar. 19, 20—"Ministry of Fear" (Para)

The Fuehrer's flatfoots are again at their work; this time in England with Ray Miland. By the way, layer cakes can have many uses! Fritz Land leads in melodrama with help from Marjorie Reynolds.

Wed., Mar. 21—"Are These Our Parents" (Monogram)

Sounds like a new slant on things! Might be worthwhile. It's up to you. Thurs., Fri., Sat., Mar. 22, 23, 24—"Meet Me in St. Louis" (Metro)

Technicolor. A story of family life and young love in the St. Louis of 1903 with Judy Garland typical musical. Margaret O'Brien is her mischievous little sister.

Mon., Tues., Mar. 26, 27—"The Climax" (Univ.) Technicolor

Starring Boris Karloff and Susanna Foster. The sweetness of Susanna's voice helps make one forget Karloff, in his usual sinister role.

Wed., Mar. 28—"Man From Frisco" (Rep.)

"At least there's a man in it," exclaimed Doc. Girls, here's a chance! Thurs., Fri., Mar. 29, 30—"An American Romance" (Metro) Technicolor

King Vidor's new film about an immigrant's (Brian Donlevy) rise to riches, accompanied by Ann Richards. Sat., Mar. 31—"Sundown Valley" (Columbia)

Your guess is as good as mine, but what does the title suggest?

AT THE STRAND

Mon. & Tues., Mar. 21, 22—"Three's a Family"

Thurs., Fri., & Sat., Mar. 22, 23, 24—"To Have and Have Not"

Mon., Wed., Mar. 26, 28—"Lost in a Harem"

Thurs., Sat., Mar. 29-31—"Tall in the Saddle"

pleasant schoolmistress, Caroline Hunter, Harriet Gould, they are living an idyllic life apart from the hatreds of the world. In their dormitory at night it is their custom to read aloud their letters from home. When the war breaks out, Mrs. Hunter hopes to keep the school isolated from the terrible things that are happening outside, but the letters carry the bitterness in. The letters the German girl, Erna, receives from home pack the school against her. Some of the news, especially from Poland, that Olga receives, is devastating. Although the German girl is not responsible for it, she is charged with the blame.

Ultimately the authors manage to absolve her completely in a concluding letter that is beautifully written.

We can't exclude Gustave, a French servant, Jerry Moore; Miss Linder, a German teacher who has trouble getting English papers, Leah Cwyde; Margarethe, the maid, Jean Wenzel; and (Concluded on Page 4)



# OUR FROSH

**HARRY CULP**, who comes from Sunbury, likes basketball, baseball, football, and wrestling. He is 5' 10 1/4" tall. Ham and eggs, Ingrid Bergman, Kay Kysner, and "Moonlight Serenade" are also favorites with him. Harry enjoys reading the National Geographic Magazine, and his hobby is the breeding of pedigreed cocker spaniel dogs; in fact, he is majoring in veterinary medicine and expects to enter the School of Veterinary Medicine at the U. of P. upon the completion of his work at S. U. This former Marine has been to the South Pacific and is the wearer of the Purple Heart and the Presidential Unit Citation.

**NEDIA POLANCHYCK**, who is 5' 2" tall, comes from Frackville, Pa. She is majoring in Voice and would like to be a concert singer when she leaves S. U. Postal card collecting is her hobby. Houdie enjoys a good fiction story, Good Housekeeping Magazine, and any Russian dish. In music she likes Deanna Durbin, Sammy Kaye, and the song, "You'll Never Know." She prefers the Marines. Hiking is her favorite sport.

**ROBERTA RACIONZER**, better known as "Bobby," hails from Valley Stream, N. Y., and is 5' 5 1/4" tall. She enjoys swimming, horseback riding, mystery books, and the Saturday Evening Post. Lobster is her favorite food. The Army ranks first with her as her boyfriend is a Lieutenant in the Infantry. Harry James, Tom Drake, Gregory Peck, and Ingrid Bergman also rank high with her. Bobby is majoring in Psychology expecting to be a social worker. She has traveled in Cuba and Canada.

**BETTY RAMER** is majoring in the Secretarial Course and would like to be a hostess aboard ship. This York, Pa., lass is 5' 5 1/2" tall. Betty likes tennis, golf, chocolate ice cream, Bette Davis, Sammy Kaye, and a sweet pup named Jubul. "There I Said It Again" is her favorite song and Life her favorite magazine. She prefers the Navy because of an Uncle who is a commander in that branch.

**GLORIA REICHLEY** comes to S. U. via Dover, Pa., and is 5' 5 1/4" tall. She likes basketball in winter and bicycling in summer. Gloria is taking the Medical Secretary Course and would like to be a secretary to a very handsome major surgeon. She also likes James Craig, Harry James, Scotty dogs, and "My Dreams Are Getting Better All the Time." Her hobby is writing letters, but she enjoys reading Seventeen, Life, medical books, detective stories, and war stories. Branch—Army Air Corps.

**BETTY REISCH** is taking the Liberal Arts Course and expects to become a laboratory technician. This S. U. miss, who is 5' 5" tall, comes from Ashland, Pa. Betty enjoys swimming, chicken and waffles, and good mystery books. Van Johnson, Laraine Day, Harry James, "All the Things You Are," and "Night and Day" also rank high with her. For reading pleasure—Madeira, McCall's, and Ladies Home Journal. Another Navy rooster.

**GERTRUDE ROBERTS**, who we know as "G. G." plays the clarinet for a hobby. She is majoring in Business and when asked what she expected to do when she left S. U., the reply was "Go back to Jersey." New Monmouth is the hometown of this 5' 2" lass. G. G. likes swimming, Alan Ladd, Vaughn Monroe, and "There I Said It Again." Crab salad is her favorite dish. Quoting her, "The Spring weather here is really all right."

**JOAN REYNER**, who measures up to 5' 7", claims Atlantic City as her hometown. Collecting records is her hobby. She would like to become a medical secretary. Joan prefers the Navy as the best fellow she knows comes from that branch. She likes steak, ice cream,

# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Biemic Society

The regular meeting of the Biemic Society was held in Steele Science Hall, Thursday evening at seven o'clock. In the absence of the president, Roswell Johns, the vice-president conducted the meeting. After the regular business was discussed Dr. Houtz gave a talk on war gases. Dr. Houtz described the uses and effects made by the various gases and passed around imitations of the gases to the audience so that they could smell what the different gases were like. Dr. Houtz also described the gas mask and exhibited one taken from a German soldier.

## Omega Delta Sigma

The regular weekly meeting of Omega Delta Sigma was held Wednesday night, at 6:45 in the sorority room. Plans were discussed concerning the buffet dinner which was to be held.

On Saturday evening, March 17, at five o'clock, the active members of Omega Delta Sigma Sorority entertained their honorary members at a buffet supper given in their sorority room. Both groups were well represented and two pleasant hours went by very swiftly. The menu consisted of a tasty chicken salad prepared by some of the members which was followed by chocolate layer cake and coffee.

## Kappa Delta Phi

A theater party was held for the pledges on Wednesday, March 14. All met in Seibert's parlors and proceeded to the Stanley, where they spent an enjoyable evening watching Cornelia Otis Skinner and Emily Kimbrough get into and out of more trouble in the motion picture "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay."

The tea for the honorary members of K.D.P. took place in the sorority rooms on Thursday, March 15. The honorary members present were Mrs. James Margee, Mrs. Max Valsing, Mrs. James Charles, Miss Lenora Allison, Mrs. Ralph Witmer, Mrs. William Russ, Mrs. Marvin Groce, and Mrs. John Heller. At this time Mrs. James Charles was initiated and taken in as an honorary member. Refreshments were served and a lovely time was had by all.

## Sigma Alpha Iota

On Tuesday evening, March 6, at 7:00, S. A. I. held a broadcast over station WKOK in Sunbury. The program opened with the "Whistle Song." Peggy Walter played a violin solo. Gloria Machamer sang a solo, and Louise Kresge played a piano solo. After the national Choral, the program closed with the Whistle Song.

On Friday evening, March 23, SAI is combining with the Patronesses for a party. Because of the shortage of time, it has been decided to combine the parties this year instead of giving

chocolate cake, Robert Hutton, Frank Sinatra, Harry James, "I Remember April," Life, and a pet canary. Swimming is her favorite sport.

separate ones. Carmen Beckwith and June Hoffman are co-chairmen for this party.

S. A. I. has decided to purchase a War Bond during this present drive. Each year the sorority purchases one, and in view of the fact that the school is having a drive, it was decided to get it during this campaign.

## Pi Gamma Mu

The Pennsylvania Gamma Chapter of Susquehanna University of the National Pi Gamma Mu met Monday evening, March 12th, in the social rooms of Seibert Hall.

The regular business meeting was conducted by the president, Rine Winzy, and plans were discussed for having a dinner meeting in May at the Colonial Tea Room. Several new members were welcomed into the society at this time: Jean Geiger, Mary Moyer, and Margaret Walters.

Miss Miriam Garth had charge of the program for the evening. Miss Garth and Ruth Boddorf discussed articles on postwar economic conditions. A general round table discussion followed the presentation of this problem. Refreshments were then served.

## Student Recital

Students of the Conservatory will hold a recital class in Seibert Chapel at 4:15 p. m. Friday, March 23, 1945. Selections will be presented by the following:

Piano—Hope Peters, William Rohrbach, Harriet Gould, Marian Attinger.

Flora Hacker, Hope Harbeson, Cora Mae Arthur, Jean Attinger.

Vocal—Velma Shook, Harry Welliver, Dorothy Jupina, Nedja Polanchyck, Margaret Walter, John Warner, Louise Kresge.

Violin—Jacqueline Heckert, Frosta Arsenlu.

Piano—Organ—Marie Klick, and Dorothy Sternat. Their duet, "Traumerl," was composed by Prof. P. M. Linebaugh of the Conservatory faculty.

## Student Christian Association

On Thursday evening, March 8, the regular meeting of the S. C. A. was held in the Social Rooms of Seibert Hall.

The devotional program was conducted by Marie Klick. During the service Lois Dauberman and Bobby Gaetz presented musical selections in the form of piano duets.

Onkar Narayan, our student from South America, spoke to the group. He related much about his home, British Guiana. He told us of the recent fire in Georgetown, of the people, their customs, the manner of dress, the religions, the schools, and the like. Much to the amusement of those present, Onkar told the group that the young people of his homeland dress and look much like we do, only the girls don't wear as much make-up as the girls in the United States do!

Onkar told us that he likes the United States very much, because, he said, "The people have shown so many kindnesses to me." We are indeed glad that you like it here, Onkar, and, confidentially (we like you, too!

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Koppler, a German policeman, Frank Wolfe.

The committee chairman cannot be forgotten: Publicity, Jane Malkames; House, Marjorie Stapleton; Costumes, Marjorie Barton; Scenery, Rine Winey; Lighting, Frank Wolfe; Property, Jean Geiger; Make-up, June Hoffman; and Tickets, Mary Lib Basehoar.

Do not miss your opportunity to see this play given by a well-selected cast—it will be one that you will not forget very soon.

**SUSQUEHANNA REACHES 99% AND 97% PARTICIPATION IN WAR STAMP DRIVE**

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Corinne Kahn, was kept busy with money from sales which doubled the first week's. Computations after a meeting of captains, etc., on Friday night produced the results given above.

Plans have been made to stage a war bond drive each month. If the high level of participation continues Susquehan-na will be able to retain the recently ordered Minute Man's flag.

One big factor in the success of the drive thus far has been its constant presence in the minds of students and faculty members caused by reminders like the poster charts made and maintained by Mary Lizzio. Another thing is organization. General sales manager is Marian Willard. Marge Barton is head of the booth selling stamps at Seibert Hall. Under Marian Willard are a large group of team captains: LaVerne Kohn, Jean Wheat, Nancy My-cha, Russ Brown and Jane Malkames. Other students active in the selling of stamps and bonds are Ruth Botdorf, Ross Johns, Norma Hazen, Gloria Gasparoli, June Hoffman, Evelyn Wilhour, Jane Gundrum, Joe Taylor, Ben Herr,

Pauline Solomon, Hilda Markey, Joan Apple, Edie Kemp, Dawn Ebert, Marie Stout, G. G. Roberts, Dave Bomboj, Lois Dauberman, Ann Malkames, Eleanor Steelee, Bobbie Gaetz, Bobbie Kain, and Harold Snyder.

Let's do justice to Our Cause, Our Country and Our College with 100% participation this week and every week!

**DEBATE TEAM TIES FOR THIRD PLACE IN CONTEST AT STTC**

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team was composed of Naomi Garman, who presented the case, and Celo Letzel, who did the cross-examination and rebuttal. Gloria Gasparoli presented the case and Arthur Geinert did the cross-examination and rebuttal for the negative team.

The Tenth Annual Student Congress or the Pennsylvania State Debators Convention will be held at State College on March 23-24. The two questions which will be debated are "Youth Service After the War," and "Compulsory Arbitration of Industrial Disputes." Each participating school has been assigned a subject and S. U.'s is "Compulsory Arbitration of Industrial Disputes."

**LOUISE KRESGE CHOSEN**

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lays: Miss Jean Geiger, an accelerated student from Williamsport, Pa., is a liberal arts student. Jean is a member of Kappa Delta Phi Sorority, the Theater Guild, the Biemic Society, Pi Gamma Mu, the editor of this year's

Lanthon, and a member of the Women's Athletic Association, and The Women's Student Council.

Miss Corinne Kahn, a commercial educational student, resides in Bloomfield, N. J. Corinne is an active student and president of Omega Delta Sigma Sorority. She is also affiliated with the Women's Athletic Association, the Student Christian Association, the Business Society, the Women's Student Council, the Susquehan-na Staff, and Pi Gamma Mu. During her junior year she was the Business Manager of the Lanthon.

Miss Mary Moyer, a liberal arts student from Middleburg, Pa., who is a member of Kappa Delta Phi Sorority, the Student Christian Association, the Biemic Society, the Women's Athletic Association, and was a member of the Lanthon Business Staff her junior year.

Miss Marian Willard, another accelerated student, lives in Coatesville, Pa., and is a commercial educational student. She is President of Kappa Delta Phi Sorority, and a member of the Women's Athletic Association, Intersorority Council, the Theater Guild, and the Business Society.

Miss Margaret Walters, a conservatory student from Milton, Pa. Mar-

garet is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota Sorority, and the Symphony, being also the Symphony Concertmaster.

Miss Patricia Snyder is a day student whose residence is Sunbury, Pa. Patricia is a liberal arts student and is a member of Omega Delta Sigma Sorority, and the Women's Athletic Association.

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## MARCH STAMP DRIVE GREAT SUCCESS; THIS MONTH'S DRIVE TO OPEN APRIL 16

99% Student, 89% Faculty Participation; to Fly Flag

The March war bond drive here at Susquehanna ended before Easter recess with a bang-up total of more than \$925 in sales and participation about 99%. Official confirmation of the drive's success will come in the near future with the presentation of the Treasury Department flag. In the meantime plans are being made for a week-long April drive to be staged during the week of April 16th.

This month's drive will be regulated a little differently from last month's. First of all money will be collected from participants before the stamps, etc. are distributed. Secondly, a booth selling stamps will be open twice weekly in the Seibert Parlors for the benefit of students wishing to make regular purchases. This booth will be tended by Margie Barton.

Despite the pre-Easter recess activity the sales total of the last week's drive exceeded the totals of the previous weeks combined by a margin of about \$20 and the student participation.

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## Theta Chi Members and Dates Enjoy Open House

On Saturday evening, April 7, the Beta Omega Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity held its second house party of this current semester from the hours of 8:00 to 11:00 p. m. Throughout the course of the evening ping pong, pool, darts, and dancing were enjoyed by those persons present. Towards the close of the party, a light lunch was served during which time a general informal conversation took place.

Dr. and Mrs. Russell Gilbert, Mr. Elbert Haskins, and Mr. and Mrs. James Charles were the chaperons. The following couples were present: Ruth Cochrane and Bob Stimpus, Marjorie Barton and Art Gelnett, Lenora Garman and Dave Bomby, and Jean Geiger and Jack Warner.

## S/Sgt. Tom Bitterger Reported Missing

Staff Sergeant Thomas D. Bitterger, x44, of Shamokin Dam, who wears the Air Medal and was decorated twice with the Oak Leaf Cluster, has been reported missing in action over Germany since February 24. He was a member of the Eighth Air Force, the 9th Bomber Group, and the 410th Bomber Squadron, located somewhere in England.

Staff Sergeant Bitterger received his basic training in Florida; his college training at Penn College, Cleveland, Ohio; radio training at Sioux Falls, South Dakota; and gunnery training at Yuma, Arizona. He was sent overseas in November, 1944.

While at Susquehanna, Staff Sergeant Bitterger was enrolled in the Business Administration course and was a member of the football team. He is a brother of Miss Frances Bitterger, a senior at Susquehanna.

## SU Debaters Attend Convention at Penn State; To Broadcast

The Tenth Annual Pennsylvania State Debaters' Convention met Friday, March 23, 1945, at the Pennsylvania State Teachers College, State College, Pennsylvania.

The Susquehanna debating team, comprised of Arthur Gelnett, Gloria Gasparoli, Celso Leitzel, and Naomi Garman, departed for its destination Thursday morning. Upon arrival the team debated with the Penn State Women in the parlors of Atherton Hall.

The following morning registration for the convention took place at 9:00, and the convention convened at 10:00.

At 11:00 the first session met and at this time Susquehanna met with the committee on labor disputes.

At the following session from 2:00 to 4:30, the majority and minority reports were formed.

In the evening a banquet was held at the State College Hotel. Each convention had chosen a speaker to speak at the banquet, and Arthur Gelnett was chosen to give a "Toast to the Future."

The last session of the day met at 8:30. The debaters decided on which plan to adopt of the compulsory military training. The majority decided on the voluntary.

The next morning the last session of the convention met at 9:30, and it

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## Spring Sports Program Planned by Coach Stagg

With the coming of Spring to the campus, Coach Stagg has launched plans for a complete Spring Sports Program which will get underway this Wednesday afternoon on the University diamond when the Crusader nine will meet Freeburg High School.

Coach Stagg is building his team around four veterans. These are: Harry Culp, Joseph Taylor, Frank Wolfe, and John Kocsis. Also on this year's team

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## Kay Fox, x47, Engaged to Wed Lt. Gordon Park

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fox, of Bloomfield, N. J., announced the engagement of their daughter Catherine Mary to Lieut. (j.g.) Gordon S. Park, U.S.N.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Park, of Glen Ridge, N. J.

Miss Fox, a former student at Susquehanna and popular member of the sophomore class, was a member of Kappa Delta Phi Sorority. She was an active member of the Business Society and of Theater Guild. Catherine also participated in inter-class sports. Miss Fox is a well-known golfer, and in 1943, she won the Marion Mile Memorial Trophy at Chicago.

Lieut. Park was graduated from Ridley College in Ontario and attended New York University.

## MEN'S STUDENT COUNCIL BEAUTIFIES CAMPUS WITH MEMORIAL EVERGREENS

### Operetta, "The Ghosts of Hilo," to be Given by SU Girls April 20

"The Ghosts of Hilo," an operetta, will be presented by the senior class members of the Conservatory, April 20, in the Chapel.

The story of "The Ghosts of Hilo" takes place in Hawaii near Hilo. The plot revolves around a little girl who was found lost near Hilo during a festival. The girl is taken care of by the princess of Hilo and her people. The action takes place during a similar festival at which the child's identity is discovered.

The Princess Lailani is played by Jean Strauss; Kuulei, Marjorie Stapleton; Malle, Carmen Beckwith; and the little girl, Keblaha, by Jeanette Kramer.

Included in the cast are: Harriet Gould, Jean Kelton, Florence Strouse, Frances Leisenring, Cora Mae Arthur, Frosta Arsenue, Mary Ellen Wood, Dorothy Jupina, Dorothy Wagner, Eleanor Steele, Marian Walker, Gloria Walmer, Betty Jane Herr, Ruth Williams, Ruth Cochrane, Elise Thompson, Hope Spicer, Elsie Thompson, Emily Sidoroff, Ruth Boddorf, Adah Wolfe, Marie Talbot, Anna Miller, Louise Schlick, Lenora Garman, Gayle Clark, Carolyn Frazier, Marie Klock, Virginia Hollock, Dorothy Sternat, Hope Peters, Hope Harbeson, Elro Hacker, and Velma Shook.

Mrs. Alice H. Glauque is General Chairman and Robert Surplus is Conductor.

## "Susquehanna" Staff to be Elected on Friday

Election of the new staff of The Susquehanna will take place on Friday, April 13. Candidates for the election will be selected by the official electoral committee provided by the constitution of the Susquehanna Publishing Association. The members of this committee are: President, Jean Geiger; editor-in-chief, Rine Winey, Jr.; business manager, Corinne Kahn; business advisor, Professor D. I. Reitz;

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## Marian Willard, Senior Com. Student, Engaged

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Marian Willard, a senior at Susquehanna, to 2/c P. O. George Dowlin, now stationed at Pensacola, Florida. The young couple are both from Coatesville, Pennsylvania, and became engaged during the Easter vacation.

Miss Willard, who is a Commercial Education student, has participated in many extra-curricular activities on campus. She is president of Kappa Delta Phi sorority, and a member of the Woman's Athletic Association, the Theater Guild, Alpha Psi Omega, the Business Society, the Inter-Sorority Council, Memorial Council, and the S. C. A. Cabinet.

S. U. wishes both of you the best that life has to offer.

## Trees Memorial to World War II Dead, Victorious SU Teams

About four years ago the student body of Susquehanna gave liberal contributions for a monument in memory of the 1940 undefeated football team. However, nothing had ever been done with this money which was placed in the hands of the Men's Student Council. Probably one of the reasons for this was the fact that the Council had been relatively inactive for two years.

This year a marvelous opportunity arose when it was found that evergreen trees could be purchased at a very low price per individual tree. When the Student Council approached Mr. A. D. Gouger, of Middleburg, who owned the trees, he stated that he would help this worthy cause by donating two trees for every three that the Council purchased. This proposal was accepted and 63 trees were bought to which Mr. Gouger added 42 as his personal gift, making a grand total of 105 trees.

The trees were placed at various places on the campus. One section runs from the lower part of the athletic field along the railroad bank up to the grandstand. Another starts at the heating plant and continues along the railroad bank up to the southwest corner of the girls' tennis courts. Another

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## Phi Mu Delta Pledges Mitchell, Culp, Mould

On Tuesday afternoon, April 3, 1945, Harry Welliver was formally initiated into the Mu Alpha Chapter of the Phi Mu Delta Fraternity. This was followed on Saturday, April 7, by a pledging ceremony, during which time Charles W. Mitchell, Raymond D. Mould, and Harry F. Culp were pledged by the Alpha Chapter, with Brothers Welkel, Stahl, and Kocsis presiding.

Although this group is not large it has been decided that a pledge master is needed to govern them and Roswell J. Johns was chosen to fill this post.

## DR. R. H. RIVENBURG, DR. HOH, SPEAKERS AT COMMENCEMENT

The Commencement plans for the 87th graduating class of Susquehanna University have been made public by President G. Morris Smith.

Dr. Paul J. Hoh will preach the baccalaureate sermon on Friday, May 25, at 7:30 p. m. in Trinity Lutheran Church. Dr. Hoh is the newly elected president of the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Philadelphia. He is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and Philadelphia Seminary and for a number of years has been professor of Practical Theology at the Philadelphia Seminary.

On Saturday morning, May 26, at 10:00 p. m. the Commencement Exercises will be held in Seibert Chapel with Dr. R. H. Rivenburg, Dean and Vice President of Bucknell University, delivering the commencement address. Dr. Rivenburg is a graduate of Bucknell, was honored by John B. Stetson

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Undoubtedly all of us have, at some time in the past few weeks, noticed the men of the college in their most ancient shirts and patched trousers, energetically planting trees along the side of the campus toward the railroad. There, under the direction of Coach Stagg, the men have completed a project which will greatly enhance the beauty of Susquehanna in the years to come. The spirit shown by the fellows in their willingness to help and in their cooperation with Coach certainly exemplifies an interest in the improvement of the campus and a certain amount of pride in their alma mater. The group is to be commended, and in behalf of the student body and faculty, we say, "Thanks a lot fellows. You did a grand job!" J. C. G.

## In 'The Susquehanna'

### One Year Ago

Business Society held an Open House. Students to present the operetta, "The Lost Necklace" April 25.

The Oulja Board is telling all the answers such as Helen Eby will have to wait four years before she can get married, and Tony Payne will become rich just before he dies.

Theatre Guild presented a one-act play, "Bird on Nellie's Hat."

Who is THE MAN referred to in the Campusology column?

There was a Sunday afternoon Open House at Phi Mu.

### Two Years Ago

The Theatre Guild presented "Gaslight Theatre."

The WSSF Drive opened on campus. The Soldier Show, "Barracks Varieties," was presented in Seibert Hall by the 35th C.T.D.

Easter vacation begins Wednesday, April 21.

Lols Kramer was elected SAI's new president for the forthcoming year.

Herm Stuemppfle was elected Prexy of the junior class to replace Ralph Brown, who left for the service.

Theta Chi moved back into their chapter home that was damaged by fire in December.

Marian Willard's George brightened her life with his presence last weekend.

—Be safe and sure—use V-mail in corresponding with service men.

## THE FORUM

Within the past several weeks the war in Europe has with lightning speed approached its climax, and the popular question of the day is, "When will the war with Germany close?" This question was asked a number of students on campus and here are the answers they give:

- Norma Hazen—June 7.
- Joe Taylor—September 15.
- Naomi Garman—March 22, 1946.
- Mr. Stauffer—June 10.
- Evelyn Wilhour—June 28.
- Franklin Wolfe—July 2.
- Jackie Braveman—April 24.
- Mary Ellen Wood—Feb. 26, 1946.
- Lenora Garman—June 15.
- Jean Kelly—June 20.
- Jean Kelton—June 15.
- Dottie Jupina—December 20.
- Arla Bilger—May 15.
- Mary Lizzio—October 15.
- Jack Warner—May 15.
- Ann Malkames—June 14.
- Pat Snyder—June 15.
- John Koests—August 21.
- Miss Unangst—April 30.
- Ruth Williams—July 15.
- Jayne Troutman—July 20.
- Ros Johns—July 16.
- Mary Lib Basehoar—May 26.
- Gayle Clark—May 31.
- Helene Lepley—July 22.
- Dot Elhardt—September 1.
- Ruby Meyers—September 2.
- Harry Culp—July 1.
- Stelena Lehman—September 3.
- Carmen Beckwith—August 10.
- Peggy Bathgate—September 1.
- Gloria Reichley—November 11.
- Rhoda Klemens—May 20.
- Dawn Ebert—July 30.
- Harriet Gould—May 13.

### SPRING SPORTS PROGRAM PLANNED BY COACH STAGG

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are Jerry Moore, Ray Mould and Harry Welliver, and several other freshmen.

In addition to baseball, Coach Stagg expects to start a golf tournament April 18th in which all male students of the campus are eligible for entrance. One week following this the tennis tournaments will start and continue throughout this term. As soon as weather permits the athletic staff of the university expects to hold a sport period every Saturday afternoon from two to five.

## CAMPUSOLOGY

The Hit Parade of songs for this week shows The Easter Parade to be tops with all of S. U. parading home or to some other metropolitan area—New York, Philly, and Littlestown heading the list. Sara Lee Smith did "the" town with Joan Smith, while Radio City was the drawing card for Gayle, who visited Ruthie Williams, and for "Charlie" Walker. Jean Wheat met Dottie Macarow up there, and Ira's house was full of Larry for the duration of the vacation. "Ricky" went home with Edith McConnell, and Philly caught a glimpse of Virginia Hallock too before she headed home. Didn't I say something about another, big city? Oh, yes, Littlestown was the place and that's where Corinne stayed with Mary Lib. Guess that about winds up the wanderings—for the rest of us it was "Home Sweet Home"!!!!

It's Loehengrin for our Kay who will tie the well-known knot two weeks hence, the 20th to be exact. The lucky groom will be Lt. Gordon Park of the Navy Air Corps. The wedding bells peeped for a couple of former S. U. kids—Helen Hocker and Glenn Schuler, Saturday, and that's where "Ben" and Lou went—Lou to be the Maid of Honor. And did you know Janie Laubach married that doctor of hers.

## I Wonder Why

Gloria Gasparoli was so excited about a certain sailor's being here on Campus this past weekend. Yes, we'll admit, Eve's getting better looking every time we see him.

... Harry Welliver gets into so many people's dreams. Not that we can blame them.

... Jean Wentley is always talking about a certain person by the name of "My Bill." Yes, from all reports, we understand that she consistently dreams about him.

... G. G. Roberts is wearing a Sunbury High School ring. Of course, that goes vice versa for the other party concerned, too. How about it, Jerry???

... Woodpeckers are the favorite birds of S. U.'s student body.

... Tony Payne likes Saturday afternoon dates down at Reich's. Ditto for Saturday evenings, too.

... Toby and Paula are so enthralled with their new tap dancing routine. But we'll all get to see it the night of the Operetta. It's strictly "all-ree!" from what we've seen of it so far.

... So few student attend the S. C. A. meetings. You're really missing something very worth while, you know.

... There was so much excitement Saturday afternoon down at Hassinger. Could it have been Jean Wentley and her fiancée, Ralph, who caused it???

... Caroline and Gay had so much fun with their sailor dates last Saturday night. You're pretty good sports, kids.

... Louise Schlick makes such funny faces when she plays the violin. It must be the expression she wants to get into the music or else it's a hangover from the S. A. I. party, "An Evening in Paris."

... Russ Brown has been looking so bright and cheerful these past few weeks. He mustn't have a care in the world.

... Everybody is doing their best to get summer jobs. It's a good sign, Gee! But this year has gone quickly, but I guess, the summer months will fly by just as quickly.

... Jack Larsen always blushes when the girls smile at him.

... Joe and Annie seem lost when they're out together.

... Betty Frank likes blue convertibles. But then, don't we all!

And then there are those others singing "I Love You" and just to prove it take a look at that ring on Marian's finger. You all saw George, the Seabeer, who forms the other half of that happy pair when he was here, didn't you? If you didn't, you're missing something!!!! And for those of you who remember Jean Wentling, she's done it too and Ralph, the man Pae Smith introduced her to last year is the one to whom she is attached. It's fun being an old maid though—

From Calform-1-a came a huge package addressed to Miss Gayle Clark the other day, and my only regret is that I wasn't around to share some of the luscious California fruit therein. Who sent it? All I know is that he's a sailor.

Poor Al's song as he plowed through the cards in Seibert Hall was Some Day I'll Find You. He wouldn't tell who his search hoped to reveal 'cause I might tell, but we fooled him, didn't we?

Was that Dig Down Dep we heard the ll' boys singing as they excavated the terrain on the athletic field to prepare a place for the little trees that were just aching to be planted? Now I Know just how things stand between Jerry and G. G. and Ann and Ross—it's Another One of Them Things.

Now I'm All for Love but when it comes to playing Cupid and carrying notes from my eighth grade boys to Edith McC, I begin to draw the line. It seems she made quite a hit with them at the play and they haven't been able to settle down to history since.

Aldo is one of those boys whose singing of I'll Walk Alone is one of the reasons why the gals around here have to spend their own money Saturday nights—and Boyer can be included here, too. And while we're on the subject, how about the rest of you lone wolves giving the gals a break now and then?

The Very Thought of You and all the boys give orders to Uncle Sam and come dashing up to see the object of their thoughts—Eve is here again, and Dottie Jupina's boyfriend managed to get in for a few hours Sunday morning.

Then Carolyn Pfahler's friend—now of the Navy helped her to forget that Saturday Night is the loneliest night in the week.

Florien Bilger made a very desperate attempt to make me think her trip home this weekend was made to see her parents, but after all the Easter vacation being so close behind sort of makes me think she had other plans—could it be her Silent Love?

You're So Easy to Dance With very accurately describes just how Tony feels about Paula, and that's very obvious, too.

Both Rine and Hope are singing I'm a Little on the Lonely Side and to help matters along, Rine has been sending her letters by special delivery, no less (I wonder if he pays his sister anything?)

There, I've Said It Again for another issue, so 'bye till I can get together some more Stuff Like That There.

LaVerne

### "SUSQUEHANNA" STAFF TO BE ELECTED ON FRIDAY

(Continued from Page 1) editorial advisor, Dr. Arthur H. Wilson. The new staff members will begin their activities by preparing the first issue of The Susquehanna in May. The offices to be filled are: Editor-in-Chief, Managing Editor, News Editor, Business Manager, Circulation Manager, Advertising Manager, Reporters, and Business Assistants.



# OUR FROSH

**MARTHA SHARWAKO**, better known as "Marty," comes from Hazleton. Her hobby is writing to "Hen" and at the same time, her favorite branch of service is the Navy. Marty wants to be a lab technician doing hospital work when she leaves S. U. This small 5' 2" lass likes swimming, steak (barbecued), and a stuffed duck called "Myrtle." For reading she likes "Seventeen," "Mademoiselle," and "Rebecca." In the musical and movie world her favorites are Ronald Reagan, Vaughn Monroe, "Moonlight Serenade," and "I'll Remember April."

**ANNA SHEETZ**, 5' 3", from Nazareth, likes basketball, softball, and hiking. She enjoys reading the "Popular Science Monthly," "The Robe," "Men Against Death," and "Arrowsmith." Anna is majoring in the pre-med course and expects to enter medical school after leaving here. Her hobby is blue-printing. She also likes Tom Drake, Rita Hayworth, "Confessing," "Racing With the Moon," and bulldogs. In foods she likes chocolate pudding, lemon meringue pie, French fried potatoes, and steak.

**VELMA SHOOK**, who hails from Pen Argyl, is 5' 6" tall. She is majoring in music and likes Tommy Dorsey and "How Many Times Do I Have to Tell You." She enjoys a football game, but for an active sport likes horseback riding with her horse "Lady." The Army is her favorite branch, as her brother is a part of it. The "Saturday Evening Post" and "Those" are her favorite reading material. She also likes anything chocolate and Van Johnson.

**BETTY SMITH** is 5' 6 1/2" tall and is majoring in Mathematics. She claims Woodsboro, Md., as her hometown. Swimming is her favorite sport, but reading is her hobby. "Seventeen" and "Those" by Pearl Buck are favorites. Her special liked dish is baked macaroni with cheese. In actors she likes John Hodiak and in bands, Tommy Dorsey. Betty expects to teach after college. She has visited Canada as far as the Canadian National Exhibition.

**JOAN SMITH**, 5' 3" from Woodsmere, Long Island, likes tennis and horseback riding. She is majoring in Journalism and expects to take a post graduate course at Columbia. Her branch is the Air Corps due to the boyfriend. She likes the "Ladies Home Journal" and books by Jack London and Somerset Maugham. In food she likes ice cream and sea foods. Other favorites are Spencer Tracy, Bette Davis, Glenn Miller, "I'll Remember April," and a cocker spaniel dog. Travels included Cuba and Canada.

**SARA LEE SMITH**, known as "Smitty," is 5' 6" tall, coming from Scranton. She is majoring in Psychology and wants to be a housewife. Her branch is also the Army Air Corps. Collecting foreign dolls is her hobby. She enjoys reading "Good Housekeeping" and "Gone With the Wind." Bob Walker, Glenn Miller, and "I Dream of You" rank high with her. Other favorites include swimming, steak, cherry pie, chocolate cake, and a pet dog.

**PAULINE SOLOMON**, who comes from Cedarhurst, Long Island, is 5' 3 1/2" tall. Her favorite branch is the Army Air Corps too. She is majoring in the Commercial Course. Canoeing is her favorite sport. She likes any books by Cronin and "Better Homes and Gardens." Huge juicy steaks sound very appetizing to her. Her favorite singer is Marilyn Myles.

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# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Student Christian Association

On Thursday evening, April 5, the regular meeting of the S. C. A. was held in the Social Rooms of Seibert Hall.

Jean Geiger was in charge of the program for the evening. Harriet Glood sang "Ave Maria," and she was accompanied by Marie Klick. The message for the evening was delivered by Art Gelnett. He emphasized the fact that religion should be of prime importance in our lives. We must never be too busy for God. He reminded us that the door of life is ever gradually closing, and that we must not wait until the end of our lives to accept Christ.

Pastor Heller announced that Sunday, April 8, would be Young People's Sunday in Trinity Lutheran Church, and he invited all students to attend the service.

Pastor Heller closed the meeting by pronouncing the benediction.

## Sigma Alpha Iota

The newly elected officers of SAI for next year are: President, Dorothy Stenat; vice president, Elise Thompson; secretary, Janet Rohrbach; treasurer, Dorothy Jupina; chaplain, Marie Klick; editor, Anne Miller; and sergeant-at-arms, Emily Botdorf. The end of April a visit from the Province President, Mrs. Sue Sullivan, is expected.

The party with the patronesses was very successful. The old program of "An Evening in Paris," was presented by the request of the patronesses. A very enjoyable evening was had by all.

and the sorority wishes to thank the patronesses for making possible such a pleasant party.

## Kappa Delta Phi

On Tuesday evening, April 3, at 8:00 an April Fool's party was given to the active members of Sigma Alpha Iota and Omega Delta Sigma by the active members of Kappa Delta Phi. Many were fooled when they proceeded to the sorority room only to find that the party was to be held in the social rooms. Here everyone had refreshments and were entertained by members of K. D. P.

A buffet supper for the active members will be held on Thursday, April 12.

## Pi Gamma Mu

The Pennsylvania Gamma Chapter of Susquehanna University of the National Pi Gamma Mu met last night at the home of Dr. Theodore Kretschmann.

The regular business meeting was conducted by the president, Rine Winney. Final plans were made to have a dinner meeting in May at the Colonial Tea Room.

Mr. Harold Bolig, principal of the Pine Street School, gave a very interesting talk about his activities with the Red Cross in Italy. A general round table discussion followed and many points were stressed about the activities of the Red Cross. Refreshments were then served.

—Buy War Bonds and Stamps.

## SU DEBATERS AT CONVENTION

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adopted the majority report on voluntary means of solving labor disputes. Susquehanna was on the majority.

Before the convention was dismissed, officers were elected for the convention next year. On Tuesday evening, April 10, at 8:00 p. m. the debating team will broadcast a fifteen minute program over station WKOK, Sunbury.

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## At the Stanley

Mon., Tues., April 9, 10, "Lost in a Harem," (Met) Abbot and Costello are at it again.

Wed., April 11, "Three's a Family," (U. A.) Sol Lesser gets all mixed up with twins in a New York apartment at that. Plenty of babies!

Thurs.-Sat., April 12-14, "Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo," (Met) The drama, pathos, and tragedy of Jimmy Doolittle's (Spencer Tracy) trail-blazing bombing in 1942 faithfully told. The story tells of hero Ted Lawson (Van Johnson) one of the actual pilots, and Phyllis Thaxter as his wife. A thriller, I'd say!

Mon., Tues., April 16, 17, "Tall in the Saddle," (RKO), John Wayne in the saddle again in a typical Western in the best sagebrush tradition. Better than usual.

Wed., Thurs., April 18, 19, "Sunday Dinner for a Soldier," (Fox) When a lone soldier (John Hodiak) spends the day with a family including a marriageable girl (Anne Baxter) Well, the rest is up to you.

Also "Fighting Lady," (color) an aircraft carrier's career, not likely to be beaten.

Fri., Sat., April 20, 21, "Hollywood Cantata," (WB) including Joan Leslie, Robert Hutton, Bette Davis, etc., with Roy Rogers singing the well known "Don't Fence Me In." For a collection of stars, don't miss it!

## AT THE STRAND

Mon.-Wed., April 9-11, "Sunday Dinner for a Soldier," also "Fighting Lady."

Thurs.-Sat., April 12-14 "Bring on the Girls," including Eddie Bracken, Veronica Lake, and Sonny Tufts.

Mon., Tues., April 16, 17, "Practically Yours," with Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray.

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### A Former SU Air Student Speaks

Fight Officer Frederick E. Machmer brought back to Selingsrove this week one of the kind of stories our people like to hear.

F/O Machmer related that at Childers Army Air Field he and a casual acquaintance were walking along the runway to their planes, when their conversation turned to a paying of respects to that arid section of Texas. Remember his companion:

"Of all the places I have been in this war, I found a little town in Pennsylvania the most to my liking. I passed several months there as an aviation student in a CTD at a small university."

"Where was that?" inquired F/O Machmer.

"Susquehanna University, Selingsrove," was the reply.

"Well shake on that," exclaimed our townsman, "that's my home."

In the hustle of the landing the men were separated at that instant, but they met at twilight and engaged in a pleasant review of reviews of this part of the Susquehanna Valley.

"I hope to return to Selingsrove to complete my college education," declared the praiser of these parts. "That beautiful sector is my idea of God's country. The people of the town were so cordial I will never forget their kindnesses. Needless to say, I was most favorably impressed with the University too."

He was F/O Jeremiah S. Mann, of Palbarmarie, North Carolina.

—Reprinted from The Selingsrove Times-Tribune.

### MARCH STAMP DRIVE GREAT SUCCESS

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tion average of 96% was only 1% below that of the previous week.

Student body participation during the four weeks of the drive stayed above 95%, the faculty participation, which began at 80%, almost hit the 90% line the last two weeks. Total faculty sales for all three weeks were \$594.30; total student sales, \$331.87.

The junior class had the highest participation in the student body. It had 100% participation for each of the three weeks. Following on the heels of the juniors were the sophomore and senior classes, both averaging 100% for

two weeks and a little below 95% for one week. The large freshman class finished the final weeks with about the same percentage as the first week (98%), making 93% the second week.

Last month's success should make the drive in April much easier. Remember the goal is 100% participation. Perhaps your stamp—and yours—and yours will go toward that jeep for the final push on Berlin!

### MEN'S STUDENT COUNCIL BEAUTIFIES CAMPUS

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line of trees was placed around the lower part of the girls' hockey field while eight other trees were used to outline the form of the triangle formed by the fork of the road between the gymnasium and the hockey field. This triangle is to honor those men of Susquehanna who have given their lives in the present conflict. Other trees were placed individually around the campus, such as the one at the entrance to the day students room in Hassinger Hall.

Already the trees have added to the beauty of Susquehanna's campus and when they reach heights of ten and twelve feet they will greatly enhance the pictorial beauty of our campus.

The members of the Men's Student Council in charge of the planting of these trees were: Jack Warner, president; Celo Letzel, vice president; Rine Winey, secretary-treasurer; and John Kocsis, Robert Surplus, Frank Wolfe, Roswill Johns, and Bernard Swiencki. Dr. Russel Gilbert is the faculty advisor.

The Council wishes to thank Coach Stagg, who has given freely of his time and efforts to assist in the planting of these trees as well as Mr. A. D. Gougler who gave a large number of the trees and to all the men students on campus who aided in the work. Finally it should be remembered that these trees were placed in memory of the 1940 football team of Susquehanna University.

### DR. R. H. RIVENBURG, DR. HOH SPEAKERS AT COMMENCEMENT

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University in 1928 with the LL.D., degree. In 1923 he was appointed dean at Bucknell. Besides his work at Bucknell he has been very prominent in higher education in Pennsylvania and has held a number of important positions in the academic world.

On Thursday evening, May 24, there will be a Commencement Party in the gymnasium by the graduating class, but it is not as yet definite.

On Friday, at 12:30 p. m., President Smith will have his annual Luncheon for the seniors at which time the class will announce its gift to the school. At 5:00 p. m. the class, with parents, friends, and Alumni will meet for a re-

ception on the lawn of the Presidents' home. At the evening meal the class will be inducted into the SU Alumni Association.

Following Commencement Exercises on Saturday, at 12:10 the Trustees' Dinner will be held in Horton Dining Hall for the class, parents, friends, and faculty.

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## All Soldier Orchestra to Present Concert

### Operetta, "Ghosts of Hilo," Dances Score Great Success at SU

"Ah—what a lovely princess!" "What horrible ghosts!" No, these aren't excerpts from some fairy tales, but instead they are remarks that could be heard amongst the members of the appreciative audience that enjoyed the performance of "The Ghosts of Hilo," an operetta by Paul Bliss, on Friday evening, April 20, at 8:15.

The story of "The Ghosts of Hilo," takes place in a glen near Hilo, a town on one of the Hawaiian Islands. The superstitious residents of Hilo are celebrating the Feast of Laka, as they do each year. It was at such a celebration a few years before that a little girl had been found in the glen. The Princess of Hilo took the child and brought her up as her own sister. The "Little Sister," as the child is called, and her governess, Malle, a sorceress, don't get along very well together, and their constant bickering creates many amusing sequences for the inhabitants of Hilo.

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### ART GELNETT TO HEAD 'SUSQUEHANNA'; MARIE KLICK ELECTED WSC PRESIDENT

#### Marj Barton Business Mgr.

The 1945-46 Susquehanna Staff was elected Friday, April 21, by the Susquehanna Publishing Association. The new Staff shall assume their duties with the next issue of the Susquehanna.

The Editor for next year is Arthur J. Gelnett, a junior day student from Selingsgrove. Mr. Gelnett is also a prominent member of Theta Chi Fraternity, the Debater's Club, the Student Christian Association, and the Biemic Society. He is an ex-service man.

Jacqueline Braveman, a sophomore of New York City, is Managing Editor. Jean Kelly, also of the sophomore class, of Goshen, New York, is the News Editor.

Miss Marjorie Barton, a junior from Williamsport, is the Business Manager of the paper. Miss Barton is a member of Omega Delta Sigma, the Business Society, Theatre Guild, Alpha Psi

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#### Stapleton Judiciary Head

Elections for student council members for 1945-1946 were held from 8:30 to 12:00 noon on Thursday, April 12. The results were as follows: president, Marie Klick; judiciary chairman, Marjorie Stapleton; house president, Betty Jane Herr; social chairman, Helen Eby; and publicity chairman, Jean Wheat. The day student representative is Norma Jane Hazen.

Miss Klick, junior conservatory student from Wind Gap, is very active in religious groups on campus and in the Susquehanna Area. She is also prominent in other campus activities.

Miss Stapleton, also a conservatory student, is from Williamsport, and a member of the cabinet of S. C. A., Theatre Guild, and Alpha Psi Omega, and the concert orchestra.

Both Miss Herr, of Hazleton, and Miss Eby, of Newport, are sophomore Commercial Education students, while

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### Concert in Conjunction With War Loan Rally

#### Will Present Treasury Flag

On Friday evening, April 27, at 8 p. m., in Seibert Chapel, Susquehanna, as well as the residents of Selingsgrove will have the opportunity of hearing "The Infantry Concert Group," an all soldier orchestra consisting of 17 enlisted men.

This concert, which is in recognition of the participation that Snyder County has given in the past six War Loan Drives, will also feature a short address by a Lieutenant of the United States Army who has only shortly returned from overseas. The Snyder County Chairman of the War Finance Committee, Mr. J. G. Thompson, Jr., of Middleburg, emphasized the fact that there will be no bonds sold or pledges taken at the rally, but pointed

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## APRIL WAR STAMP DRIVE NETS \$116.95, 87% PARTICIPATION

About \$117 in war bonds and stamps were purchased during the April drive which was conducted last week with a student participation of 87%. The Junior class, tops in the March competition, clinched the title again with 100% participation; the sophomores had 89%, the seniors 85% and the freshmen 80%. Beginning this week, a booth operated by Marjorie Barton, will be open one night a week after supper for those persons who have not as yet bought their stamp for the month of April.

The Business Society is responsible for the purchase of the Treasury Department flag now hanging in the rear of Seibert Auditorium. It has not been placed on the flag pole because of the thirty day observance and national mourning for the late President Roosevelt.

Plans are already being formulated for the May Drive which will be held near the beginning of the month. Be sure and fill up your book by buying a stamp every week at the booth; give your money promptly to the collector next month. Keep faith with your country's future and buy bonds!

### SAI, Theta Chi Receive Scholastic Award Cups

In Academic Recognition Day Exercises in chapel on Monday, April 23, Dean Galt presented the sorority and fraternity scholastic cups.

SAI's president, Dorothy Sternat accepted the cup for her sorority which had a scholastic average of 1.87. In second place was KDP and then ODS. KDP had won the cup last year.

Theta Chi took permanent possession of the fraternity cup this year by winning it three successive years. Their president, Jack Warner, accepted the cup. Theta Chi had a 2.11 average, while Bond and Key was second followed by Phi Mu Delta.

### Bob Cox, x '46, Arnold Meszaros, x '46, Killed; Jack Boyer Cited for Gallantry; Sheetz Liberated

#### Sgt. Robert Cox

Sgt. Robert Cox, x'46, of Newport, Pa., has been listed among the Susquehanna men who have given their lives for their country. A telegram was received by his parents on April 12, stating that Bob was killed in action on March 31st somewhere in Germany.

Bob graduated from Newport Union High School in 1942 and entered Susquehanna that fall. He took the Liberal Arts course and had planned to major in chemistry. Bob was a member of Theta Chi Fraternity.

Sgt. Cox became a member of the Army Reserve and left Susquehanna with a contingent of S. U. fellows in February, 1943. His basic training was received at Camp Selbert, Ala., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, and Georgia University. Bob left for overseas August 8, 1944.

#### Pvt. Arnold Meszaros

Pvt. Arnold Meszaros who attended Susquehanna during the school year of 1942-1943, and left February, 1943, when the Army Reserve was called, is listed among those giving his life for his country.

He was wounded Nov. 18, 1944 in the

Huertgen Forest battle as a volunteer in wiping out an enemy machine gun emplacement. He was hospitalized in Britain, returning to the front line on February 28, 1945, and was killed March 3, 1945. While he was in Britain he met a former SU classmate, Sgt. Robert Fisher, of Selingsgrove.

When Arnold was on campus, he was guard on the 1942 football team. He was a member of Phi Mu Delta fraternity and was enrolled in the Liberal Arts course.

Private Meszaros was a graduate of Irvington High School, Irvington-on-Hudson, N. Y., and is the eighth Susquehanna man to be killed in the present conflict.

#### Sgt. Jack Boyer

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Levi Boyer of Sunbury that their son, Jack, x'46, has been awarded a citation for gallantry in action. Sgt. Boyer is a member of the Parachute Engineers and was given the citation for the efficiency, and coolness with which he led his men while under heavy fire by the enemy.

Jack graduated from Sunbury High

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### DEBATE TEAM OF PENN STATE VISITS SU; TO DEBATE FRI.

On Friday, April 27 at 8 o'clock the Susquehanna University debate team will be host to the Penn State Women's debate team. There will be two debates, both held in Steele Science. In one, our affirmative will refute their negative, and in the other our negative will refute their affirmative.

Our affirmative team consists of Celso Leitze and Naomi Garman and our negative of Gloria Gasparoff and Arthur Gelnett. The question to be debated

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### Bond & Key Pledges 2; Narayan An Honorary

On Monday evening, April 2, 1945, at 8 p. m. Jack C. Larsen and Ronald H. Boyer were made pledges of Bond and Key at investiture ceremonies at the club home.

Larsen is a first semester freshman, having entered SU the beginning of this semester. His home is in New York City and he is taking the Business Administration course.

Boyer is a sophomore whose home is in Pillow, Pa. He is a Liberal Arts student.

On Monday evening, April 16, Ongkar Narayan became an Honorary of Bond and Key. Frank Wolfe presided at the meeting. Ongkar is a native of British Guiana and is taking the pre-med course at SU. He is residing at the Governor Snyder Hotel.

### Business Society Holds Open House at Phi Mu

On Saturday evening, April 21, from 8 to 11:30 p. m. the Business Society of SU held its second annual spring party at Phi Mu Delta Fraternity House.

Dancing in the parlors to the tunes of many of the name bands was the highlight of the evening for many, while others found the ping-pong table to be equally entertaining. Then too, what party on campus would be complete without the outja board telling all the answers, and judging from some of the howls of laughter the outja board was telling all.

During the entire party punch was served, and then later in the evening delicious refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, punch, cookies, and minis were served in the dining room on decorated tables.

In addition to the large number of business students and guests attending were the chaperons, Miss Allison and Professor Reitz.

Much credit should be extended to the men at Phi Mu for their hospitality, and to all who worked hard to make the party such an enjoyable success.

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## THE MASTHEAD CHANGES

With this issue of "The Susquehanna," the 53rd chapter has been completed in the existence of our school paper. Yes, through three wars, times of prosperity and depression The Susquehanna has continued to go to press and reported the news of our school.

Many times that news has been cheerful and good and made us happy, but within the past several years we have had to read stories that have brought sadness to us—stories that we wish would not need to be published or read, for they have carried the news of our classmates and friends who have paid the supreme sacrifice.

Our school paper this year has not been as large, nor has it been published as frequently as it used to be but nevertheless we feel proud and humble of our task. We have made mistakes, received criticism; had successes, and received praises, but our only hope is that the enjoyment you received in reading the paper was as much as the pleasure we had in editing it.

Our most sincere thanks go to all who have worked hard in making the success of the paper possible—to every reporter and every business assistant.

And then, to our new editor and the other members of the new staff, may we extend our best wishes that the forthcoming issues of "The Susquehanna" will be better than any in the past.

R. W.

## FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

On April 12, 1945 at 6:00 p. m., small groups of students could be seen on Susquehanna's campus talking in hushed voices. Some of the students wept silently, others muttered mute prayers, and all of them felt the heaviness within their hearts. They were all mourning the death of the President of the United States, Franklin D. Roosevelt. We here at Susquehanna are just a few of the millions of people all over the world who felt the great loss that has befallen us.

Perhaps now after the President's death, so unfortunate to mankind, we realize his worth even more than we

did when he was living. We shall never forget and fail to feel proud of having lived in these United States under such fine leadership. Now we must turn our eyes on the new President, and devote our full cooperation and loyalty to him. At this time no job could be as difficult as the one President Truman now faces. Let us all, as Americans, realize our loss, but at the same time look to the future with hope and faith in our hearts.

G. G.

## At the Stanley

April 23 - 25, Mon. - Wed., "Music for Millions" (Met) Backstage at Symphony Hall in New York with Jose Iturbi conducting, Jimmy Durante supplying the fun. A little girl (Margaret O'Brien) looking for her sister (June Allyson). Really, it's a picture you can't miss.

April 26 - 27, Thurs - Fri—"Keys of the Kingdom" (Fox) A heartwarming story of the life of a priest (Gregory Peck) with all his trials of life as a Chinese missionary. The best movie in months.

April 28, Sat., "Melody Trail" (Rep.) Sounds like some good old-fashioned western tunes. We'll have to go find out.

April 30, May 1, "Practically Yours" (Para) A Navy hero's "last words" can prove quite embarrassing when he turns up alive, but Fred MacMurray and Claudette Colbert straighten that all out!

May 2, Wed., "Paris After Dark" (Fox) What could this movie be all about? You'll have to see for yourself.

May 3, 4, Thurs, Fri., "Bring on the Girls" (Para) Color! When Eddie Bracken inherits two hundred million, with a gold-digger like Veronica Lake on his trail something is bound to happen. The appearance of Marjorie Reynolds settles things. Doesn't sound bad!

May 5, Sat., "Sing Me a Song of Texas" (Col.) For a lively Saturday night you just can't miss this latest sensation! But it's up to you.

AT THE STRAND  
April 23-25, Mon. - Wed. "Together Again"

April 26-28, Thurs. - Sat. "For Whom the Bells Toll"

April 30 - May 1, Mon., Tues. "Between Two Women"

May 2, 3, Wed., Thurs., "None But the Lonely Heart"

## CAMPUSOLOGY

Well, students, this is the last time I'll be hanging over the back fence and gossiping about this and that—hope you've enjoyed it as much as I have. But before I go, there are a few things I'd like to tell you.

Seems to me like I ought to suggest you keep your eyes on a new couple arising on the S. U. horizon—Marge Barton and Art Gelnett. It started with that Theta Chi Open House and has been blossoming ever since. (Editor's Note) And then there's that couple you haven't been hearing much about in Campusology lately. Maybe LaVerne is too modest to mention it, but everyone knows that Charlie and she are getting along verr-ry well.

And while I'm on the subject of blossoms, did you know that every time Hilda goes home, Johnny presents her with a corsage to make sure she doesn't forget that he's back here, better than a string around the finger, I'd say!! And say, what a cute little number that sister of John's is! Hope you girls all put a ball and chain around your men!

May I be so bold as to ask right out in public whether there is a lipstick shortage too? Or is it the style to go around without it so upon occasions it won't be conspicuous by its absence? Couldst tell me, Max and Adele?

What gives with Angie and Dave?

## I Wonder Why

... Mary Lib and Corinne had such a swell time Sunday afternoon. And yes, we'll agree, the Navy blue sure is tops.

... Smith and Walker are fooling around with "peach fuzz."

... Peggy Bathgate was "blooming" Saturday night at the Phi Mu Business Society Openhouse. Yes, we do believe in that time-honored proverb, "Say it with flowers."

... Alvin Glanzberg is so handy at climbing through windows to aid ladies in distress.

... Jack Larsen looked so glum this weekend. Could it have been because Helen was at Kings Point, New York?

... Scrubbing and buffing was so intense after the opera Friday night. They tell me that the make up was rather difficult to remove. In case you're interested as to what the "Hawaiian girls" used on their arms and legs, it was leg paint.

... Harriet, Betty, Carolyn and Gay had such a good time at their picnic last Sunday evening. Yes, food does taste extremely delicious cooked out over an open fire.

... Ira can't make up his mind between Corinne Frey and Joan Reyner.

... Toby and Paula didn't have an encore for us Friday night. Kids, your dance was a riot!!

... All the girls are crazy about pinching Dave's cheeks. Go ahead, girls, try it. Dave won't mind in the least!

... Jean Wentzel was so glad to see her brother, David, this past Sunday afternoon. Motorcycles certainly are handy things for traveling these days, aren't they??

... Marie Stout was so excited the other day after looking in her mail box and finding a post card. Oh, yes, seems to me that the post card was signed "Love, Bruce." Enuf said!!

... Betty Reisch's favorite song is "I Love to Whistle."

... Bobby Kain enjoys playing Gin Rummy. She's so wild about the game that she'll even make her own deck to play with.

... Ruthie Cochrane was so embarrassed during the Daldans Friday night. Well, Bob, you needn't have sat there in the front row roaring with laughter.

Reminds me a little of a stop and go light—off and on—till I can't figure out what the score is! Dave seems to be rapidly developing into a play-boy giving all the girls a break!! And Angie isn't doing so badly either what with that Sunbury soldier taking her for a spin to enjoy the fine Spring breeze!!!!

The party at Phi Mu brought out some of those hibernating walrus like Dex who took care of Gloria Walmer, and Roy Stall with B. J. Fisher. Saw Edie and Ray there too—glad to see that little affair is back on the ball again. Jack Larsen dropped into show everybody his sad and lost look—it was obvious that Helen had gone away for the weekend. "Doc" and Al were tripping the light fantastic too while Peggy and Harry were planning their future by the Oulja board. Dave Kemberling came in alone but left with Ruthie.

I'm still looking for a beautiful blond about so high who comes from the same town as one of the two sailors that came from Bucknell to investigate conditions at S. U. two Saturdays ago. That was the description he gave me anyway, but we couldn't find her so they just spent the evening in Selbert's parlors and at Reich's keeping all the girls happy. If any of you females think you fit the specifications, just get in touch with Bob! Oh, how about those two that came down to see Mary Lib and Corinne? You'll see them again at the dance—pretty snazzy blind dates, agree???

I've heard rumors to the effect that Herbie and Pauline were getting quite friendly these days, and also some about Rhoda's mysterious admirer who takes up a lot of her time—these rumors!!!!

Jack Warner doesn't believe in putting all his eggs in one basket—the newest addition to his affections is Jean Keiton—let's see, how many does that make now?

At first I thought I'd have a sure-fire news item with Carolyn Graybill and Aldo until I saw that young man out with Emily Botsdorf the other night. But then he's back with Carolyn again so it's O.K. to add them to your list of prospective steadies, and I think now we can put down Ira and Joan Reyner too, and Fae Smith and one of those boys I used to teach history to—Jack Trease of Selinsgrove.

Marty's boyfriend was here again—only this time I got to see him for myself—yummy!!!! Mom's mother and Jane Huffman's mother were here too—and that takes care of the Hazleton news for this week.

Mary Jane Zane's twin brother sure does look sharp in that uniform—from what I hear this was a surprise visit, but what a surprise!! Velma Shook's mother came to see her daughter and S. U. too.

Couldn't tell the difference between the front porch of Selbert Hall and a 5th Avenue, N. Y., fashion show two Saturdays ago when the gang gathered there—Elaine, Smitty, Bobbie, Joan, Toby, Paula, Lucille, and whom I took to be Lucille's sister and another friend—really caught the eye!!!

Wish I were a little mouse so I could be there for the reunion Jean Kinzer and a boy that she hasn't seen in four years (who's home on a furlough)! Talk about exciting events! "Bubbles" is having a reunion too—with a man who's been away for two years. How long Rubye Meyers' Ensign Jimmy has been absent I don't know, but she's home to see him nevertheless.

And now it's time to say Bye, kids! Here's to a bigger and better gossiping in the future.

LaVerne



# OUR FROSH

**ROY STAHL** who towers 6' comes from Pittston. He is majoring in the Music Education Course and would like to go to graduate school when he leaves S. U. For reading pleasure he enjoys the *Ebude Magazine* or "*Grapes of Wrath*." Joseph Cotton is his favorite actor. Fred Waring is his favorite orchestra leader, and "I'm Confessing" his favorite song. Along the food lines Roy prefers a nice big steak. Here's another Navy rooster.

**ELEANOR STEELE**, who comes from the capitol city of Harrisburg, is 5' 6" tall. Hockey and baseball are her favorite sports. She is majoring in English. Her favorite orchestra is that of Charlie Spivak, and her favorite song is "My Heart Sings." The "Reader's Digest" and mystery books provide Eleanor with interesting reading material. Among other favorites are cherry pie a la mode, Greer Garson, Van Johnson, and a fox terrier, "Timmy." Service preference—Army Air Force Intelligence.

**ELLEN STEIN** is 5' 3" tall and comes from South Orange, N. J. She is also majoring in English and expects to marry when she leaves S. U. You can always hear her talking of "my Bill." "Everything I Love" is her favorite song. She enjoys the books of Oscar Wilde and A. J. Cronin and the "Cosmopolitan." Horseback riding is her favorite sport. Ice cream, Greer Garson, and Charlie Spivak also rank high with Ellen.

**MARIE STOUT** claiming Neptune, N. Y., as her hometown is 5' 3" tall. Her hobby is collecting records. This wee lass prefers the Navy "because my ideal is in it." Marie is majoring in the Commercial Education Course and would like to be an accountant. "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" is her favorite book, but she also enjoys the "Reader's Digest." Among other favorites are swimming, steak, dogs, Joan Fontaine, Tommy Dorsey, and "Sentimental Journey."

**RITA SWEEDLER** better known as "Toby," is 5' 2 1/2" tall and comes from Larchmont, N. Y. "Toby" is taking the two year Business Course and expects to work then get married. Ice skating and tennis are her favorite sports. She prefers the Army Air Corps. Tommy Dorsey is her favorite orchestra leader and "Always" her favorite song. "Toby" enjoys romantic and mystery books and the "American" magazine. Chocolate cake, cats, Gregory Peck, and tap dancing also rank high with her. Hobby—collecting pictures of Walt.

**BOB COX, x'46, ARNOLD MESZAROS, x'46, KILLED!**

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School in 1942 and was enrolled in the Business Administration course here at Susquehanna. He was an active member of the business society and also a member of Phi Mu Delta Fraternity.

Sgt. Boyer enlisted May 31, 1943, and was sent overseas in May, 1944 and has seen action in Italy, France, Belgium, and Germany.

**Pvt. Wilfred J. Sheetz**

Pvt. Wilfred J. Sheetz, x'46, of Selingrove, was freed from a German prison camp April 5 and is now in a hospital in England, where he is undergoing a checkup. He was in a prison camp 35 miles from Frankfurt and had been reported missing in action December 20, 1944, and later he was revealed to have been captured by the Germans. Sheetz had been in combat since July and had fought through the battles of Aachen and the Hurtgen Forest without injury. Just before his capture he had been in a rest camp in Luxembourg. He was one of the 30 men of Susquehanna who left with the Army Reserve on Feb. 13, 1943.

# NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Kappa Delta Phi

Tuesday, April 10, a buffet supper was given to the active members by the honorary members. The supper was delicious and enjoyed by everyone.

A bowling party was held on Friday, April 13. All members, actives and pledges, attended. They met in Seibert and then left for Sunbury, where they competed for top score.

The new officers elected for next year are: President, Betty Jane Herr; vice president, Helen Eby; secretary, Gayle Clark; financial secretary, Ruth Williams; treasurer, Mary Lizzio.

## Omega Delta Sigma

On Friday, April 13, at four o'clock, the active members of the sorority formally initiated three new honorary members into the sorority. They were: Mrs. Garfield Phillips, Mrs. Joseph Ingman, and Mrs. Mark Bogar.

The actives and pledges are having their regular monthly "get-together" on Sunday night, April 22, in the sorority room at nine-thirty.

## Biemic Society

Dr. George Robinson was guest speaker at the regular monthly meeting of the Biemic Society which was held on April 12. The subject of his speech was the different phases of geometry. Members of the society were reminded to pay their dues at this meeting which was held in Steele 100 and which was presided over by the president, Nancy Myers.

## Dr. Wm. Russ to Teach At State This Summer

Dr. William A. Russ, Jr., head of the department of history and political science at Susquehanna University, will be numbered among the visiting faculty members at the Penn State Summer Sessions.

Dr. Russ will teach a series of courses in American history.

Frederick C. Stevens, director of the department of music in Dickinson Seminary, Williamsport, will substitute for Dr. Russ during Susquehanna's Summer School.

## ALL SOLDIER ORCHESTRA TO PRESENT CONCERT

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out that the meeting is to make us aware of our continued duty to buy stamps and bonds.

Also on this program, the U. S. Treasury Plag, which the students of Susquehanna have earned the right to fly by having over 90% student participation will be officially presented to the school by a member of the State War Finance Committee.

"The Infantry Concert Group" is an organization of enlisted men who are permanently stationed at Camp Gordon, Georgia. Most of the men have appeared in the symphony orchestras of Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Chicago, or over the N.B.C. and C.B.S. concert orchestras. The program, which will feature light classics and symphonic excerpts will consist of waltzes and tangos. The orchestra will play a number of pieces by Dave Rose, Jerome Kern, and Hoagy Carmichael such as "Star Dust," "Holiday for Strings" and "The Flight of the Bumble Bee."

Also Pfc. Alvin Rudnitsky will play "Introduction and Tarentella" on a \$45,000 violin.

In the afternoon this same orchestra will give a concert in the western part of the county. Susquehanna can feel proud that she has been chosen the site for this fine program.

## Sigma Alpha Iota

On Thursday, April 12, S. A. I. held its Farewell Service for the seniors, and the installation service for the new officers.

On Monday, April 23, Mrs. Sue Sullivan, the Province President, visited the S.A.I. chapter on campus. Each of the officers had a private conference with her, as well as Dr. Sheldon, Mrs. Sheldon, and Miss Unangst. The regular sorority meeting was held at five o'clock Monday afternoon, followed by a banquet in Horton Dining Hall. After the banquet the sorority members and pledges attended the local theater, to see "Music for Millions." Each year Mrs. Sullivan visits all of the chapters in her province, supervising the work that has been done, and helping with the program for the following year.

## Student Recital

Students of the Conservatory will present a recital at 4:15 p. m. Friday, April 27, in Seibert Chapel. The class will open with three selections by the freshman trombone class. Other students participating will be as follows: Piano solos—Nedja Polanchyck, Jean Strasser, Nancy Bolig, Jean Kelton, Frosta Arseniu, Virginia Walker, and Marie Klack.

Vocal solos—Marjorie Mengel, Robert Surplus, Elro Hacker, Elise Thompson, Anna Miller, Florence Strouse, Hope Harbison.

Organ solo—Dexter Welkel.

Flute solo—Mina Sarba.

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## DEBATE TEAM

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bated at this time is the compulsory arbitration of labor disputes. This particular debate will be one of the cross question type in which a ten minute period of cross questioning is held.

Dr. Russell Gilbert hopes that everyone will show support of the team and courtesy to the Penn State Women's team by attending this debate.

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### SUSQUEHANNA NINE OPENS SEASON WITH 5-1 WIN OVER FHS

On Wednesday afternoon, April 11, the Susquehanna University baseball nine defeated its first foe, Froburg High School, by a score of 5-1. This year baseball is conducted in an informal manner at S. U. because of the wartime college curriculum. No definite schedule has been compiled; however, Coach Stagg expects to have a game each Wednesday afternoon at 4 P. M. on the University diamond.

The chief highlights of last week's game were the excellent pitching as displayed by senior hurler Cole Letzel and junior pitcher "Bernie" Swiencki. Letzel's record against his high school alma mater in four innings was: 2 hits, 0 runs, 0 walks, and 3 strike-outs, while Swiencki's record in the remaining three innings was: 2 hits, 1 run, 3 walks, and 5 strike-outs. Susquehanna's lineup was as follows:

- Susquehanna**  
 Mould, catcher  
 Letzel, pitcher  
 Boyer, first base  
 Moore, second base  
 Culp, shortstop  
 Kocsis, third base  
 Wolf, left field  
 Taylor, center field  
 Wassberg, right field  
 Swiencki, pitcher

### OPERETTA, "GHOSTS OF HILO," DANCES SCORE GREAT SUCCESS

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 During the rites of the celebration, Maile breaks the drum of the "Little Sister," and finds a note hidden within it. The note reveals that the child is a real princess. Everyone is overjoyed with this marvelous news, so the festivities are resumed, and the Feast of Laka progresses with great gaily.

The leading characters of the operetta were portrayed as follows: Princess of Hilo—Jean Strauss; Maile—Carmen Beckwith; "Little Sister"—Jeanette Kramer; Kaulea, favorite of the Princess—Marjorie Stapleton.

Following the operetta a number of Dance routines were presented by Miss Shure which received very favorable comment.

The first dance was a Waltz with Ann Gibson, Jewel MacNamara, and Bobby Raclonzer.

And then in the costumes of naty-

Scotland, Jane Hoffman and Nan Myers gave a very splendid interpretation of the Highland Fling.

Following this Virginia Hallock, Ruth Cochran, Hope Spicer, Peggy Bathgate, Virginia Doss, and Marie Stout gave a Swedish Dal Dance and a Russian Cabaret Dance.

Toby Swindler and Paula Moskowitz, as Negroes, did a specialty tap dance number.

And then four "sailors," Peggy Miner, Bobbie Kain, Marjorie Johns and Hilda Markey, did another tap dance.

"The Ghosts of Hilo" was presented and directed by the senior class of the Conservatory of Music. The following were in charge of the production: General Chairman—Mrs. Alice Claque; Conductor—Robert Surplus; Accompanist—Miriam Garth; Stage Manager—Louise Kresge; Properties and Scenery—Howard Payne; Make-up—Margaret Walters; Costumes—Gloria Maehamer; Business Manager—Jack Warner.

Following the operetta a social hour was held in the Social Rooms of Seligman Hall. It was indeed a strange sight to see "Hawaiians" jittersbugging or humorily devouring the refreshments provided there.

Although the performance itself is now a thing of the past, we know that "The Ghosts of Hilo" will long be remembered at S. U.

### MARIE KLICK ELECTED WSC PRESIDENT

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 Miss Wheat is a junior Business Ad-

ministration student. Miss Hazen is a Junior from Sunbury in the Liberal Arts course.

Installation of the new members will take place on May 3, after which the members of the old and new council will go to the Colonial for its annual dinner. All girls of the student body must attend the installation service.

The members of the retiring council are as follows: president, Mary Elizabeth Basehoar; Judiciary chairman, LaVerne Kohn; house president, Corinne Kahn; social chairman, Jane Maikames; publicity chairman, Jean Genger; inter-sorority representative, Louise Kresge; secretary-treasurer, Marie Klick; Women's Athletic Association and day student representative, Frances Bittinger, sophomore representative, Nancy Myers; and freshman representative, Eleanor Steele.

### ART GELNETT TO HEAD "SUSQUEHANNA"

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 Omega and Women's Judiciary Committee. Other offices held by Miss Barton are Secretary of the Women's Athletic Association and Treasurer of the junior class.

Mary Lizzo, a sophomore from Cone-

maugh, Pa., is Advertising Manager and Leah Cryder, a sophomore from Woolrich, Pa., is Circulation Manager.

Wednesday morning in the Chapel, a public election for the offices of the Susquehanna Publishing Association will be held. The candidates are: President, Gloria Gasparoli, Marie Klick; Secretary, Jean Wheat, Jane Maikames.

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