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Contest Winners
Are Announced

At last the Bee Gee News announces the winners of the recent campus beauty survey, and at this time is proud to announce Miss Jane O'Leary, a sophomore from Toledo, as most beautiful Co-Ed on B. G. State's campus.

Doyt Perry, a junior from Columbus, was chosen as the Apollo of the men. Mr. Perry is also one of the college's foremost athletes, having received letters in football, basketball, and baseball. He is a member of the Five Brothers fraternity, and is otherwise socially prominent.

The editor wishes to thank the winners for the fine, modest, spirit they have shown as winners of this contest; also the student body for their interest and support; and lastly Mr. Young, of the Cla-Zel Theatre, for the awards.

From a recent report by the United States Department of Agriculture we learn that four times every month there is a serious back-to-the-farm movement over week-ends from Bowling Green State college.

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The silliest kind of cowardice is to be afraid of being laughed at.

There is always plenty of time for one's duties, but only when each one is done at the right minute.

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Happy-O Boy

Coach Landis is wearing a two foot smile these days. A co-ed arrived at his residence during Santa Claus days. Mrs. Landis and babe are feeling fine. Congratulations Coach and Mrs. Landis.
First Week in February

Intellectual advance takes place in two ways. At times old conceptions are elaborated and refined by the addition of new knowledge in the form of new evidence. Byrd’s flight around the South pole furnished further evidence of a spherical world as predicted by Columbus. At other times the increase of knowledge demands the alteration or reorganization of these old conceptions. Copernicus’ heliocentric theory, Pestalozzi’s paidocentric theory and Bacon’s experimental method in science are instances of such revision.

The majority of people are perfectly willing to accept any new ideas as additional information but when asked to revamp an old idea or reinterpret an old term they immediately throw up a smoke screen of worn out principles and prejudices. Together with the old church fathers they refuse to look thru the telescope lest they be compelled to change their minds. Herbart disagreeing with Pestalozzi reconstructs the psychology of his day and brings forth a new educational theory. Old theories are supplanted by those formulated from new points of view.

This latter method of growth is most rare because it is most difficult. To make old conceptions into strange new things calls for the ability and skill of an inventor—a creative artist. In short it demands creative thinking.

A party of tourists, including among their number an inventor, was visiting the cathedral of Notre Dame. When the party had ascended the first flight of the hundreds of steps leading to the top, the inventor refused to climb further and waited for the party in the chapel below. Upon the return of the party he presented them with his plans for a complete elevator system for that ancient edifice. But, you say, it would no longer Notre Dame. Certainly not, nor did he intend it to be, for creative artists do not worship at the shrine of tradition. They respect the past only as a tool for the invasion of the future, and in that way lies progress. The obstacles which confront us are stimuli to variation, to novel response and hence are occasions of progress. Suffering has prodded men to seek new and better courses of action.

This creative ability is not a rare capacity found among a favored few. It is a common possession of every member of the human race. The roots of this endowment are the common impulses or native tendencies of human beings which are the same the world over. Some of these native activities work toward accommodation, assimilation, and reproduction while others work towards exploration, discovery, and creation. These latter are the pivots upon which the reorganization of activities turn, they are the agencies for giving new direction to old habits and ideas. Given opportunity they will inject new blood into aenemic doctrines and principles and renew the strength of tottering institutions.

Why then are the expressions of this ability so rare? In general two things are responsible. In the first place the complacent adult group, jealous of its accomplishments, has guided the habits of the growing persons along lines of conformity and rigidly guarded against those that make for variation and independence. Teachers and parents have belittled and discouraged the attempts of young people to express ideas in lines which are new and different. To these adults the main travelled highways seem safest for these unsophisticated travellers. Only accidentally and surreptitiously has the new generation found opportunities to overlap the bounds of conventional habits and customs and express themselves in new and different ways.

In the second place mental laziness on the part of the individual has made him willing to follow the line of least resistance and habituate himself to trodden paths rather than blaze new trails in experience with uncertain goals.

Books, magazine articles, term papers, and compositions are constantly rehashing worn out ideas as devotedly as though the authors were adherents
of ancestral worship. No attempt is made to present ideas from new points of view.

The world needs contributions in the field of creative thinking and creative writing. This field of unlimited possibilities offers a challenge to every normal individual to capitalize his vast imaginative power and find joy in some type of artistic expression. Write much and cfen but let your content be original, refreshing, inspirational and worthwhile.

Florence J. Williamson

Sparks from a Geologist's Hammer

"Things that I felt absolutely certain about a few years ago I do not believe now; and thought makes me see more clearly how foolish it would be to expect all men to agree with me."

"The teacher who has learned that it is just as easy for him to be wrong as the other fellow, has acquired valuable knowledge."

"A good thing to remember And a better thing to do, Is to work with the construction gang And not the wrecking crew."

Life is a school of education Each day has its special recitation Death ends the term without vacation; Then comes the final examination."

A 1929 Student

"Every failure teaches a man something if he will learn?—Dicken.

"There is no royal road to learning."

"The man who reaches the top is the one who is not content with doing merely what is required of him. He does more."—Edward H. Harriman.

"Success does not consist in never making blunders, but in never making the same one a second time."

"The hardest man in the world to beat, is the man who can laugh in the face of defeat."

"We have many troubles in a lifetime but most of them never happen."

"Often times misfortune is only "Miss Fortune" in disguise."

—W. P. H.

How Does Coffee Drinking Affect Scholarship?

Having learned from one of my best students, when we were returning from a field trip, that when he was a child his mother had not permitted him to use coffee and that he had continued to do without it, I decided to make inquiry about the practice of other students in my classes in botany and zoology in the summer school. There were 27 in botany and 35 in zoology, 12 of these being in both classes. Nearly all had had experience in teaching. Their average age I judge to be about 27.

On the last day of the term, August 29, when all had received their final grades, I passed around the class a card bearing the heading, Students who have not drunk coffee a dozen times this year, requesting those who could do so to write their names below. Eleven out of the fifty wrote their names. It is a significant fact that this list included all but one of the six who had a grade of A in either subject. Of these five, four were in both classes and had A in both. Although grades are not emphasized in these classes, yet the grading is done with care and the students prize an A or B grade more than in courses where such grades are more easily obtained. To obtain an A grade in zoology or botany requires not only considerable study but also an unclouded brain.

When we consider how many persons have been kept awake by drinking coffee in the evening and how many coffee addicts pay for their indulgence in this stimulant with headaches and unsteady nerves, should we be surprised to find its use an obstacle in accomplishing the best sort of mental work?

E. L. M.
The Flicker's Nest

Editor's Note: Ye Flicker editor begs to inform the reader through the channels of this column, that such an earnest expression of a real life philosophy merits a careful study, and a long period of thought. Had we any 'rocks' ($) the columnist would most certainly be presented therewith.

Ye editor:

The janitor of the Flicker's Nest begs leave to sermonize a bit at this season of the year, promising that such an "inventory" will be made but seldom. He craves the indulgence of ye readers, and offers to reform his ways if present punishment be slight. "Let him, who is without sin, cast ye first rock."

E. C.

Living vs. Lasting

In a fine old Book which none of us read often enough, we learn of an elderly gentleman named Methuselah, who lasted for 969 years. You may say that this is not quite fair to this aged citizen, since nothing else of note is written concerning him, but in another portion of this same Book we note "By their fruits ye shall know them". Certainly if the aforesaid gentleman had accomplished anything of note, we should expect more than the statement of the number of years which he spent on this earth. The truth of the matter seems to be that he did no LIVE; he LASTED.

This is the time of year in which we take inventory, and a check-up on stock. Let us ask ourselves if we are living, or just lasting. To be sure we want to live. The problem which most of us face is how best to live. How can we tell when we are living? Have you ever wished for some sort of "social yardstick" by which the lives of people might be evaluated? Wouldn't it be splendid if we could measure our own lives and actually know if we are living or just lasting? Might we assume that the influence for good which we exert upon the lives of others may be accepted as a measure, 'n lieu of something better?

Someone has said that Lincoln lived longer, in terms of accomplishment, than Methuselah. So did Washington. We like, at this season of the year, to think of these two great men; great because they were friendly benefactors of humanity. It is a pleasant thought that each lived long enough to see much of the realization of his dreams. Washington spent his last days in peace at Mt. Vernon, with a faint vision of the nation which he had established; the country which we revere. Lincoln died, knowing that he had ended slavery, and united more than half the sections of this same nation. Both of these men knew they had done their best, not selfishly for their own aggrandizement, but unselfishly, with the good of humanity at heart.

The Herald-Examiner (Jan. 11, 1931) sums it up in these words:

"Keep yourself APART from others, but WORK FOR OTHERS."

"To raise yourself above others, work with them and for them."

"To lead a life worth while and die a happy death, WORK-attend to you task, whatever it may be, so that you may say in the end, be your accomplishment much or little, I HAVE DONE MY BEST."

With such splendid examples before us, we dare not say that the way is not clear, and we have ourselves to blame if we only LAST when we might LIVE.

E. C.

CHAPEL NOTES

December 16—
A program of music and the dramatization of the Christmas Story was interestingly given by a group of children from the Training School.

January 6—
Doctor Williams welcomed us all back from our vacation.

January 13—
Professor Carmichael and our Florida debate squad, Leonard Linsenmyer and Howard George, related some of the high spots of this campaign.
Cocoa Drive

The car sped along the beautiful Indian River whose light green-tinged waters followed its winding banks in a slow rhythm. At intervals were groups of graceful heron—the famous blue herons, off toward the ocean. Here and there—mostly there—was a droll, box-like pelican flapping heavy wings. Always there were ducks—wild ducks—squadrons of them, diving puppet-like continuously. It was late afternoon and the sky—truly azure—was clearer than the usual Florida sky, and fleece-lined. To the left one saw the great live oaks and the rubber trees dripping with silver moss. The branches were low-bent and twisted. Underneath and beyond was sand, sparkling and white—Florida snow. All around was a damp vegetation. To the right were palms tall and stately, cocoanut and cabbage palms. Farther on, the Royal Palms grew magnificent in their straight height.

All along were the glorious Australian pines sharply outlined by a red, red sun. The road wound in and out, and color was everywhere. The destination was near and we were about to leave the alluring semi-tropic beauty. At the very end, however, there lay coiled in the road, its back shining gold, a diamond-backed rattle-snake. Beauty with a sting! We left it in three pieces. It was only a warning. Everything had been exotic beauty, but—dangerous beauty.

That night the same road was followed. The moon hung white gold, and lantern-like. Star-dust was thrown about the clear, clear night sky.

Marion Heimburger.

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Editor of School Paper
Bowling Green College

As I walked into the Library one stormy day not long ago, I was surprised to see everywhere students carrying with them various articles of apparel. Upon walking through the reading room I saw everywhere slickers, overcoats and excess books on the chairs of the various students or on neighboring chairs. Naturally I was curious. After quering several students whom I supposed to be upper-classmen I elicited the information that on the first floor of the Library there was a room which was built for the purpose of maintaining there in a cloak room where all superfluous baggage might be checked.

I wonder whether such use might not be made of this room. It would benefit the students immeasurably. A college of this size really deserves a checkroom. Why not bring this matter to the attention of the school through your paper. If funds for the administration are not available all well and good, but such a move in the near future would be highly desirable.

Gustavus Vasus

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Student's Bank Account

There have been several complaints made by the merchants of Bowling Green concerning the checking of money by students. Oftentimes their accounts are overdrawn because of careless balancing. When a merchant, or a bank holds a check it is necessary for him to guarantee its payment before he can cash it. In case a student's account is overdrawn in his home-town bank the check will be returned to the Bowling Green merchant or bank who cashed it for him originally. He must pay this amount from his own reserve and suffer the loss until he is able to communicate with that student again. For their sake we need to watch the figures in our check-book stubs more closely.

--D. W. W.

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Just imagine a color blinded bull at a bull fight.

There is only one well RED man and that is Santa Claus.

As one cobbler said to the other, "Where did I see you last."
The Editor Raves

I don't mind sweeping your floors, I don't mind washing your dishes, I don't mind tending your live stock, but I'll be hanged if I like to wear a pink trimmed night dress to fool the baby. We are continually in receipts of this, why don't you do this, why don't you do that, why don't you publish what we hand in? Oh! boy do we get called. Now let us be considerate along these above mentioned lines. The editor's salary does not warrant much over time work. The staff has decided to double its pay for the second semester, so possibly we can be of greater service to you.

And again. The editor opened the B. G. box the other day and found it full to the brim. In the contents appeared a packet of some twelve or fourteen stories of from two to three pages in length. The question arose in my mind (pronto) "What am I to do with this?" To date, I am undecided whether to print all the stories; selections from each or as per suggestion toss them down stairs and then print the first to light as it would possibly be the most weighty of the epistles.

And again. The student paper is criticized because it lacks educational values. As a rule the student body attends classes five days a week to gain educational principles. Our paper is to keep us posted with happenings outside of the class rooms. It is to give us a little mirth and laughter and aims at driving the blues away.

And again. The editor takes all the blame and responsibility for all misdemeanors in the past and expects to make many more in the future.

And again. This column in the near future will be educational, read it.

And again. The staff at a recent-meeting voted to publish the news weekly for a trial, so be prepared with your "scoops" the last week of the first semester.

With Our Professors During the Holidays

Dr. Williams, our president, attended the meeting of the State Teacher's Association at Columbus. Dr. Williams attends many such conferences and is keenly able to analyze all the contacts thus made.

Professor Stellar attended the convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in Cleveland.

Dr. C. C. Kohl attended the meetings of the American Association for Labor Legislation, and also the meeting of the American Sociological Society, both at Cleveland.

Professor Schwarz attended the meeting of the American Historical Association at Boston.

Dean Hissong was a delegate to the State Teachers Association which met in Columbus, O.

Professor Crowley attended the Mississippi Valley Manual Arts Conference during the last week of school before vacation.

Professor Chubbuck of the English department attended the conference of the American Association of University Professors at Cleveland.

Dr. Otis was present at the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. This meeting was attended by 35 affiliated socie-
ties and it is estimated that about 5000 people were present.

E. L. Mosely, head of the department of biological science also attended this meeting.

Professor Biery spent his vacation at the Chicago Art Institute.

Professor Carmichael spent the vacation with the debaters in Florida and the southern states.

Various other professors spent their vacations in the laboratory, preparing theses, and at home.

Monday, Jan. 19, Professor Hissong, dean of the Education college will attend the meeting of the Advisory Council of the State Department of Education at Neil House, Columbus, O.

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Candidates For Graduation, Jan. 1931

The annual mid-year commencement exercises will be held Jan. 30. Dr. E. I. F. Williams, of Heidelberg college will deliver the commencement address.

_Diploma in Elementary Education_
Barker, Ida Mae, North Baltimore.
Bratton, Gladys M., Delta.
Catchpole, Mary Ruth, Toledo.
Coad, Audrey, Lorain.
Dupuis, Frances M., Toledo.
Edelman, Yetta, Cleveland.
Groty, Margaret, Toledo.
Hull, Esther L., Prospect.
Keeler, Fern M., Delta.
KrausÊ, Clara N., Toledo.
Kress, Harriett M., Toledo.
Landis, Florence M., Bowling Green.
Lantz, Vera A., Oak Harbor.
Lewis, Hazel B., Lorain.
McKittrick, Elinor Louise, Sandusky.
May, Pearl, Caledonia.
Mekus, Valeria E., Jewell.
Miller, Gertrude E., Forest.
Murray, Louise, Wauseon.
Pollock, Pauline, Toledo.
Rowland, Grace M., Castalia.
Sharfé, Ann, Toledo.
Smith, Dorothy M., Nevada.
Socie, Celestine M., Toledo.
Thomas, Ortola Eddy, Radner.

Wells, Norma K., Toledo.
Wendt, Norma, Elmore.
Degree—Bachelor of Science in Edu.
Craft, Maxwell E., Weston.
Sutter, Ralph W., Dunbridge.

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A Surprising Letter

I had the most delightful surprise the other day. Of course, surprises are often delightful, but this one was unusually so. I received a letter from my dad! Maybe that doesn’t seem unusual to you, but for me it was. You see—it is this way:

My dad is a farmer, and farmers aren’t especially fond of writing letters. Of course, they write business letters, but this one wasn’t a business letter! Oh, no! it was just a nice friendly letter that dads write when they are lonesome. He must have taken a long time to write it.

I can imagine him sitting at the table and writing. He writes very slowly and forms each letter as perfectly as possible. Now and then he glances from the paper and spends several moments in thought. Sometimes he stops to talk to mother who, he says in his letter, is baking doughnuts. No doubt he tastes the spicy round delicacies and then continues his writing.

Has he always written as he now does? I hardly think so. In time past he probably wrote letters with little difficulty. How mother’s eyes must have sparkled when she received those same letters! That was in the past; now letter-writing seems more difficult for him, but the joy of receiving his letters still remains.

In short, that letter from dad was simply wonderful!

Lillian Kalb

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Co-ed: “I hear your boy friend died in Europe. Is that true?”
Second Co-ed: “Yes, he got drunk while in Venice and tried to lay down in the street.”
Bee Gee News

Bowling Green at Western Reserve

The Bowling Green college quintet open the basketball season by holding the strong Western Reserve team to 38 points and scored 32. Even in defeat the coach was well satisfied with the showing of the team. Reserve boast of one of the best teams in the state, having defeated Pitt by a one sided score and then Pitt beat Ohio State.

The first half was a nip and tuck affair, which had the large crowd of spectators on their feet during most of the time. The Falcons held a three point lead at the half, which ended 12 to 15.

The Reserve outfit overcame the lead shortly after the second half and held it until the final gun. Perry and Swearingen registered twenty four of teams points, and Gill and Hyatt accounted for the remaining eight. The Cleveland team is a well balanced outfit and every man is a dangerous threat when in scoring distance. Berwald plays center and registered eleven points. The other players shared in the scoring honors with eight, seven, six and six which is a fair indication of their scoring punch.

Perry, Swearingen, Gill, Hyatt and Thourot performed for the Falcons.

Freshman: "Why do you always answer Prof. Schwarz's questions with a question?"
Intelligent pupil: "Why shouldn't I?"

Father (to prospective son-in-law): The man who gets my daughter will get a prize.
Candidate: May I see it now, please?—Froth.

Margo Has Taken Up Tatooing
M. Groty wrote a letter on the back of "The Bohemian Girl."

Vo: Give me a sentence containing the words "open forum."
Do: Some dry agents raided a speak-easy, but the next day it was open for 'em.—Black and Jay.

Aviator (to nervous parachute jumper): "Go ahead, jump and show the people down there what's in ycu."

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basket, kept the fans cheering most of
the game when he registered twelve
points from the field.
“Frieddie” Marsh, a Bowling Green
entry on the team proved a valuable man
at the guard position. He entered the
game near the close of the first period
and guarded well. Shifting men on
block plays seems to be Freddie’s hobby.
The half ended 19 to 9.

Coach Landis used all ten players dur-
ing the game, which started with Perry
and Swearingen at forwards; Gill, cen-
ter; Thourot and Hyatt, guards. Other
players were Yoder, Marsh, Stevenson,
Olds and Golding.

Bee Gee 29, Otterbein 27

The Falcons opened the home season
in a blaze of glor y when they scored a
29 to 27 win over Otterbein college in a
five minute overtime game.

When the final gun sounded it look-
ed like a 25 to 23 win for Otterbein,
but Swearingen was fouled on the final
play and was given an opportunity to
score from the fifteen foot line. With
the game in his hands the little forward
stepped to the line and registered both
shots to tie the count and send the game
into an overtime affair.
The game started slowly, both teams
passed well and were in no hurry to
score. The Falcons led at the half 11
to 7.

Otterbein came back the second per-
iod and started on a scoring spree that
soon found the game in a deadlock at 16
all. The Falcons then pulled away to a
four point lead with only five minutes
remaining to play, elected to play a stall-
ing game. This did not prove satisfac-
tory for the Otterbein team broke up
the game and registered a number of
baskets that soon put them in the lead.
Francis was hitting the hoop from all
angles of the floor and with one minute
to play registered what many thought was
the deciding basket. It was then that
Swearingen gave the fans his little de-
monstration on foul shooting.

In the overtime the visitors scored
first but it was short lived for Thourot
and Perry caged the ball and the Fal-
cons won.

Bowling Green 17
Detroit City 15

The local college basket ball team
journeyed to Detroit and defeated the
City College team at that place by a
score of 17 to 15. The game developed
into a close guarding affair and was
fast and exciting from whistle till gun.

Bowling Green won because of the
superior guarding of the team as a
whole. Detroit started the scoring but
the Falcons soon overcame the lead and
forged ahead. Perry made a couple sen-
sational shots just before the half end-
ed and the Falcons were leading 9 to
4.

Detroit came to life the second period
and played a different game. Con-
stantly gaining on their opponents the
score was tied at 15 with but three min-
utes to play. Gill then pulled one of
the shots he has practiced all year.
From the pivot position he starts to
dribble as if to go away from the basket,
a quick stop, pivot and swish the ball
went sailing through the net, and Bowl-
ing Green was again victor.

Falcons Trim Bluffton

The Bowling Green college basketball
team opened the Northwestern Confer-
ence season, by a sensational two point
advantage over the highly touted Bluff-
ton college. Coach Burcky and his ag-
gregation of cagers came to Bowling
Green with high hopes of winning the
game, and after Bowling Green held a
three point margin at the half, the pur-
ple team from Bluffton gave the fans
a demonstration of their fighting spirit
by unlaunching an attack that soon gave
them a 20 to 13 lead. It was then that
the Falcons pulled themselves together
and fought bravely until the final gun
sounded, and the score stood 26 to 24
for Bee Gee.
Bluffton has three dependable men in Droesch, Risser and Hartzler. These lads will be responsible for many a Bluffton point before the present campaign is over.

Swearingen and Thourot accounted for the Falcons scores during the first period. Both teams were guarding close and it was hard for either team to get an open shot. The ability of Thourot to hit the basket from mid-floor is what kept his team in the lead the 1st half. The big guard accounted for seven of the ten points. Swearingen sank a fielder and foul for the other three points.

After the Bluffton aggregation had fought hard to take the lead, Capt. Hyatt called his team together for a little conference. What these five fellows decided to do was shown a moment later when they passed the ball with great accuracy and soon tied the score. Every man on the team was responsible for the victory, playing as a team they displayed a fine passing attack that swept Bluffton off their feet. Yoder sent the ball swishing through the net on two occasions that added life to the team. Gill played a whale of a game at center and guarded well. Perry played his usual good floor game, although he failed to register a point his team play was exceptionally good.

**Lineup**

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**“B” Squad**

The college “B” team opened the conference season with a 24 to 14 win over Bluffton. Last year the Bluffton “B” team went through the conference undefeated.

The Bowling Green team played well during the first half and held a 11 to 7 lead at the intermission.

The last half Coach Landis’ team opened a fast passing attack that soon accounted for several baskets and a substantial lead. Five new players were sent in to finish the game. The Bowling Green “B” team is represented by: Chapman, Van Camp, Mitchel, Sheffer and Foster with Murray, McMillan, Johnson, Patton and Schaller being capable substitutes.

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**Intramural Athletics**

Just because a player fails to make the varsity teams is no sign that he is overlooked and not given a chance to play. The college has two basket ball leagues, the National and American, with eight teams in each league and six to eight players on each team. In all there are one hundred and sixteen boys playing at least two games of basket ball every week. The teams are off to a flying start and much interest is shown. Dennis and Miller are assisting the coaches in managing the league. Games are handled by members of the “B” team. We will print the standing in the next Bee Gee issue.

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“We are now passing the most famous brewery in Berlin,” explained the guide.

“We are not,” replied the American tourist as he hopped off the sight-seeing bus.—Octopus.

Teacher: “Johnny, where is your book?”

Johnny: “It’s home.”

Teacher: “Don’t you leave this building till you bring it to me.”
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We held our Christmas program at seven o'clock, Wednesday, December the tenth in Shatzel annex. A large number of our members were present to enjoy it. Isabel Collier had charge of the meeting. An impressive candle light carol service was the first feature. This was followed by a talk on "Christmas" by Miss Willy, our advisor. The remainder of the program consisted of "The Real Christmas Story" by Marie Brackney, a Christmas poem by Ruth Kershner, and a story, "Golden Cobwebs," by Gertrude Hepner. We also had a surprise number. A very lovely picture was unveiled. It is to be a gift to room 210 in the Training building. Come and take a peek at it.

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"Daddy, I have splendid news for you. The third grade teacher is going to retain my services for another year."—Life.

A deaf woman entered the church with an ear trumpet. Soon after seating herself, an usher tiptoed over, and said to her, "One toot, and out you go."—Drexerd.

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Notes From an Eavesdropper

Edna: "A party! Did you say a party?"

Howard: "Yes, there is to be a Valentine party for all associated with the college."

E.: "Oh well, if it is a college party, it has no place for me, since I don't dance.

H.: "Edna, you don't understand. This one is different. Of course, there will be dancing for those who care to dance, but there are to be games and stunts and various entertainment for those who don't dance. It is to be different from all former parties. Edna, you can't imagine such a fun making time as this will be. I can't begin to tell you all that is planned. You'll go won't you."

E.: "Go, if it will be that kind of a party, I won't miss it. And say, let's tell all our friends so no one will stay away because they don't dance. I'm so glad you explained to me. I know we'll have a jolly time. But, now I must run to class. See you later.

This is what was overheard when two students met in one of the halls. The topic of conversation was, of course, the Valentine party to be given in the men's gymnasium on Saturday, February 14.

The Huron County and Marion County clubs are sponsoring this party and, if any one is in doubt about his having a place in the merry-making, ask any member of the committees or the clubs. That one will soon realize he has a place and will miss a part of his college life if not present.

Remember the date and don't miss it.

—Elizabeth L. Bensley
Reporter Marion Co. Club

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The Valentine Party

Of course you've made arrangements to stay over for the Valentine party on Saturday, February 14. It is sponsored by the Huron and Marion County clubs and promises to be an outstanding affair on the social calendar. It's in the wind that, besides dancing, other amusements will be provided for those who do not dance. That will blast your last valid excuse for staying away from the men's gym on that night. Nothing
short of a broken leg should prevent your enjoyment of the evening.

Need we remind you that this is news from the Huron County club? The party is all we talk or think of, and is the best news we've heard in weeks. If you want to see what all the noise is about, come and be part of the party.

—Alice Finlay

**Henry County News**

The Henry County students enjoyed themselves to the utmost when a "mixer" was held in the Women's Gym, Tuesday, December ninth. The interest was greatly augmented by the installation of a radio for the night.

Eulouise Spiess had charge of the games played during the evening. After an hour of entertainment, lunch was most beautifully served by a committee headed by Miss Rettig.

A goodly number of the Henry County students were on hand.

—Otto Lankerman

**Logan County News**

Our meetings have been small but mighty, and we are hoping to have more good meetings the rest of the year.

The last meeting before vacation was enjoyed by all those present. We had a very nice program of music and readings. The meeting was closed after every one joined in singing Christmas carols.

We have been having good meetings but they could be much better if all our members were present.

Logan County—let's make ours a 100% club.

—Irene Orahood

**3 K**

All of the 3-K girls are again back in classes and helping the organization, after having spent a happy and eventful vacation. The pledges are still enjoying the many duties which are assigned them from time to time.

Plans are being considered for the next semester's activities, especially those for the Spring Formal. Many ideas are being discussed and some very important things will be decided and started by the active group during the remainder of the year.

Our alumni are now organized and are functioning quite as well as the active members. They assist us as they are able and certainly keep us busy sending letters, for they not only want sorority news but College news as well. We are mighty proud of our active alumni organization!

**Commoner's Fraternity**

Mason L. Thompson has just finished his degree work and is now an active member of the Commoner's fraternity.

The pledges are Alfred George, Owen Cain, Victor Innis, Robert Cristy, Aaron Roberts, Garth Heckman, Maurice Sterns, Francis Dindot, Howard Tennant, William Wolfe, Wesley Kimkle, Franklin Moss, and Frederick Kendall.

A formal dinner was given in honor of the pledges at the fraternity house on Friday, December 5.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Hissong, Miss Brown, Mrs. Overman, Miss Williams, Miss Powell, Miss Hopkins, Miss Fairbanks, Miss Huber, Miss Williams, Miss Murdock, Miss Marjorie Sams, Miss Davis, Miss Kathryn Sams, Mr. Caller, Mr. Sams, Mr. Cristy, Mr. Roberts, Mr. Heckman, Mr. Sterns, Mr. Dindot, Mr. Rector, Mr. Lennant, Mr. Kunkle, Mr. Thompson and Mr. Capen. All enjoyed the bridge which followed the dinner. Miss Brown, of Lima, won the highest score.

The fraternity is proud to announce the election of William Miller to the presidency of the Lutheran Young Peoples Association in this district composed of five states: Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, and Michigan. He recently received this position while attending the convention of Lutheran Young People held at Capitol University at Columbus. He will attend the
national convention at Chicago in September, and the district convention to be held at Morganstown, West Virginia, in December.

The Inter-fraternity council has been in the process of organization. The Commoner's have elected William Miller to serve two years upon the council and Leonard Linenmyer, president of the fraternity, to serve on the council one year.

The fraternity hopes the inter-fraternity will aid the colleges in many ways and in co-operation among the fraternities and student body.

The two men, Linenmyer and George, who but recently returned from the warmer regions; specifically the south, have many experiences which they did not deliver in chapel, and have entertained the brothers at the house. Their experiences, though entertaining, prove incompetent to rate with the experiences of the members in the last Thursday night's Bunyan race. The members, namely the plebes, can testify that night air is pure and not harmful to one's constitution. The only regret we have of the evening is that one good and promising young man, found a fair lady during the course of his race and fell on bended knee before her, humbly beseeching her to share his poor and miserable life. Garth Heckman, a famous International walker, easily won the race, two letters to the good. All those entered in the race started from the home at the whistle, except Robert Christy, who claims he was locked in his room and kidnapped, therefore he has his permission to attempt an endurance record in its near future, the outcome of which we will notify the public.


DELHI

All eyes are now turned toward the annual Dinner-Dance which is the acme of all our social activities during the year. Plans for it are made far in advance; the joys of the occasion are remembered long afterwards. On Feb. 21 we shall be experiencing one of the grandest social activities of our college life.

At our meeting on Monday evening, January 12 business was hurriedly dismissed and attention was given to the behavior of the misunderstanding pledges. An alumni, brother Shetzer administered the corrective measures to all but two who were innocent.

Professor Reeb, our sponsor, had dinner at the house last Tuesday evening with the fellows. Afterwards he spoke in regard to the activities of the organization for the next semester and the coming year. We are, indeed, grateful to Mr. Reeb for his keen interest and leadership.

Beginning soon, we plan to have regular after-dinner fireside meetings at the house. The purpose is to foster mutual understanding about college life and to discuss such topics as current problems and activities.

—D. W. W.

FIVE BROTHERS

Home Coming! What does it mean to every loyal Five Brother? Up to this time it stood for: class "get-together", meeting of old friends, going to a dance in the big gym, seeing a football game and last but not least going to the annual midnight feed.

Home Coming! What does it mean to every loyal Five Brother NOW? Just this. For three months we have been planning a Winter Home Coming. The date is set for January 31, the night we play Detroit City college. We have beaten them once, but only by two points, so it will be a good game, no doubt about that. We are safe in saying that no other single organization on the campus, in the history of the school has ever attempted such a program as we have mapped out for that week-end.

Here it is. Those alumni that can come on Friday the 30th are certainly invited, the only kind of passport necessary is one or more (the more the better) high school students that are thinking of going away to college and that
many be influenced through us and our fraternity to come here. It will be our duty to see that they see the whole college and have a general good time while here. Through the courtesy of the Coaches Stellar and Landis, we and our guests are to have the use of the gym Saturday afternoon. The play being supervised by the members of the fraternity that are on the varsity B. G. squad nacely Tarzan, Thourot, John Swearingen, Rut Hyatt, Doyt Perry, Kenyon Golding, Red Stevenson, Clifton Olds, Neophytes Patton, McMillian, Van Camp and Yoder. In the evening the fraternity and their guests will have dinner in a group at Fetzer's Grill, after which they will sit together in a group during the game. Following the game a light lunch will be served at the fraternity house together with the usual cigars and card playing. According to the alumni returns, from our monthly news letters the fraternity sends out, there will be some crowd at the house during that week-end. Some are even bringing their whole basket ball team. So much for this.

**Five Bro. Formal Dance**

A radical change has been noticed by all fraternity members in the attitude towards decorating. We have spent on decorations for one dance as high as two hundred and fifty dollars. Just think how far that would go towards equipping a fraternity house. As a result Five Brother Fraternity has in their dance budget for this year set aside only twenty-five dollars for decorations. What a relief from work, worry and expense. In no other way will the quality of the dance be lowered. So lets go Delhi's and Commoners, let's make this a year to be remembered by its good dances in spite of the looks of decorhations.

**Inter-Fraternity News**

Now that we have our Inter-Fraternity council going and there are still a few dates left open on the social calendar, why can't we have are Inter-Fraternity dance next semester. Think it over every body and let's have some action.

—Clifton Olds

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Prof. Beattie with a smooth face?

“Beefy” Bortel only weighing one hundred three pounds?

“Abe” Martin not carrying Copeland's fur coat?

Dr. Reeds not at a ball game?

Lillian Shepherd not talking?

Coach Stellar not smiling?

Mrs. —: Girls can't you refrain from spending your money so foolishly?"

Mary Powers: “Yes, get a date.”

He that wisheth to rise with the sun should not stay up late with that daughter.

“I really don’t see anything in a kiss.”

“I close my eyes too.”

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“Jack Hayes this busy life forsakes; he never would re-line his brakes.
“Here's all that's left of Amos Bossing; He tried to beat it to the crossing.
“No more from Brown are earthly smiles; he took the curve at 50 miles.
“Ted Small has gone to his abode; he kept the middle of the road.
“Here lies our friend, poor Tony Dix; for Booze and Gasoline won't mix.
“Jim Henry's friends are all bereft; he made a short turn to the left.
“Poor Bill's beneath the sod, alas! he speeded up and tried to pass.
“Now Tom has joined the heavenly band; he tried to drive it with one hand.
By a Budding Ohio poet.

Goldner—Say, look at this picture of my girl friend in front of a saloon.
McCarter—I see the saloon but no girl friend.
Goldner—What! Did she go in there again?

Woman to tramp: Go away, or I'll call my husband.
Tramp: Oh, I know 'im. He's the feller who told me to clear out yesterday or 'ed call 'is wife.

Chem. Prof.—And now, my boy, what is SO4?
Sleepy Stude—For automobiles.

The Frosh looked at the label on the big black bottle with the sticky brown stuff in it. “These directions are no good,” he finally said.
“Why?”
“Well, goodnite. They’re all for adults and I’ve never had them.”

And didn’t you ever hear about the man who swallowed a can of gold paint and then said, “Oh, how guilty I feel!”
—Cynic.

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