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CRITIC OF DRAMA HERE

Woolcott To Speak Tonight At Hall

Tonight at 8:30 in Chancellor's Hall, the Dramatics and Art Association will present America's foremost dramatic critic, Alexander Woolcott. Mr. Woolcott will give "Enchanted Aisles," his famous lecture review of the modern theater. This review, in book form, has been described by G. P. Putnam and Sons, the publishers, as "a love for the theater and a love of good living and lively colors every page." Alexander Woolcott is also author of many other notable books on the drama, among them "Shouts and Murmurs," "Mrs. Fiske," and "Mr. Dickens Comes North." He is a veteran of famous actresses and actors and leading plays and playwrights are featured in leading critic's pen. Alexander Woolcott is charming as a speaker, however, as well as a literary personality. He has made the acquaintance of many leading men and women of the stage in this country, England, and France, and has many friends among the principal dramatic authors and playwrights of today. Upon his verdict the fate of many a new play depends. In his lectures, Mr. Woolcott presents the general line of almost all the stage personalities in a colorful and amusing manner.

Let your dramatic instinct lead you to Chancellor's Hall tonight to witness the unfolding of a new play. The Probable History of Life behind the footlights and of New York stage life from an eminent dramatic critic's point of view. Students will be admitted on presentation of tax tickets, and the balance of the hall will be reserved as usual. Tickets will be on sale at Chiost's on March 5 and 6 and admission for outsiders will be seventy-five cents or one dollar for reserved seats.

Girls' Varsity Plays Russell Sage Saturday

The Girls' Varsity team of State College will play Russell Sage College tomorrow afternoon, Saturday, March 7, in the gymnasium and on the field. A chartered car will leave the corner of Rohn Street and Central Avenue at 2 o'clock, and the game will begin at 3 o'clock. A large crowd is anticipated to help the game go. Remember that last year's game between State and Russell Sage was a great victory for State.

This year's team has great prospects. The probable lineup is as follows: Tompkins, Moore, Cradick, Hoyt, Emry, Hitchens, Man, Dietz, Swetman, Nervele, Falle, and Daley.
NEW LENTEN SEASON

Ash Wednesday, February 25, began the Lenten season, the period of forty days before Easter which commemorates the trial, conviction, and crucifixion of Christ. Observation of the period is practiced to a greater or lesser degree throughout all Christian countries, and at no previous time has it been more universal than it is now. Each individual directs for himself his own degree of devotion and fast, and there will be a more frequent and regular church attendance, or abstinence from customary indulgence. What are the effects of such observance? Earnest thought of the meaning of the Lenten season makes more evident real unity of all denominations of the Christian Church. Among the tangible results—a higher standard of citizenship may be listed. Citizenship, like all moral and spiritual qualities, begins with the individual. The moral states of a city depend upon the moral qualities, moral and spiritual, of its citizens; thus the influence of the individual is effective to a far greater extent upon the city, nation, and the world. A man and people aroused by the direction of its unctions endures existing wrong when sponsored by serious thought. This period of increased religious activity cannot but have a beneficial influence on the student body of any college.

Y. W. Events

About fifty State College students took their initial trip to the penitentiary last Sunday morning. Dr. Van der Worp, the chaplain there, conducted the visitors through the building. A very interesting sermon, delivered by the chaplain, was enjoyed by the attendants. Miss John, Miss Homan, and Dorothy Dietz, were appointed to attend to the service, and Bertha Xajan, '27, played a violin solo.

The snowstorm last Sunday decreased the numbers but not the spirit of Y. W. Yver, Ivy Hume, in charge of the service, announced as speaker Dea'n Metzler, who spoke on "The Moral and Spiritual Qualities, of Its Citizenship," the service will begin at ten o'clock. Miss Wallace and Miss Thompson sang, and Miss Eunice Rice will speak at Y. W. next Tuesday. She is selected as her subject the life of Alice Freeman Palmer. No further determination for attendance has been made by the speaker and subject should be necessary.

VARIETY TEAM BANQUET

The varsity basketball team which brought its season's scoring out on the credit side of the balance sheet Saturday night by defeating Rochester College of Optometry will be given a Parish dinner Monday night, March 9. The team won six games and polled the best record the Purple and Gold has had for years.

The conference will begin at ten o'clock and conclude at the conclusion of the round table talk on administrative problems. At twelve o'clock a lunch will be served to the team at the college cafeteria, after which the team will return to the college. The conference will begin at ten o'clock and conclude at the conclusion of the round table talk on administrative problems.

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College Cullings

WISCONSIN U., long in the forefront of state educational institutions and now in search of a new president, is being slowly starved to death by the state authorities, who control its purse strings, according to charges of some of its faculty. Meanwhile the Wisconsin legislature is appropriating millions for disposing of unneeded camps, and for other purposes which the schedulers see as far less important than maintenance of the big state institution for the education of its youth. Something like a parallel to this may be found in New York State. As President Bray bade farewell to brilliant years of college sports, the legislators are busy counting the dead horses and examining the returns from the valley of the colleges.

HAMILTON college students tell this week come these tidings:

ROME and other Temples of Learning this week have cheered for Union, trimming State by two points this year. Union's winning margin in each game was greater than that which it had over State.

Pratt Institute basketball team, notched win over Union in Nassau and reported it to the Greek fraternities of Union and Pratt.

Richard Braggs, a ham of the Union basketball team, has decayed from consumption on the basketball court of the Henry Street gymnasium of Union College.

An Exciting Evening

Here are four of the WGY Players (the world's first radio dramatic company) at a thrilling climax that almost turns sound into sight.

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Clubs Are Active

Political Science Club held its meeting Tuesday, February 24, in Room 101. Miss Margaret Platter '26, gave a most entertaining talk on the work of the Albany Guild. Miss Platter is employed as a night clerk at the Guild.

The next speaker whom Political Science Club with the help of the State College, is Miss Ruth Almor, prominent woman lawyer of Albany. Miss Almor will talk on "The Four Share of Justice," on Wednesday evening, March 11, at 8:00 P.M.

The Biology Club held its second hike Friday afternoon, February 27, at 3:30 o'clock. In spite of the rather disagreeable cold wind a number of the members started from the end of the Delaware Avenue car line with Dr. Douglas. They went through Galveston to the woods above the Normanskill. As they expressed it, "The wind wasn't a bit cold there," and they really enjoyed themselves while learning how to identify new trees and shrubs, and observing other things of interest. The hike continued through the woods and ended, all too late, at Southern Boulevard.

Señor José Guerrero, of Costa Rica, conducted an imaginary journey into his native land when he addressed the Spanish Club, Wednesday, February 25, at four oclock. In Room 249, Señor Guerrero illustrated his lecture by reference to maps showing the location of Costa Rica, its topography, and economic importance. Señor Guerrero lectured entirely in Spanish.

Remember the Home Economics Club party tonight, March 2, in the Home Economics corridor. Special plans are being made for decorations, entertainment, and refreshments. Don't miss this opportunity to meet the other members of the department.

Miss Bertha Durschmitter, State College '24, who is now teaching in Milburn, New York, visited the college on Monday.

On Thursday evening, February 26, the members of the Home Management Department entertained the sophomore class of that department at the Home Management House. The entertainment and decorations were appropriate for Valentine's Day and Washington's Birthday.

The Chamber of Commerce Club began its social program last Wednesday evening, February 25, with a dinner in the college cafeteria. Although it is almost the youngest club in college, its progress was shown by an attendance of seventy members.

Mr. Roy S. Smith, executive secretary of the Albany Chamber of Commerce, was the principal speaker, and a trio of girls entertained the assembly with song and dance. Mr. Smith spoke on the relation of a Chamber of Commerce to its community, and the attitude of the teacher toward his home town. Dancing followed the speeches.

"University Life in Toulouse" was the topic upon which Miss Fay related personal experiences at the meeting of the French Club on Tuesday evening, March 1, although the members of the Home Economics were glad to know that the Co-op now has a full selection of refresher lettering pens. Buy your poster paper at the Co-op and thus save a trip down town as well.

Following a suggestion given by many students, and backed by both Mr. Corr and Miss Johnston, spring water will be sold for one cent a cup. Help yourself and the Co-op by drinking pure water. More suggestions are in order.

To cut the taste of those giving up candy there will be crackers on sale during the Lenten period. At times when the cafe has sandwiches left over, these, also, will be sold afterwards. If Cornell "Co-op" can have a local and mail order business for Whitman's chocolates State's Co-op does not appear altogether like a country grocery.

BARN DANCE PROVED LARK

Twilight and moonlight featured in the "square dances" of Si and Mirandy at the Barn Dance last Friday night. The costumes were original beyond the point of being rustic, especially those of "Si Temple and Sally" Surr who were awarded the thumbelina and mumps, "after every meal". The "airy" atmosphere of dancing followed the speeches.

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11:15 P. M. Dramatic and Art Association Lecture—Chancellor's Hall
Saturday, March 7
Russell Sage Basketball Game
Tuesday, March 10
3:00 P. M. Y. W. C. A.—Auditorium
6:00 P. M. Political Science Club
Wednesday, March 11
4:00 P. M. Home Economics Club—Room 206
4:00 P. M. Spanish Club—Room 261

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