Vacation Begins April 15

Easter vacation begins April 15. The last recitation will end on Tuesday afternoon at 5:40. Classes will be resumed on Wednesday morning, April 23, at 8:10.

STUDENT ASSEMBLY

Letters Presented to Varsity Men

The greater part of Student Assembly last Friday morning was given over to the election of officers for next year, but before assembly adjourned for elections, resolutions in favor of a dramatics club, a union for women's studies, and art council were read by Gertrude Greene and unanimously accepted. Miss Greene, who is in her second year, presented her resignation to the assembly, and it was accepted with pleasure.

Miss Thompson, who has previously given such a recital in the auditorium, was received favorably.

LENTEN RECITAL

THURSDAY NIGHT

Miss Helen Thompson and Mrs. Marie B. State Charge Large Audience

A splendid piano and contralto recital was given in the auditorium last Thursday evening by Miss Helen Thompson and Mrs. Marie B. State.

MEN'S SMOKER

Seniors Stars of Evening

Last Friday night the second annual men's smoker was held. The event was well attended by both faculty and students. The seniors showed their spirit in carrying off the honors of nearly all the events. "Flite" and "Cispen" tied in the inter-class 25-yard dash, but in the try-out "Flite" won. A three-round bout between "Kull" and "Mercy," 24, and "Batt," Count Castellanis, resulted in a draw. The audience grew particularly enthusiastic over this event. The main feature of the evening was the three-legged race, with such combinations as Hatton, "21," and "Hull," and Flinton and "Chosen." Students won the white-barrow race. Professors Burke and Douglass and class of the "Eagles" consisted of pop-conCERTICN and "tea-tray" from the cafeteria. The faculty won the volley ball game. Professor Hill umpired and Professor Sayles kept score. Several umpires were missed at singing, but Indian clubs proved too formidable. (Continued on page 4)

1919 CLASS DAY OFFICERS


MISS JEANNE GRAY TO RETURN TO ALBANY

Former Physical Instructor Acceptor Important State Position

Miss Jeanne Gray, who was in charge of the physical education department during the summer session at the university, has accepted an important position at the State College for Women. She will return to Albany in the fall.

GYM FROLIC

TOMORROW NIGHT

Girls, don't forget the Gym frolic tomorrow night at seven-thirty. If you want to have lots of fun just come prepared for a good time, and you will be even a greater success than the "Daisy Chain." Tickets may be purchased from members of the committee.
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EDITORIALS

A FRESHMAN REITERATES

All too often we hear remarks like the one mentioned in the "News" of the last edition, "isn't this the fastest hole you ever struck?" and it does our hearts good to hear sentences such as, "Fresman did hit a double after last Friday meeting." We want to talk about any college you want to, but for my part I'm glad I'm here. Weren't you proud of our classmate who received his letter this morning? There was at least one representa­tive of every class who received a letter that morning, but how many of us echoed the sentiments of that freshmen? If we all felt that way, and made such remarks more often, we should all feel very much more loyal in a short time. When we expect others to do a thing, we want to do it for ourselves, at least. If, however, we think the college is our old school, we shall find something about us all the time which makes us believe it more and more, and we shall be saying soon, "For my part, I'm glad I'm here."

HOW ABOUT A MAY-DAY?

Let's gossip about traditions again. We have not discussed them much lately, so in order that we shall not forget that we have established some "awfully" good ones, let us present for your inspection an one that's new for State College. This "tradition" was proposed by an athletically inclined Miss who had heard that more than 50% (yes, college of course) have a May-day every year. So she suggested that State College students strike you, colleges? What do you do in the East, Miss? What do you think our State College students will do? 

A May-day is really a dance day. Not the ball-room kind, but the prettiest girl of the college is chosen to be Queen of the May—and State has material for a prettiest beauty. It seems as though some Saturday afternoon in May could be devoted to carrying out this affair, and then how about winding up the afternoon with a picnic supper and dancing in the sunshine? The last suggestion is made as a means by which the students may have a chance to display their ability in the art of Terpsichore. Far be it from us to allow anyone other than the virile of our men, for when it comes to dancing (other than the vitals of our men, for when it comes to dancing (other than striking at our college?) What do you think? How about it the next May-day?

VOLLEY BALL

Now that the basketball season is over we want something to take its place. Volley ball is that something. Don't forget that there is practice every afternoon at 11:15 a.m. A series of games will be played between the classes just as in the case of basketball. Girls, come out for Volley Ball practice every afternoon so that we may have some good teams.

MUSIC CLUB PARTY

The annual entertainment and dance of the Music club was held in the gym last Saturday evening between 11:30 p.m. and 11:45 a.m. About one hundred members and their guests were present. The program was unusually delightful, and met with hearty approval from the audience. The entertainers were as follows:

- Piano solo—Marjorie McDonnell
- Whistling solo—Helen Fay, '19
- Reading—Gerritte Green, '20
- Solo elocution—Florence Franklin, '20
- Violin solo—Katherine McGarrah, '21
- Flute solo—J. Merle Hodoswich, ex-'20
- Piano solo—Miss Swarts

The last two hours were given to dancing. Music was furnished by various members of the students, and refreshments consisted of delicious punch and chocolate wafers. Miss Helen Reifs, '20, president of the club, presided during the evening.

ALBANY BRANCH OF STATE COLLEGE ALUMNI

HOLDING MEETING

Take Action in Regard to Alumni Quarterly

An enthusiastic meeting of the Albany branch of the alumni of the State College took place in the auditorium of the college, March 25. The branch has a membership of more than 300 and pledged itself to the financing of the alumni quarterly. A similar publication has long been felt by the college. The fact that the institution is in the State college has been a handicap in financing, and a very active organization. But the example of other state colleges and universities shows that this handicap can be done without successfully.

The meeting was opened with the singing of college songs. Geo. D. Elwell was president and Miss Mildred Alden, '20, secretary. Miss Alden introduced the topic of the meeting as the making or breaking of an organization. The problems of individual colleges vary with the conditions but without exception, the great problem is to hold the interest of the members by keeping them up to date and by giving them something interesting to do. The program was kept to the point and the interest of the members was maintained.

SYDNEY HALL PARTY

Sydney Hall entertained the seniors of the A. B. department Saturday evening, April 5th. A short vaudeville program was given, a stunt by the freshmen, and a display of old letters. Florence Edmonds gave a delightful reading which was greatly enjoyed. The program closed with The Bachelor's Re­turn... Although it was a long story, it was, nevertheless, successfully carried out. After the program, dancing was enjoyed, with Marion Carrol holding a dance. Refreshments were served, and after a little more dancing the party broke up.

DANCING CLASS TO HAVE WIND-UP

All College Welcome

The instructors of the Saturday afternoon dancing classes have announced the last dance of the year for Saturday, April 12th. At this time the entire college is invited to attend the last entertainment and dance for the last Saturday before vacation.

HOME ECONOMICS NOTES

Florence Franklin, now teaching in Annibal, N. Y., visited the department on Tuesday, April 1st. She was called home by the sudden death of her mother. Miss Franklin went to the State College in 1916, and was employed in the Home Economics department.

FORMER STUDENT GRANTED UNIVERSITY FURLough

Sargent Louis L. Ward, '14, who has been serving with the Transportation Corps of the 61st Engineers at Rennes, France, has been granted a university furlough. He was sent to the University of Paris, where he is taking courses in international law, history and French. Previous to this appointment he was called upon to give a lecture in English to the Alliance Americans, for which he received much praise in the French press of Rennes.

SPELLING CONTEST IN MILLE HIGH SCHOOL

During the month of March the English classes of the practice teachers in Millie High School have been having a spelling contest. The teachers who have taken the highest average have been given spelling on each spelling test and the highest average of this year, the test was won by Adamman Cassin's fourth year class, who averaged second by Marlton Baldwin's class, who averaged of 97, and third by Merrill's fourth year class, who averaged of 87. The fourth place is yet unfulfilled. Poor boys that average of 96 each. They will hold another contest of one week to decide the winner.

KAPPA DELTA RHO

Gamma is very glad to welcome Professor J. M. Alexander as a new member. Plans are under way for the annual banquet to be held Saturday evening, May 7, and a dance in the college cafeteria.

ENRICO CASIN, J. LOGAN, J. 1919, is expected to visit college the latter part of this week.
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ETA PHI

Eta Phi welcomes as pledge members, 21, Edith Huyck; 22, Margaret Kirtland; 22, Gertrude Ryan; 22, and Helen Van Allen, 22.

May Tramu, 21, has been spending a number of days with her parents in Bainbridge and friends in Madison. Dorothy Bacheller, '19, and Florence Stanbro, '21, spent the week-end at their Bloomfield home.

Eta Phi enjoyed an informal "sugar party" at the house, Friday evening.

Verna McCann, '18, visited at College Monday.

Louise Perry, '21, spent the week-end at her home in Moro.

PSI GAMMA

Paul Gaunt welcomes as pledge members, Marjorie Maxwell and Ruth Hemminger, of the class of 22.

The House girls entertained Paul Mann, and "Bob" Elliott at dinner last Sunday. Cecile Conlin spent the week-end at the house.

Madeleine Hartwell spent the week-end at her home in Bloomfield, as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner.

KAPPA DELTA

Miss Edith Redley, former registrar of the college, and Elizabeth Casey, Alice Clear, and Helen Hayes of the class of 22, visited the guests of Kappa Delta Sunday afternoon. Marjorie Potter, '21, spent Saturday night at the house.

Miss Cobb entertained the Kappa Delta girls delightfully at her home in Madeira.

Frances Reeks, '22, Marion Hunter, Carey, Alice Clear, and Helen Bussy, '21, as members.

DELTA OMEGA

Delta Omega, welcomes as pledge members, Lucile Reese, '21, Frances Reeks, '22, Marion Hunter, '22, Dorothy Plum, '22, Dorothy Adams, '21, and Gertrude Buss, '21, as members.

KAPPA NU

Kappa Nu welcomes as pledge members, 24, Pauline Maxweli and Eliza Whitmore. Elizabeth Casey, Alice Clear, and Helen Hayes of the class of 22, visited the guests of Kappa Delta Sunday afternoon. Marjorie Potter, '21, spent Saturday night at the house. Dorothy Robertson, '19, has secured a position as instructor in French and Latin at Lake George. Mildred White, '17, was in town Sunday.

NOTICE CONCERNING REGISTRATION FOR 1919-1920

All students who expect to return to the College in September, 1919, will be required to register for the academic year 1919-1920 in accordance with the following procedure:

1. Fill out your Trial Schedule sheet in pencil, carefully. If both semesters, secure the approval of your Major and Minor Officers, and present your Trial Schedule sheet to the Dean in accordance with the following schedule:

- Freshmen: Monday and Tuesday, May 5 and 6; 9-12 a. m. and 3-5 p. m.
- Sophomores: Thursday and Friday, May 8 and 9; 9-12 a. m. and 3-5 p. m.
- Juniors: Monday and Tuesday, May 11 and 12; 9-12 a. m. and 3-5 p. m.

2. In filling out your Trial Schedule sheet:
   a. Make sure that you have had the prerequisites for the courses in which you register.
   b. Include any required course in which you have failed and any course in your Major or Minor group in which you failed or received a grade of D in 1918-1919.
   c. Inform yourself concerning the requirements for your Major and Minor.
   d. Observe the general regulations on pages 12 and 13 of the Catalogue concerning related subjects, number of hours permitted, distribution of work, etc.
   e. Use for each course the Department title, number, and section letter appearing in the Catalogue. (e. g., E1. 1, 2, 4.) Indicate laboratory hours thus: "Chem. 1. Lab. 1." Abbreviate Department titles consistently as follows:
      - Biology—Biol.
      - Chemistry—Chem.
      - Commercial Education—C. E. Economics—Ec.
      - Education—Ed.
      - English—Eng.
      - Fine Arts—F. A.
      - French—Fr.
      - German—Ger.
      - Government—Gov.
      - Greek—Gr.
      - History—Hist.
      - Home Economics—H. E. Industrial Education—I. E.
      - Latin—Lat.
      - Music—Mus.
      - Philosophy—Phil.
      - Physical Education—P. E. Physics—Phys.
      - Physiology—Physiol.
      - Spanish—Sp.
   f. Register for work only at hours scheduled in the Catalogue. All courses not definitely arranged in the Catalogue and only such courses should be placed under "Unscheduled hours".
   g. Quiz and laboratory sections as scheduled in the Catalogue may be chosen by the student.
   h. After you have secured the Dean's approval, present your Trial Schedule sheet to the Registrar who will issue to you one yellow Schedule card and a sufficient number of Class cards for your courses for both semesters. Fill out the Schedule card and the Class cards from the Trial Schedule sheet given to you. Obtain the signatures of your Major and Minor Officers upon your Schedule card, and present your yellow Schedule card and your Class cards with the Registrar not later than the dates indicated below:
      - Freshmen, Wednesday, May 14.
      - Sophomores, Thursday, May 15.
      - Juniors, Monday, May 19.

3. Importance of Careful Registration:
   Each student should bear in mind that he is registering for the work he is actually to pursue during the year 1919-1920. Changes in schedules will be permitted in cases affecting the welfare of the student, and each case will be carefully and sensitively handled by the Dean. It is therefore urged upon each student to register courses considering his own comfort so far as possible.
   a. A commuter should inform himself about train accommodations, and take care not to register for work at hours which he will be unable to be at the college.
   b. A student who plans to engage in outside work should consider the hours that will be needed for that employment and should not register for college work at those hours.
   c. Read these directions carefully, observe the procedure outlined and help to reduce confusion and tedium waiting in line to a minimum.

STUDENT ASSEMBLY

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material you have developed a team that has met at least two of the best teams in the State and in the country, and has fought splendidly and cleanly. The team has cemented the college together so splendidly and cleanly. The team has found itself. It has been a pleasure to be loyal to the team you have made.

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SONG CONTEST!

April 25

NEW YORK STATE COLLEGE FOR TEACHERS

OFFICIAL CALENDAR

Friday, April 11

- 9 a. m.—Student Assembly—Auditorium.
- 7:30 p. m.—Girls' Athletic Association—Gym Frolic.

Saturday, April 12

- 3 p. m.—Dancing Class—Gymnasium. Closing Session—Special Music and Refreshments.

Monday, April 14

- 4 p. m.—Music Club—Auditorium.

Tuesday, April 15

- 5:30 p. m.—Spring recess begins.

Wednesday, April 23

- 8:10—Instruction resumed.

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While our laughter rings.
'Tis the biggest joke we've heard
Since the gaffs by the sociable.
Once someone begins the
Your scheme will start in motion;
But the failure of your scheme
Will withstand the test of war.

But a little word of warning,
Freshmen—make no more such
Or awful will be your fate.

When you're up against the Sophs
Than we ever were before,
You'll find it really too late.
Of chamois wet her lip,
For, like stars, they came out
And when they were married he
In a murmur of joyous delight.

MEN'S SMOKER

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