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Four Fraternities

Accept 52 Pledges

Four of the five fraternities on campus have announced their latest lists of pledges. An informal "rushing" period was held last week with "open smokers" in the fraternity houses on December 3 and 4 and return engagements by invitation on December 5. All men on campus who were interested in becoming affiliated with a fraternity were eligible to try for admittance. Then they were asked to sign pledge cards to one or more of the groups giving preference for their most desirable choice. The decision about admittance then was placed in the hands of the members of the fraternity.

The Theta Chi fraternity has announced this list of pledges: Robert Bell, William H. Colona, Willis Groome, Richard Grossman, James Holden, Don Kershner, Philip MacInnis, Martin McAllister, Joe Miller, R. B. Palmer, John Povey, Don Reynolds, Thomas Riffin, John Rothrock, Frank Schied, Carl Stalloni, Thomas Livigos, and Newell Duncan. On December 10 Robert Campbell, Joe Hearn, and Harry Huxford, former pledges, were initiated into the fraternity. Other members on campus include Raymond Duncan, Albert Lenhart, William Whedbee, Frank Williams, and Gordon Brewer.

The Kappa Alpha fraternity has announced this group of pledges: William F. Ingram, Henry M. Harris, William J. Monaghan, John Bishop, Jack Wilson, Thomas Walsh, Harold English, Charles Pierson, George Ruos, and Joe Mackey. Present members on campus are Russell Newcombe, Stewart Hild, Randall Broberson, Lawrence Webb, and Vance Mitchell (returning). Dr. C. J. Rees is the alumni advisor of the group.

The Sigma Nu fraternity has announced these pledges: John L. Coyle, Jr., William B. Bodley, Edward K. Budd, Robert M. Elssner, Rodman I. Gregg, Wayne A. Grier, John F. Kinter III, James O. Mays, Joseph McVey, Albert Northwood, Thomas Parvis, David W. Scott, Lowell G. Ward, George D. Wolf, and Richard Wolf. An article elsewhere in this paper names the present members on campus.

The Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity has declared the following men as pledges of their organization: Angelo Cataldi, Joe Woods, Jack Harty, Charles Rogers, Paul Lawton, Donald Munger, Ted Zolpher, and Joseph Haw. The present men on campus in this organization are: James Maxwell, Harry Beik, and Ralph Bradley.

Later pledges may be announced because some men did not understand that they had to sign pledge cards for admission and did not do so until yesterday or today. The Sigma Tau Phi list and any additional pledges will be published next week.

J. N. McDowell to Return

Lieutenant John N. McDowell, former public relations officer and alumni secretary at the University of Delaware, was released from the service at the Philadelphia Navy Yard on December 3, 1945. His return to the University is expected this week.

McDowell left on March 1, 1943 and has spent most of his Navy life at Philadelphia. It is not certain whether he will return in his former capacity or assume new duties.

Enrollment of 150 Vets Anticipated Next February

Will Present Acute Housing Problem

The "back to school" movement of many ex-GI's will be well demonstrated on this campus next February. Approximately 150 of the veterans of World War II are expected to enroll in regular classes at the start of the next semester.

The return of these men will present the University with an acute housing problem, one not easy of solution. The fraternities will be able to take care of only a limited number, and all the dorms on the campus are now practically running over. With their return, the male enrollment of the University will be almost double.

These men are returning to take up their studies where they left off, and will be represented in all classes, from freshman to senior. They will undertake work in practically all the departments of the school (except possibly the Home Ec Dept.).

The courses which they will take are included in the regular curriculum, as specified by the G. I. Bill of Rights.

Sigma Nu Reopened Officially; Members Decide on Officers

At a recent meeting of alumni advisors and active members, the Delta Kappa Chapter of the Sigma Nu Fraternity was officially reopened. The chapter has been inactive since the spring of 1943 when the few remaining members left the University to enter the armed forces.

The chapter's newly installed officers are these:

Commander—Dick McHugh.
Lt. Commander—George Grier.
Recorder—Charles Mitchell.
Treasurer—John Ott.

Other members who have returned to school are A. Kendall Shiel, Robert C. Fuhrmeister, Robert K. Lower, and Dave Reinhardt.

The fraternity house is being completely renovated and will be in excellent condition by the opening of the next semester.



ELLIOT LAWRENCE—"Designed for Dancing"

Elliot Lawrence To Be Featured At Christmas Formal

Will Play Saturday At 8:30 in Field House

Elliot Lawrence will be the big feature at the Christmas Formal on Saturday night. It would be worthwhile to go to the dance just to sit and listen to him, but it is doubtful if you will find many students doing that.

The doors of the Field House will open wide at 8:30 for what will be the grandest event on this semester's social calendar. Dress will be formal, but definitely, and a large crowd of students and alumni is expected.

The theme of the decorations will naturally be Christmas, and the decorations committee has purchased several pine trees to be spotted at strategic points around the floor.

The band featured at the dance appears to be on the way up, and will probably soon be ranked among the "name" bands of the country. The pianist-conductor is now featured on his own show "Listen to Lawrence" on Station WCAU. Tune in some night at 4:45 and get an idea how he will sound at the dance.

This young man has been interested in music since he was three, and his training shows up in his smooth arrangements. Highlighting the arrangements are the brilliant piano interpretations of the conductor. Among his outstanding arrangements is the one he made of the Rumanian Rhapsody for Benny Goodman.

As musical director of WCAU, Elliot's C. B. S. programs have won the nation-wide acclaim of music critics. The band has furthered its fame by numerous appearances at leading college and debutante calls. Its success "in person" combined with its national radio popularity promise to make this affair the standout of the term.

A vote of thanks should be given Gordon Brewer and Fran Cox for the swell job they have done to make this dance a complete success.

Some of you students may be interested to know that Elliot will also play at the annual Christmas dance held in the Gold Ballroom of the Hotel duPont on the evening of December 25th.

CONSTITUTIONAL ASSEMBLY TO BE HELD ON MONDAY

Every student on the campus is urged to attend the assembly on Monday, December 17, at 4:15 p. m., in Mitchell Hall to discuss and vote on the proposed constitution for the new Student Government Association.

This discussion should be of vital interest to each and every member of the student body, because of the influence that this constitution will have on our life as members of the collegiate society.

We ask that each of you read the constitution which has been posted on the various bulletin boards, and bring your suggestions in person to the rest of the students on Monday. Your cooperation is needed to make the efforts of the constitutional panel bear fruit.

A decision on the nature of this constitutional should be made in the near future, so that the Student Government Association may begin to function in the interests of the student group. If everyone will come to the assembly, it is likely that a decision will be reached on Monday.

COMING EVENTS

- WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12—
Science Club Meeting, Hilarium, 7:00 P. M.
Senior Tea, Faculty Club, 4:00 to 5:30 P. M.
- THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13—
Review Staff Meeting, Review Office, 6:45 P. M.
Basketball Game, New Castle A. A. B., Away.
Math Club Meeting, Sussex Common Room, 8:30 P. M.
Spanish Club Meeting.
- FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14—
Big Sister-Little Sister Christmas Party, Hilarium 7:30 P. M.
- SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15—
Christmas Formal, Elliot Lawrence Orch., Field House, 8:30 to 12:00 P. M.
- SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16—
Brown Hall Open House, 8:30 P. M.
- MONDAY, DECEMBER 17—
Constitutional Assembly of All Students, Mitchell Hall, 4:15 P. M.
- TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18—
Newman Club Meeting, Commuters' Room, 7:30 P. M.
French Club Meeting, Sussex Common Room, 7:15 P. M.
- WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19—
Christmas Banquet, Kent Hall, 6:00 P. M.
A Christmas Program will be presented by the E-52 and the Music Department in Mitchell Hall immediately after the banquet.

Christmas Pageant To Be Held Dec. 19

E-52 and Music Department to Collaborate On Production

The E-52 Players and the Music Department will again collaborate in presenting the annual Christmas program to be given in Mitchell Hall, Wednesday evening, December 19, at 8:15 p. m. The players will present an adaptation of Dicken's Christmas Carol, after the tryouts on Wednesday and Thursday: Charles Rogers, Layton Maybrey, Joseph Woods, Neysa Gold, Helen McGarry, Fred Hartmann, Dorothy Catts, Jack Bishop, and George Irving. Tryouts for several of the parts have not been completed yet, and the

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Christmas Party to Be Held in Brown Hall

Next Sunday evening, December 16, a Christmas party is being planned. There will be a Christmas tree placed in the lounge of Brown Hall around which all students are invited to gather for some good old-fashioned carol singing, refreshments, and any other bit of Christmas tidings appropriate to the season. Gordon Brewer's social committee will serve as hosts to the guests.

So hop in your sleigh next Sunday night and ride the snow drifts over to Brown Hall.

For the past few weeks social get-togethers among students and faculty have been held on Sunday evenings in the lounge of Brown Hall. Student hosts serving at these gatherings have been Joseph Haw, Rus Newcombe, Barton Lewis, Whelan Klemme, Edmund Tobin, Fred Trimble, Edmund Grove, Donald Kershner, William Kirsch, Malcolm Colton, and Mike Harris.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1943

ARE WE NEGLECTING OUR DUTY?

Dean Daugherty has announced that there will be a meeting on Monday, December 17, at 4:15, in Mitchell Hall for the further consideration of the constitution proposed for the Student Government Association. The constitution and organization of the student government should be a matter of vital interest to all students since this organization will plan and operate many of the extra-curricular activities on the campus.

As parliamentary procedures will be closely followed, everyone will have an opportunity to present his suggestions. With a large student attendance a greater cross-section of opinions could be obtained; thus the constitution finally adopted would more truly represent the views of the entire student body.

The committee that drew up the proposed constitution deserves much credit. We should all cooperate in perfecting the organization which they have outlined.

Since participation is the main responsibility of those that want a democratic society, it becomes not only your privilege but also your duty to attend this meeting.

We've Discovered America

These past war years have turned each of us into discoverers—discoverers of the people who make up America. For too long, many of us held false pictures in our minds of our fellow citizens. Our all-American girl was likely to be blond, blue-eyed, snub-nosed, with a name like Jane or Mary Ann. Actually, she might just as well have had dark hair, bright black eyes, an olive complexion and a name like Rosa. Our typical American boy was a broad-shouldered, strong-jawed stalwart, of Anglo-Saxon ancestry, white in color, Protestant in religion.

Now we've discovered that there is no typical American. Pfc. John Smith, fighting along side one boy named Correlli and another named Derounian, and tended by an efficient Army nurse called Sylvia Schwartz, found that our fast. His folks back home had their eyes opened too, when people from other places came to work in neighboring war plants. They were of many different ancestries, different faiths, different racial groups. They were Americans.

Personal contact taught us what we might have learned long ago, if we looked at the black and white statistics. The facts are that less than one-half of our population is white, Protestant and Anglo-Saxon. The statistics show that 55.3 percent of Americans are either foreign-born, or background, including every race, Negro, or Catholic or Jewish, or of some other racial or religious every religion and every nationality on the globe.

Former Secretary of State Stimson said it well when he announced the name of the one-hundredth infantryman to receive the Congressional Medal of Honor. He mentioned some of the other heroes who had already won the highest honor: Kelly, Martinez, Bianchi, Sadowski, Tomlin, Baker, Wierdorfer, Fournier, Lopez, Bjorland. "They are these United States," he said.

This is a great asset. But it can also be a source of weakness, as our enemies have known only too well. During the war they tried to use our differences in ancestry, race and religion as a means of making us weak and disunited. As it turned out, that underhanded divide and conquer strategy was thrown right back "in der fuehrer's face." Every political racketeer who tries to spread bigotry in this country and split Americans apart, will batter his head against the same stone wall—as long as we hold firm to the discovery that war has brought us: The very mixture of racial and religious groups which compose the American people is the source of our strength.

Library Lore

In the New York Times Book Review Section of Sunday, December 2, appeared ten lists of the most outstanding books of 1945. Each list was chosen by a man whose business it is to read many books, and perhaps comment on them. The Memorial Library owns many of the selected books.

John Chamberlain, Harper's Literary Critic, has named *THE WHITE TOWER*, by James Ramsey Ullman, an account of the adventure of climbing a mountain in Switzerland combined with the meditations and reminiscences of the various members of the group. *PLEASANT VALLEY*, by Louis Bromfield, in which the writer relates how, after many years spent abroad, he returned to his native Ohio and there built up a new home and a new way of life founded on the old ways of the pioneer American farmer; and *TOM PAINE: AMERICA'S GOD-FATHER*, by W. E. Woodward, a biography of Thomas Paine that contradicts the idea that he was a "filthy little atheist." The author gives the facts of his life, as he found them examines his writings, and shows the part Paine played in the American Revolution.

Norman Cousins, editor of the *Saturday Review of Literature*, chose, among others, *TEACHER IN AMERICA*, by Jacques Barzun, a sophisticated, ironical, and entertaining treatise on teaching in America, particularly in colleges and universities; and *ON A NOTE OF TRIUMPH*, by Norman Corwin, CBS's radio program hailing victory in Europe.

CASS TIMBERLANE, by Sinclair Lewis, is one of the fiction books selected by Lewis Gannett, daily book editor of the *New York Herald Tribune*. Cass Timberlane, a Minnesota judge, forty-one, respectful, sober, marries a girl in her early twenties, which deed supplies an interesting theme for a novel. Others in this list are *THE AGE OF JACKSON*, by Arthur Schlesinger, Jr., an exhaustive inquiry into Jacksonian democracy as an intellectual as well as a political movement; and *NAMES ON THE LAND*, by George Stewart, a history of American place names, which is filled with facts, anecdotes, and conjectures.

THE THURBER CARNIVAL, by James Thurber, is one of the books on the list of Joseph Henry Jackson, literary editor of the *San Francisco Chronicle*. This notable collection of Thurberiana gives a fine picture of the weather in the author's soul from antic drawings

Nature's Makeup

The snowfall Monday caused hopes for a white Christmas to soar. To my mind nothing compares with the virgin beauty of a blanket of snow. It falls gently from the sky and like pan-cake makeup covers over the blemishes of the landscape, turning every naked tree into a living monument. It seems that Dame Nature has resorted to this device to cover her faults at a time when she might be seen unadorned by leaves and colorful flowers. She even provides an additional decoration for her evergreens, contrasting their brilliant green with the pure white of the snow.

This covering effect can best be seen when viewed in the woods and fields, but our own campus provides a very good example. We can best appreciate snow because of its rather infrequent appearance here. When it does come, it covers the few ugly bare spots on the campus while the trees bear mute testimony to the unsurpassed grandeur of the scene portrayed, and all the Max Factors and Lady Esthers in the world cannot hope to approach the perfection of this makeup of nature, the snow.

to biographical sketches and short stories.

Joseph A. Margolies, President of the American Booksellers Association, suggests *THE AMERICAN LANGUAGE: SUPPLEMENT I*, by H. L. Mencken. This book contains fresh materials on the subject of the American use of the English language.

PIPE NIGHT, by John O'Hara, a choice of Robert van Gelder, editor of the *New York Times Book Review*, is a collection of stories which first appeared in the *New Yorker*. Van Gelder also chooses *THE COLLECTED POETRY OF W. H. AUDEN*, a volume of poetry which firmly establishes Mr. Auden as one of the most exciting poets of his generation.

Edward Weeks, editor of *The Atlantic Monthly*, cites *THE WORLD, THE FLESH, AND FATHER SMITH*, by Bruce Marshall, sketches of a Scottish Catholic priest and his parishioners. Also on his list is *GENERAL MARSHALL'S REPORT*, a brief statement on the American achievements in the war in Europe and the Pacific. His report begins with the outline of the attack on Southern Italy and ends with the action of the atomic bomb and the collapse of Japan.

All of the above-mentioned books can be found in the library. Not only are they excellent material for vacation reading, but also for Christmas gifts.

Christmas Banquet

Don't forget the Christmas Banquet next Wednesday, December 19th. It's going to be really super! Please note that lists of the tables at which you are to sit will be posted in the dining hall a few days before the dinner.

Also, before the grand occasion, programs will be given you—to follow, please. Why follow it? Because you have some surprises in store, just wait and see.

Please dress up a little, as you did for the Thanksgiving dinner.

After dinner entertainment will be provided in Mitchell Hall (a floor show, yet!). See you then.

Club News

Spanish Club

The Spanish Club will have an open meeting in the Hilarium on Thursday, December 13, at 7:30 p. m. Miss Lucy Hickman, an alumna of the Women's College, will illustrate her talk on Mexico with slide pictures.

Miss Hickman has spoken many times before at the University and her pictures and talks have always been highly interesting and valuable. Everyone is invited to attend this meeting.

Thursday evening at 7:15 in the Hilarium the Spanish Club will hold an open meeting, at which Miss Lucy Hickman will speak. Slides of Mexico will also be shown. Miss Hickman, an alumna of the U. of D., will speak in Spanish. Anyone who is interested is invited to attend.

Math Club

The Math Club will meet on Thursday, December 13, at 4:30, in the Common Room of Sussex. Dr. Rees will be the speaker and his topic will be, "Life of an Undergraduate Mathematics Student in China." Refreshments will be served and everyone is invited.

French Club

The French Club will meet on Monday, December 17, in the Common Room of Sussex at 4:15. The members will discuss Christmas in France and sing French Christmas carols.

Home Economics Club

Miss Orpha June Warrington, a member of the freshman home economics class, is one of eight members of the 4-H Club of this state who won a state championship for her work during 1945.

June received her reward for her "all around" achievements in the national 4-H girls' record activity. Her records include all of the projects she has done during 11 years of club work, which include cooking projects for eight years, sewing projects for seven years, three of canning, and one of room improvement.

Each of the winners of state contests attended a four day National 4-H Congress in Chicago last week, where each was a guest of a commercial firm. The members were entertained by famous people, visited various places of interest in Chicago, and participated in interviews. The expenses for June were furnished by Montgomery Ward.

Music Club

The Music Club is planning a big Christmas meeting on December 20, Thursday night, at 7:00 p. m. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy the special Christmas musical Christmas carols and holly and pine will help give a real Christmas atmosphere. Don't forget the date—December 20—the day before we leave for the Christmas holidays.

Contemporary Prints On Display in Library

Twenty-four prints from the collection of Dr. Alexander H. Sackton are now being shown in the Art Gallery of the Memorial Library and will continue to be shown until Dec. 21. The prints are the work of some of the most famous contemporary artists such as Picasso, Orozco, George Grosz and Marc Chagall.

The exhibition offers a wide variety in medium, subject matter and technique. Dry point, pure etching, lithograph and delicate coloring in a print by Tamayo are represented. The subject matter and effects are also widely diversified.

There are many really wonderful prints here: Villard's "Philosopher" in which you can almost feel the sweep of the wind; George Grosz' humorous, imaginative "Self-portrait"; the unusual Picasso, "Les Pauvres"; Marc Chagall's "Timid Teacher"; a bold, straightforward head by Otto Mueller and a bright print by Mullen of yellow, reclining figures.

It isn't often we get to see originals of this kind; most of our exhibits are limited, naturally enough, to reproductions of the best in art. Here, however, we have it first hand and it is a real privilege.

Philadelphia Alumnae Meet

Many classes were represented at the Luncheon Meeting of the Philadelphia Alumnae at the University Club on Saturday, December 8. Ann Hamilton, '41, formerly of Newark, presided.

Arrangements for the meeting were in charge of the Executive Committee including, in addition to the president, Frances McGee Evans, '35, vice-president; Christine Stericker Hushebeck, '42, secretary; Letitia Pool, '23, treasurer; and Patricia Henderson Pierce, '42, and Susanne Millen X-'30, past presidents. Katherine Krauss Benoliel, '27, also assisted.

Committees were appointed as follows: Elizabeth Whitaker Lipincott, April, '43, and Winifred Park Fry, '45, members of a committee to look into the possibilities of setting up a Philadelphia Chapter Scholarship Fund; Marjorie Wild, X-'40, Frances McGee Evans, '35, Elisabeth McGee, '42, and Patricia Henderson Pierce, '42, members of a committee on fund raising; and Marguerite Heiss Black, '36, Charlotte Stout Cancellmo, '38, and Helen Cuthbertson, '45, members of a committee to enlist the interest of prospective members in the Chapter. Edith McDougale, executive secretary of the Alumnae Association, was a guest at the luncheon.

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Departmental News

English Department

Sgt. James M. Dunbar, now on Okinawa, is planning a treatise on the subject of America in an atomic age. In preparation for the undertaking he is interested in reading the cross-section opinions of the generation who will soon be faced with the problems arising in this new era.

The University of Delaware is one of a selected number of universities and colleges throughout the country which Sgt. Dunbar has asked to cooperate with him in obtaining the comments of the students on the subject.

The Department of English is requested to have the students in composition courses write paragraphs, not exceeding 75 words, on the topic "A Plan for America." The head of the department will then select the five outstanding submissions to be forwarded to him. The paragraphs chosen to be incorporated into an article to be offered for national publication will be fully credited.

Although the freshmen will have an opportunity to write such a paragraph in the regular composition course, contributions from members of other classes will receive due consideration.

Mathematics Department

Dr. Carl J. Rees and Dr. G. C. Webber represented the University of Delaware at a meeting of the American Mathematical Association. The meeting was held in Philadelphia on December 1.

Chemical Engineering

The division of Chemical Engineering is planning a cooperative research program on heat exchangers, a project to be sponsored by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. An advisory committee of industrial men will be appointed by the Division. The funds will be contributed by companies manufacturing heat exchangers.

Engineering Department

No engineering news except that all departments are working very hard toward getting surplus military equipment for the various labs.

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Fr. Couming To Address Newmans

Club to Hold Christmas Meeting Tuesday, Dec. 18

The Newman Club will hold its special Christmas meeting on Tuesday, December 18, at 7:15 p. m. In view of the solemnity of the Christmas season, the Rev. William R. Couming, the guest speaker, has selected as his subject "The Divinity of Christ," which is the center and the heart of the Christmas mystery.

Father Couming, a graduate of Holy Cross College in the class of 1939, is well acquainted with student life in a college and is thoroughly qualified to answer questions in the minds of college men and women and at the same time give helpful and practical advice for their lives in the post-collegiate world.

Coming to Wilmington a little over a year ago when he completed his theological studies at St. Mary's Seminary in Baltimore, Maryland, Father Couming is a present an assistant rector at St. Peter's Cathedral in Wilmington.

Mary Tierney, chairman of the Program Committee, announced this week that a variety of musical entertainment, including instrumental entertainment, including individual artists and group singing, will also be featured. Refreshments and decorations will also help to carry out the Christmas motif of the meeting.

The first issue of "The Cardinal," the club publication, will appear immediately prior to this date. Katherine Klenle, the editor, has named a staff, and publication plans are currently under way.

Dr. Mosher to Address Organic Chemists' Assn.

Dr. William A. Mosher of the Chemistry Department will speak to the Organic Chemists' Discussion Group of Northern New Jersey on "Recent Advances in Terpene Chemistry" in Newark, Monday, December 17, 1945. Last month he spoke on the same subject before the Philadelphia Organic Chemists' Club at the University of Pennsylvania.

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Here and There

The writer of the "Where Were You" column in the Washington College "Elm" got off a good one not long ago. She says, speaking of Hallowe'en ghosts, "We may have outgrown doorbell ringing, but the spirits are still around!"—Strictly green corn, huh?

A pretty little gal sitting behind me at the Army-Navy football game, and who had had a snort too much, decided to inform her fellow spectators that "Navy has the best team—they're just bashful!"

Conversation on a phone: Harry Huxford calling a local lass for a date.—"Hello. Say, would you like to go into Wilmington tonight to a movie?"—Bubbled the expectant victim, "Why, Harry, I'd love to!"—Harry, "Oh, by the way, can you get your father's car?"—"Why, no, Harry, I can't. I'm sorry."—Replied our hero, "Well, I'll be seeing you. I have a lot of studying to do tonight. Goodbye!"—and then hung up!

Observing the Characters

Dick Wolfe strolling uptown in the rain wearing his Nazi Naval officer's hat—without insignia.—Joe Hearn wondering just how his car keys got in the punch bowl at the Theta Chi smoker. Just call him "Junior."—Phil Neff being removed from one table to another by one of the librarians for too much chatter with some pretty gals.—Coach Steers must be pretty hard up for basketball talent when he uses such "old men" as Joe "Pop" Skura and Bill Moffet. Maybe the guys are young for their age. (No reflection on the younger members of the team!)—Must be a big attraction at the University of Penn for Jean Richards to be trotting up there almost every week-end to the "frat" parties!—The "Review" sends belated apologies to Bill Whedbee for calling him a Theta Chi pledge when he is actually an older member than Moffet—and that's going back quite some time!—What attraction is there at a certain Christmas dance for Kenny Bullock that will keep him away from our own Yuletide Formal.—I got a big kick out of watching Ken Barnes stroll out of the D. T. with a load of schoolbooks under his arms. I never thought of it before, but that should be a pretty good place to do your home work.

The Music Box

A good one on the juke boxes these days is "Talking to Myself About You" done in fine fashion by Vaughn Monroe and his crew.—Another goodie, "It Might As Well Be Spring."—Watch for the brand newie, "Seems Like Old Times" climb the hit ladder.—If a good press agent would get wise and start building up Stuart Foster, current Tommy Dorsey vocal swooner, this column thinks the boy could give Frankie Sinatra a close race. Foster sang for Ina Ray Hutton and Guy Lombardo before joining T. D.

"POP" ROBERTS

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ICE CREAM

The Hen Coops

Warner

Warner jogged along for a whole week with nothing spectacular happening—no mice, no nothing. The only mildly unsettling thing that happened was that Swain was heading for the shower clad in the usual towel when 'twas discovered that the kid across the hall had her brother visiting! There should be a law.

More kids are falling by the wayside every time you turn around. If this keeps up there will be about one brave soul attending classes. Elva and Nol were still in the infirmary at this writing, but Armentrout is remaining in her own lily white bed. It seems that the infirmary is slightly crowded. Nolde has a bit of pleasantness awaiting her recovery in the form of a big chocolate cake.

Mystery of the week:

While walking uptown Sunday night we saw two figures slip into Mitchell Hall—no lights, then or after. The question is who, what, and why . . . ?

Harter

Jamie Booker is the only girl in Harter Hall who can talk on two phones at once. How about giving us a chance at the phone, Jamie?

Fran Sutherland was quite surprised last Saturday when she walked in from her heavy date and found five girls sprawled on mattresses all over the floor. It turned out to be a slumberless slumber party (just another name for an old-fashioned bull-session). They discovered, much to their chagrin, that the Bluebird of Happiness does not come on at three o'clock anymore.

Several times last week coffee was served in Room 205. It's mighty good too—and only 5c a cup.

If you had been in Harter recently you might have thought that it has been reconverted to a men's dorm, but it's only the girls who have colds with the resultant husky voices. Our sick bay is in full swing.

Mandie, your sailor is mighty cute!

"Coeds Are Swell"

Say Veterans

The campus coed—is she attractive, intelligent, fun to be with on a date? Has she taken man's place in campus activities and done the job well?

Returned veterans have expressed their opinions in answering these questions. The survey taken indicates that the present-day coed is as attractive to the man with overseas experience as she was before he left our shores.

In comparing coeds with European women, the following comments were made:

"After being overseas for so long, any women looks wonderful to me. The women abroad wouldn't fit into upper class life here, and they're interested in nothing but having a good time. I've noticed that women here are more intelligent and seem to have a sophisticated air that I like."

Veterans enumerated the usual pet irritations they still have about women: smoking on campus, blue jeans, and not portraying true personalities.

To sum up the general consensus, the statement most often made was simply "Coeds are swell!"

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Sussex

Male Mail:

Most surprised somebody of Sussex this week is Peg Reynolds, cause it's been a long time! Who wrote that be-e-oofiful "billy-doo," Peg?

Gloria and Muffy have been all smiles lately—just because of the mailman's generosity. Muffy is even learning to ride a horse for "him," after first investing in a real soft cushion.

The Deitrich duo have been receiving official questionnaires from the Navy recently. Beware, twins, think twice before you divulge any vital statistics (height, measurements) to those nefarious NAPS.

Newark High School's latest acquisition—Miss Hoke, Ph.D. (D stands for Dabbler) in Spanish, recently in an emergency assisted the faculty there with a few helpful hints on teaching Spanish. Must have been a hep class if the pupils were as scared as the teacher!!

Lost and Found

In the future, all lost and found notices will be published in the Review instead of being posted on the bulletin board in Robinson Hall. We believe that this will serve the double purpose of reaching a greater number of people and of keeping the bulletin board neater. Please send all lost and found notices in care of Margery Marston, Sussex Hall.

Lost

Silver charm bracelet near the Chemistry Building. Finder contact Helen E. Browne. Reward.

Black and gold Eversharp pen. Belongs to Anne Hulme, Warner Hall.

Pocketbook edition of Claudia and David. Lottie Mueller, Box 300, University Hall.

Silver sailor pin belonging to Skip Verne, Boletus.

Bottom half of a Schaeffer fountain pen with initials H. G. B. on it. Finder please contact Judy Black, New Castle.

Brown Schaeffer pen. Owner is Edith S. Levy, New Castle.

Black Schaeffer fountain pen between University Hall and Wolf Hall. Contact owner at Warner Hall, room 22, or write to post-office Box 117.

Green and black Schaeffer pencil in University Hall. Please re-

Christmas Pageant

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results will be announced this week.

The Music Department is again taking an active part in this traditional program. The choral organization to be heard will be the Freshman Chorus under the direction of Miss Bernita Short, and the Senior Chorus directed by Professor Anthony Loudis. Both of these will combine to sing a large variety of Christmas selections from different countries. To be included in the program is the annually performed *Cantique de Noel*. Miss Temma Bell of the Freshman class will sing the soprano solo of that composition. This will be the first appearance of the combined chorus composed of eighty members.

At a recent meeting of the officers of the E-52 Players the following people were chosen to head the production committees: Astrid Delitzsch, Production Manager; Joan Cauffiel and George rving, Lighting; Dorothy Catts, Make-up; Virginia Smith, Costumes; Anne Hulme, Properties; Mary Esther Moore, Scenery; Elva Hyatt, Publicity; Onetia Tawes, Prompting; Jean Tullar, Business; Malcom Colton Photography.

ASTRP Unit Inspected By War Department

A War Department inspection of the academic and military training of the ASTRP unit at the University was held on December 6 and 7. Lt. Col. William C. Rein (GSC) and Lt. John J. Wachsmuth (CAC), from the training commission of the Army Service Forces, whose headquarters are in Washington, D. C., were the inspectors. Also present were Col. John B. Grier (GSC), director of military training of the Second Service Command, Lt. Col. Charles O. Buckland (AGD), director of the schools division of the same headquarters.

A contract between the University of Delaware and The United States Army was renegotiated. Col. Rein expressed his pleasure with the review, formations, and retreat of the troops on campus. A report will be submitted later on the results of the inspection.

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