College Corner

By Jim Aycock

Branch Warfield and Guy Lerner were appointed by the Board of Student Publications to act as the editor and assistant editor of the handbook for next year. Their names were submitted to the Board by Norman Sharrer, last year's editor of the handbook.

Dr. Howard Ennis, Superintendent of the Delaware Colony State Training School for the Feeble-minded at Stockley, was the speaker in assembly Thursday. Dr. Ennis who has been with the institution for over twenty years, centered his speech upon "What is Mental Deficiency," "What Causes It", and "What To Do About It."

An Old Clothes Dance sponsored by the Y. M. C. A. is to be held in the Gymnasium on Halloween. The Collegians will furnish the music and refreshments will be free. Jack Hitchcock, chairman of the dance committee reported that the Gymnasium would be decorated like a barn and that the price of admission would be eighty cents.

Mrs. Gilbert W. Mead told the Reid Hall Girls last week that the College Red Cross room would be ready this week. Ten girls who have previously rolled bandages are going to all the rooms in Reid Hall teaching the other girls the approved technique for folding the two-inch squares of white gauze so that no time will be lost. The room will be open from 9.00 to 12.00 in the mornings and from 1.00 to 4.00 in the afternoons for five days a week.

Marine and Nvay Recruiting officers visited the College on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Eighteen boys were examined for the Reserves of both services on Tuesday and about a dozen more were checked on Wednesday.

Lee Teal, ex-'44, is flying with the Navy at Packsonville, Florida. His reports of flying and Navy life in general are enthusiastic.

Roger Berry, Turner Hastings, Warren Hodges, Lee Wilkinson and Bod Holdt were inducted as active members into Beta Eta Chapter of Theta Chi on Monday night. Jack Walk was pledged last week.

Seven athletes and three managers of various sports received the highest honors that can be earned in athletic activities on the hill when they were initiated into the Varsity Club on Thursday night. If you see anyone walking about with little or no hair you can bet he was one of those "honored". The following were initiated:

Irving Jones, Jim Juliana, Nelson Kaylor, Bill Loll, Dick Lynch, Jean Messick, Al Nowak, Len Parris, Bill Roe and Bob Ruff.

The upperclass basketball players reported for practice Monday. Such veterans as Jim Stevens, Frank Samele, Lew Yerkes, Jerry Voith and Frank Gibe presented themselves to Coach Dumschott. When one adds the large bunch of freshmen and transfers who reported for practice last week, it is easy to see that the College has quite a bunch of candidates for the 1942-43 Flying Pentagon. Incidently names such as these may break into the starting lineup; Athey, Blawie, Snyder and Zebrowski.

A one-act comedy, "The Eligible Mr. Bangs", will be presented by the freshmen class this Friday night in the auditorium. Cast in the leading roles are Lynne Cress, Ad Wienert, Alice Lacey and John Snyder. Frank Macielag and Phyllis Peters are the directors of the production.

Lucilla Latham is now attending Bever College, a woman's college in Pennsylvania. Lucilla was a sophomore last year.

The obstacle course is becoming far complete, more intricate, and more difficult every day. "It won't be long," some of the boys are saying, "before Commandos and Rangers are training here."

Irv Braunstein, after receiving a deferment from the army last month, was surprised several days ago when he received an order to report for duty on November 13. He went home Wednesday.

Jack Barnes, Bill Payne, Frank Samele, Walt Falardeau, and Larry Gwyn were pledged to Theta Chi during "May Week," last Spring.

"A Style Sheet For The Preparation of Term Papers, Essays, Themes and Formal Papers," prepared by Dr. Tolles last spring, was adopted by the faculty this year. It will be the official style sheet for all departments of the College. Special requirements which diverge from the general practice have been brought together.

America Trails in Fish Eating

The annual per capita fish consumption in the United States is only 13.3 pounds, according to latest figures. This puts the country far down the list in fish consumption among maritime nations. The Japs lead with 100 pounds, followed by the Scandinavian countries. Sweden's figure is 52.

Letter To The Editor

October 19, 1942

To The Editor of The Transcript:

I have written the following letter to General Lewis B. Hershey, Director of the Selective Service System, Washington, D. C., in an effort to help meet the farm labor shortage in Maryland and the Nation. I shall appreciate your publishing as much of it as you can in this week's issue of your paper.

"Dear General Hershey:

"The two fundamental things necessary to win this war are bullets and beef. By beef I, of course, mean farm products. Men cannot fight if they are not fed and it was Napoleon who declared that 'an Army travels on its belly'.

"This nation has undertaken the burden of sustaining all our people at home, all our soldiers and sailors abroad, and of furnishing vast quantities of food to our allies, and in some instance, to furnish food to conquered nations as well.

"In the face of this stupendous undertaking it is folly to continue to take from the farms the boys who have been raised in the country, who know the farm who are needed on the farm, and thus by so doing reduce the quantity of food produced by the entire country.

"You cannot take labor from the factories in many cases and put them on the farm for that would disturb the labor situation in the factories and quite often factory help is not farm minded anyway. Clearly the thing to do before it is too late is to amend the draft law in such manner and to such degree as will make sure that there will be enough farm labor available to produce the food that is needed to win this war.

"Of course, any farm labor exempted from military draft should be employed in good faith in farm production, should come within the category of necessary farm labor and be such a part in the production of the food stuffs as will "keep the streams of cattle and hogs and grains flowing to the places where they are consumed. I believe it must be done quickly. It normally takes about ten months to produce a grain crop and about eighteen months to two years to bring a young beef to the size where it can be slaughtered for beef.

"Won't you, therefore, send me an amendment so drawn as not to upset your basic military requirements but which will at the same time safe guard for the farms sufficient labor as will keep the food coming to our soldiers and sailors and our civilian population and our allies.

"I trust you will see eye to eye with me on this. I am asking you to draft the legislation because I want it to coincide in every way possible with your selective service program.

Sincerely yours,"

Thanking, and with best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,
MILLARD E. TYDINGS.

Contra-Indicate Sun-Baths

Certain conditions may definitely contra-indicate sun-baths. They are: tuberculosis, an over-active thyroid, diabetes, nephritis, certain heart conditions. In such cases a doctor's O.K. should first be obtained and sunburn should be carefully avoided.

Cutting Flowers

Don't cut flowers on windy days, for stems are likely to be low in moisture content which affects their keeping qualities.

Duplicate Bridge Tournaments Resumed

The duplicate bridge tournaments, which proved so popular last winter and spring were resumed Monday night at the Country Club.

By popular vote, Monday night was selected for future dates.

The present tournament will consist of a series of six evenings, but anyone can play a single time without attending all six.

Results of the play on Monday night were as follows:

North and South:

Couple 1—Mrs. Perry Metcalfe and Mrs. Ernest Strong.

Couple 2—Miss Harriett Vane and Mr. Philip V. Kratzer.

Couple 3—Mrs. J. Browne Metcalfe and Mrs. Richard Carvell.

East and West:

Couple 1—Mrs. W. Norman Cooper and Mrs. Bonwill Dukes.

Couple 2—Mrs. R. F. Tull and Mrs. A. C. Dick.

Couple 3—Mrs. J. Thos. Kibler and Mrs. Eben F. Perkins.

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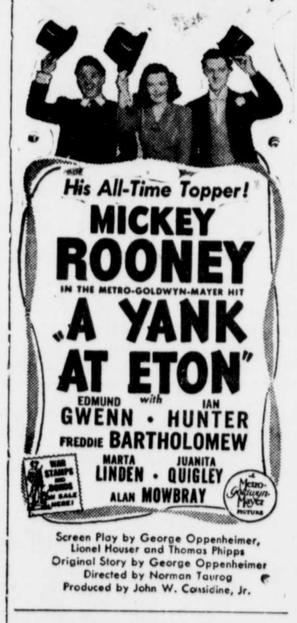

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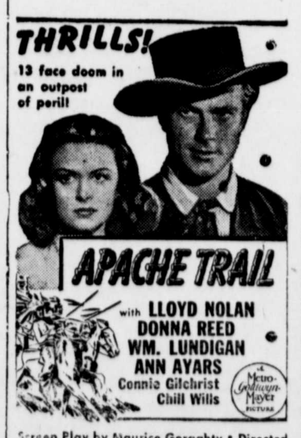

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