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Dedication

TO KNOW is the goal of man; to find truth, his eternal hope. But to many men the free pursuit of knowledge and truth is denied.

There are those in the free world committed to the upholding of the right of all men, regardless of race, color, creed, or sex, to the sharing of these ideals: They are the

Writers—novelists, dramatists, poets, journalists,

Advocates of free libraries and a free press,

Educators, teachers of independent positive thinking,
Ministers and missionaries, spreading the Christian gospel,

Heads of government working for universal freedom and justice, and the

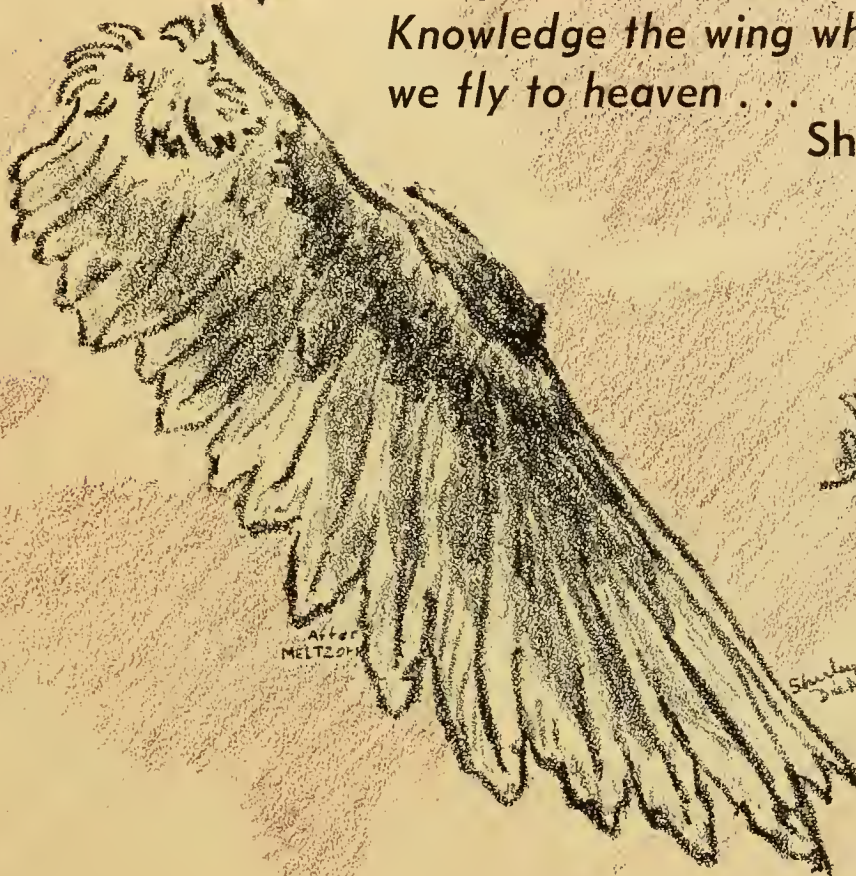
Others, great or small, who recognize the inherent right of all men to all the knowledge they desire and need.

It is to these people that the 1954 CONESTOGAN is dedicated.



... ignorance is the curse of God,
Knowledge the wing wherewith
we fly to heaven ...

Shakespeare



Foreword

THE THEME of the 1954 CONESTOGAN is an ideal. Based on the liberties consonant with freedom of inquiry and expression, it is a theme particularly appropriate in a day when these liberties are threatened.

It is a theme of many facets based on five main topics:

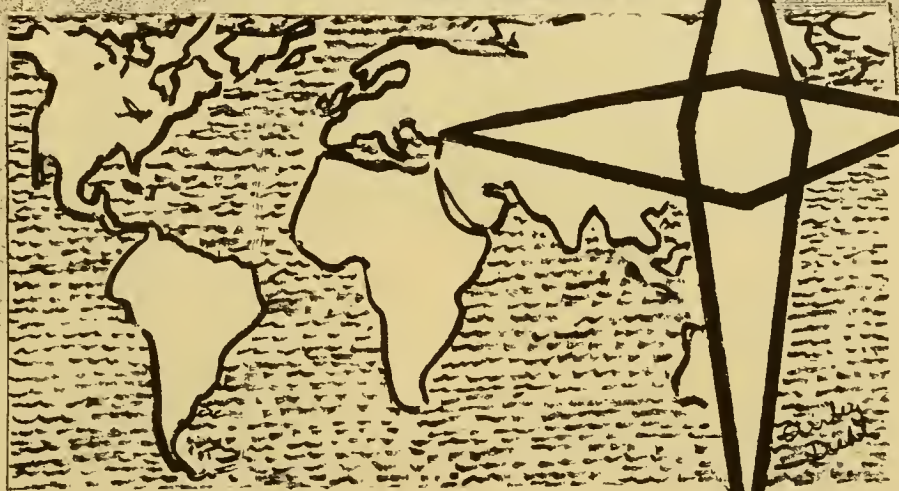
- The Inclusiveness of Man
- The Values of Knowledge
- Man's Right to Knowledge
- Man's Right to the Free Use of Knowledge
- The Responsibilities of Knowledge.*

Because it is the duty of all men everywhere to awake to the vital message of these principles we have selected as our theme the summary thesis—"Man's Right to Knowledge and the Free Use Thereof."*



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IN OUR STUDENT body the idea of the inclusiveness of man in relation to his right to knowledge becomes reality.

Representing a host of religious, cultural, economic, national, and racial backgrounds, we come to Elizabethtown with a common purpose – the search for knowledge.

This ideal is further portrayed in the areas in which the college offers opportunities for the education of adults.

In Each Campus Activity



Ronald Murphy, Leroy Miller, and Robert Albright, laboratory assistants, check apparatus in chem lab.



Dorothy Shearer, Nancy Stuckey, and Frances Bishop in the day student room, Alpha Hall.



Education majors conduct a panel for the Lancaster County Principals Association meeting on campus in November.

the Senior Influence



Playing chess are Harold Wilson and Paul Bashore as Paul Greiner kibitzes.



Duane Smith, Sherwood Thomas, and Daniel Whitacre use the Maytag.



The election committee—Duane Smith, Mary Ann Beck, Paul Bashore, Ronald Murphy, Elizabeth Landis—vote for president just as the polls open.



ROBERT ALBRIGHT
Talmage, Penna.
B.S. Science



PAUL BASHORE, JR.
Jonestown, Penna.
A.B. Liberal Arts

MARY ANN BECK
Hagerstown, Maryland
A.B. Liberal Arts

JULIA BENDER
Lebanon, Penna.
B.S. Secondary Education



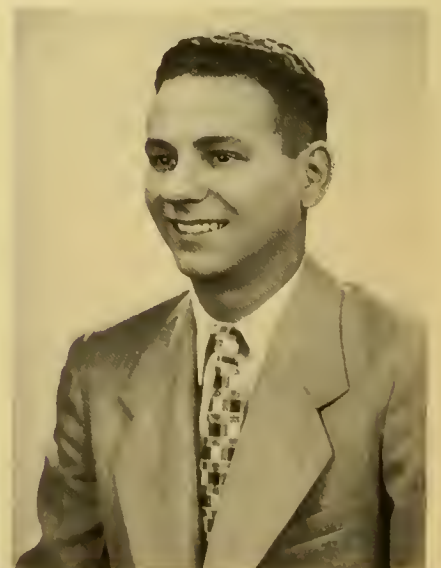
FRANCES BISHOP
Oberlin, Penna.
B.S. Business Administration

The Class of 1954,

WE SENIORS, usually considered, at least by ourselves, the paragons of intellectual development and achievement, at last are able to sit back and reflect on the glory of the past four years.

Most vivid, of course, are the memories of our final year—nine months fraught both with an eagerness to get the whole thing “over with” and a reluctance to relinquish the delights of college life.

NORMAN BOWERS
Landisville, Penna.
A.B. Liberal Arts





GEORGE BUNDY
Goodrich, Michigan
A.B. Liberal Arts



ARTHUR BURDETT
Elizabeth, New Jersey
A.B. Liberal Arts



JEAN BURKHART
Harrisburg, Penna.
B.S. Elementary Education

at home

CONDUCTING our class affairs through these terminal months were our officers: Glenn Forney, president; Harold Wilson, vice-president; Dolores Landis, secretary; and Paul Greiner, treasurer.

Serving as student government heads and club officers many of us worked hard helping keep campus activities alive.

JOHN COSGROVE
Rheems, Penna.
B.S. Business Administration



LAMAR DINGER
Muir, Penna.
A.B. Liberal Arts

GLORIA CROUTHAMEL
Souderton, Penna.
A.B. Liberal Arts

SHIRLEY DIEHL
Schnecksville, Penna.
B.S. Elementary Education





COY FARR
 Middletown, Penna.
 B.S. Business Administration



GLENN FORNEY
 Florin, Penna.
 B.S. Business Administration



J. EDWARD FOSTER
 Lancaster, Penna.
 A.B. Liberal Arts

in the varied fields

AT THE HEAD of the Student Senate was Norman Bowers; of SCA, Sherwood Thomas; of Eta Gamma Kappa, Duane Smith; of F.T.A., Daniel Whitacre; of Phi Beta Chi, Leroy Miller; of Sock and Buskin, Jean Roland; of Political Science Club, Paul Greiner; of Varsity E Club, Harold Wilson.

Not, however, confining our labors to classroom theory or outside activity, many of us had a chance to

acquire some practical training in our fields of study.

Bob Albright and Leroy Miller made their TV debuts on the "College of the Air" series by assisting E. C. professors in presenting scientific subjects. Whenever a religious activity was in progress, prospective ministers Duane Smith, Sherwood Thomas, and Dave Wilson could be counted on to assist. And sparking the campus delegation to the ICG conference seniors had first hand experience in government.

WILLIAM FOSTER
 Norwood, Penna.
 B.S. Business Education

JAY FREY
 Elizabethtown, Penna.
 B.S. Business Administration

GEORGE FROST
 Philadelphia, Penna.
 A.B. Liberal Arts





RONALD GOODMAN
Hershey, Penna.
B.S. Business Administration



PAUL GREINER
Elizabethtown, Penna.
A.B. Liberal Arts

of knowledge— the arts,

THEN THERE were the practice teachers—twenty of us—who spent the second eight weeks of the first semester in nearby schools trying out our ideas on how children should be educated. An entire day in the school combined with lesson plans and discipline problems made our day trying, but the thrills offset the throes. At least sometimes.

Some of our class left us after only two or three years

to begin work or to continue study in hospital laboratories. As sophomores, Jane Waller, Barbara Delson, Joanne Groff, Barbara Brenner, Phyllis Longenecker, Marian Miller, Thelma Neidlinger and Mary Barley Horst received certificates in medical technology, secretarial science, and medical secretarial science. When juniors, Joyce Moore and Zona Findley also were certificated in medical technology.

DONALD HAAS
Harrisburg, Penna.
B.S. Business Administration

EILEEN HEISE
Hamlin, Kansas
A.B. Liberal Arts

MILDRED HOLLOWAY
Piney Woods, Mississippi
B.S. Business Administration





DAVID HOOVER
Lineboro, Maryland
B.S. Science

SALLIE JOHNSON
Jackson, Mississippi
B.S. Secretarial Science

ANITA KEENEY
Elizabethtown, Penna.
A.B. Liberal Arts

DOLORES LANDIS
Hagerstown, Maryland
B.S. Business Education



the sciences,

THE REMAINING fifty-eight of us continued our quest of knowledge to the end. Our classes, departing from the general, became more specifically related to the particular skills we pursued. But we had at least a taste of the abstract and the controversial in philosophy and ethics which stirred up debate

that at times might have been termed heated.

Study was not our only concern, however. Our regular representatives on the dean's list were not our only pride. For with brains we also had beauty—not that the two are incompatible.

MARK KEENEY
Elizabethtown, Penna.
A.B. Liberal Arts

JAMES KLOCK
Herndon, Penna.
B.S. Business Administration



the humanities—

AS EIGHTH annual Queen of May we elected Sallie Johnson with Dolores Landis her maid of honor, and Janice Lehman and Dorothy Shearer her senior attendants, all of whom represented us in the colorful May Day ceremonies.

Athletically speaking, we sported Bill Foster, Hal Wilson, Paul Wechter, Bill Meyers, and George Frost on field, court, and diamond.

On stage and platform the seniors performed with distinction. Actors Jean Roland, George Frost, and Paul Greiner trod the boards in many a play portraying a host of roles in their four years of dramatics.

Musically inclined were Marian Meyer and Cathy Moyer, whose vocal solos and piano accompaniments, respectively, added much to an evening's program. Tooting clarinet, sax, and trumpet were, in that order. Fran Bishop, Millie Holloway, and Paul Bashore, members of the college band. And Ronald Goodman, it seems, is a virtuoso at clashing cymbals in a drum and bugle corps.



ELIZABETH LANDIS
Hagerstown, Maryland
B.S. Business Education

JANICE LEHMAN
Lawn, Penna.
B.S. Elementary Education

FRANCIS McCONKEY
Elizabethtown, Penna.
B.S. Elementary Education



RICHARD McELROY
Lancaster, Penna.
B.S. Business Administration

RICHARD McKEAN
Arlington, Virginia
B.S. Business Administration



MARIAN MEYER
Lebanon, Penna.
B.S. Elementary Education

WILLIAM MEYERS
New Freedom, Penna.
B.S. Business Administration

now goes forth

SOME OF us tend toward creativeness. Take, for instance, Mary Ann Beck, Julia Bender, and the Landis sisters who spent many an hour manipulating their knitting needles. Janice Lehman, also clever

with a needle, liked to sew. Adept at handling paints and brush, Shirley Diehl and Gloria Crouthamel made miniature Louvres of their rooms by decorating them with original paintings.



RONALD MURPHY
Harrisburg, Penna.
B.S. Science



EVA MAE MELHORN
York, Penna.
A.B. Liberal Arts



LEROY MILLER
Lebanon, Penna.
B.S. Science

CATHARINE MOYER
York, Penna.
B.S. Business Education



ROYDEN PRICE
Vernfield, Penna.
A.B. Liberal Arts



NANCY REDDING
Lancaster, Penna.
B.S. Nursing



JEAN ROLAND
Elizabethtown, Penna.
B.S. Elementary Education

seeking to understand the yet

A FEW OF OUR automobiles have gained a bit of fame due to their use as "community" cars. Jean Burkhardt and her Ford transported many a deputation team. And the autos of Shirley Young, Nancy Stuckey, and David Hoover often took on the duties regularly assigned to a bus. Then there is the dignified relic that Glenn Forney proudly brought to campus, but only when clouds were few.

Some of us will be remembered for a number of little things: Danny Whitacre as the man with the inquisitive camera; Eileen Heise for her literary discussions; Art Burdett for his argumentations; and Dick McKean and Jim Klock for their notorious "jokes."

Although most of us had scholarships, parental or G.I. aid to make the grade financially, many of us also worked at one thing or another.

BETTY SAYLOR
East Petersburg, Penna.
B.S. Science



ROBERT SCHAPPELL
Lancaster, Penna.
A.B. Liberal Arts



WILLIAM SEAMAN
Connellsville, Penna.
B.S. Business Administration





DAVID SHAVER
Hershey, Penna.
B.S. Business Administration



A. DOROTHY SHEARER
Elizabethtown, Penna.
B.S. Elementary Education



ROBERT SHETLER
Lancaster, Penna.
B.S. Science

unknown and to use the known

SOME OF OUR occupations were: Nancy Redding, nursing; Ronald Murphy, butcher; Coy Farr, insurance inspector; Edward Foster, minister; and Bill Seaman, raucous-voiced vendor of refreshments at the Hershey arena. Betty Saylor was our housewife—college coed.

Our class contained the only married couple on campus—Mark and Anita Keeney. Anita, incidentally, is a native of Sweden. The couple plan to study at a seminary and then enter mission work.

Other prospective missionaries from our class are Eva Mae Melhorn and George Bundy. George, who completed his work at the end of the first semester, has already sailed for Southern Rhodesia, Africa.

Also expecting to enter the Christian ministry after preparation in varied seminaries are Duane Smith, Sherwood Thomas, Daniel Whitacre, and Dave Wilson. Other ministers include La Mar Dinger, Edward Foster, and Robert Schappell.

G. DUANE SMITH
Trafford, Penna.
A.B. Liberal Arts

NANCY STUCKEY
Elizabethtown, Penna.
B.S. Elementary Education

SHERWOOD THOMAS
New Castle, Penna.
A.B. Liberal Arts



freely in service.



PAUL WECHTER
Lincoln, Penna.
B.S. Business Administration

DANIEL WHITACRE
Grantsville, Maryland
A.B. Liberal Arts

DAVID WILSON
Carlisle, Penna.
B.S. Secondary Education



INTENDING to enter graduate schools we have Arthur Burdett, a future lawyer, and Robert Albright and Leroy Miller who plan to be chemists. Ronald Murphy, Robert Shetler, and David Hoover also plan careers in science. The second E. C. student to attain the B.S. degree in nursing, Nancy Redding hopes to take graduate studies in nursing education.

HAROLD WILSON, JR.
Lititz, Penna.
B.S. Science

Mary Ann Beck will go into social work and Eileen Heise will enter journalism while sixteen of us plan to invade the business world either as accountants, secretaries, or executives. In the field of education thirteen of us expect to teach in secondary schools, nine in kindergartens and elementary schools.

Others of us will enter, voluntarily or otherwise, the armed forces before pursuing our chosen profession.

As we leave Elizabethtown College to pursue these graduate courses and these occupations, we do so with the understanding that we have hardly made ripples on the surface of the depths of knowledge. But we know that the things we have learned in the classroom and through living with others will prove invaluable in acquiring new knowledge and in using it to help our fellows.

SHIRLEY YOUNG
McClure, Penna.
B.S. Business Education



After

Busy

Class



Mrs. Beryl Hahn discusses perspective with Juniors Henry Hoerner, and Nancy Hoffman as Sophomore Janet Varner stands by.



Hours, Relaxation for Juniors



Mr. and Mrs. Moyer Craighead and their one-year-old, Harold, prepare a picnic supper for hungry Juniors at the fireplace given by the Class of 1951.

THE JUNIOR class, although smallest on campus, is by no means diminutive when it comes to getting things done. Active participants in every student activity, we fit significantly into every area of campus life. And junior leadership has provided the backbone for many a campaign and party.

Quite as notable as our energy, is the variety demonstrated by our class. Serving as one example is the wide range of jobs we held during last summer. In the wilds of Idaho was forest ranger Jaywood Brubaker; in the mountains of Puerto Rico served Jim Miller, who helped in the construction of a new school; at seashore resorts, seeking both the sun and some ready cash, were waitresses Edythe Edwards, Nancy Hoffman, and Marigrace Bucher; in New York City was Gerry Wolff, who took undergraduate courses at New York University.



GEORGE ACHORN
Elizabethtown, Penna.

J. DONALD ALBRIGHT
Talmage, Penna.

CAROLE ALEXANDER
Harrisburg, Penna.

WILLIAM BEASTON
Mt. Joy, Penna.

As the juniors near

DAVID BLANSET
Harrisburg, Penna.

JAYWOOD BRUBAKER
Palmyra, Penna.

CHRISTINE BUCCIERI
New Cumberland, Penna.

MARIGRACE BUCHER
Mt. Joy, Penna.





HAZEL CRANKSHAW Maytown, Penna. DONALD CRUMBLING Columbia, Penna.

H. JEAN DIEHL Hummelstown, Penna. SAMUEL DOCK Mt. Joy, Penna.

the peak

RETURNING from summer employment, or even more relaxing unemployment, we found, ready to lead us, our class officers. Serving his third term as president (but without a New Deal) was Jim Miller assisted by vice-president Don Zook. Our secretary, Patricia Kratz, and treasurer, Walter Schell, were, like Jim, three-star class officers.

Studying hard for most of the first semester, we waited until January to bring on stage our own original variety show which certainly had, if nothing else, variety. Inviting the participation of talented members of other classes, we gave forth with song and skit both aesthetic and frivolous.

From the droll antics of Don Ruhl imitating the maladies of a doctor's patients to the strains of Bill Stoneback's trumpet and "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes" the show wavered between riot and sophistication. After the soprano-bass strains of Marigrace Bucher and Paul Rice singing "Make Believe" the review approached its climax in a passionate cancan straight from "Moulin Rouge" and a revue of the very latest Parisian frocks, both featuring a bevy of comely and charming "damsels." The task of directing this array of music and "drama" fell to Nancy Hoffman.

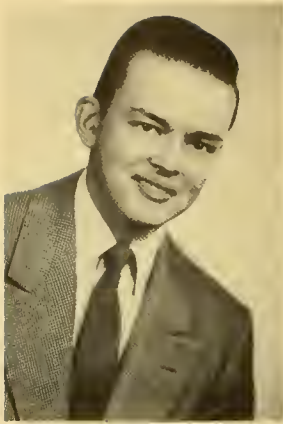
An exclusively junior activity was our entertainment of both seniors and two-year students at the annual Junior-Senior banquet held May 14. Scene of the affair was the Harrisburg Civic Club, overlooking the east shore of the Susquehanna River.

EDYTHE EDWARDS
Perkasie, Penna.

DONALD FOGELSANGER
Shippensburg, Penna.

JANE FRANKLIN
Oxford, Penna.





CARL GEARY
Harrisburg, Penna.



MARION HALDEMAN
Pottsville, Penna.



GEORGE HEISEY
Lebanon, Penna.



WILLIAM HEISEY
Lebanon, Penna.

of the life collegiate, they

SERVING as master-of-ceremonies was versatile Jay Brubaker. Acting as guest speaker was Prof. E. B. Hoover, known for his class-room wit. Providing the musical entertainment were Red McCarthy and his band.

Sports—journalism—student government—religious activities—clubs—juniors are everywhere and in each activity.

Who, for example, can dispute Paul Rice's sovereignty as the only junior in the college quartets? Or his excellence as baritone soloist?

Also claiming a title, is Harvey Jacobs in the sports department. The easy-going athlete is the only junior to participate in three intercollegiate sports—soccer, basketball, and baseball. Also prominent on the soccer field were George and Bill Heisey. And

adding their prowess to E-town courtsters were Jay Brubaker, Jay Rutherford and 6' 6" Don Crumbling. Harry Thomas has been efficiency itself in his role as basketball manager. Harry even managed to net two points when he was put in a game against Susquehanna. On the tennis court we sported racketeers Bill Beaston, Don Martin, Gerry Wolff, and Don Zook.

Chosen to represent our class on the May Court were blondes Carole Alexander and Pat Kratz. A transfer student majoring in medical technology, Carole has served on the junior social committee. Pat, our college newspaper editor, is equally at ease paying homage to the May Queen, setting up the "dummy" for the next Etownian, or providing a bit of entertainment at the piano.

HENRY HOERNER
Elizabethtown, Penna.

MARY JANE HOFFER
Mt. Joy, Penna.

NANCY HOFFMAN
Reading, Penna.





RODNEY HOUSER
Middletown, Penna.

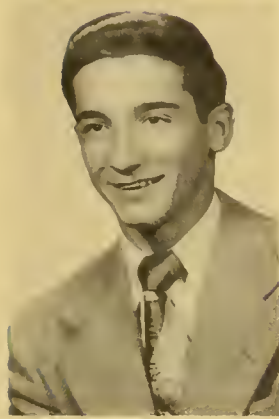
GEORGE KANOFF
Elizabethtown, Penna.

HAZEL KNAPPENBERGER
West Leesport, Penna.

PATRICIA KRATZ
Elverson, Penna.



HARVEY JACOBS
Mechanicsburg, Penna.



eagerly survey enlarged

QUICKLY acquiring local fame as a world traveler is Jim Miller who spent the past two summers in Austria and Puerto Rico under the auspices of the Brethren Service Commission. This year Jim served as vice-president of the Student Senate and as co-chairman of the Community Chest Drive.

March election campaigns saw juniors competing for campus offices. Displaying posters, distributing gum and the inevitable lollipops, our campaign managers drew students to the polls as we sought places in student government, on publications, and in other organizations.

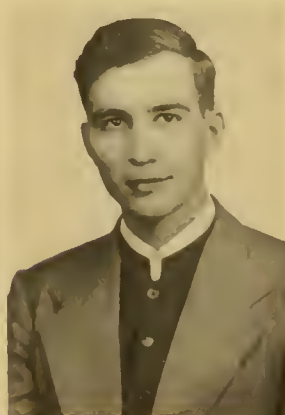
Our classes also kept us busy. In Children's Literature class some of us delightedly but sheepishly went back a few years to taste again tales of the brothers Grimm, Hans Christian Anderson, and A. A. Milne.



HENRY KREIDER
Mt. Joy, Penna.

KENNETH LEAMAN
Lancaster, Penna.

RICHARD MAGEE
Easton, Penna.



ANOTHER typically junior class is Prof. Reuning's History of U.S. and Pa. The "ten o'clock scholars" acquired, it seems, in addition to a thorough knowledge of the pranks of our ancestors, some well-exercised writing hands.

A number of us had jobs on campus. Nancy Hoffman and Hazel Knappenberger have each had three years of experience answering phones and pouring at teas in their positions as assistants to the heads of residence in Alpha and Fairview Halls.

Grace Mutzabaugh's pleasant "Nurse in the hall" brought the hope that dinner was coming to some isolated patient. In the college store was Chris Bucieri, whose patience and speed were vital in satisfy-

ing the whims of the ten o'clock gang clamoring for service. Others served as laboratory assistants, waitresses, and janitors' helpers.

No more changing courses for us! Now most of us have definitely planned what we want to do upon graduation. For twenty-one of us the goal is teaching. Liberal arts courses are preparing three of us to be ministers, one to be missionary, and one a social worker; eight of us are majoring in business administration.

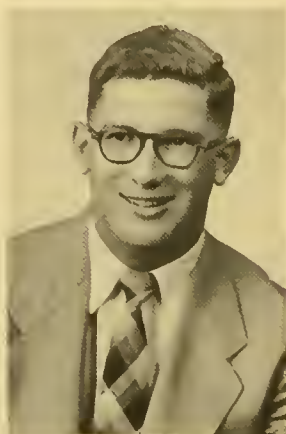
Of our science majors, one is planning a future in electronic engineering and another in veterinary practice. Two will enter the field of chemistry, two plan to teach, and two hope to enter medical school.

vistas that beckon each

W. DONALD MARTIN
Mt. Joy, Penna.



JAMES MILLER
Elizabethtown, Penna.



JOYCE MILLER
Dillsburg, Penna.



STANLEY MILLER
Lewistown, Penna.



URSULA NEIDHARDT
Denver, Penna.



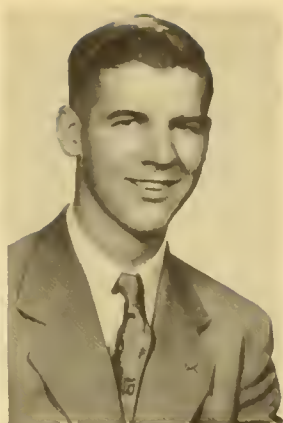
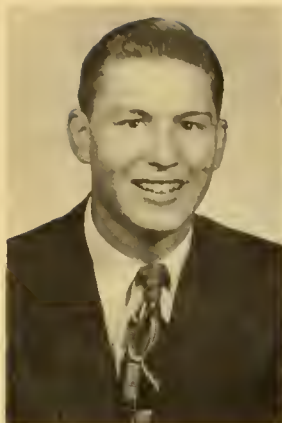
A. RUTH OLDHAM
Fishertown, Penna.



D. PAUL RICE
Zullinger, Penna.



DONALD RUHL
Manheim, Penna.



RAY THOMPSON
Middletown, Penna.



WALTER SCHELL
Harrisburg, Penna.

LANE SHANK
Elizabethtown, Penna.

W. JOSEPH SUTER
New Enterprise, Penna.

JOYCE WITMYER
Lancaster, Penna.

GERALD WOLFF
Lancaster, Penna.

DONALD ZOOK
Dillsburg, Penna.

to follow his own interest.

OUR FOUR medical technology students, Carole Alexander, Cynthia Grill, Joyce Miller, and Ursula Neidhardt will be finishing their education at various hospitals next year.

Thus are the juniors preparing both to be seniors and to be users of the knowledge they have the right to acquire.

OTHER JUNIORS

MARILYN DEPPE
Lebanon, Penna.

FRED FAWBER
Hershey, Penna.

CYNTHIA GRILL
Christiana, Penna.

DONALD MAIER
Middletown, Penna.

NANCY MOYER
Telford, Penna.

GRACE MUTZABAUGH
Lancaster, Penna.

RUTH B. MYERS
Lancaster, Penna.

BURNS NIPPLE
Royalton, Penna.

JAY RUTHERFORD
Elizabethtown, Penna.

PETER VASSIL
Lancaster, Penna.

SAMUEL WILLIAMS
Clemens, South Carolina

Sophs,



Maintenance men Blough, Heisey, and Brown unload freshly laundered towels for the basketball squad.



Sophs,

Everywhere

Grace Mutzabaugh, R.N., directs Medical Sec-
retarial Science students in bandaging.





ELTON ABEL
Hellam, Penna.

DONALD BARR
Reedsville, Penna.

LUCY BAUGHER
Aspers, Penna.

Well on their academic way,

CHARLES BECHTEL
East Berlin, Penna.

WILLIAM BECHTEL
East Berlin, Penna.

EVELYN BELL
Palmyra, Penna.

CAROL BERRY
Manheim, Penna.

GLORIA BORTNER
Lineboro, Maryland

BERNICE BRATTON
Millerstown, Penna.

NANCY BRUBAKER
Lititz, Penna

JOHN BUSH
Lemoyne, Penna.





BROOKE BUTTERWICK
Sellersville, Penna.

JOHN BYERS
Johnstown, Penna.

WILLIAM CARMITCHELL
Lancaster, Penna.

CHARLES COBAUGH
Elizabethtown, Penna.

CLARENCE COX
Lancaster, Penna.

CHARLES DERK
Chester, Penna.

MARY DILLING
Everett, Penna.

LOIS DUPSTADT
Stoystown, Penna.

the sophomores, with lively

SOMEONE has said of our sophomore class: "It's quite a group! They've acquired the new sophomore dignity without losing the old freshman enthusiasm." An intelligent observation, indeed!

Ours is a class that really *does* things! College splash parties in the M.S.T.C. pool, a roller skating party, a night at the Ice Capades, and our original and exclusively sophomore variety show, "The Debut of International Color Television" were just a few of the sophomore-sponsored activities.

Serving as the catalyst of our ninety-member group is our energetic president, Charles Bechtel. Assisting him are Paul Grubb, vice-president; Carol Berry, secretary; and Ralph Moyer, treasurer.

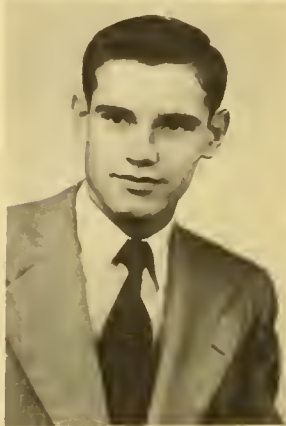
Actually, it's not sophomore egotism but a solid fact that many extra-curricular activities on campus would suffer were it not for the sophomore "spark."

Reboundman Dick Stine, E-town's "Robinson Crusoe" would sorely be missed on the varsity basketball squad. Six out of twelve of Prof. Byerly's grunt-and-groan men—Don Carlin, Jack Byers, Charlie Derk, Clair Metzler, Fran Heck, and Jay Gibble—are members of our class.

The cheerleading squad is composed almost exclusively of sophomores, not to mention those powerful voices of our class coming from the bleachers. Captain Shirley Junkin, Elva Jean Lehman, Lois King, and Lucy Baugher take honors in this department. And let's not forget our Bluebirds, who would miss the scoring punch of Janet Hunsberger and Bernice Bratton.

Our soccer squad needs such key sophomore men as Jack Ferich, Ralph Moyer, Orwin Keeney, Mel Longenecker, Tyler Trimmer, Dick Stine, Charlie and Bill Bechtel, Charlie Derk, and Clair Metzler.

interest



JANET EARHART
Elizabethtown, Penna.

RALPH ESHELMAN
Elizabethtown, Penna.

JANET EVANS
Royersford, Penna.

ROBERT FAUS
Manheim, Penna.

JANET HUNSBERGER, Jessie Martin, Janet Earhart, Kitty Gish, Carol Berry, Lois King, and manager Shirley Myers are the fast-moving Bluebirds on the hockey team.

Musically speaking, the a cappella choir needs the voices of Dolly Longenecker, Elva Jean Lehman, Pat Minnich, Sally Knepper, Evelyn Bell, Mary Dilling, Jay Gibble, Ralph Moyer, Jack Byers, Paul Grubb, Jim Yoder, and Harold Wenger. Second tenor Ralph Moyer and choir president Paul Grubb harmonize with our college men's quartet. The Sock and Buskin club would be practically without members if it were not for sophomore thespians. Eleven out of thirteen roles in the club's one-act plays were handled by sophomores.

Two attractive brunettes represented our class on the May Court this year—Lucy Baugher and Carol Berry (roommates no less!)

The engaged of our group include Josephine Leppo, Betty Williams, Charles Cobaugh, and Jack Ferich, while Ken Franklin is married and has a little daughter.

Many of our number make individual contributions, extending their influence beyond the campus. Jay Gibble was elected president of the Brethren Student Christian Association which includes all Brethren colleges in the United States. Pat Minnich is also active in both district and state C.B.Y.F. work. For the past seven years William Carmitchell has attended meetings of the U.N., and in 1952 represented the American Friends Society in a political tour of Europe.

JOHN FERICH, JR.
Willow Street, Penna.

P. RICHARD FORNEY
Lebanon, Penna.

JEAN GEYER
Middletown, Penna.

JAY GIBBLE
Bethel, Penna.



KATHRYN GISH
Elizabethtown, Penna.

PAUL GRUBB, JR.
Elizabethtown, Penna.

JOSEPHINE HAEFNER
Lancaster, Penna.



FRANCIS HECK
Erial, New Jersey

PAUL HOFFMAN
Williamstown, Penna.

JANET HUNSBERGER
Royersford, Penna.



in the arts and sciences,

OUR SOLE contribution to the student senate is Bill Bechtel. Gwen Miller serves as the assistant head of residence in Memorial Hall. Students express delight at the clever ideas and artistic ability Carol Berry displays on the library bulletin board and posters about campus. Charles Cobaugh has also been

blessed with this artistic talent and offers his to the Etownian and the CONESTOGAN.

Pre-ministerial students of our class express their ideas and find a chance both to practice and to serve as they speak in various churches in Pennsylvania.

BARBARA JOHNSON
Woodbine, Penna.

MARY JONES
Boswell, Penna.

SHIRLEY JUNKIN
Lemoyne, Penna.

ORWIN KEENEY
Myerstown, Penna.





LOIS KING
Lancaster, Penna.

MARIE KINNEY
High Bridge, New Jersey

LORETTA KLINE
Hanover, Penna.

RUTH KLING
Blairs Mills, Penna.

SARAH KNEPPER
Berlin, Penna.

SYLVIA KUGLER
Hungerford, Penna.

BARRY LAVINE
Trenton, New Jersey

ELVA JEAN LEHMAN
Lawn, Penna.

AMONG THEIR number are Kenneth Franklin, Jay Gible, Robert Faus, and Jack Ferich. Doris Welch, Mary Jones, and Jim Zarfoss on the clarinet. Dolly Longenecker on the drums, and Sally Knepper with her sax, and Harold Wenger's tuba playing increase the volume of our college band.

After the books-and-buckets initiation given to the freshmen by whistle-blowing sophomores, we can well understand the feeling expressed by screaming and horrified freshmen in their variety show as they opened a large box to discover a picture of a sophomore in the bottom!

Five of us will leave the college campus for the physician's office as Janet Hunsberger, Shirley Myers, Edna Rice. Janet Shearer, and Florence Shreiner complete their courses in medical secretarial science this year. Receiving certificates in secretarial science will be Janet Earhart, Janet Evans, Kitty Gish, Lois King, and Ruth Alexander.

spiritedly attempt

JOSEPHINE LEPPA
Hanover, Penna.

MELVIN LONGENECKER
Progress, Penna.



WE NO SOONER were out of the one-theme-a-week stage, than some new courses were ready to challenge us. If you should happen to smell formaldehyde on a student and notice that he shuts himself in his room at regular intervals alone with a thick, black book, it's probably a sophomore taking biology. Similarly easy to recognize is the individual who dreamily recites love sonnets as he massages his right fingers stiff from taking notes. He is, without doubt, coming from the class in English Literature, where the best English authors and their works, from Beowulf to present-day poetry and prose are discussed. Despite the odor of skunk, our secretarial girls continued to work on office machines in the business building.



JESSIE MARTIN
Elizabethtown, Penna.



JACOB MESSNER
Rothsville, Penna.

the untried, question each new

CLAIR METZLER
Manheim, Penna.

GWENDOLYN MILLER
Boiling Springs, Penna. *

PATRICIA MINNICH
York, Penna.

RALPH MOYER
Telford, Penna.

SHIRLEY MYERS
York, Penna.

CHARLES ORBANK
Conestoga, Penna.

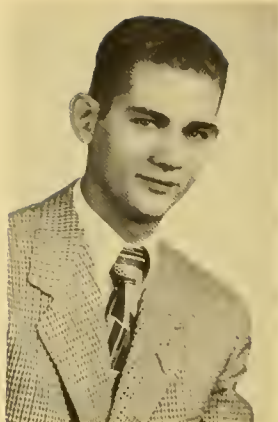
ZOE PROCTOR
New Hope, Penna.

EDNA RICE
Zullinger, Penna.



FOR US, the ninety of the class of 1956, we have both memories of college behind us and anticipation of college to come. Two years from now, we hope it may be said of our class:

"It's quite a group! They've acquired the dignity of seniors without losing their freshman enthusiasm!"



EDWARD SHANK
Elizabethtown, Penna.



JANET SHEARER
Perulack, Penna.



VIVIAN SHELLE
Newville, Penna.

experience, and add to campus life

FLORENCE SHREINER
Bareville, Penna.

BRUCE SMITH
Harrisburg, Penna.

RICHARD STINE
Red Lion, Penna.

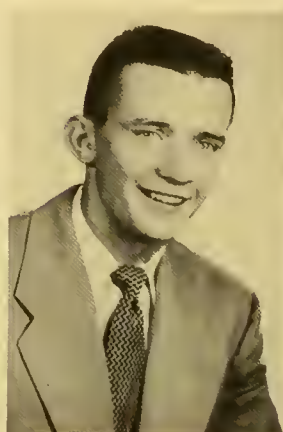
BERNICE STONE
Mechanicsburg, Penna.

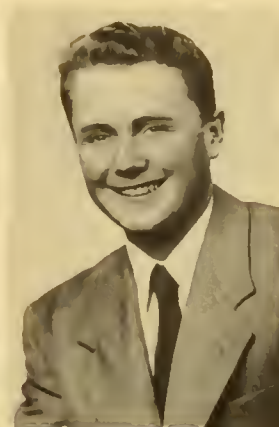
JOHN STONER
Lemoyne, Penna.

DOROTHY STOTZ
Middletown, Penna.

JANET TRIMMER
New Holland, Penna.

TYLER TRIMMER
Elizabethtown, Penna.





JANET VARNER
Spring Run, Penna.,

JAMES WEAVER
Elizabethtown, Penna.

DORIS WELCH
West Grove, Penna.

HAROLD WENGER
Quarryville, Penna.

their own zest for living.

BETTY WILLIAMS
Lancaster, Penna.

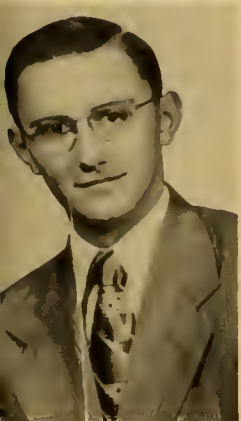
RUTH WITTER
Mercersburg, Penna.

JOHN WOLF
Lancaster, Penna.

JAMES YODER
Mattawana, Penna.

JAMES ZARFOSS
Elizabethtown, Penna.

RITA ZUG
Richland, Penna.



OTHER SOPHOMORES

RUTH ALEXANDER
Lancaster, Penna.

DONALD CARLIN
McAlisterville, Penna.

GLENN DIMELER
Harrisburg, Penna.

HENRY HITZ
Elizabethtown, Penna.

MARILYN LONGENECKER
Lebanon, Penna.

GWENDOLYN LOWE
Lancaster, Penna.

NEAL MORAN
Middletown, Penna.

RAMON RICKABAUGH
Montoursville, Penna.

ROBERT SHERK
Mt. Joy, Penna.

HARRY THOMAS
Harrisburg, Penna.

Freshman Initiation under

Jack Currie and Ted Yohe share an announcement to freshmen while Lorell Price checks his mail box and Carl Denlinger reads a letter from home.



Sophomore

Direction



Gloria Keller reads her theme in English Comp. 1 to classmates while Dr. Kelly, instructor, looks on.



ELIZABETHTOWN College—there it lay stretching before us, sprawling and beautiful—holding for us new opportunities, fulfillment of dreams, kindling of new hopes and plans. Elizabethtown College—this was to be our Alma Mater, our home away from home—where we would meet new friends, acquire habits, develop personalities, and mature into men and women capable of accepting the responsibilities forced upon us in this world of conflict.

But now we were unacquainted

with these buildings, these people, and perhaps deep inside, each of us was a bit afraid, a bit timid about entering into this new and different way of living. Now we had to make our own decisions. We were completely “on our own.”

But the day of “embarking” had arrived. There was no time for looking back. People everywhere were hurrying or trying to hurry under loads of boxes, bags, suitcases, and study lamps, propelled in the right direction by helpful student senators.



DOROTHY ANDERSON
Delta, Penna.

New in the halls of academic

DONALD BARLEY
Lancaster, Penna.

JAMES BAUGHER
Harrisburg, Penna.

RODNEY BERKLEY
Johnstown, Penna.

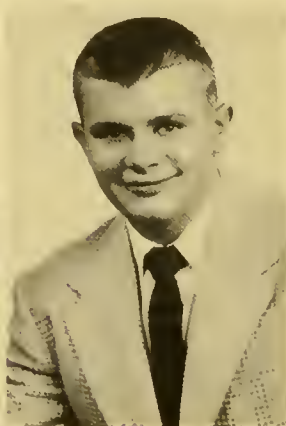
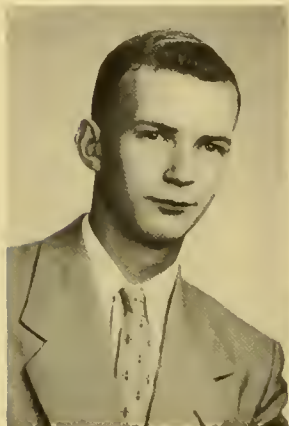
ROBERT BLESSING
Harrisburg, Penna.

JOHN BONITZ, JR.
Progress, Penna.

JAY BOOK
Thompsontown, Penna.

JANICE BRISBIN
Yeagertown, Penna.

RUTHANNE BUTTERBAUGH
Elizabethtown, Penna.





EDUARDO CHEGWIN
Barranquilla, Colombia



SAMUEL COOK
Mifflin, Penna.



FRANCES COPE
Manheim, Penna.

learning, freshmen seek to know

DOROTHY CROUSE
Elkton, Maryland

JACK CURRIE
Harrisburg, Penna.

INNA DANILOFF
Millville, New Jersey

LEAH DANKEL
Rockaway, New Jersey

HAROLD DAVELER
Elizabethtown, Penna.

ROBERT DEMENT
Berwick, Penna.

CARL DENLINGER
Salunga, Penna.

FERN DIEHL
Hummelstown, Penna.





SHIRLEY EBY
Mt. Joy, Penna.



STEPHEN EINFALT
Northampton, Penna.



JOANNE EVANS
Lancaster, Penna.



KENNETH FASICK
Harrisburg, Penna.

the meaning locked in words,

KAY FILLING
Columbia, Penna.

LAYTON FIRENG
Wayne, Penna.

JOHN FISHER
Greencastle, Penna.

CASSANDRA FITZKEE
Lancaster, Penna.

GARY FLEMING
Lancaster, Penna.

RUTH ANN FOSTER
Harrisburg, Penna.

SUZANNE FOSTER
Lancaster, Penna.

SHIRLEY GARRETT
Lewistown, Penna.



CHARMAINE GENTZLER
York, Penna.



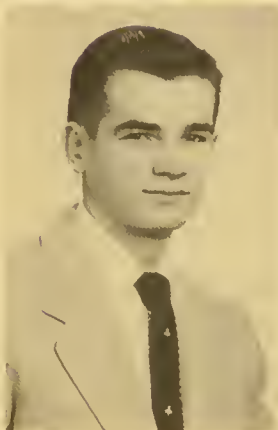
GLORIA GLADFELTER
New Cumberland, Penna.



DONALD GOLDEN
York Springs, Penna.



ROBERT GOUDIE
Downingtown, Penna.



NANCY GROFF
Marietta, Penna.



SHIRLEY HELLER
Gardners, Penna.



JOHN HERIGAN
Steelton, Penna.



MAX HERSBERGER
New Enterprise, Penna.



PAUL HETRICK
Elizabethtown, Penna.



TEA AND AN informal dinner in the gym provided opportunities for meeting these new people—deans and faculty, roommates and classmates, parents and relatives.

Tests and registration followed in quick succession. And after the tour of the massive Masonic Homes, the “get acquainted” parties, the informal gatherings in Fairview Hall around Pete Thompson and his trumpet, and the all-college picnic at the Hershey Community Park, we freshmen began to feel that we truly belonged in this bustling college community.

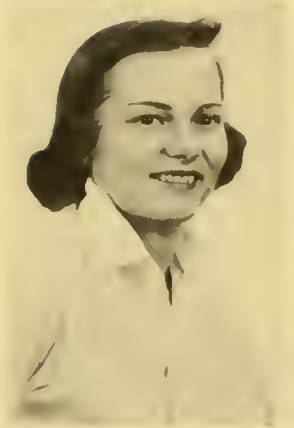
Dinks—oh how we enjoyed (?) wearing those attractive (?) contraptions of blue and gray that perched on our heads like misplaced felt bowls. “We hail thee Alma Mater dear,” was very popular during this week of sophomore regulations, and it was no surprise, at the sound of a whistle, to see us, clothes inside out and carrying our books in bags and wastepaper cans, suddenly drop to our knees, dump our books, and seek refuge under our bags and cans from sophomore “bombers” hovering overhead. We were quite surprised to see what attractive girls some of our boys would make, especially a cute “doll” named “Mabel” Rojohn.



GLADYS HIXSON
Elizabethtown, Penna.

GLORIA HOERNER
Elizabethtown, Penna.

MARIE HOOVER
Elizabethtown, Penna.



MARY HOFFMAN
Lawn, Penna.

ROBERT HOFFMAN
Reading, Penna.

MARY LOU JACKSON
Middletown, Penna.



condensed in the chemical

UNFORTUNATELY, a few of us rebelled and were helped into the water of beautiful Lake Placida by obliging sophomores. We are sure Glenn Bixler remembers this chilly punishment.

The day of Homecoming finally

arrived, and we freshmen mustered our muscle and might and there by the lake, the scene of many a freshman dunking, we defeated the sophomores in a thrilling tug-o-war. Off went the dinks—out went the regulations. The freshmen had won!



LEAH KANN
Carlisle, Penna.

PETER KANOFF
Highspire, Penna

GLORIA KELLER
Wernersville, Penna.

JOAN KELLER
Morwood, Penna.



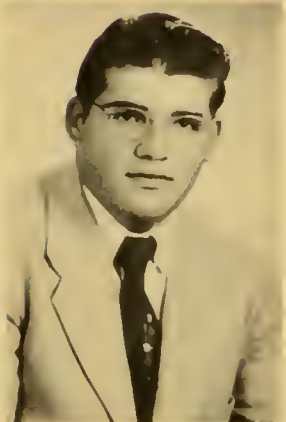


SUN KYUNG KIM
Seoul, Korea

DORIS KIPP
Newport, Penna.

R. KNAPPENBERGER
West Leesport, Penna.

BENNETT KULP
Perkasie, Penna.



equation, symbolized

THE VARIETY Show was another landmark in our journey as freshmen. The growing machine went haywire and produced the largest diaper clad baby ever seen by the name of Layton Fireng. We also found the "lost cord."

The interests of our freshman class vary greatly. Thirty-three are headed for the competitive field of business, thirty are dedicating their lives to the teaching profession and the molding of the lives of the future citizens of America.



JOANNE LABEZIUS
Lancaster, Penna.

GERALD LUDWICK
Perkasie, Penna.

JAY LUTZ
McKeesport, Penna.

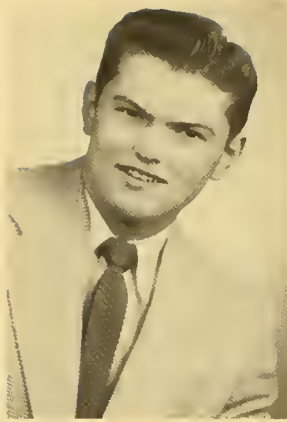


M. JOAN LEVAN
Wellsboro, Penna.

KENNETH MILLER
Lebanon, Penna.

PATRICIA MOORE
Johnstown, Penna.





CAROLE MOOSE
Elizabethtown, Penna.

EDWIN MULLER
Paterson, New Jersey

LOIS MUMMA
Harrisburg, Penna.



CHRISTA NOLL
Lancaster, Penna.

ANTHONY NOSAL
Central City, Penna.

SHIRLEY PRANGE
Christiana, Penna.



JAMES PRIFER
Harrisburg, Penna.

MARLIN REED, JR.
Gratz, Penna.

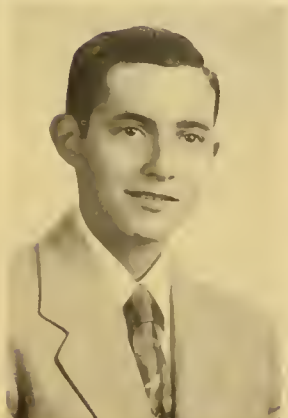
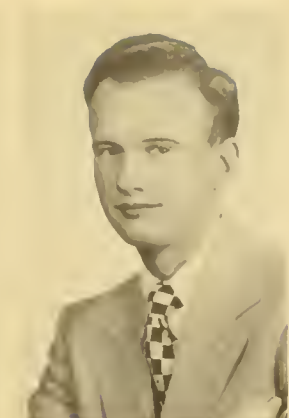
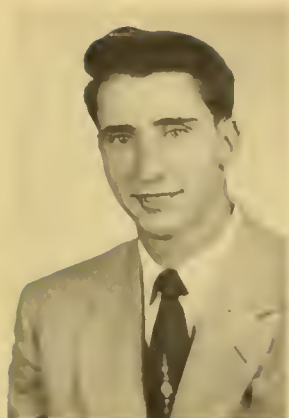
INA REICHARD
Shady Grove, Penna.



LAVERNE RICKS
Washington, D. C.

JOYCE ROUDABUSH
Johnstown, Penna.

GLADYS SHIRK
Quarryville, Penna.



CARL SPEASE
Penbrook, Penna.

AUDREY SPRENKLE
North East, Maryland

WANDA SPROW
Harrisburg, Penna.

WILLIAM STONEBACK
Hatfield, Penna.

NANCY SWANSON
Mt. Joy, Penna.

J. LLOYD SWOPE
Union Deposit, Penna.

J. BARBARA THEEL
Glassboro, New Jersey

MARY THOME
Mt. Joy, Penna.

by the algebraic sign, hidden

THIRTY-THREE are aiming for an A.B. in Liberal Arts, and forty-two are entering into the fields of science, into a world of test tubes and experiments—medicine and technology—into fields which hold innumerable potentialities for the modern world.

But we had one common meeting ground: English Composition. There we struggled together. And what was our aim?—a theme for Wednesday—a simple thing to say but most difficult to produce. Then there was the slight battle with the bibliographies as we commenced the job of writing a term paper.

DELORIS TURNER
Grasonville, Maryland

CHARLES WEAVER
Manheim, Penna.

VERNA WEAVER
Lititz, Penna.



incident.

THE FRESHMEN have added much to all fields of interest on campus. In the realm of athletics they have excelled, introducing such stars as Sal Paone, Lou Lauria, Rodney Berkley, and Bob Wert. The hockey and girls' basketball teams have been strengthened by freshmen girls such as Audrey Sprenkle, Hazel Yoder, Ina Reichard, and Joanne Evans.

Musically speaking, our class can boast of many contributors, Don Golden at the piano and organ and Gloria Gladfelter and Ken Miller in the vocal department, to mention only a few. Scholastically, we're tops with our dean's list achievers like Nancy Swanson, Sylvia Weiss, Bob Knappenberger, and Gloria Keller.

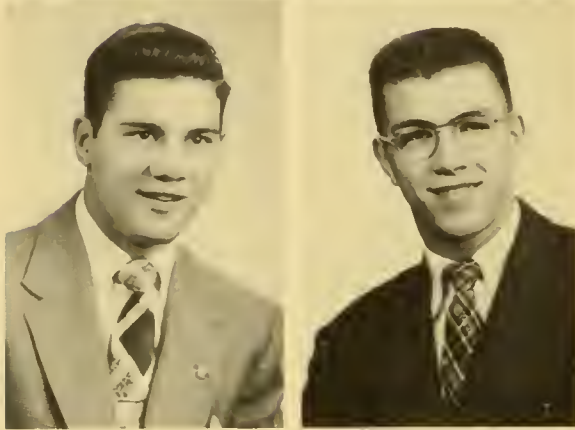
Yes, we have changed in this year. We have lived new experiences, made new friends, learned new things. And it is with eagerness that we look forward to our future years at Elizabethtown College.

KENNETH WISE
Highspire, Penna.

PAULINE WOLFE
Myerstown, Penna.

HAZEL YODER
Mattawana, Penna.

THEODORE YOHE
York, Penna.



SYLVIA WEISS
Harrisburg, Penna.

HAZEL WELLS
Palmyra, Penna.

ROBERT WERT
Catasauqua, Penna.

DONALD WILLOUGHBY
Harrisburg, Penna.

in historical

THOSE WHO were fortunate (?) enough to take a course in chemistry or biology remember quite distinctly the periods of experiments and dissections called "labs," where odors of hydrogen sulfide (rotten egg odor) and formaldehyde were quite common. But then who minded the odors when one was so privileged as to be able to dissect grasshoppers and earthworms?

Bob Knappenberger was elected president of our class in our freshman year and Ed Muller, vice-president. The secretary was Sandy Fitzkee and the "girl with all the money" was Joanne Evans.

Our class was very fortunate in having three students representing countries other than our own. Inna Daniloff from Latvia is aiming for an A.B. in Liberal Arts and Christa Noll whose homeland is Germany is planning to be a medical technician. From Puerto Rico came Alberto Zayas who is majoring in science.





Left: Students from other lands meet at the mailbox to exchange ideas on modern trends in their home countries. They are Mrs. Anita Keeney, Sweden; Wok Kim and Sun Kim, Korea; Inna Daniloff, Latvia; Alberto Zayas, Puerto Rico.

Bottom: Miss Martha Martin instructs the Wednesday class for ministers.

OTHER FRESHMEN

CHARLES ADAMS
Manheim, Penna.

ROBERT ASPRIL
Lancaster, Penna.

MATTHEW BELICIC
Harrisburg, Penna.

GLENN BIXLER
Hatboro, Penna.

MARCIA BOOP
Yeagertown, Penna.

PHILIP BORREGGINE
Philadelphia, Penna.

KALMAN BUDA
Hamburg, New Jersey

JAMES BORTZFIELD
Lancaster, Penna.

PETER BOSKOVICH
Lebanon, Penna.

ELLSWORTH DEAN
McClure, Penna.

HEDY DILLMAN
Frackville, Penna.

FRANKLIN EICHLER
Florin, Penna.

IRVIN ENGLE, JR.
Elizabethtown, Penna.

JAY EVANS
Lancaster, Penna.

FREDERICK FERGUSON
Thompstontown, Penna.

MARGARET FLICK
Lancaster, Penna.

H. JERE FREY
Elizabethtown, Penna.

HARRY HERSHEY
Elizabethtown, Penna.

WILLIAM HODGDON
Ocean City, New Jersey

LEE HOFFER
Harrisburg, Penna.

EDWARD HOLTZINGER
State College, Penna.

MICHAEL IVANOFF
Harrisburg, Penna.

STEPHEN KEREK
Lancaster, Penna.

LOUIS LAURIA
Philadelphia, Penna.

FRANK LECH
Harrisburg, Penna.

ALBERT McCULLOUGH
Clearfield, Penna.

ELLIS MUMMA
Harrisburg, Penna.

DOMENICO NARDELLI
Bernardsville, New Jersey

SALVATORE PAONE
Philadelphia, Penna.

LORELL PRICE
Vernfield, Penna.

TOLBERT PROWELL
Steelton, Penna.



Right: Professor Custer explains a problem in wiring to the evening class in electronics, a course included in Elizabethtown's program of adult education.

Bottom: Miss Eastlack instructs a class in the elements of typing.



OTHER FRESHMEN

M. PATRICK RAFTER
Philadelphia, Penna.

WILSON RAHN
Lancaster, Penna.

JACK REYNOLDS
Lancaster, Penna.

ALBERT ROGERS
Norristown, Penna.

ERNEST ROJOHN, JR.
York, Penna.

DONALD ROYER
Manheim, Penna.

JAY ROYER
Elizabethtown, Penna.

JAMES RUTHERFORD
Elizabethtown, Penna.

MAURICE SANKO
Manheim, Penna.

JONATHAN SMITH
Elizabethtown, Penna.

MENDEL SOHN
Middletown, Penna.

LEROY TEPSICH
Steelton, Penna.

ARTHUR THOMAS
Alexandria, Virginia

PETER THOMPSON
Quarryville, Penna.

ROBERT TURNER
Manheim, Penna.

LOUIS ULRICH
Elizabethtown, Penna.

FRED VAN SCYOC
Elizabethtown, Penna.

JAMES WILLIARD
Highspire, Penna.

ALBERTO ZAYAS
Castaner, Puerto Rico

SPECIAL STUDENTS

EDWARD COMBS
Olmsted AFB

ROBERT FELDMAN
Olmsted AFB

ELWOOD GRIMM
Elizabethtown, Penna.

WILLIAM HENRY
Olmsted AFB

EUGENE MADIERA
Elizabethtown, Penna.

CARL MARTIN
Harrisburg, Penna.

ERDIS MUMMERT
Elizabethtown, Penna.

MICHAEL NEGRA
Olmsted AFB

DAVID SALISBURY
Lancaster, Penna.

RALPH J. SCACCIA
Olmsted AFB

MEADE SCHAFFNER
Lancaster, Penna.

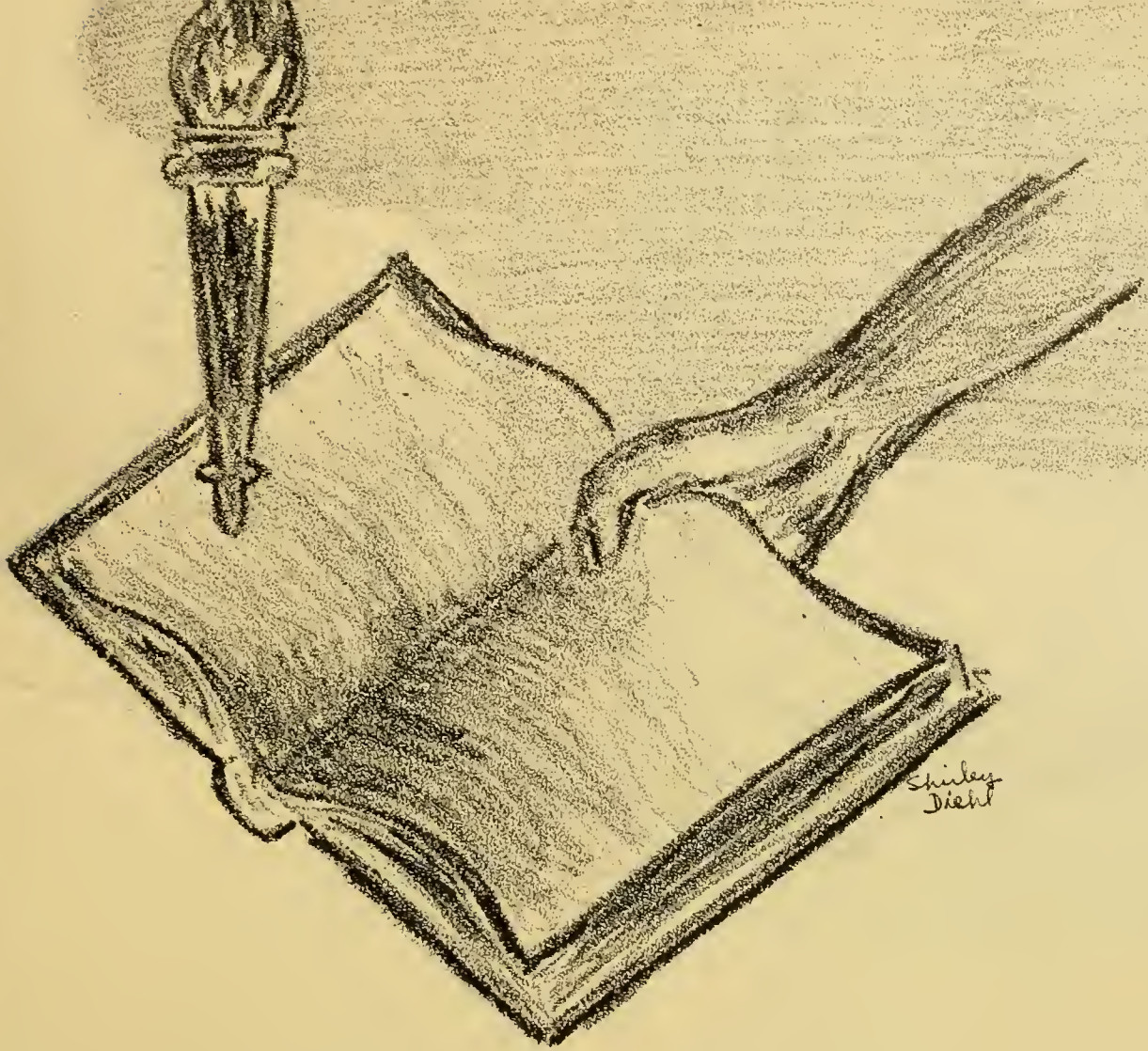
ANNA SHAFFNER
Maytown, Penna.

ANNE SHIFFLET
Harrisburg, Penna.

ARTHUR THOMAS
Olmsted AFB

ESTHER WINTERS
Elizabethtown, Penna.





A FACULTY expresses itself best not in the number of well-worn opinions it can force on a student body but in the degree to which it can teach students to think for themselves.

The influences of a superior faculty can best be traced in new powers and understandings possessed by those it taught.

THE FACULTY

- A. C. BAUGHER, Ph.D.; LL.D.
President and Professor of Chemistry
- HENRY G. BUCHER, Ed.M.; Ed.D.
Dean and Professor of Education
- RALPH WIEST SCHLOSSER, A.M.; Litt.D.
Professor of English
- CHARLES S. APGAR, M.S.; Ph.D.
Professor of Biology
- O. F. STAMBAUGH, M.S.; Ph.D.
Professor of Chemistry
- FREDERICK C. NEUMANN, Ph.D.
Professor of Languages
- NEVIN W. FISHER, B.M.; M.Mus.
Professor of Music
- W. W. PETERS, LL.D.
Professor of Sociology and Psychology
- ELMER B. HOOVER, M.Ed.
Associate Professor of Education
Director of Teacher Training
- CARL E. HEILMAN, A.B.; A.M.
Associate Professor of Mathematics and Physics
- EPHRAIM GIBBEL MEYER, A.B.; A.M.
Reference Librarian
- VERA R. HACKMAN, A.B.; A.M.
Dean of Women
Associate Professor of English
- ALBERT L. GRAY, JR., B.S.; M.B.A.
Associate Professor of Business Education
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MAN IS endowed with an insatiable desire for knowledge. His curiosity to learn begins at birth and continues throughout life. His mind is constantly searching for new truths. Freedom to seek truth is the divine right of man. It is one of the characteristics which distinguishes man from the rest of creation. In his search for truth man sweeps the heavens with his telescope; he opens the atom to discover the secrets of matter; he explores the human mind to find the reasons for the ways of man; he finds inspiration as much in the infinitesimally small as in the infinitely large. He goes everywhere in search of knowledge.

A young man or woman who accepts the privileges of a four year college education thereby assumes an obligation to his family, to his Alma Mater, and to society. And the only way by which this obligation can be even partially discharged is through service. The motto of Elizabethtown College—Educate for Service—is fully in keeping with this philosophy.

Consonant with the American spirit of democracy, society must grant the individual opportunity to serve commensurate with the knowledge he has been permitted to gain.



PRESIDENT A. C. BAUGHER



Alpha Hall, the hub of the campus, serves as administrative, dining, and housing unit. Offices of the president, dean, treasurer, deans of men and women, and alumni secretary occupy the main floor. All boarding students dine on the lower level and forty women students are in residence on the two upper floors.

And ye shall know



HENRY G. BUCHER
Dean of Instruction



K. EZRA BUCHER
Treasurer, Business Manager

Miss Emma Engle, registrar, returns a student's cumulative record to the file. Mrs. Ellen Howell, storekeeper, substitutes at the switch board as Miss Martha Farver, secretary to the treasurer, receives a letter to mail from Robert Hollinger, bookkeeper. Mrs. Doris Lewis, secretary to the president, types a report while Mildred Holloway, secretary, prepares to do a letter.



the truth, and the truth shall make you free.—St. John



Student proctors meet with D. Paul Greene, Dean of Men, in the South Hall living room to discuss housing problems in the dormitory. Dean Greene points out the quiet hour regulations to North and South Hall proctors George Frost (left) and William Foster. Housing regulations established for the eighty dormitory students are also applicable to the forty men students living in nearby off-campus homes. Rules include instructions for study, for room care, and in courtesies expected in dormitory living. The dean also arranges for personal consultation.

How to pour at teas and answer the telephone are only a few of the duties explained by Vera R. Hackman, Dean of Women, as she instructs the assistants to heads of residences. Marian Meyer (standing) is senior director of house activities in Memorial Hall. Her assistant is Gwendolyn Miller (seated, upper left). Beside Miss Miller is Nancy Hoffman, assistant in Alpha Hall. Hazel Knappenberger assists in the Fairview dormitory.



For whatever deserves



DR. FREDERICK NEUMANN

In teaching modern languages, Dr. Neumann is assisted by Mrs. Elinor Neumann, instructor in German I, and Mrs. Kathryn Herr, instructor in French I and II. Liberal Arts majors, whether meeting the language requirement in French, German, or Spanish, soon discover that a second or third language unlocks doors to treasure stores of other cultures.



Edgar T. Bitting, instructor in Business, and Elinor Eastlack, instructor in Business Education, pose between classes near the corridor bulletin board. Mr. Bitting teaches accounting and Mathematics of Business. Miss Eastlack instructs secretarial science majors in Typing I and II, Shorthand I and II, Business Correspondence, and Office Machine Practice.

Prof. Albert Gray pauses on the steps of the Business Education Building to chat with Mr. Henry Gingrich, instructor in Business Law, before going to his class in Advanced Business Statistics. Both courses are required of students majoring in Business Administration.



to exist deserves also to be known,

Freshmen recall the patience of Mr. Meyer in answering the hundreds of questions those term papers evoke.



EPHRAIM G. MEYER
Reference Librarian

Dr. R. W. Schlosser, professor of English, confers with members of the department, Vera R. Hackman and Dr. Louise Kelly, on English course offerings. Dr. Schlosser teaches courses in English and American literature. Miss Hackman is adviser to all student publications—THE CONESTOGAN, The Etownian, The Rudder—and teaches a course in journalism. Dr. Kelly teaches English composition and directs the activities of the dramatic club, Sock and Buskin.



ALICE S. HEILMAN
Librarian



In the well-appointed library Mrs. Heilman motivates the student's quest for knowledge by establishing pleasant, efficient service, by giving guidance to leisure time reading, by increasing the services of the library to meet changing student needs. This year stacks were opened to students, special loan exhibits were secured, and special collections were augmented.





for knowledge is

Dr. W. W. Peters, professor of sociology and psychology, discusses his three-year post-war stay in Austria with Wilhelm Reuning, assistant professor of history and political science. Both have traveled extensively in central Europe.

The Gibble Science Building houses the biology, chemistry, and physics laboratories and classrooms. Here, too, meet classes in qualitative and quantitative analysis, histology, microbiology, practical electronics, and anatomy.

Dr. O. F. Stambaugh, professor of chemistry, and Dr. Charles E. Weaver, special lecturer in Medical Laboratory Technique.





Above: Phares Hertzog, part-time instructor in chemistry; Hubert M. Custer, instructor in physics; Carl E. Heilman, associate professor of mathematics.

the image of existence



Pictured together: Dr. C. S. Apgar, professor of biology, and Dr. Bessie Apgar, assistant professor of biology.

Right: One of the four laboratory sections for the course in biology. Students are studying the paramecium under the microscope.



and things mean and splendid



Professor Robert Byerly and Miss Martha Martin enrich the spiritual atmosphere on campus through their teaching of the Bible and their guidance in religious activities. Their courses in Survey of Biblical History and Biblical Literature have given many students a more comprehensive understanding of the English Bible.



Rider Memorial Hall combines the campus chapel, recreation center, classrooms, music rooms, and college store into a center of all-campus activities.



Professor Elmer B. Hoover, director of student teaching, discusses new workshop methods in elementary art education with Mrs. Beryl Hahn, teacher of Public School Art. Under Mrs. Hahn's guidance, campus student teachers have compiled a valuable file of art materials for use in future classroom situations.

exist alike. —Francis Bacon



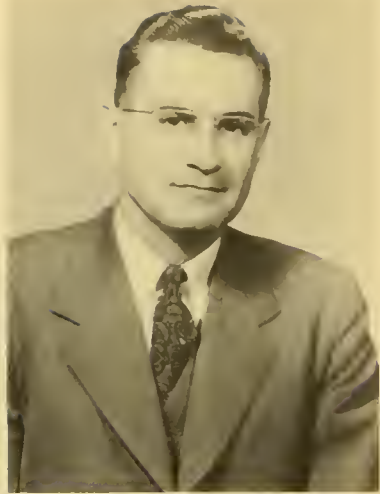
PROFESSOR NEVIN W. FISHER
Director of Music



GALEN W. HERR
Director of Band



Mrs. Theresa Fetter, part-time instructor in organ, presents a marimba solo at the faculty reception to students. Accompanying her on the piano is Mrs. Ephraim G. Meyer, instructor in piano. In the faculty recital following the reception Mrs. Meyer and Mrs. Fetter played piano-organ duos. Other faculty members presented instrumental or vocal solos. Mrs. Fetter prepares students to be church and chapel organists. Mrs. Meyer accompanies the Community Chorus in addition to giving private lessons in piano.



ROBERT S. YOUNG
Administrative Assistant



In response to a student's letter of application, Eby C. Espenshade, director of admissions and alumni secretary, dictates the reply to his secretary, Mrs. Ruth Mumma. Contacting prospective students takes Mr. Espenshade into four states and hundreds of high schools.

Right: The coaches meet to discuss schedules and procedures for the fall sports program. Ira R. Herr, director of athletics, Mrs. Evelyn Heath, hockey coach, and D. Paul Greene, coach of soccer and basketball, plan for Homecoming Day sports events.



Left: Mrs. Grace Allan, Alpha Hall, and Mrs. Jessie Cosner, Fairview Hall, both heads of women's residences, chat on the porch of Mrs. Cosner's apartment. Making a dormitory a home for forty or fifty college women is their assignment.





CAMPUS ACTIVITIES lead students along divergent paths winding through a maze of parties, variety shows, intramural sports, elections, campus drives, May Day, and Commencement. All provide needed recreation and all have the more subtle but equally important virtue of stimulating the development of personal poise and social intelligence.



Intermission at the faculty reception for students. Pouring are Mrs. Carl Heilman and Mrs. Eby Espenshade.



Packing Christmas boxes for Korea are Ursula Neidhardt, Carol Berry, Sun Kyung Kim, Marilyn Deppe, and Mary Ann Beck.



The campus chest fund committee—Gloria Keller, Jack Byers, James Miller, Julia Bender, and Inna Daniloff—represents the Student Senate and the Student Christian Association.



Students and faculty enjoying the first all-college picnic of the year at the Hershey Community Playground.



Francis Heck attempts to pin Charlie Weaver, another heavyweight, during the wrestling exhibition, February 12.



The can-can, a part of the junior variety show, presented by Francis Heck, Charles Derk, Melvin Longenecker, Bruce Smith, and Jaywood Brubaker.

James Baugher and Jaywood Brubaker engage in a most energetic discussion in their act in the sophomore variety show.



Shirley Myers singing "Diamonds Are A Girl's Best Friend" to the admiring members of her act in the sophomore show. They are: Lois King, Florence Shreiner, Gloria Bortner, Vivian Sheller, Elva Jean Lehman, Lucy Baugher, and Janet Hunsberger.



Voting for May Queen is Neal Moran, student from Olmsted Field, Middletown Air Base. On duty at the ballot box is Marilyn Deppe. Frances Bishop watches proceedings.

May Day 1953

Phyllis Anne Black and Carol Lynn Bucher pose with Queen Shirley Seldomridge just before the May court processional.

A scene from the dramatization of "The Village Blacksmith" with Harold Wenger as the smith.

The 1953 May Court awaits the crowning of their queen, Shirley Warner Seldomridge. Seated to her right are Marilyn Longenecker, Patricia Kratz, Phyllis Kratz, Peggy Hicks, and Elsie Bomgardner Ziegler. To her left are Peggy Walzl, Dolores Landis, Sallie Johnson, and Carole Berry. Flower girls are Phyllis Anne Black and Carol Lynn Bucher.



DOROTHY SHEARER
JANICE LEHMAN



SALLIE MAE JOHNSON, *Queen*
DOLORES LANDIS, *Maid of Honor*



13th
Eighth May Day

West Campus
1:30 p.m.

Crowning of the Queen
A Cappella Choir

East Campus
2:30 p.m.

Baseball E.C. vs. L.V.C.
Tennis Tournament
Outdoor Supper

5:30 p.m.

Gymnasium

3:00 p.m.
and
4:30 p.m.

Hansel and Gretel
dramatized by
Sock and Buskin Club

The Library

2:30
to 7:30 p.m.

An Exhibit
Theme: Man's Right to Knowledge and
the Free Use Thereof.

Center Campus

6:30 p.m.

Organ Recital—Rider Memorial Hall

Auditorium

8:00 p.m.

Light Opera Festival



PATRICIA KRATZ
CAROLE ALEXANDER



AUDREY SPRENKLE
JANICE BRISBIN



LUCY BAUGHER
CAROL BERRY



The 1953 Commencement



Harriet Beetham Allison and Shirley Warner Seldomridge were graduated summa cum laude and cum laude.

The academic procession for the fifty-first commencement moves toward the gymnasium in a drizzling rain.

Dr. Milton S. Eisenhower and Dr. John D. Trimmer chat with President A. C. Baugher in his office on commencement day. Honorary degrees were conferred upon both educators.

Graduation May 31, 1954



I. WAYNE KELLER
Doctor of Commercial Science



U. A. WHITAKER
Doctor of Science



THEODORE A. DISTLER
Doctor of Letters

Commencement Speaker



Seniors graduating with high scholastic honors are: Robert Albright, magna cum laude; Eileen Heise, cum laude; Shirley Diehl, summa cum laude; Shirley Young, cum laude; and Leroy Miller, summa cum laude. Not pictured is F. L. McConkey, cum laude.





Barricading the steps of Alpha, students engage in the annual ritual of autographing Conestogans.



Don Zook, Ralph Eshelman, and William Stoneback watch George Frost twirl the racket to determine sides on court for a doubles in tennis.

Mrs. Grace Allan serves Dr. H. H. Chang at a tea in Alpha living room. Later Dr. Chang spoke on "Great Men in Modern China." Inna Daniloff looks on.

The Gen. Platoff Don Cossack Chorus under the direction of Nicholas Kostroff presented a program of anthems and folk songs—the fourth number in the Community Program Series.





CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS, from student government to musical groups to a variety of clubs, complement with practical experience the abstracted theories of the classroom.

Resultant benefits are training in tolerance, cooperation, and leadership which in turn are directly associated with developing individuals into responsible citizens.

The Varsity E



in Hockey

Carol Berry
 Frances Bishop
 Shirley Eby
 Edythe Edwards
 Joanne Evans
 Cassandra Fitzkee
 Suzanne Foster
 Kathryn Gish
 Mary Hoffman
 Gloria Hoerner
 Janet Hunsberger
 Mary Jane Hoffer
 Lois King
 Jessie Martin
 Shirley Myers
 Ina Reichard
 Nancy Swanson

in Soccer

William Beaston
 Charles Bechtel
 William Bechtel
 David Blanset
 Rodney Berkley
 Peter Boskovich
 Ellsworth Dean
 Charles Derk
 Jack Ferich
 William Foster
 George Frost
 George Heisey
 Harvey Jacobs
 Orwin Keeney
 Melvin Longenecker
 Clair Metzler
 Kenneth Miller
 Ralph Moyer
 William Seaman
 Richard Stine
 Tyler Trimmer

in Basketball

Bernice Bratton
 Christine Buccieri
 Edythe Edwards
 Joanne Evans
 Janet Hunsberger
 Marie Kinney
 Dolores Landis
 Jessie Martin
 Shirley Myers
 Edna Rice
 Ina Reichard
 Audrey Sprenkle
 Shirley Young

in Basketball

Jaywood Brubaker
 Donald Crumbling
 William Foster
 Harvey Jacobs
 Lou Lauria
 Melvin Longenecker
 Salvatore Paone
 Richard Stine
 Harry Thomas
 Robert Wert
 Harold Wilson

Letters in baseball and tennis are awarded at the close of the season.

Activities E winners are Jean Roland, Patricia Kratz, George Frost, Paul Greiner, publications; Sherwood Thomas, religious activities; Paul Bashore and Catharine Moyer, music; and Norman Bowers and Shirley Diehl, political science

EARNED BY exacting participation in the extra-mural program of the college, the E is a symbol of achievement, loyalty, and service.

The Activities E, created in 1953, is awarded to members of the a cappella choir and college quartets, to participants in the Intercollegiate Conference on Government and International Relations Club conferences, to students participating in deputations to the churches, and to editors and reporters.

The Varsity E is earned by students meeting the award requirements in any one of five sports.



ELEVEN students gather at the conference table in the Student Activities office. A prayer for guidance is offered and another meeting of the student senate has begun. During the meeting items both small and momentous are considered with the same serious thoughtful consideration as the elected representatives attempt to carry out plans for the benefit of the student body who chose them. Senate leaders are Norman Bowers, president; James Miller, vice-president; Jean Roland, secretary; and Frances Bishop, treasurer.

Student-elected groups dealing with more specific problems of the college community are the committees on men's and women's affairs. Whether they help a student with a personal problem or "lobby" for a new hot-plate, the ultimate aim of the committees' work is more harmonious campus living.



Student senators, deep in discussion over the March 1 student assembly, consider the pros and cons of donating student breakage fees toward the building of a new field house. President Norman Bowers, *right*, examines the problem with senators James Miller, George Frost, Patricia Kratz, Shirley Young, Frances Bishop, Harold Wilson, William Bechtel, Leroy Miller, Jean Roland, and Paul Rice.

Members of the Committee on Women's Affairs gather in the Alpha living room to check shipping charges on packages of essential items to be sent to Korea. Chairman Mary Ann Beck, center, is surrounded by Nancy Hoffman, Sallie Mae Johnson, Nancy Stuckey, Edythe Edwards, and Frances Bishop.

...I would address



Bill Beaston, chairman of the Committee on Men's Affairs, and committee members Ralph Moyer and Charles Bechtel discuss spring social events to be held on campus.

one general admonition

SERVING the three-fold purpose of bringing students the news of campus activities, keeping alumni up-to-date on their Alma Mater, and providing a laboratory for journalism students, is the *Etownian*, our college monthly.

Combing the campus, Editor Patricia Kratz and her staff gather items of interest for straight news stories, feature articles, and editorials.

Interviewing people, scurrying after more people to get them in a picture, writing and re-writing copy, measuring picas and inches, pasting proof in place on a dummy of seemingly unlimited capacity, taking said dummy to be printed, and finally distributing the finished copies—all are elements included in the making of an *Etownian*.



Addressing individual copies—the final step before mailing the *Etownian*—are the managers: Donald Zook, circulation, and Jay Frey, business. They handle 3200 copies per issue from September to May.

Etownian editor Patricia Kratz explains the organization of page make-up to members of the class in journalism: Leah Kann, Loretta Kline, and Frances Bishop, all staff reporters.

Etownian staff members write, rewrite, and type last minute copy as they rush to meet the deadline. Sports editor George Frost, at the typewriter, is surrounded by Nancy Hoffman, feature writer; Jean Roland, news editor; and Eileen Heise, assistant editor.



to all; that they consider what are the

CONESTOGAN editor Paul Greiner, together with his staff, records in photograph, caption, and copy the memories of another college year. Here all may read and remember those cherished trivialities and live again the unforgettable moments of insight, challenge, and resolution.

Into the making of a book of memories go unnumbered hours of planning, writing, revising, selling advertisements, reading proof, patiently and painstakingly pasting pictures and copy into place.

Thus the 1954 CONESTOGAN becomes another of the pictorial and written records of our college.

Checking the CONESTOGAN dummy in its final stages are Shirley Diehl, art editor; George Frost, sports editor; Paul Greiner, editor; Jean Roland, assistant editor; and Nancy Hoffman, writer.

Trimming and pasting pictures, Joyce Miller and Charles Cobaugh hurry to meet the deadline for the faculty section as Gwendolyn Miller writes captions.

Cassandra Fitzkee looks on as Frances Bishop and Jack Ferich write the names and addresses of students for CONESTOGAN copy as Pat Kratz makes the final check in the card catalogue.

William Meyers, *below, left*, CONESTOGAN business manager, gives Mary Jane Hoffer and Coy Farr, members of his staff, a pep talk before they map out the areas they will canvass for ads.



true ends of knowledge, and that they



Soprano and alto choir members are, *first row, left to right:* Dorothy Shearer, Hazel Knappenberger, Delores Turner, Patricia Minnich, Jean Roland, Jane Franklin, Gloria Keller, Jean Burkhart, Catharine Moyer. *Second row:* Ruthanne Butterbaugh, Elva Jean Lehman, Mary Dilling, Sally Knepper, Gloria Gladfelter. *Third row:* Nancy Hoffman, Marian Meyer, Hazel Yoder, Evelyn Bell.

The 1954 Program

<p>I (INVOCATION) Salutation! (Choral Prologue) Dedication Laudamus Te</p>	<p><i>Samuel Richards Gaines</i> <i>Robert Franz—Noble Cain</i> <i>Carl F. Mueller</i></p>	<p>Almighty God (Poem—Thomas Moore) Lord, Open Thou Our Eyes The Shepherd's Story (Poem—William Morris)</p>	<p><i>Noble Cain</i> <i>Arthur Sullivan</i> <i>Clarence Dickinson</i></p>
<p>II The College Women's Quartette My Heart is Longing to Praise My Savior Something for Jesus</p>	<p><i>Norwegian Folk Tune</i> <i>Robert Lowry</i></p>	<p>V The College Men's Quartette O Lord of Glory Content</p>	<p><i>F. F. Flemming</i> <i>J. A. Parks</i></p>
<p>III The Creation Were You There? Son of God, Eternal Savior Roll, Jordan, Roll</p>	<p><i>Willy Richter</i> <i>Arrangement—Donald Frederick</i> <i>Mendelssohn</i> <i>Spiritual—Noble Cain</i></p>	<p>VI Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me Alleluia! Christ is Risen (Easter Song of Little Russia)</p>	<p><i>Thomas Hastings</i> <i>Andre Kopolyoff</i></p>
<p>IV Lord of Loveliness (Poem—Kenneth I. Morse)</p>	<p><i>Nevin W. Fisher</i></p>	<p>Deep River Gloria in Excelsis (BENEDICTION) The Lord Bless and Keep You</p>	<p><i>Arrangement—Donald Frederick</i> <i>W. A. Mozart</i> <i>Peter C. Lutkin</i></p>

The 1954 Schedule

February 14	Bareville
	Mohlers
February 21—(Evening)	Palmyra
February 28	Lancaster
	Ephrata
March 7—(Evening)	York, First Church
March 14	Gettysburg
	York Springs Lutheran Church
March 21	Carlisle
	Chambersburg
March 28	Elizabethtown Church of the Brethren
	Elizabethtown Church of God
April 4	York, Second Church
	Mountville
April 15-19	Tour—Central Pennsylvania
April 25—(Morning)	Hershey
April 30-May 2	Tour—Eastern Pennsylvania
May 9—(Evening)	Lititz
May 16—(Evening)	Waynesboro

seek it not either



Professor Nevin W. Fisher, director of music, suggests special techniques to a cappella choir soloists Paul Rice, Gloria Gladfelter, Marian Meyer, and Kenneth Miller in a special practice session. At the console is Donald Golden, choir accompanist.

Tenor and bass choir members include, *first row, left to right*: Peter Thompson, Jack Byers, Ralph Moyer, Harold Wenger, Kenneth Miller, Donald Golden. *Second row*: Gerald Ludwig, James Miller, Robert Knappenberger, Donald Willoughby, Charles Cobaugh, Paul Rice, James Yoder. *Third row*: Paul Bashore, William Hodgdon, Jay Gible, Paul Grubb, Charles Weaver.



for pleasure



The college quartets blend voice in a Negro spiritual while rehearsing for the Intercollegiate Music Festival at Lock Haven. The quartets include: Ruthanne Butterbaugh and Marian Meyer, sopranos; Catharine Moyer and Jean Roland, altos; Peter Thompson and Ralph Moyer, tenors; and Paul Rice and Paul Grubb, basses.

ADDING a note of distinction to the campus vocal department are the double quartets. Singing together and separately, the quartets present programs of both sacred and secular selections.

In addition to appearing in choir concerts, the eight songsters give programs of their own to clubs and organizations. Also, they participated in the Pennsylvania Choral Festival held at Lock Haven State Teachers College in February.

Paul Rice served the group as announcer and Donald Golden as accompanist.

Whether playing a robust Sousa march or a smooth Strauss waltz, the brasses and woodwinds of the college band filled the air around Memorial once a month with energetic melody. The twenty-member band frequently provided music for soccer and basketball games and had a part in the annual spring concert.

"Jiving things up" at their usual Tuesday night practice session, college band members, conducted by Galen Herr, toot and pound their way through a snappy march. Musicians in the front row are: Peter Thompson, Carole Moose, Ruthanne Butterbaugh, Gloria Keller, Mary Jones, Marie Hoover, Nancy Groff, and James Zarfoss. *Second row:* Carl Spease, Max Hershberger, Carl Geary, James Miller, William Bechtel, Sally Knepper, Gerald Ludwig, Harold Wenger, and Charles Weaver. *Third row:* Donald Willoughby, Marilyn Longenecker, and Harold Daveler.



LOOK FOR a blue and gray "E" and there will be a Varsity E member. That plain or barred wool emblem is a sure sign that the athlete has completed a specified number of playing halves, innings, or matches in any of five sports.

Springtime—election time—and the club's sponsorship of an all-campus student election to select the two most outstanding senior athletes—one to be a woman and the other a man player.

The cries of "Programs!" "Candy!" announce two Varsity E projects. The club members use the proceeds from the attractive informative pamphlets and energy-packed candy to purchase honor sweaters for junior and senior participants who have earned three varsity letters.

"Blue and Gray, fight! fight!" reaches the player caught in a squeeze. New determination puts the team in the lead once more. Cheer follows cheer. The whole student body comes to their defense. Cheerleaders—varsity and jay-vee—spur students and team with the victory cheer.



Varsity "E" Club officers Harold Wilson, Edythe Edwards, and Harvey Jacobs get together to plan the purchase of refreshments the college provides for basketball players following home games.

of the mind, or for contention,



With megaphones in hand the varsity and jay-vee cheerleaders discuss plans for the Lebanon Valley-Elizabethtown basketball game. *Left to right are:* Nancy Groff, Lucy Baugher, Lois King, Sue Foster, Elva Jean Lehman, Shirley Junkin, and Joanne Evaus.

ANOTHER annual Varsity "E" project is the campus-wide election of the most valuable man and woman athletes of the senior class.

Chosen this year were Dolores Landis and William Foster.

Dolores, playing four years of college basketball, has three years of service as a guard for the varsity Bluebirds.

Bill has seen four years of action as a varsity basketball forward for the Jaymen and three years as goalie for the soccer squad.

The two received trophies at the Recognition Banquet, May 18.

or for superiority to others, or for profit,

A WELCOMING light shines from the chapel windows each Wednesday at 7:15 and the music of the organ over the tower calls students to leave their books and worship at the Student Christian Association meeting.

Programs are varied—an off-campus speaker discussing the importance of the ecumenical movement . . . a round table discussion on campus dating . . . a quiet Quaker meeting of silent worship . . . an old-fashioned hymn sing.

Providing a portion of campus recreation is another major SCA task. A Halloween party in October, caroling and a party for orphans at Christmas—these are a few SCA sponsored activities. Exchange programs with Millersville and Lebanon Valley carried the group's work off campus.

An SCA project new this year was a Bible study group under the leadership of Janet Varner. A second project was the Campus Chest Fund conducted in cooperation with the Student Senate.



SCA officers Sherwood Thomas, Donald Fogelsanger, Nancy Hoffman, and Donald Zook check the progress of their membership drive held in September. Examining a chart, Don Fogelsanger indicates the column for Center Hall, which had a 100 per cent enrollment.



Attending a morning worship service at the autumn SCA cabinet retreat at Camp Swatara are Jean Diehl, Mary Dilling, Jean Roland, Donald Zook, Jay Gible, Sherwood Thomas, Professor Byerly, Duane Smith, Walter Schell, Carl Geary, Ralph Moyer, Jack Byers, and Janet Varner.

or fame, or power,

ANOTHER spoke in the wheel of religious activity is the Lutheran Student Association. A unit of the national fellowship for Lutheran students, the group meets once a month.

LSA meetings feature informal discussions ranging from the spiritual problems faced by college students to race relations, to the meaning of faith, to foreign affairs.

The group also sends delegates to area and regional LSA conferences. Adviser to the organization is Rev. Raymond Fetter, pastor of the Christ Lutheran Church, Elizabethtown.

New this year is Eta Gamma Kappa, an organization composed of pre-ministerial students and others interested in full-time church work.

Advised by Professor Byerly, the members meet to discuss problems prevalent in their profession and to seek pre-professional guidance. They make trips to area churches to examine first-hand the actual work involved in serving as pastors.



Heading the L.S.A. is President George Frost here discussing plans for the Buck Hill Falls spring LSA conference with Mary Ann Beck, secretary-treasurer, and Edythe Edwards, vice-president.

Representing the college in thirty-three Pennsylvania churches were the deputation teams. Student ministers, worship helpers, and quartets traveled more than three thousand miles to present programs of worship. Forty-three singers served in the quartets assisting speakers Robert Faus, Jack Ferich, Donald Fogelsanger, Kenneth Franklin, Carl Geary, Jay Gibble, Mark Keeney, Duane Smith, Sherwood Thomas, Daniel Whitacre, and David Wilson.

Don Fogelsanger, student minister, informs other members of a deputation team of the text for his morning's sermon. Listening are Jack Byers, worship leader, and the quartet, Gerald Ludwig, Gloria Keller, Richard Forney, and Elva Jean Lehman.



Duane Smith, president of Eta Gamma Kappa, presides as new members are initiated into the club in a candlelight service. Other officers assisting in the induction are Ralph Moyer, secretary-treasurer and Carl Geary, vice-president. Initiates are Donald Willoughby, William Stoneback, and William Carmitchell.



or any of these

STUDENTS who find satisfaction in things theatrical may find expression for their dramatic leanings in the Sock and Buskin Club. Directing plays, gathering props, preparing for sudden TV appearances, applying make-up, pulling the curtain, selling tickets, portraying leading roles or a walk-on—members soon become familiar with all phases of presenting the play through serving in the many roles a small-college dramatic club can offer them.



Production problems are the topic of discussion as Sock and Buskin's one-act play directors Shirley Diehl, Jean Roland, and Daniel Whitacre, meet. They directed "Lima Beans", "Bread", and "Pink and Patches", respectively.



Little Miss Muffet, Martha Washington, and Sir Walter Raleigh come to life as Sock and Buskin neophytes don costumes of characters from history and literature. Here they prepare to give impersonations of famous stage personalities for the formal club initiation. Standing, are Doris Welch (Priscilla Alden), Jack Byers (Raleigh), and Nancy Hoffman (Florence Nightingale). Seated are: Pat Minnich (Heidi), Mary Dilling (Miss Muffet), Janet Evans (Martha Washington), and Bernice Stoner (Woman of Bath).



Sock and Buskin's "Bread" cast stages its final rehearsal before the play is televised. It was one of the three one-act plays presented by the dramatic club in November. In the cast were Janet Trimmer, Jay Gible, Lucy Baugher, Ralph Moyer, Sylvia Kugler, and Jean Diehl.

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THE Sock and Buskin, Greek symbols of comedy and tragedy, presented three student-directed one-act plays in autumn and "The Second Marriage of Santa Claus," complete with tree and sleigh bells, at Christmas and offered "The Heiress," a costume drama of the early nineteenth century, as their spring production. For the May day audience, the group wrote, directed, and dramatized Hansel and Gretel.

Dr. Louise K. Kelly advised the group. Jean Roland served as president, with Paul Greiner, vice-president; Mary Jane Hoffer, secretary; and Charles Bechtel, treasurer.

The All-College Players, organized four years ago, produces a play each fall composed of both students and faculty. The group usually presents dramas with a religious background. Proceeds from the plays are used for the improvement of campus facilities. Officers this year were Galen Herr, president, and Patricia Kratz, secretary.



Discipline problems and lesson plans are topics for discussion as student teachers William Foster, Dorothy Shearer, and Nancy Stuckey share classroom experiences. They, with other prospective teachers on campus, are members of the FTA.



THE H. K. OBER Chapter of Future Teachers of America provides education majors with more than a "pre-professional" fellowship. Through the issues of the NEA Journal, the PSEA Journal, the FTA yearbook, and the personal growth leaflets, members are kept abreast of the latest trends and newest ideas in their field. Daniel Whitacre, president of the southern district as well as the local chapter, and Jean Roland, district secretary, played important roles in the annual district convention held in the fall.

Other 1954 officers were Jean Burkhardt, vice-president; Dorothy Shearer, secretary; Ralph Moyer, treasurer; and Sally Knepper, librarian.

In a closing scene of the 1953 All-College Players production "Joan of Lorraine" Marigrace Bucher, as Joan, faces the slander of her accusers played by Samuel Williams, Harold Daveler, Gary Fleming, and Professor Galen Herr.



TRUE TO Aristotle's dictum, "All men by nature desire to know," political science enthusiasts are searching for and learning truths in matters of international scope.

Under the guidance of Professor Wilhelm Reuning the politicians have studied and discussed problems ranging from the Mau-Mau terror in Africa to the East-West split over India.

Representatives of the local club attended the state Inter-collegiate Conference on Government held at Harrisburg where they participated in a model session of a unicameral congress.

HE WHO once a month hears strange, rather guttural, sounds emanating from the Memorial Hall playroom might just as well pass on his way. Unless he understands German.

Dr. Neumann, club adviser, frequently gives talks in German to the group. Leading the organization are: James Miller, president; George Heisey, vice-president; Ursula Neidhardt, secretary; and Donald Barr, treasurer.

Officers of the Political Science Club pore over bills in preparation for the I. C. G. Conference. Pictured are Paul Greiner, president; Norman Bowers, vice-president; Shirley Diehl, chairman of I. C. G.; Duane Smith secretary-treasurer; and Charles Bechtel, parliamentarian.

Gathered around and on the piano in Memorial Playroom, members of the German Club sing favorite German folk carols accompanied by Peter Thompson. Joining in the singing are Ralph Moyer, Donald Willoughby, James Miller, Ursula Neidhardt, and Ruth Oldham.

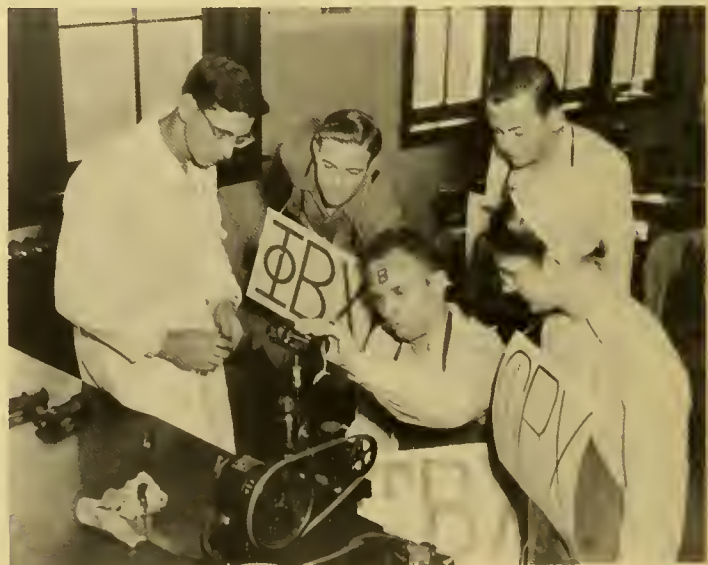
the use of life....— Bacon

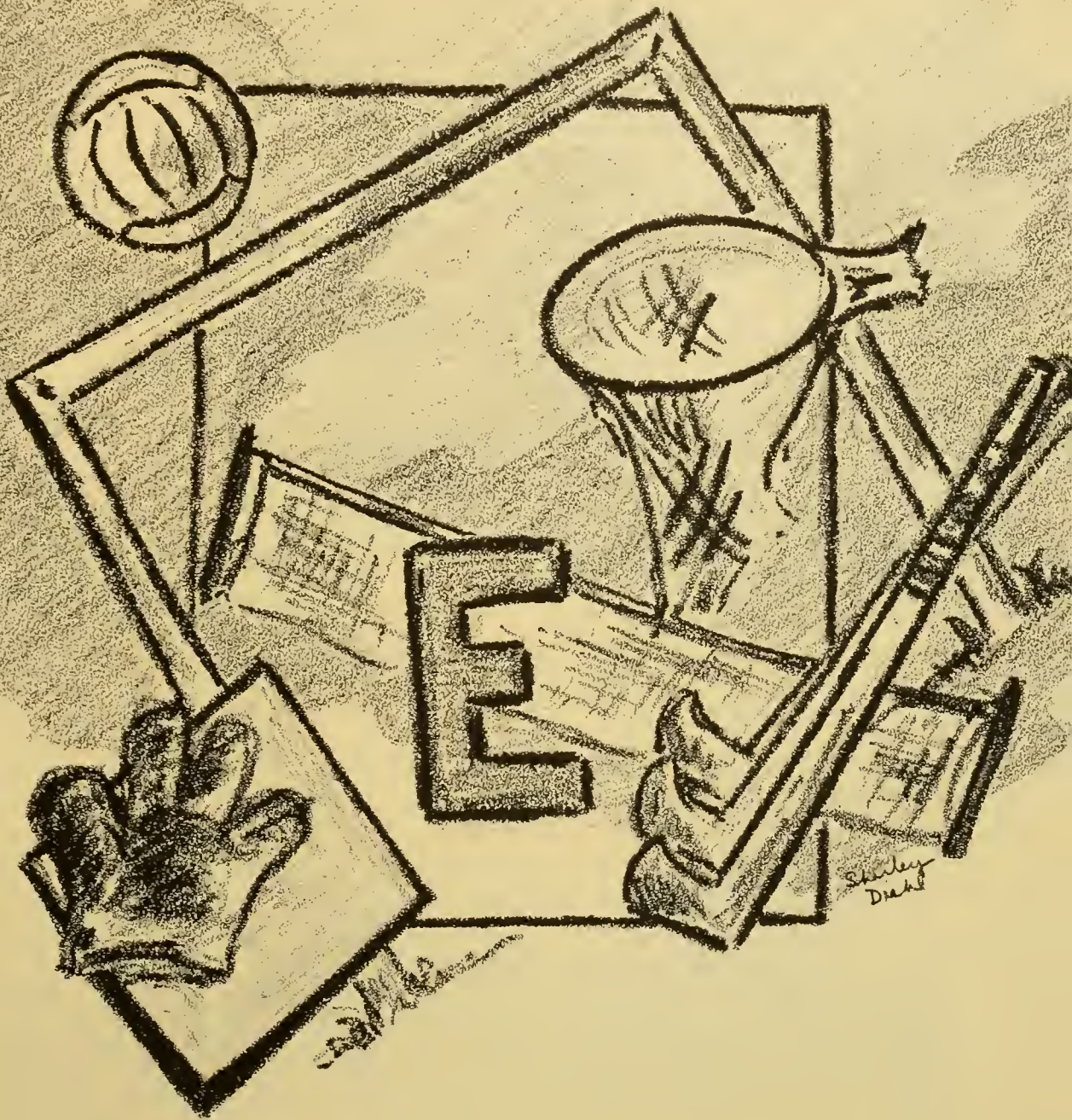
ATTRACTED by the mysteries of nature, students with a yen for science find a chance to associate with their like-minded fellows in the Phi Beta Chi Club. But before they may enjoy the delights of membership, they must subject themselves to one of the most rigorous initiations on campus.

As members, they make excursions to nearby quarries, industrial plants, and science museums. They even indulge in a purely scientific deep-sea fishing trip.

Officers are: Leroy Miller, president; Robert Albright, vice-president; and Ursula Neidhardt, secretary-treasurer.

Brooke Butterwick, a prospective Phi Beta Chi member, works on a scientific problem as Leroy Miller, club president, offers several suggestions. Looking on are Elton Abel, Donald Barr, and Ruth Oldham





ATHLETICS, in teaching the principles of sportsmanship and fair play, offers enhancing support to mature and intelligent use of knowledge.

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Therefore, with the tensions of modern living ever on the increase and with the greater demand for mental activity in industry, it is urgent that men learn to relax through physical exercise.

Field Hockey



The Student-Alumni Gymnasium

WOMEN'S athletics is an important constituent of our campus sports program.

In their 1953 field hockey campaign, the second at E-town, the Bluebirds gave a good account of themselves.

The coeds got off to a bad start by dropping their initial contest to Shippensburg 8-1. One week later they came closer but lost 5-3 in a rematch.

Millersville handed the Jaygals their third and fourth losses in games that ended in 4-1 and 3-2 tallies. The last mentioned defeat came on Homecoming Day.

But the Jaygals snapped their losing skein and made a record as they won the first hockey game in E. C. history by running over Linden Hall 8-0.

A 6-1 decision over Albright and a hard-fought 1-0 victory over Lebanon Valley gave the coeds a balance of three wins and four defeats.

The newly initiated Bluebirds were no longer fledglings.

Coach Evelyn Heath poses with members of her hockey squad before the south goal. Crouching l. to r.: Shirley Eby, hb; Joanne Evans, ri; Jessie Martin, li; Mary Hoffman, hb; Gloria Hoerner, l; Carol Berry, ch; and Frances Bishop, w. Standing l. to r.: Suzanne Foster, c; Mary Jane Hoffer, hb; Lois King, goalie; Janet Hunsberger, lw; Cassandra Fitzkee, rw; Kathryn Gish, hb; Edythe Edwards, fb; Nancy Swanson, fb; Ina Reichard, goalie; Shirley Myers, manager.



Soccer

Bill Beaston attempts to make a goal against Gettysburg and Richard McElrath moves in to assist.



SOCCKER 1953

Team	E. C.	Opp.
Gettysburg	2	3
LaSalle	2	2
Kings (Del.)	1	0
Wilkes	5	1
Wilkes	1	4
Lincoln	3	1
Kings (Del.)	4	3
Lock Haven	4	0

UNDER a new mentor, Coach D. Paul Greene, E. C. launched another outstanding soccer season.

In the opener, Gettysburg College handed the Jays one of their few defeats as they went all out to avenge last year's 8-1 defeat. Nip and tuck from the start, it was not until the final period that the Bullets managed to break through the ice to win 3-2.

A mushy turf and a steady downpour supplied the setting for a 1-1 stalemate at LaSalle.

Kings College of Delaware furnished a tough scrap, but the Jaymen copped a narrow 1-0 victory.

Elizabethtown apparently surprised a strong Wilkes College eleven as they took an easy 5-1 win. But a few days later, Wilkes tumbled over the Jays on E. C.'s home field to emerge the winners by a 4-1 margin.

The Jaybirds gratified a strong Homecoming Day turnout to whip the Lincoln Lions 3-1. A return engagement with Kings of Delaware produced a 4-3 victory as George Heisey scored three of the four goals.

An easy 4-0 victory over Lock Haven put the lid on the 1953 season and arranged the totals at five wins, two losses and one deadlock.



Coach Paul Greene briefs the soccer team before a practice session. Seated 1. to r.: David Blanset, manager; Harvey Jacobs, or; William Beaston, cf; Ellsworth Dean, ch; Orwin Keeney, ol; William Foster, goalie. Second row 1. to r.: Charles Bechtel, hb; William Bechtel, hb; Tyler Trimmer, ol; Melvin Longenecker, rh; Peter Boskovich, il; Clair Metzler, fb; Jack Ferich, fb. Third row 1. to r.: Richard Stine, goalie; Kenneth Miller, l; William Seaman, hb; Charles Weaver, fb; Rodney Berkley, fb; George Frost, hb; George Heisey, ir; Ralph Moyer, hb; and William Heisey, fb.

The Bluebirds and Basketball

BLUEBIRD RECORD

Team	E.C.	Opp.
Kings	39	38
Moravian	49	24
Lebanon Valley	54	28
Gettysburg	19	49
Millersville	41	38
Bridgewater	20	30
Shippensburg	38	45
Millersville	15	29
Gettysburg	37	38
Lebanon Valley	48	33
East Stroudsburg	31	49



Basketball managers Christine Bucciari, Patricia Moore, and Shirley Myers pose with Coach Ira Herr.

IN BASKETBALL the coeds initiated their season with three consecutive victories. But a strong Gettysburg quintet squelched the Jaygals 49-19.

Rebounding after their first set-back the coeds edged Millersville by a 41-38 tally.

Defeat came once again, this time in a four game package which included Bridgewater, Shippensburg, and Gettysburg. In their return engagement with Gettysburg the Jaygals rallied to come from behind in the final period only to have time run out on them with the score at 38-37.

An easy 48-33 victory over Lebanon Valley and a 49-31 loss to powerful East Stroudsburg rang down the curtain on a five and six game season tally.



Junior varsity Jaygals, first row, l. to r.: Hazel Yoder, g; Mary Jones, g; Leah Kann, g; Lucy Baugher, g. Second row, l. to r.: Frances Bishop, f; Fern Diehl, f; Gladys Shirk, f.



Varsity-Bluebirds seated l. to r.: Jessie Martin, f; Ina Reichard, g; Bernice Bratton, f; Janet Hunsberger, g; Dolores Landis, g. Second row, l. to r.: Marie Kinney, g; and Audrey Sprenkle, f. Third row, l. to r.: Joanne Evans, f; Shirley Young, g; Edythe Edwards, g; Edna Rice, f.

The Junior - Varsity Courtmen



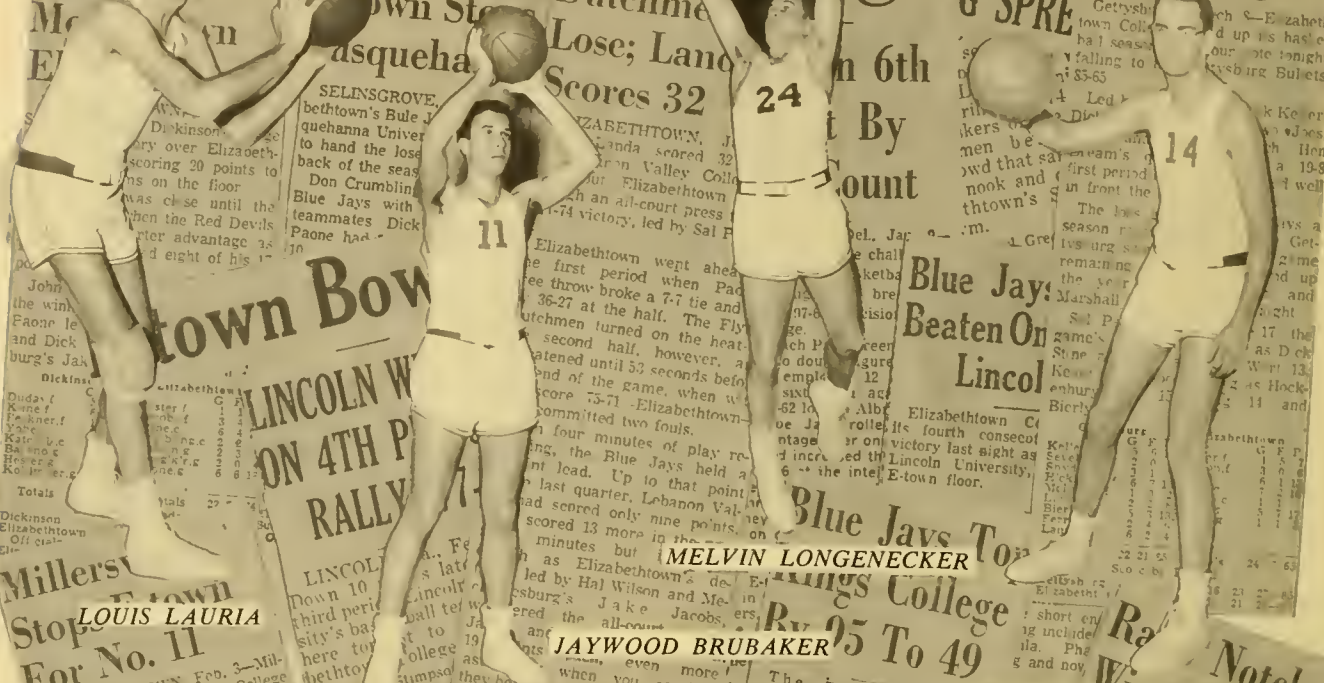
Carl Martin, assistant, and Paul Greene, coach, examine the basketball score book with Harry Thomas and Philip Borreggine, managers.

<i>Team</i>	<i>E.C.</i>	<i>Opp.</i>
Albright	38	54
Stevens Trade	65	72
Lincoln	72	53
Lebanon Valley	63	60
Kings (Del.)	67	49
Stevens Trade	61	65
West Chester	62	58
Juniata	75	54
Millersville	59	71
Lebanon Valley	43	50
Millersville	72	80
Stewartstown B. C.	103	67
Haverford	78	77
Lincoln	43	31
Dickinson	76	67
Juniata	81	70
Dickinson	49	78
Kings (Pa.)	83	76

Carl Martin instructs the junior-varsity basketball squad on the technique of handling rebounds. Players are l. to r.—Ken Fasick, Bob Wert, Pat Rafter, Jay Lutz, Steve Kerek, Jack Ferich, Bruce Smith, Jim Baugher, Jay Rutherford, Steve Einfalt, Bob Blessing, and Bob Goudie.



E-town Courtmen Back Kings' Jays Battl



WITH SIX veteran cagemen back for the 1953-54 season and several fine freshman prospects the Jays' coach, D. Paul Greene, looked for a balanced season.

But the unpredictable played a significant role in damaging prospects for an outstanding season. The jinx was injuries in assorted forms—none really serious but all vexing.

The Jays got off to a sensational start when after losing their opener to Albright they scored victories over the next six opponents. Against Kings on December 12 they tied E.C.'s home court record of 95 in a fast moving, one-sided tilt.

Friendly rivalry between Lebanon Valley and E.C. received new spirit as the Jays upset the Dutchmen 77-74 in a wild game that was touch and go all the way.

A 75-46 loss to St. Joseph's was the first in a series of seven losses which followed E.C.'s winning skein. Many of the defeats were heart-breakers as the Jaymen fell short by scant margins. Pennsylvania Military College went into an extra period to edge the Jays 53-51. Other losses were clear cut as were the ones to the State Teachers Conference champs, Millersville; and the 91-69 LVC drubbing at Annville.

A 77-43 romping over Susquehanna cost much as three Blue Jays left the game via injuries.

The following night Haverford capitalized on the previous night's misfortunes as they won by a narrow 77-75 margin.

A few days later Lincoln University edged the Jay's 78-77.

After losses to Dickinson, Juniata, and Lycoming, the Jays swamped Susquehanna for the second time only to lose again to Dickinson.

The Jaymen struck true to their early season form as they won a close battle with Kings of Pa., 69-67. Their loss to Gettysburg put the season totals at 10 wins and 15 defeats.

Blue Jays Top Kings College 95 To 49

Team	E.C.	Opp-w'n's mid-game
Alumni	68	47
Albright	62	69
Pharmacy	88	63
Kings (Del.)	95	49
Lycoming	67	65
Lincoln	63	48
Lebanon Valley	77	74
Kings, (Del.)	97	63
St. Joseph's (Phila.)	46	75
West Chester	69	74
P.M.C.	51	53
Juniata	56	61
Millersville	71	87
Lebanon Valley	69	91
Millersville	60	74
Susquehanna	77	43
Haverford	75	77
Lincoln	77	78
Dickinson	64	78
Juniata	56	61
Lycoming	65	68
Susquehanna	83	44
Dickinson	69	86
Kings (Pa.)	69	67
Gettysburg	65	85

4th Basketball Win

E-town College... managed to hold the advantage until halftime despite the fact that Lincoln knot...

Red Devils Clip Wings Of 'Jays' Elizabethtown Knocks Off Kings, 69-67

CARLISLE, Feb. 27.—Elizabethtown College won a fine contest from Elizabethtown College, 86-69 here tonight Red Devils, seventh winners.

Dick Stine led the Red Devils with 22 and 11 rebounds. Kline added 16. Tops for the Blue Devils were Bill Foster with 16, Dick Stine and Sal Paone with 16.

The Jays managed to close the gap to within four points in the third period, but then Elizabethtown pulled away and was seriously threatening a victory.

Elizabethtown led at the end of the first half with the score 34-64. The Red Devils scored a little more than the Blue Devils. Wilson scored 20 points for Elizabethtown. The Blue Devils added two points in the fourth quarter. The winners were Elizabethtown. Laura's fouls led the Blue Devils. Points for Elizabethtown were: Foster 16, Stine 16, Paone 16, Wilson 20, Kline 16, and others.

Powers E-Town Wins 8th Wilson Triumph

Elizabethtown College won its eighth consecutive victory over the Blue Devils, 64-57, in a game played at the Elizabethtown gymnasium.

Wilson scored 26 points for Elizabethtown. The Blue Devils scored 57 points. The game was a close one, with Elizabethtown leading by only a few points in the fourth quarter.

WILLIAM FOSTER led the Blue Devils with 12 points. Elizabethtown's Harold Wilson scored 26 points. The game was a hard-fought one, with Elizabethtown leading by only a few points in the fourth quarter.

Cagers Defeat Juniata, 64-57

Juniata College basketball team had a bid lead in the first period at Elizabethtown College gymnasium and then the Red Devils took control.

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77-74 Victory Over Lebanon Valley

Elizabethtown College won its eighth consecutive victory over the Blue Devils, 77-74, in a game played at the Elizabethtown gymnasium.

Wilson scored 26 points for Elizabethtown. The Blue Devils scored 74 points. The game was a close one, with Elizabethtown leading by only a few points in the fourth quarter.

Player	Points	Rebounds	Assists
Sal Paone	12	5	3
Harvey Jacobs	10	4	2
Harold Wilson	8	3	1
Dick Stine	6	2	1
Bill Foster	4	1	0
Others	10	5	3
Total	77	30	10

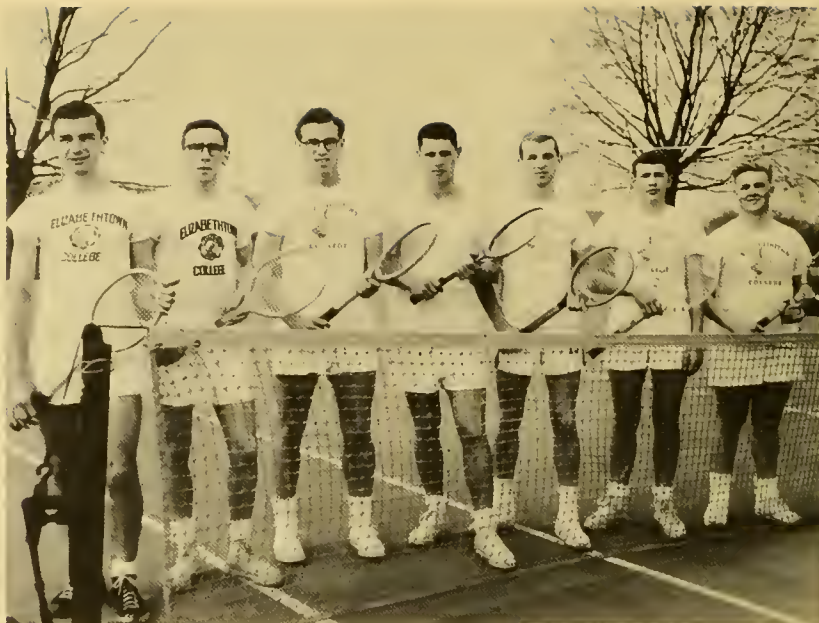
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Sal Paone	6	2	1
Others	10	5	3
Total	78	39	19

ONLY TWO veterans remained from the 1952 net campaign so prospects for a successful season in 1953 were flecked with doubt. But a fine crop of untried netsmen surprised Coach Herr by capably filling the gaps.

Novices Don Zook and Ralph Eshelman formed a doubles combination that stood undefeated. Al Whitacre and veteran Stan Grill also stood undefeated in doubles competition.

In singles competition the Jays were equally tough with the result that they turned in an outstanding eight win, one loss record.

Pausing during a match with Dickinson are the 1954 netmen Don Zook, Bill Beaston, Ralph Eshelman, George Frost, George Heisey, Don Royer, and Don Martin.



EARLY April, 1953—the Jays opened their 25th baseball campaign with an 8-4 victory over Gettysburg. They lost to Ursinus but bounced back into the win column behind the brilliant pitching of Nels Chittum as he shut out the "Lions" 8-0.

The Jaymen beat Dickinson 3-1 then dropped a 3-5 decision to Millersville. Victories over Lebanon Valley and Lycoming gave E.C. two in a row. It was in the Lycoming tilt that Paul Wechter set a season mark as he fanned 12 to win 5-2.

The May Day game scheduled with Juniata was washed out just as it got under way. The outstanding game of

the season was produced on May 22 when Paul Wechter lost control after allowing only four hits in 10 and a third innings. In the relief role came versatile George McCue who promptly struck out the next two batters. In the bottom half of the frame he hit a long fly ball which sent the winning run across the keystone.

On the following day the Jays avenged an earlier Susquehanna defeat by crushing the Crusaders 10-4.

Topping the season was a double header—the first in E.C. history—with Juniata. Although Paul Wechter pitched no-hit ball, the Jaymen lost the first game 3-4. In the second bill they rapped out an 8-5 victory. This gave the Jays a 9-5 balance.

The 1954 baseball squadmen are, first row, 1. to r., Jack Ferich, Henry Hitz, Stanley Miller, Harvey Jacobs, James Baugher, Elton Abel, Ed Muller, Bill Meyers, Bob Wert.

Second row, 1. to r., Don Carlin, Pat Rafter, Lorell Price, Bob Goudie, Jim Rutherford, Coach Ira Herr, Jim Zarfoss, manager, Harold Wilson, Ken Fasick, Mel Longenecker, George Achorn, Gerald Ludwig. Not pictured is Paul Wechter.

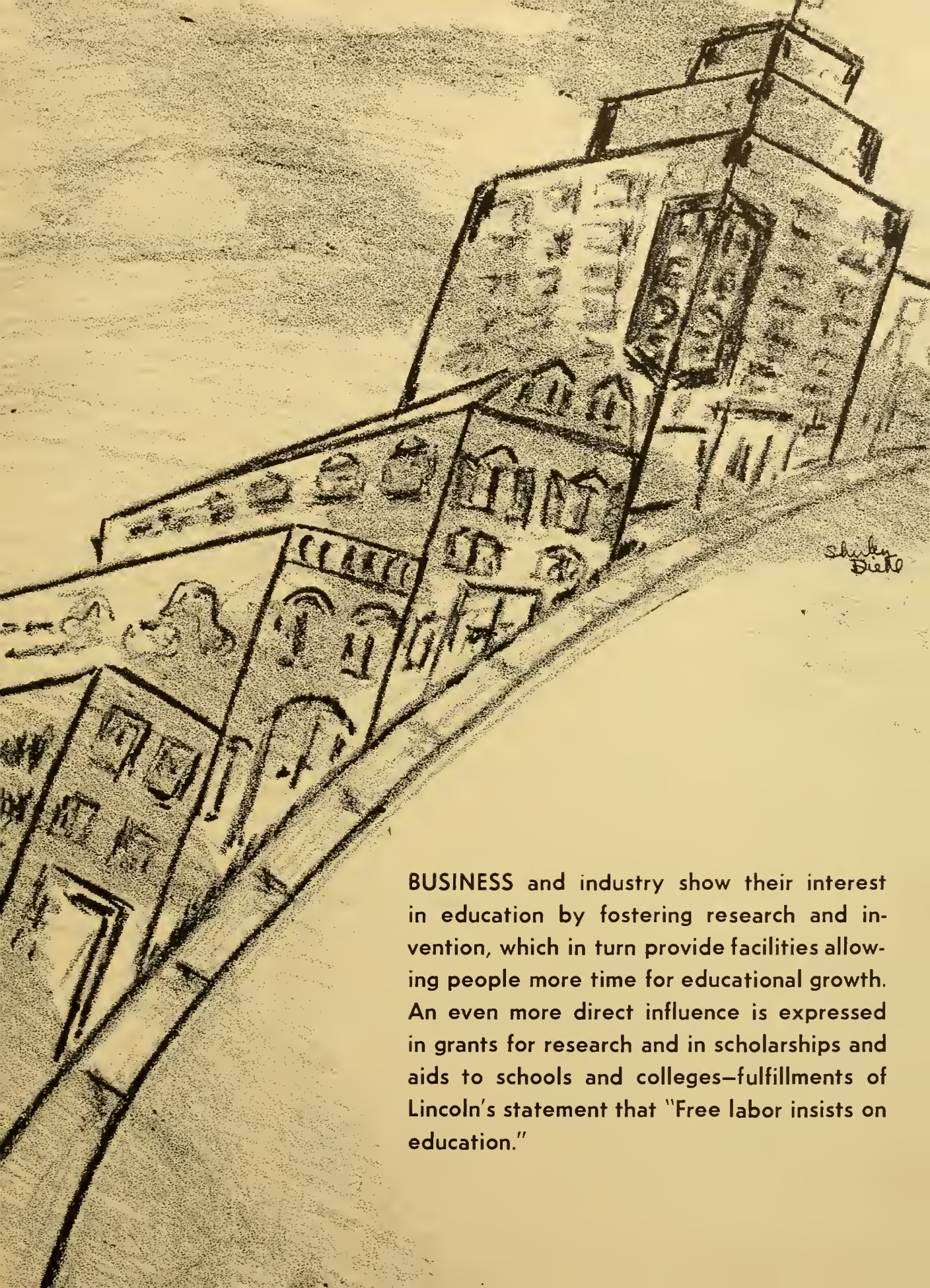


TENNIS 1953

Team	E.C.	Opp.
Dickinson	4	5
Gettysburg	5	4
Albright	5	4
Ursinus	5	4
Lycoming	6	3
Juniata	6	3
Millersville	7	2
Lycoming	9	0

BASEBALL RECORD 1953

Team	E.C.	Opp.
Gettysburg	8	4
Ursinus	1	4
Albright	8	0
Dickinson	3	1
Millersville	3	5
Lebanon Valley	7	4
Lycoming	5	2
Lebanon Valley	9	11
Dickinson	5	4
Susquehanna	1	2
Shepherd	3	2
Susquehanna	10	4
Juniata	3	4
Juniata	8	5



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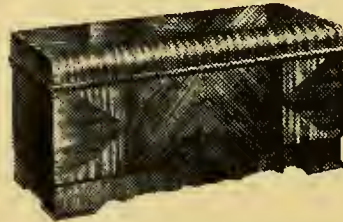
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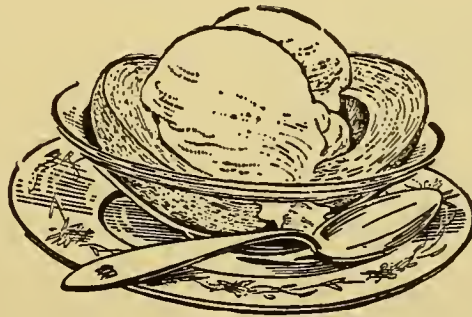
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