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MR. SAMUEL G. LANDON
SPOKE ON LIFE INSURANCE.
Gave Introduction to a Series of Lectures on Same Subject.
In the auditorium Friday morning Mr. Landon gave the first of a series of lectures on life insurance. Mr. Landon, who is an able speaker, called the students' attention to the responsibilities they will face when they go out to teach. How they will work hard and learn to sacrifice for those given into their care. When that stage is reached everyone should realize how great was the care and the responsibility embodied in his own education, and that he is under great obligation to someone.

WACHTER, WORLD'S CHAMPION, ENGAGED AS BASKETBALL COACH.
Yesterday it was definitely announced that Ed. Wachter, the famous player of the Troy World's Champion Basketball team, has been engaged to coach the State College five this season. Mr. Wachter comes here after turning down flattering offers by some of the leading colleges of the East. Manager Pearsall will have to meet the terms of the contract through a subscription list to be circulated among the faculty, alumni and students. More will be said of this in a later issue. Wachter had a big squad working out in the Albany H. S. gym yesterday.

CROSS COUNTRY RUN.
Friday, November 30th.
The cross country run this year was held to outdo all former ones by far. The earnestness displayed by the various men in training shows they mean business and keen competition is assured. It is this year harder than ever to predict the winner. Sutherland '19 has been running in good form, but faces the danger of going stale unless he shortens his daily routine of training. Cassavant '19 seems determined to make good, and judging by his last year's performance, when he entered ill-prepared for the second second, he stands a good chance.

INTERSORORITY TEA.
Freshmen! Have you met your fellow students yet? No? Well, here's your opportunity. Come to the Intersorority tea next Saturday afternoon, November 4th, from 3 to 6 p.m. All the faculty and students are most cordially invited, but to you freshmen a special invitation is extended.

C. H. Hubbard, Former Amherst Football Man.
The vacancy left by the recent resignation of Physical Director Arch Swaim has been filled by the appointment of Claude H. Hubbard to that position. Mr. Hubbard is a graduate of Amherst College, which institution he left in 1912. After his graduation he finished the course of Physical Training at Harvard University, and since then he has been engaged as Physical Director at the Castle Heights School of Tennessee and at the Melrose High School of Boston.

FRESHMAN CLASS MEETING.
The president of the Junior Class, Miss Agnes Moore, called the Freshmen to order Monday noon to organize the class. Mr. Tripp was elected president and presided over the rest of the meeting. The other officers were nominated and will be voted upon at the next meeting.

STUDENT FROM CHINA.
Hinting Wong Enters State College for M. A.
For the first time in her history State College can boast of a Chinese student. Mr. Hinting Wong, who entered this institution to work for an M. A. degree, was born in China and is a graduate of Canton Language College of that country and of Queen's College of Hongkong. After his graduation from the latter school Mr. Wong's experiences were many and interesting. He was a lieutenant with the Southern army in the Chinese revolution of 1911 and aided in the overthrow of the Manchu dynasty. He was wounded in battle and later served for a time as Private Secretary to Lieut. Gov. Hsieh of Kwangtung province and also filled the post of second Secretary to the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Chinese Republic. In 1913 he was sent by his government to study abroad. After extensive traveling, which gave him an opportunity to study conditions in various Japanese, English, and American colleges, he came to Albany in 1915 and entered the Albany Law School. He is now a Junior in that institution and was elected a class officer, being the class poet. In State College he is taking work leading to a M. A. degree. Mr. Hong is preparing himself primarily for government service, but he is keeping in mind the possibility of establishing schools in China. He is a member of the Episcopal Church and his father was a Christian before him.

PROMETHEAN.
An important meeting of the Promethean Literary Society will be held next week Thursday evening, November 9. At this time all new members proposed will be voted upon. The membership committee consists of Alfred E. Deddieke, Ray Townsend, Janet R. Wall, Arline M. Newick and Mildred L. McEwan.
LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Editor of College News:

Friday of Frolic, October 27, 1916, the Seniors gave a reception to the Freshman Class. May I ask what composes the Freshman Class? I recognized, among those present, familiar faces from both the Milne and Albany High Schools. I doubt that these persons were even invited, for they came alone. Moreover, they have absolutely no interest in our college except for free dances and receptions. Is there not some means of keeping this crowd from our midst, so that our college people may be able to enjoy our college functions? I would suggest that tickets be given out for these receptions, and that these tickets be required for entrance into the gymnasium at such times.

Let us hope that the promoters of the reception, which is to be held November 3, will seriously consider this suggestion, and hence do away with such a mob of outside pleasure seekers as the committee of the Senior reception was confronted with. A Senior.

ADMISION TO JUNIOR-FRESHMEN FROLIC TO BE BY TICKET.

In a joint-meeting of the Social Committee of the Faculty and that of the Junior Class with President Brubacher, it was decided that the admission to the Junior-Freshmen Frolic on Friday evening should be by ticket only. These tickets can be secured by members of the Junior and Freshmen classes and are good only for the admission of bearer and one friend, this friend being anybody the bearer wishes to designate. The name of the classmember and of her or his college functions and their pleasures, are deprived of those privileges and pleasures.

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Our Weekly Proverb.

"Almost makes the heart grow fonder." (We do not recommend personal investigation of the truth of any of these maxims, nor can we be held responsible for anything that may result from reading of this warning. Let your conscience be your guide!) Important Notice to Theatre Goers.

All lovers of the drama will hail with delight our announcement that Shults of noted dramatic ability, having just returned from a triumphal tour of Glenn Falls, has been secured to enact the part of the immortal lover in the balcony scene of "Romeo and Juliet," to be presented in the chapel near and radiant future. In private interview with the noted tragedian across the sunshine, Bean Swift gleaned the following facts concerning his meteoric career. First, conventionally born and carefully christened. Early life spent in knee of maiden aunt who taught him uprightness (except in walking) and soberness (except in effect he produces). First engagement as the bloodhound in Woodburn's production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin." In this connection he wishes to state for the benefit of those who saw that stirring play, that Eliza is the only woman he ever ran after every night and in a different town. Bean Swift arranged for another interview to be held in the green room, in which surrenders the noted tragedian is sharply observable owing to the well-known effect of protective coloration. Last Chapter in "Persekution of Falstaff."

Pelham says he wishes that red hats would come in style, for all he'd have to buy would be a brim. That's all for this week. Sahl! Bean Swift.

BR IN CHAPEL FRIDAY.

The meeting of the student body Friday morning in chapel must be attended by everyone. The choir will be addressed by Dr. Richardson, our new vocal director, on Athletics in General by Arthur Burns '88 on Hockey, by Theo. Castellan on the Glee Club and by Edith Wallace '16 on the Y. W. C. A.

A COLLEGE NEWS ASSOCIATION TO BE FORMED.

The State College for Teachers is already on the map; it remains for us to make it as prominent there as the Adirondacks or the Great Lakes. To that end an association or club is to be formed to-day which will have as its chief purpose the spreading of news concerning the college over the State, wherever there are papers which will publish it—which means when there are friends of the college who will be interested in hearing its weekly history. The association is to be composed of students who will represent the papers of their towns, cities, or counties, as correspondents, and will receive pay for their contributions.

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BIRD STATION TO BE ERECTED.

The students in the Biology Methods Class, under the supervision of Miss Rafferty, are making plans to establish a bird-feeding station in the Biology lecture room.

An anti-sparrow shelf is to be constructed in front of one of the windows with boughs of hemlock and pine overhanging to keep off the wind and serve as protection for the visitors. A line will be stretched from neighboring trees to the window containing suet bags and other food. This is for the purpose of attracting the more timid towards the feeding shelf.

Various members of the class have been appointed to carry out the plans and it is hoped to have the birds well acquainted with the feeding station before cold weather sets in.

Y. W. C. A.

At the regular meeting of the Association lantern slides of Silver Bay were shown. Following the pictures, several girls told of what Silver Bay does for all who go there.

At the next meeting Dr. Brubacher will speak on "What a Y. W. C. A. girl means in college." A large attendance is expected.

KAPPA DELTA RHO.

Kappa Delta Rho extended its annual welcome to the new members at State College at the Chapter House last Wednesday. Ernest Puderbaugh '19 opened the meeting by introducing Hasen '18, who welcomed the new students. Doyle '18 rendered a reading of "The Face on the Fall Room Floor," after which the Edison was started and refreshments were served.

Among those present besides the members were Tyson, MacAllan '17, Hailes '20, Holben '20, Ludwig '20, Snyder '20, Springman '20. McNeil '16 and O'Connell '16 spent the week end at the Chapter House.

A telephone has been installed in the house. The number, West 3666.

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The list for this season contains a number of artists who have never appeared in Albany before, and this will add interest, particularly as all are guaranteed by the fame of the artists and by the word of the management.

Thursday, November 23rd, 1916

MME. JULIE CULP, Soprano and MR. COENRAAD BOS, Pianist

Thursday, December 14th, 1916

MISS MAY PETERSON, Soprano and MR. LOUIS GRAVEURE, Baritone

Thursday, January 11th, 1917

MR. PERCY GRAINGER, Pianist and MR. ALBERT SPALDING, Violinst

Monday, February 26th, 1917

MR. HAROLD BAUER, Pianist and MR. PABLO CASALS, Violoncellist

SPECIAL OFFER TO STATE COLLEGE STUDENTS

The regular subscription price for these concerts is Six Dollars but a special price of Three Dollars per subscription will be offered to students of the State College for Teachers, this entitling subscriber to reserved seat in the gallery for each concert.

Orders will be taken by Christian Christiansen of the College.

JUNIOR CLASS.

A meeting of the Junior Class was held October 27, 1916, for the purpose of electing an Editor-in-Chief and business manager for the 1918 "Pedagogue." The results were as follows: Editor-in-Chief — Eloise Lansing. Business Manager — Joseph A. Walker. De Witt Townsend and Dorothy Austin were elected to fill vacancies on the Song Book committee.

A committee of Arthur Woodward and Eileen Keefe was elected to canvass the class for subscriptions to this year's "Pedagogue." November 3rd has been decided upon as the date for the Junior-Freshman party.

DANCING CLASS BEING FORMED

A dancing class is being formed by Mr. Robert C. Campbell which is to be made up of students of State College for Teachers. Already a good number have been enrolled. There is room for still more. Anyone wishing to join in a good time is welcome.

For information see Stanley Hasen, Alfred Dodick, Arthur Woodward, Lillian Magilton, or Alta Sahler.

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SENIOR RECEPTION A SUCCESS.

The reception given by the Seniors to the Freshmen and Faculty Friday evening was a great success. The gym was decorated in keeping with the Halloween spirit with cornstalks and pumpkins and the lights dimmed with red, the 1917 class color.

Zita's Orchestra furnished music for the occasion. The only unpleasant feature was the crowded condition on the floor, it being almost impossible to dance in comfort. The committee in charge of the affair consisted of Reinhardt Holhaus, James Walker, Carole Bennett, and Besse Staats.
DELTA OMEGA.

The present officers of Delta Omega are:

President ... Marion Bloedgett
Vice-president ... Edith Rose
Recording Secretary, Bertha Reedy
Corresponding Secretary, Bernice Bromer
Treasurer ... Caroline Lipes
Critic ......... Carolyn Bennett
Marshals ...... Helen Ross
Chaplain .... Louisa Velder
Reporter .... Ruth Martuga
House President, Bertha Reedy

Mrs. O'Connell, of Barrytown, spent Friday with us.

On Saturday evening, October 28th, an informal hallowe'en dance was held at the Kappa Nu House. Louise Carmody '15, Celia Casey '16, Kitty Brennan '15, Eleanor White '16 were among those present. Miss Imogene Russell spent the week end of October 27 with her sister, Aileen Russell '19.

ETA PHI.

At the last regular meeting of Eta Phi Miss Clara Bell Springsteel, one of our faculty, gave a short informal talk, after which she read several pieces from Alfred Noyes. The meeting was a very pleasant one, and all enjoyed it.

Eta Phi gave a tea to her faculty and alumnae at the "House," Saturday, the 21st, from five to seven o'clock. Alice Casey and Anna Nelson poured. We were very much pleased to have our faculty and many alumnae of the vicinity with us.

PSI GAMMA.

The present officers of Psi Gamma are:

President, Emma Sommerfield
Vice-president ... Nina Johns
Corresponding Secretary, Krea Groner
Recording Secretary, Marjorie Mitchell
Treasurer ...... Doris Sweet
Chaplain ......... Edna Merritt
Literary Editor, Alta Sahler
Critic ...... Margaret Christ
Marshals ...... Ruth Patterson
Nina Johns, Doris Sweet, and Olive Horning spent the week end at their homes.

Gertrude Swift visited in Schenectady over the week end.

OMICRON NU.

A meeting of Omicron Nu was held last Thursday evening. Miss Kolb, Miss Stewart, and Miss Bentley were admitted. The invitation will be held at the Psi Gamma House, November 3d and will be an open meeting to alumnae.

EXHIBITION OF JAPANESE DRAWING.

Drawings by Japanese children, grades 1 to 8, will be shown in the Art Department. These drawings consist of simple direct work, nature study, work with the brush, in black and white, and also work in colors.