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## Hershey Gives Diamond Lecture For Several Oklahoma Schools

As a result of the many requests sent him, Dr. J. W. Hershey, chemistry professor, made a lecture tour of Oklahoma last week.

Five schools in various parts of Oklahoma were visited by Dr. Hershey. These included the Tahlequah Teachers College, Central State Teachers College at Edmond, Chickasha University, Oklahoma A and M College at Stillwater, and Tulsa high school.

Dr. Hershey lectured at all these schools from one to three times, spending a day at each. His subject was on diamonds, both natural and synthetic. For his other talks at each school Dr. Hershey was asked to say something of the work being done at McPherson College on gases.

Dr. Hershey stated that he was received with unusually fine hospitality by his Oklahoma hosts. He said too that his assistants effectively took charge of his classes during his absence.

## A Cappella Concert at Convention Hall Received With Enthusiasm

On Thursday evening, Feb. 13, the A Cappella Choir presented a formal concert at the Convention Hall in order to maintain the tradition set up by "Cheesy" in 1933. This concert marks the opening of a strenuous season of singing for this organization, preceded by many hours of enthusiastic practicing during the first semester of school.

## Conference Week Opened Sunday By Drs. Bowman and Bonsack

The church services of this last Sunday marked the beginning of the Regional Conference. The speakers of the day included Dr. Paul Bowman, president of Bridgewater College, and Rev. Charles D. Bonsack, secretary of the General Mission Board.

Sunday morning Dr. Bowman spoke on the subject, "The Meaning of Spirituality." Dr. Bowman also addressed the Christian Endeavor group, speaking on the topic, "The Measure of Life."

The Elder Bonsack delivered the evening sermon.

This concert was the fourth successive program of this type to be presented since "Cheesy" has been on the college faculty. The first program did not receive quite the formal consideration that was later adopted, but was more of a trial as to whether or not it could be made successful.

This was the first time a guest soloist has been invited, but the suggestion was accepted unanimously by the concert boosters.

## Three New Books Added to College Library Shelves

McPherson College Carnegie library is steadily increasing its fine collection of books. This week the library has added three new books. They are:

"Investment Principles and Practices," by E. R. Badger. This book was given by Professor Bohling.

"Handbook of Kansas Social Resources," edited by the Kansas Conference of Social Work. This compilation was given by the Kansas State library. The symposium purports to take stock of the social resources of the state of Kansas.

"Make Yourself a Job," by Myron Downey Hockenbury. This book is for students, primarily, whose funds are inadequate to meet the expense of four years study away from home. It is also a great aid for anyone seeking employment.

## Dr. Bonsack Speaks to W. S. Group

The Reverend Charles Bonsack, speaker for the Regional Conference, spoke to the World Service group Wednesday evening on the subject of world missions and the part that we Christians can play to their advancement.

The prelude and the postlude were played by Maudea Sondergard. Paul Booz was in charge of the devotional for the evening.

## Kipling Honored by Speech and Expression Students

A brief program in honor of the late English poet, Rudyard Kipling, was presented in the chapel Wednesday evening by a group of Miss Lehman's speech and expression students. To demonstrate the wide appeal and versatility of the recently deceased poet varied selections from his works were given.

While Oliver Andrews sang "The Road to Mandalay," one of Kipling's best known poems which has been set to music, Chester Colwell drew a chalk picture illustrating the song.

Kipling's "Just So Stories" have a quality which makes them popular among both children and adults. Lois Gnaky told the story, "How the Camel Got His Hump."

In conclusion the poem "The Explorer" was read by Merle Messamer.

Maudena Sondergard announced the numbers and introduced those on the program.

## Meaning of Pacifism Discussed

"What Pacifism Means" is the topic for a panel discussion which the International Relations club and the World Cooperation commission of the Y will conduct at the regular meeting of the Y next Monday at 11 o'clock. All students are invited to attend this meeting and contribute to the discussion.

Annual Thespian Club Drama is Scheduled to be Given Mar. 11

The Thespian Club play, "You and I," is scheduled to be presented on the evening of Wednesday, March 11. Although practices are being somewhat interfered with because of the conference this week, the cast and director, Dr. Claude Flory, have been meeting nearly every day.

The play is concerned mainly with the affairs of a business man who has long suppressed a desire to paint and the tangle that results when he finally quits business and takes up painting.

Written by the popular author, Philip Barry, the play enjoyed a successful season on Broadway and has been one of the outstanding college productions for several years.

## Bethel Conference Begins Friday Night

### Offers Splendid Opportunity for Study of Religious Problems

The opening session of the Bethel Religious Conference for young people will begin tomorrow night at 7 o'clock in the Bethel chapel at Newton. The conference will open with a panel discussion of the religious state among students and what can be done to correct the concepts and the practice of religion.

The conference will continue through Saturday and until noon Sunday, and will include several lectures on religious problems. Featured speakers for the conference are Dr. Henry Nelson Wieman, Chicago; Dr. John C. Bennett, Auburn; Dr. James S. Chubb, Baldwin; Rev. J. H. Hornung, Wichita; and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gebhardt, Wichita. Dr. Wieman is Professor of Religion at the University of Chicago; Dr. Bennett is Professor of Christian Ethics at the Auburn Theological Seminary.

At least two car loads of students from McPherson College will attend the conference. It is an excellent continuation of the conference on religion which Dr. Curry led here last year, and will deepen religious convictions and renew Christian action in this region. We therefore need as many of our students and faculty there as we can manage.

## College Orchestra Gives Program

Among other college organizations introduced to conference attendees is the college orchestra. The orchestra gave a twenty-minute program in the college chapel last Tuesday evening.

Two numbers were presented. The first was "Moment Musical" by Schubert, followed by a medley "Echoes" from the Metropolitan Opera House.

## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Friday, Feb. 21—Triangular debate tournament, beginning 6:30 p. m. Sunday, Feb. 23—C. E. at the College Church, 6:45 p. m.

Monday, Feb. 24—Panel discussion, "What Pacifism Means," in Y meeting, 11 a. m.

Tuesday, Feb. 25—World Service, 7 p. m.

## Dr. Bright and Students Attend Speech Festival

Last Friday morning Doctor Bright, Alberta Keller, Kenneth Weaver, Willard Fleming, Alvin Lindgren, and Paul Heckman went to Kingman to the Southwest Kansas Speech Festival. The event included six high schools, Kingman, Kiowa, Medicine Lodge, Anthony, Harper and Caldwell.

Doctor Bright criticized some declamations and extemporaneous speeches without placing those who participated. The students who accompanied him judged debates; there were two rounds Friday afternoon and three Saturday morning.

Kiowa and Kingman both won eight debates out of ten, but Kiowa was judged first place. Mr. Sholl, a former debater at Bethel, was the judge.

Miss Keller had the privilege of attending a basketball game while she was in Kingman. Weaver, in some mysterious way, got into the game, and then he came out and gave Miss Keller his pass. Hence she seems to have "gotten the break."

## Women's Council Will Hold Slumber Party

### All Women Students Not Living in Dorm Will Be Invited

The newly elected Womens Council of the college met with Doctor Smith a week ago last Wednesday afternoon. One of the coming events which they planned and spent a great deal of time discussing is the slumber party to be given by the girls of Arnold Hall. A definite date has not been set for the party; however it will be soon after open house which is to be March 13.

All the girls who live outside of the dormitory will be guests of the Arnold Hall girls at the slumber party. First there will be a party in the parlors where games will be played and then the girls will sleep in the halls of the dormitory. More definite announcements concerning the slumber party will be made later.

Marie Stover was made responsible for the Friday noon dinners in the dormitory to which downtown students are invited. She is going to try to get more people to attend them. This will be a great step in strengthening the acquaintance between the students who live in the dormitories and those who do not. The Womens Council plans to meet regularly every second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

## Heart Sister Week Promotes Good Will Among Women

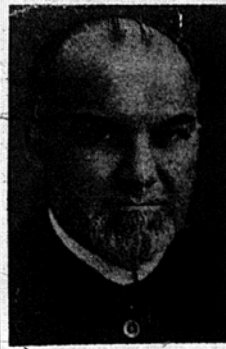
Pleasant surprises have been in order recently as the Y. W. girls have celebrated the past week as the annual Heart Sister Week. This affair is supervised by Bernice Drosch, social chairman.

Every day various girls over and around the campus would utter little sighs of surprise and complete enjoyment. The objects most frequently received were just sweet meats as candy bars, home-made fudge, cup cakes, angel food cake; and then many received more lasting gifts such as handkerchiefs, and little what-nots that could be used in any college student's room.

The week of Heart Sisters was climaxed by a Heart Sister party which was given last Monday afternoon. The purpose of this party was to let each girl know who her heart sister was. A few games were played and in order to award every girl for her presence refreshments were served in the form of a half candy bar.

## Happy Birthday!

Rachel Snwberger Feb. 22



Rev. Charles D. Bonsack

## Church Leaders at Regional Conference

### Many Outstanding Speakers Address Visitors and Students

This week is one of the high spots of the present school year at McPherson College. The Annual Regional Conference of ministers and leaders of the Church of the Brethren is being held at the college. Some of the outstanding speakers and leaders who are here are: Paul Bowman, President of Bridgewater College; Rev. C. D. Bonsack, also of Elgin, Ill.; Miss Ruth Shriver, Missionary to China. Dr. Harold Case of Topeka will be on the campus Friday to give several addresses. Many of the ministers from churches in this region also gave addresses.

The conference opened with a sermon by Doctor Bowman Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and it will close Friday morning at 11:30 a. m. with an address, "Living Creatively," by Doctor Case.

Wednesday afternoon at 2:40 a McPherson College Rally was held. Every afternoon at 4 o'clock Professor Voran conducts a session on "Music for the Church" at which he uses his A Cappella choir for demonstration. Each evening at 7:30 a special musical or dramatic program is presented.

## Creative Leisure Commission Discusses Social Facilities

A discussion of social and recreative deficiencies on the campus was the theme of the first meeting of the Creative Leisure commission which met Monday evening. The work of the organization is to formulate plans for better student social and recreative facilities.

The commission has ordered books for the library, and through its efforts the library will be opened on Saturday evenings. Plans were laid for attending the Topeka conference which will be in April. This conference is especially designed for the meeting of student recreative groups.

It was decided that the group would meet on Monday at 6:30 p. m. every two weeks. The discussion of the next meeting will be concerned with hobbies. These discussions are open to all students interested.

## Library To Be Open Saturday Evenings From 7:30 Until 9

Recreational reading and browsing in the library is the purpose of opening the library each Saturday evening from 7:30 until 9 o'clock. This practice, which was first tried last Saturday evening, was brought about by the Creative Leisure commission in cooperation with librarians.

Considering that this was not made public to any great extent, attendance last Saturday seemed to indicate that under ordinary circumstances the students will make considerable use of this opportunity. Miss Heckethorn, librarian, has made plans for the future which will make this period both valuable and enjoyable.

## Bowman and Bonsack Conference Speakers

### "Youth of Other Lands" Are Pictured in Chapel Wednesday

### Meeting Well Attended

### "Candidates for What?" and "The Finest Technique" Are Chapel Subjects

Three inspirational lectures were enjoyed by the chapel assemblies, as a part of the Regional Conference, Monday and Tuesday, Dr. Paul H. Bowman, president of Bridgewater College, Virginia, addressed the assembly. On Wednesday, Charles D. Bonsack, globe-trotter and executive secretary of the Mission Board, delivered the chapel address.

"The Finest Technique," was the address of Monday's chapel. Dr. Bowman's opening assertion was that the finest technique was living one's best. He declared, "The first requirement for living one's best is essential simplicity, for very few men have become successful without hardships." He continued that the next requirement is a yearning capacity of the highest, as one must have high aspirations within before he can live his best.

Dr. Bowman stated, "The art and skill of living one's best takes a profound sense of personal worth." Paul Bowman, President of Bridgewater College; Rev. C. D. Bonsack, also of Elgin, Ill.; Miss Ruth Shriver, Missionary to China. Dr. Harold Case of Topeka will be on the campus Friday to give several addresses. Many of the ministers from churches in this region also gave addresses.

Tuesday's chapel featured Dr. Bowman in his discussion, "Candidates for What?" He asserted that modern life brings a splendid challenge to young people. He then stated, "Every student entering college has objectives, but his candidacy is far beyond college degrees and honors. His candidacy reaches to aspirations of later life."

Dr. Bowman continued that no man who lives a worthy life is tagged for an easy place. He explained, "Life has its giants and rugged aspects, but the giants are within one's self and when removed no giants of the outside world are to be feared." Dr. Bowman then stated his belief that to aspire to a worthy candidacy one must have power to live and serve among the minorities and meet the challenges of the majorities, for great moral problems are seldom solved by majorities. "He must," he continued, "also have the power to serve humbly in the majorities." He admonished in conclusion, "Take victory humbly and lay credit to God, for life demands leadership, that can stand up as a triumph of man."

Wednesday's chapel was an account of "Youth of Other Lands," given by Charles D. Bonsack. He related of his week's experience in London. He stated, "The young people of England have wider world views than American youth. They have seriousness, simplicity and mere endurance of hardships." He described the fertile and thrifty, South Africa and told of the rapid progress there.

He explained that European civilization is penetrating the backward countries and they are becoming acquainted with modern culture. "This," he declared, "is the reason for pagan religions disintegrating. Because of the knowledge of the Western world, intellectuals cannot be interested in a religion of poor ideals." Mr. Bonsack then related of the intellectual progress in Japan. He asserted in closing, "Every one loves America and expects America to solve the problems of the world. Let's meet that challenge."

"Hell Week? The only solution is elimination." Northwestern Press. Walter Dill Scott speaks his mind.

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## Graze On Your Own Side of the Fence

FAIR AWAY pastures look greener, and in some instances may be just as green. But usually one can find excellent forage on his own side of the fence. New York, Chicago, and Kansas City conferences may provide that which seldom, if ever, comes to McPherson. Yet few small colleges are ever privileged to have a better selection of good speakers on their campus than are here this week for the Regional Conference.

Lectures and discussions conducted by these leaders provide an opportunity to receive much valuable and interesting knowledge.

Dr. Paul H. Bowman established a reputation with his fustian address, "The Meaning of Spirituality," Sunday morning. That he was heartily accepted by the college students was evidenced by the fact that the basement of the church was filled to capacity at the Christian Endeavor meeting.

Brother Charles D. Bonaack made his initial appearance before many

of us students via the cinema. Those who attended the missionary meetings at the church a few weeks ago will remember him as one of the screen characters in the missionary pictures. His appearance in person upon the McPherson College campus as one of the conference speakers has been accepted with enthusiasm.

Brother F. H. Crumpacker, an alumnus of M. C., has brought us a glimpse of Christianity in the Orient. Brother Crumpacker from China came farther than any other speaker on the conference program.

None who heard last year's commencement address by Harold Case needs to be told what kind of talk to expect from him. Dr. Case's popularity as a speaker is shown by the fact that he will go from here to Newton, to speak at the Y conference at Bethel College.

Knowledge, culture, and social development are the student's reward for his participation in Regional Conference.

## Learn the Habit of Being Successful

SUCCESS is a habit. Had you ever thought of it that way before? We are often inclined to think of success as good fortune or luck, and failure as misfortune or bad luck. Yet it is surprising to what a great extent we can control our success or failure.

Here is how failure can become a habit. A freshman comes to college hoping to make a name for himself. At the call, for debaters he feels the urge to try out. Social events, new friends, homesickness, and other early college experiences take first place in his thoughts. He keeps pushing back the time when he plans to study and prepare for the debate tryout. At the last moment he makes a hasty survey of material on the debate question, but he has not allowed himself sufficient time to prepare a case, to reason and think out details, nor to prepare counter arguments for the rebuttal.

Needless to say, this freshman fails miserably in the tryout. This hurts his pride a bit. He says to himself, "I guess I just wasn't cut out for a debater. Really, I just

can't think clearly and quickly enough to debate. In fact I find it hard to grasp the significance of my history course. There's no use to try. I can't get it." Thus the habit of failure is formed.

Similarly, success becomes a habit. A student makes a good record in athletics in high school. His natural timidity, together with his lack of knowledge of football, inhibits his urge to "go out." His timidity grows weaker as he becomes familiar with the college environment. By the opening of the basketball season he has mustered up enough courage to try out. He makes the second team. This is not the attainment of his goal, but to him it is a successful step toward his goal. The following fall he makes the varsity football team. He has achieved success and has made it a habit.

Undertake as much, but not more than you can accomplish. Let nothing prevent your completing what you start. Do each task in the most efficient manner that you can. Forget trivial failures, look ahead, and succeed!

## Our Informers

There are three ways in which the American people can be contacted upon current problems: by radio, by movie, and by newspaper. Since these three contact about everybody, they will influence our people accordingly either good or bad as the men back of them decide to do.

The movie exerts a tremendous effect upon our behavior, but it does not shape our thinking so much because its primary motive is entertainment. Thus, it is not of prime importance in shaping public opinion.

The radio contacts practically everybody from coast to coast. However, the "floating" word is hard to grasp and is easily forgotten. Also, it must try to amuse. Thus it is not of prime importance in shaping our thoughts concerning current problems.

This is not the case with our newspapers. Their primary motive is to place the events and thoughts of the day before the people. The manner in which they do this determines whether they have a good or a bad effect. As a general rule, people will

believe anything that is in print. Thus, you can see how some sharp editor can exert a bad influence. Our Hearst papers are an excellent example of this. There are some other papers that we take here in our own library which are guilty of the same tactics. When a person reads a newspaper, he can go back over it and ponder on the situation if he desires. He can not help being influenced one way or the other by it.

What we need today is some excellent newspaper men with high ideals who will not try to mislead our people.

If this were the case, newspaper readers would not have to be so careful of what they read. This is the method to use in combating editors who try to pervert the readers' opinions. Since the readers believe that which is in print, let us give them the news in correct form.

When the opportunity presents itself, support the newspaper with high ideals and snub the one with low ideals. Thus, our most potent factor in influencing public opinion, the newspaper, will be on the upgrade.—An Interested Observer.

## Inexpensive Hotels For Youth Proposed

Western System of Youth Hotels Would Link With Eastern System

Youth would be served with special attention and special care if the campaign which Miss Josephine D. Randall, director of the San Francisco recreation department, is successful.

She proposes the establishment of a special chain of inns or hotels, simple and inexpensive, which would cater to young people travelling in the West.

The chain of inns in the West would link up with those already in existence in the East, where 25 such hotels have been constructed since the idea was brought from Europe, she said.

The youth hotels, Miss Randall declared, already have become an integral part of 18 different European countries. There it is possible for young people to travel widely by bicycle, foot and canoe in six weeks at a total cost of \$20. Those inns had their inception in Germany but now have spread to nearly all European countries.

The idea was introduced in the United States by Monroe and Isabel Smith and has proved a success in the East. Miss Randall hopes to complete the system throughout the Western states.

The general plan will always be the same—separate dormitories for boys and girls, with community kitchens and recreation halls.

The hotels provide beds, mattresses, blankets and cooking utensils. The charge is 25 cents for a night's lodging with 5 cents to 10 cents added occasionally for fuel.

Miss Randall hopes as the first step in her program to have the national park commission construct a "loop" of such hotels over a suitable area that will enable young travelers to make the entire tour by foot in 15 days. With this as a demonstration, she expects to be able to link up not only a complete Western but national system of such inns.

## Scientists Study Coronium Thought To Be New Element

A wisp of color in the sun's corona this week beckoned to scientists who will follow it in the spring to the ancient town of Ak-Nulak, in the southern ranges of the Siberian Ural mountains.

The color may be evidence of a new element, unknown on earth and possibly only apparent during an eclipse of the sun.

Armed with the most highly specialized instruments, scientists of Harvard University and Massachusetts Institute of Technology will study the spectrum of the solar corona from the Russian town.

Tentatively labeled "coronium," the mysterious element may be only oxygen discolored by the chemical actions of an eclipse.

The June 19 eclipse of the sun will cover a 75-mile belt starting in the Mediterranean and swinging eastward over Greece, the Black Sea, Siberia, Manchuria, northern Japan and the Pacific ocean.—(By College News Service)

### College Freshmen X-Rayed

All Massachusetts State college freshmen have been X-rayed. This innovation is to be made a part of the regular freshman physical examination. The X-rays are primarily aimed to discover active cases of respiratory diseases, such as tuberculosis.—(College News Service)

The history department leads the other departments in the number of students which it has furnished as candidates for the Master's Degree. Biology and education are second.—The Collegio, Pittsburg.

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## Personal

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Esther Cowley and Mr. Truman Haskell, both of Cottonwood Falls, Kansas, which took place Saturday night, Feb. 15, at Wichita. The groom attended McPherson College during the first semester, and was a member of the college football team.

Milton Morrison spent the week end at his home at Roxbury.

Oliver Andrews sang a solo Sunday night at the Lutheran church.

Mary Trostle spent the week end at her home at Nickerson.

Charlotte Wolfe has been confined to her room since Sunday because of illness.

Many occupants of Arnold Hall report that they had cold feet during the week end.—Do you wonder what they meant?

Viola Harris' mother is spending conference week with Viola, in Kline Hall.

An expert in Neuro-psychiatry has been added to the Williams College health department.



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# SPORTS

## Bulldogs Take Game From Gray Maroons

### McPherson Overcomes Bethel's Early Lead to Win by Score of 37 to 26—Hau and Meyer Are High Scorers.

McPherson College defeated Bethel College last Tuesday night by a count of 37 to 26. Bethel had an early lead but as soon as the Bulldogs gained the lead they held it for the entire game. Both teams displayed a better grade of basketball than they did in a game earlier in the season.

Bethel started the scoring and had a four to nothing lead before Hau, McPherson forward, tallied four points. The McPherson team soon started hitting the basket consistently after Hau warmed it up for them. Substitute Coach Lester "Bud" Selves had charge of the team because Coach Melvin J. Binford is ill in a hospital at Hutchinson. Crabb did not get to see very much action because of a recent illness.

Hau was high point man of the game with 12 points. A Buller led Bethel with 11 points. "Tony" Meyer played an excellent game and tallied 11 points.

The box score:

McPherson (37)	FG	FT	F
Hau	6	0	1
Haggood f	0	0	1
Meyer c	4	3	0
Johnston g	1	2	3
Crabb g	0	0	0
Flowers f	2	0	0
Weigand f	0	0	0
Vasquez g	0	0	0
Flory f	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>

Bethel (26)	FG	FT	F
A. Buller f	5	1	3
Stucky f	0	0	1
Banman c	1	0	3
L. Buller g	0	2	3
Unruh g	0	0	0
Clark c	2	2	2
Voth g	1	3	0
Rickert f	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>

Referee: Fossey, Kansas Wesleyan. Following is the running score of the Bethel College-McPherson College exhibition game last night at Convention Hall. McPherson won the game 37 to 26.

McPherson	Bethel
0-2	A. Buller
0-4	A. Buller
2-4	
4-4	
4-6	L. Buller
6-6	
8-6	
8-8	A. Buller
10-8	
12-8	
14-8	
16-8	
16-10	Clark
18-10	
20-10	
20-12	Banman
End of First Half	
20-13	Voth
21-13	
21-15	Clark
22-15	
22-17	Voth
24-17	
26-17	
28-17	
28-18	A. Buller
30-18	
32-18	
32-20	A. Buller
32-22	A. Buller
33-22	
35-22	
36-23	Voth
37-23	
37-25	Clark
37-26	Voth

## SPORT LIGHTS

By Conway Yount

The Bulldogs are in second place in the conference since their victory over Ottawa last week.

The McPherson team annexed their second victory of the season over Bethel last Tuesday night. In the first game the teams played the Bulldogs came out on the large end of a 44 to 15 score, while in the second the score was 37 to 26. A

much better grade of ball was seen Tuesday than in the first game.

Perhaps it would interest some to know that Harold Barrers, former McPherson College athlete, placed second in the Golden Glove Tournament, which was held in Kansas City the first of the week.

We might also mention the fact that a former McPherson College student, Truman Haskell, has quit school because he was married last Saturday.

There are two big conference games for us next week. On Wednesday we play the Swedes, and on Friday we play Baker. Let's all be ready to let the team know next Friday that we are back of them, and that McPherson will not let a team go through the conference undefeated.

## COLLEGE DAZE

(From "Gourdlo" Green's Diary)

Thurs. 13. Boy the Occapella quior concert was swell tonight. I could of listened for another hour without it being too long. That's music anybody could be proud of. It kind of sits under a guy's hide. I'd borrow money and risk freezing my ears off walking again to hear them sing again, even if somebody didn't pick me up and save my life, which they did. When I saw Cheesy all fogged out in black I thought maybe there was going to be something real serious like a funeral or a wedding on the program. I hope nobody ever trips me into a tux. I'd like to know who Jim and Ed are, every time I want to talk to one of the girls, like as not she has to go to Jim or to Ed.

Fri. 14. We wollopped Ottawa to-night in good shape, now if we can do the same to Baker when they come here. That was a good game between the guys with boxing gloves at the half, only they should of socked the referee harder. He looked like he was afraid to get hold of the ball. The music went round and round at the dinner table tonight. I hope they get started on Scotland's burning sometime. Swell program in chapel this A. M. especially when the lady sang. Somebody ought to investigate and find out what the pres. was thinking about when he said his answer to the question was yes after she sang tell me do you love me?"

Sat. 15. Ray! letter from home with a flyer in it. That's the best news the folks have sent for a long time. I better not tell all the fellows or they'll be coming back to make

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me pay back all I borrowed all ready and then I'll have to go to borrowing again right away. Room-mate tried to mop up the floor today, but it didn't go too good cos the water froze onto the floor if you didn't watch out. I don't think a guy ought to mop anyway except only when it needs it. The room was too cool to stay in and study and so I was out in some kind of meanness all day. It would of been cheaper for Fries to heat the dorm than to fix up all I can monkey with on a cold day. Let my NYA work mostly go, cos it may be warmer later and Forney always makes me do something out in the cold. The aristocrat always takes advantage of the toiling proletariat.

Sun. 16. I'm gitting so I like doc Flory's teaching. He don't let us do much talking but what he has to say is pretty good at that, maybe better than what I could do.

Mon. 17. Doc Bowman is right when he said this morning that it is a tough word for a young person to be young in and happy. Sure a lot of strange faces around over the campus this week. They come into classes most any time and everywhere including the dining hall. We had pie today, which I doubt if it ever happened before on Monday. I'm for this coop business. I wish I had the nerve to ask him what kind of salaries they pay to the guys what work for them. Too busy to write much.

Tue. 18. Doc Petry sure had them going this afternoon. I heard one woman say it was all she could do to keep up, she's ought to get in one of his classes sometime. We don't expect to keep up when he gets started on a spell of long words. I liked the orchestra to-night only the time when they paused and Jezebel swore in the interval. Trounced Bethel tonight. I wish the boys would play all of the time like they do some of the time. Too busy to write much.

Wed. 19. Warmer today. The trustees have been in session a lot of the time, maybe they are fixing up something to do to Jezebel. I heard one of them say it sounded like a traffic jam with everybody blowing his horn. Wish one of them's name was Jehu. We get plenty of cats around to take the place of the dogs and finish the job. Too busy to write much.

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## IN OTHER SCHOOLS

Invitations have been mailed to all alumni of Elizabethtown College to attend the gala festivities and colorful events which mark the plan of Prof. L. D. Rose and his committee for the annual "Alumni Visiting Day" to be held on Saturday, Feb. 22, on College Hill.—The Etownian, Elizabethtown, Pa.

An effort to locate new food sources is being made by Yale University scientists.—(College News Service)

The Columbia University Jester questioned 75 Barnard College girls and found that 72 smoked, 60 drank, 50 had been intoxicated, 60 had been kissed, 34 had kissed as many as ten men, and 29 had dates with married men. School officials, however, pointed out that the magazine is a humorous publication, and that what was printed as fact might have been only fun. The editors maintained that they had printed only the facts.—The Etownian, Elizabethtown, Pa.

President Philblad announced last week that Bethany will return to its former policy of engaging an outstanding artist to appear in recital on Easter Sunday afternoon, April 12. Several outstanding singers of metropolitan fame are being considered as soloist for the festival, the names of which will be announced later.—The Bethany Messenger, Lindsborg.

Because of his wide understanding of public problems, because of his intimate contacts with all classes of people over the state, and because of his dynamic personality, Prof. J. R. Schütz was urged at a mass meeting of the Wabash Lincoln club to become a Republican candidate for governor of his state.—Oak Leaves, North Manchester, Ind.

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"Ah, me!" one not-so-green freshman was heard to remark after a meal. "If only there were some way of keeping one or two trustees around all year I still think I could make myself fit those pants big brother gave me."

Well, anyway, Gourdlo Green ought to be settin rite on top of the world this week and feelin fine because Henrietta is here.

A certain young athlete is certainly rushing a restaurant girl, which is just another illustration of that well known adage, "A way to a man's heart is his stomach."

All the men who took showers Tuesday night should consider themselves eligible to become members of the Polar Bear club.

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