First 'Varsity Game Thursday---Don't Miss the French Fete
Second G. A. A. Gym Frolic

CONVENTION NOTES
President Brubacher, Miss Gillett, and Miss Keirans were the representatives of the State College faculty at the annual convention of the State Teachers' Association which was held in Buffalo, November 21 and 22. The convention was largely attended by teachers from every part of the state.

State College faculty and alumni took an active part in all the work of the convention. Miss Gillett, president of Home Economics, was elected chairman of the Home Economics section of the association for the coming year. Dr. Thomas Finnegan, head of the Department of Education in Pennsylvania and an alumnus of State College, was the principal speaker and see pretty costume dances.

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The Dramatics class has decided to play on the capital building board in the rounds. This bulletin board will be used for the posting of notices about the disarmament conference now in session in Washington. It will be used to make known the address of a great variety of events scheduled to help raise the money which is needed. Everyone must do his or her part. If you can't give money, at least give some of your time and effort.

COLLEGE CALENDAR

1. Y. W. C. A. Meeting--Auditorium
   Dr. Mohnenauer, Speaker.
   Monday, December 5, 7:30 p.m.

2. Y. W. C. A. Cabinet Meeting--Auditorium
   Miss Roach, Speaker.
   Wednesday, November 30
   7:30 p.m.

3. Chemistry Club--Room 250
   Thursday, December 1
   7:30 p.m.

State vs. St. Michael's--Albany High Gymnasium
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2
11:35 a.m.

Student Assembly--Elections
French Fete--College Gymnasium
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3
8 p.m.

To Play St. Michael's

Mid-Winter Plays Announced

The Dramatics Class has decided to open one or two plays to be given in the Albany High School Auditorium on January 14, 1922. The plays are to be "THE KITE," by Howard Munro Jones, "THE FLOWER OF VEDOIA" by Von Morgen, and "THE POT HUNTER" by Alice Gertenberg. There are two members of the Dramatics class, and there are places on the casts for twenty people. Tryouts will take place Friday, December 9, 12, and 14.

Plans of Arms Committee

The committee on disarmament has decided to maintain a bulletin board in the rounds. This bulletin board will be used for the posting of notices about the disarmament conference now in session in Washington. A committee will be appointed each day to keep the bulletin board up to date. It is hoped that everyone will take this opportunity to keep in touch with the developments of the conference.
It seems that the last word has been said in college they have learned nothing said, but the seniors still wish to talk to each one of us. The advisa-
tion, there should be no hesitancy on the light of a very reasonable fee, there are required to look upon with much favor by

ability. Assuredly, then, Dr. Brubacher and Dr. Croasdale in Albany. Details of the after effects, an unnecessary drain on nerves and

seeking the proper attention during a serious enough to require hospital attention can be arranged for with Albany hospital. Details of the plan, which involves a contribution from each student, will be laid before the student body by Dr. Brubacher and Dr. Croasdale.

Few of us are fortunate or careful enough to spend four years in college without suffering some sort of illness or injury. Generally speaking, none of us are really in, or out of, order if we know we are. If we are, we will have a chance to change our habits and get healthy.

The freshman team is unusually strong and has put up a stiff fight against all comers. The Yellow and White team has beaten every team but that of the seniors, although the scores have been very close. At the beginning of the season, due to the fact that they have not been able to practice together, the seniors were considered the weakest team. Yet in the last game the shooting of Captain Seymour almost defeated the Blue and White. Almost—but not quite. The seniors and the sophomores have beaten every team against which they have played. They meet each other on Wednesday. Will you be there to see them play?

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WOULD YOU CALL BLACK, WHITE?

If a person is courteous, is he continuous? A few weeks ago there was an article in the News regarding the discontinuity of writing from Student Assembly before being dismissed by the chairman of the meeting. The following Friday evening, greater numbers of students brought those names from the Auditorium during our period of the Student Assembly. It would seem that State College students are discouraged.

Last year it seemed advisable to make the rule which barred the entrance of books, papers, lunches, knitting and needlework to the Auditorium during Assembly period. It is not more courteous to knit quietly during this time than to leave the room by walking out of the room and thus showing disrespect. Yet we have been as we have been doing it.

Since there seems no other way of getting the desired results, the YWCA make a ruling barring students from leaving the Auditorium during period except illness—and let us enforce it!

ON VOTING

Elections for Student Council are to be held Friday. Who is to be chosen? Let us consider carefully the qualities desired in the holder of each office. Then let us vote for the candidate who has the greatest number of these qualities. We want our president to be a leader— and a leader in every sense of the word. We want him to be a fit representative of State College; one who can meet any situation and carry it off successfully. A leader, but no less important is his ability to produce gracefully over Student Assembly—to demand and receive respect and attention, to make himself heard in all parts of the Auditorium. Our vice-president must have executive ability; must be able to do right people that all are working for him. Our secretary, besides the usual requirements must also be able to make herself understood clearly in every part of the Auditorium.

Let us think of these things, think seriously, and vote wisely for the man who has the requirements.
ROUND THE COLLEGE

There will be a meeting of the New York Branch of the Alumnae Association of the Kappa Delta Sorority at the McAlpin Hotel, Saturday afternoon, November 29, at 3 o'clock. Miss Helen Van Ness will be the leader, and Dr. Moldenhauer of the Wesleyan Presbyterian church of this city will be the speaker. We all know what a fascinating personality Dr. Moldenhauer has, and we look forward to his address with pleasant anticipation.

A meeting of all cabinet members and their committees will be held in the Auditorium, Tuesday evening, November 29. Miss Roach will be the speaker.

Chemistry Club
At the next meeting of the Chemistry Club, Wednesday, November 29 at 7:30 in the Chemistry Lecture room, Mr. Frederick Scott will give a paper on chemical warfare.

This will be followed by the initiation of four new members—Emily Belton, Wilmutha Heimann, Clarence Howland, Robert MacFarland, and Jerry Stevenson, who has for an avocation, or hobby, the study of birds.

SENIORS SCORE ANOTHER WIN

The senior girls scored a victory of 17-15 over the juniors last Monday. The white girls were generally favored and the efforts of the smaller unit were not easily matched. The score at the end of the first half was 7-5 in favor of the juniors.

During the second half of the game, the seniors made up their score through their co-operative teamwork and the efforts of their Allie Ryder, center, Gertrude Johnson, and Dorothy Vickers, who were especially strong for the seniors, while Ethel Seymour was right there when it counted, to shoot baskets for the juniors. The score at the end of the game was 17-15 in favor of the seniors.

STAFFER EDDIE DESCRIBES MISERY OF EUROPEAN STUDENTS

"Student life, as it exists today in Europe, cannot be pictured," said Mr. Eddie Eddy of the department of chemistry, New York State College for Teachers, who has for an avocation, or hobby, the study of birds.

"The disappearance of woodlands is illustrated by operations going on today. Workers are cutting down trees for wood. The students of some countries are uniting to come to America to work on farms and help feed the hungry who are working as laborers, mechanics, and harvesters. The students are working long hours under difficult conditions, earning very little money. They are often without food or clothing, and many are working only to keep body and soul together."
never return to the section. The destruction of the woodlands means the diminution of nesting places and the departure of birds from the country. A third came for introduction of our feathered friends is the poisoning of the country a habitat which our birds can easily destroy on an average of three to five per cent. At the end of a season the aggregate for one cat is considerable. Birds must have nesting places and must be protected in some measure from hunters like small boys and men if they are to continue with us; this is the conclusion of Prof. Bronson.

Species Seen

How many species of birds visited Albany last spring? Varied answers are given by nature lovers, but Prof. Bronson, who arose early many mornings to look for them with an eight-power binocular, reports that he observed 140 species. The number of species is the same as Prof. Bronson observed in the spring of 1920, but in the total of individuals there were fewer than a year or two ago, Prof. Bronson believes. In other years, although the number of species this year was unchanged over that of previous years, individuals in each species were less. The decrease this year was particularly noticeable among the waders.

The first birds that came last spring were two weeks earlier than usual, due to the mildness of the season. The robins were here March 5 and 6; then came the bluebirds, meadowlarks, mockingbirds, catbirds, and 12 to 15 species of sparrows. The average date for the appearance of the robin at Albany is March 20. The robin is not the only bird to migrate from the South in the spring. The robin follows the 34-degree line north and is to be found in such places as New York City from 8 to 10 days earlier than in Albany. It is a curious coincidence that bird lovers here have asked Meteorologist bronze T. Todd for the mean temperature of March 20 since the weather bureau was established in 1874, and have found it to be 34 degrees.

After the first birds came last spring there was a lull and then the rarer birds began to arrive more like spring than winter migrants. The reason for the delay is unknown. Some birds, which make their appearance here in the spring, did not arrive until they were the red-breasted nut hatches, American corn, pine siskin, and the redpolls. One reason suggested for the non-appearance of these birds hitherto was the mild weather of last winter. Few of them migrated south last fall but spent the winter in the northern country.

Some Rare Birds Seen.

Local bird lovers have been rewarded this summer by getting observations of birds which are rare at this season. On Tuesday, July 20, at Valley Falls, Prof. Bronson saw a mackinaw, a bird of the South. The habitat of this bird is in the South and there are few records of it having been seen in New York state. On July 18, a local observer saw a common raven in the Helderberg near where those mountains begin to loom up to the Catskills, saw four perching falcons, a male, female and two young birds. These falcons are to be found in only four or five places in New York state and are rare here. On June 2, along the Schenectady road, a boy shot a barn owl, a bird that was believed to have disappeared from this section.

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and Mrs. Mary Allen McIntosh, Dr. Brubacher was the speaker of the evening. After being introduced by Dr. Mackey, principal of one of the Buffalo schools, he gave the graduates an account of what was going on at college. The alumni showed a strong pride in all college activities. The diners became very enthusiastic about the progress of the alumni toward securing a college dormitory. Each one heartily approved of the movement.

After the session Wednesday the convention came to a close. It was very successful in showing what is being done along educational lines as well as planning for the future. The usual custom the convention next year will be held at Syracuse. In 1923 the convention will be held in Albany.

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The French Club of which Elise Kriegard is president is giving this entertainment. You can see all the wonders for the modern sum of twenty-five cents. Tickets may be secured from members of the French Club, on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. This evening that we received more billet doux than we should.

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