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W.H.I.C. Broadcasts Again March 1, In Little Theatre

For the second time this school year W.H.I.C. of the College Broadcasting System will present a full day's entertainment to be broadcast in the Little Theatre. Under the direction of Mr. Short's Radio Class the broadcasting activities will continue from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M. and will include a varied number of programs.

Several times during the day the station will join the C.B.S. Network. Included among the programs which will come from this source are such well known features as the American School of the Air, Harmony Lane, Broadway Matinee (starring Alfred Drake, the star of Oklahoma!), Fun with Dunn, and several newscasts.

Other features include two dramatizations by Norman Corwin, "The Odyssey of Runyon Jones", with Sheryl Siegel directed by Ann Rutledge, directed by Mary DiSarro with Mary Ann Reeve as Bernice Cohen, and "The Soul of Anne, and Eugene Troobnick as Abe Lincoln. There will also be a continuation of the serial "Life With Mother" which was so favorably accepted on the first broadcast. Pleasant memories of childhood will return to many in the dramatization of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs". Mary Di Sarro plays Snow White; Rafael Brester, Prince Charming; and children from a local seventh grade class, the dwarfs.

Music fans will be interested in the Scenario from Showboat which will be played, the Columbia Masterworks Hour, and the College Dance Parade.

A complete schedule of programs follows:

- 9:00—News
- 9:10—Musical Interlude
- 9:15—Waltz Time
- 10:00—Short Story
- 10:15—Harmony Lane
- 10:30—Miss Lonelyheart
- 11:00—Masterwork Hour
- 11:30—Ann Rutledge
- 11:50—News
- 12:00—College Dance Parade
- 12:30—Quiz Program
- 1:00—Swap Shop
- 1:30—College News
- 1:45—Piano Rhythms
- 2:00—News
- 2:10—Forbearance
- 2:15—Latin American Rhythms
- 2:30—Odyssey of Runyon Jones
- 3:00—Scenario From Showboat
- 3:15—News
- 3:30—Life With Mother
- 3:45—College Activities
- 4:00—Broadway Matinee
- 4:25—News
- 4:30—Snow White
- 4:45—Dance Program
- 5:00—Gilbert and Sullivan
- 5:15—Run with Cunn
- 5:45—News
- 6:00—Sign Off

Production Managers for the day are Gwenyth Jones and Mary Di Sarro. Bernice Cohen is News Editor, and Sheryl Siegel and Dixie Dugan are in charge of continuity.

ACTION!

Apparently the whole matter of cribbing-control needed only a little airing to make it a question of moment among us. Since the publication in the last issue of the *Ithacan* of a definite plan of procedure, all sorts of comment from both student body and faculty have been made to the editors.

It has been made clear that there were flaws in last issue's suggestion. It would cause double work for both faculty members and students since it involved the complete retaking of examinations by a whole class. Too, it might be used by the unscrupulous student to excuse himself from an examination not to his liking.

But there were constructive comments as well. Here is one. When a student finds cribbing going on around him, let him publicly announce that he is aware of the fact and that he cannot continue the examination until it has been stopped. He need not reveal where he has seen the offense nor who is the offender; his announcement of the fact would be enough. It would give the faculty supervisor warning that he must take more effective methods to protect the honest majority in his class.

The editors of the *Ithacan* hope for more names to add to their list of volunteers to put such a plan into effect. May they have your name?

Distinguished Guest To Attend Student Recital

A recital by students of the Music Department will be presented Wednesday evening, March 1, in the Ithaca College Theatre. The program will be comprised of both instrumental and vocal numbers, the former including solos on the violin, piano, brass, and wood winds.

In announcing the recital, Dr. Victor Rebmann urged that the student body give full support to it. "The occasion is exceptional," he pointed out. "since the College will be playing host to a distinguished guest at that time. We hope for a large attendance."

Dr. Grimshaw Honored

Dr. William M. Grimshaw was recently appointed Chairman of the Committee on Teacher-Training and Certification by the New York State Association for Health, Physical Education, and Recreation. One of the functions of the Committee will be to study implications in the post-war planning of education with a view to making recommendations for improving teacher preparation.

Professor Grimshaw indicated that a report of particular interest to students and teachers in health education and physical education would be made at a later date.

The present committee work is related to an earlier independent study by Dr. Grimshaw in which a survey of teacher certification requirements was made in the forty-eight states.

Physical Education Class Holds Panel Discussion

On Friday, February 11 the members of Dr. Grimshaw's class of History and Principles of Physical Education took part in a panel discussion on modern Physical Education problems.

The panel members, Russell Stead, Mary Hilgenberg, Beatrice Rudmin, Arlene Cooper, and Harold Lovins, chose "Physical Education, Today and Tomorrow" as their theme, and the discussion brought to light present and future problems facing Physical Education teachers and methods of solving them.

In summing up the discussion Mr. Lovins, chairman, made the following statement: "We as future teachers must shape our programs to meet the existing conditions and needs of children for only through a program which meets the desires of children will we curb the present problem of child delinquency. Our program should be compulsory in school, but we must make our Physical Education classes as interesting as possible."

The discussion was attended by many members of the Physical Education Department.

CORRECTION

We wish to correct a misstatement in the last issue of the *Ithacan* which read "Freshman and Sophomores (underclassmen) will receive two 12:30 permissions a month." This should be corrected to read "Freshmen and Sophomores (underclassmen) will receive three 12:30 permissions per month."

Howard Boone Dies In Plane Crash In Germany

T. Sgt. Howard D. Boone, a member of the Ithaca College Drama Department, class of 1945, was killed in action, January 7, 1944. He was a member of a Liberator crew which had been on many bombing missions over Nazi Germany.

Howard enlisted April 1, 1942, while a Freshman at Ithaca College. He graduated from Scott Field Radio School, April 28, and went from there to gunnery school at Laredo, Texas.

While a student at Ithaca College, he was an active member of the Drama Department. He appeared in three major productions, "Androcles and The Lion," "Lady Precious Stream", and "Two On An Island". As a member of the Freshman Repertory Company, he played Daniel Webster in "The Devil and Daniel Webster", and the parson in "The Flattering Word."

T. Sgt. Boone was a graduate of the Free Academy and Kemble School of Utica, New York.

Ithaca College Organizes Placement Bureau

A summer camp placement bureau has been organized at Ithaca College to provide beneficial employment and good training for those who are qualified and interested. Dr. Grimshaw is in charge of the service and has made contact with a number of camps who are desirous of obtaining councilors.

The importance of this work, especially at the present time, is brought out in the following statement received from the United States Employment Service of the War Manpower Commission.

"Physical fitness, character building and the development of resourcefulness and leadership qualities in the rising generation are of vital importance to a nation at war.

"Outdoor life and the experiences in intimate group living provided by the camp environment are ideal for training in democratic living.

"America looks to its college men and women to supply the leadership to train the leaders of the future.

"If you have a genuine love for children and the ability to handle groups, register at once with the Camp Unit of the United States Employment Service. Your college Camp Placement Service has a supply of application cards.

"Thousands of camp councilors, doctors, nurses, and dietitians are needed. Register now!"

Interested I.C. students are urged to see their department directors at once for application blanks and for arrangements for an interview with Dr. Grimshaw, for now is the time when the best positions can be secured.

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Adelphi To Initiate 26 Honor Students Tuesday

Adelphi, Ithaca College underclass honorary society, will hold its formal initiation Tuesday, February 29, at Westminster Hall. The ceremony will be followed by a banquet at the Alpine. The present officers, Marjorie Hubbard, president; Angie Fischette, vice president; Joy Pisano, secretary; and Kenneth Nathanson, treasurer, will initiate the new members.

The students to be admitted include freshman of the upper quarter of their class, transfers of high rating, and sophomores whose averages have shown outstanding improvement. They include: Carrie Fischette, Helen Davis, Eugene Troobnick, Patricia Hoppes, Alma Burger, Eugene Crouse, Jeanne Milgate, Jenny Lou Mieras, Jean R. Transue, Ruth A. Youngman, Flora Jane Patterson, Robert Juhren, Evelyn Coville, Jean McCabe, Estelle Taleb, Betty Huegal, Betty Ann Lauterbach, Olga Heffner, Ernestine Lord, Vera Briggs, David Little, Alice Terzian, Emma Wolfe, Monette Martin, Raphael Brewster, and Caroline Lloyd.

Frosh Hold Sleighride

On Thursday evening, February 17, the Freshman class held its first social affair in the form of a hay ride. About twenty students enjoyed the two hour ride from Beebe Lake to Cayuga Heights. Following the hay ride, all students were invited to the home of Dr. and Mrs. Grimshaw, who acted as chaperones for the evening. Refreshments in the form of hot chocolate and doughnuts were served, after which games were played.

The officers of the class plan more such social activities in the future.

Theta Alpha Phi Plans Party For Drama Dept.

On Thursday evening, March 2, the Drama Department will crawl into its respective red flannels and brave the blustery blasts of a sleighride. The party is sponsored by Theta Alpha Phi and will be offered to students free of charge.

Eleanor Segal, president of Theta Alpha Phi points out that "those members of the department wishing to attend are asked to sign their names on the notice posted on the Drama bulletin board," and other members of the organization back her with the slogan "Le's sleigh 'em!"

Phy Eds Practice Teach During Second Block

The School of Health and Physical Education has completed the placement of student teachers for the period beginning March 6 and ending May 5.

It was announced by Dr. Grimshaw that Springfield, Mass., has been added to the list of cities selected. Students assigned to the Springfield public schools will have the unusual privilege of teaching under the supervision of Miss Ruth Evans, prominent educator and President of the Eastern District Society of Health and Physical Education.

Considerable interest has been shown in the Workbook Plan recently adopted for the intended purpose of improving student-teacher experience. Under this plan each student selects a number of teaching problems from the Workbook for special study during the periods of observation, participation, and teaching.

The list of student teachers and their respective placement locations is as follows: Nancy Reynolds, and Robin Norris, Rochester; Harriet Gallagher, and Norma Sizer, Schenectady; Marjorie Jones and Dorothy Schroeter, Springfield; Lorraine Hubbard, Hartford, N. Y.; and Virginia Signor, Carristee, N. Y.

T.A.P. Feeds Thespians

Theta Alpha Phi has undertaken a ponderous task—that of feeding hungry actors. Following the last performance of "The Damask Cheek" on February 26 it will serve refreshments to the cast and crew of that production.

One of the features of the evening will be a "Reeve Surprise"; La Mary Anne's culinary efforts should be worth investigation.

With this activity Theta Alpha Phi plans to inaugurate a new custom at the college.

Come One! Come All!

Perhaps you have seen the notices posted by Phi Delta Pi. It seems the "Phi Deltas" are giving a Winter Fun Frolic Dance, to the music of Warren Roberts' orchestra. This informal dance will be held in the Ithaca College Gym from 9 to 12 P. M. February 26. It costs \$.35 per person, and everyone is invited, stag or otherwise. Don't be afraid of coming stag, because the "hostessing" fraternity is attending that way.

Come and bay at the moon with the rest of the wolves!

MAIL CALL

Dear Johnnie,

Well, here goes again for another round of news and stuff, about what all you fellows are doing, and a little to let you know what gives up this'a way.

Here's some news about a couple fellows who left us not too long ago. Jim Freeman is in the Medical Corps and at present is at Camp Grant, Illinois. Risdon Britton has just been "altered" at Greensboro, North Carolina, but doesn't know where his next stop will be.

"Bing" Safford, who left us a while ago, reports on Monday to Williams College, Woustown, Mass. And also on Monday, Ed Dellert, who leaves this week, reports to Trinity College in Hartford, Conn.

We've also just heard that James Gambino is an Army Air Cadet at Miami Beach, Florida, and that Evan Bollinger has been promoted to a Corporal. He is a radio operator in Weather Wing, A.A.F. Ashville, N. C. Don Snyder is a "revert" at Fletcher Field, Clarksdale, Mississippi, which gives him another month.

As for news of a couple of our boys on the other side of the "big ponds" Chuck Lent is somewhere in the Pacific, and George Charles has just been shipped across the Atlantic.

And now for a few items from the home front. "The Damask Cheek" opened last night and along with a swell performance by everyone and George Hoerner's beautiful set of a New York home in 1909 got a big hand at the rise of the curtain. It really is somepin'!

Prof. Smail (conductor of our college orchestra) appeared a while ago as guest conductor of the Waterloo High School Band in their annual concert (this is Nick Baffaro's school, you know).

The "Swing Club" took a prominent part in the proceedings of a Youth Convention which met in Ithaca last week. The girls taught square dancing one afternoon, and then gave a colorful exhibit (all in period costumes) under Miss Hugger's direction.

Here's another note for your little book of married "grads". Meg Tuttle and Ed Green took the marital leap on January 31 in Long Island, her home. Loads of happiness to them!

Next week should be quite a busy one for most of the folks around here what with mid-semester exams all planned for them—and there seem to be just scads of them. But we also have something to look forward to 'cause vacation begins next Friday and we'll be home for ten days.

Afraid I've got to run if I'm going to make Mrs. T's class, Johnnie, and she seems to be a little tired of our always being late (that's 'cause we always stop in the "T" for coffee, of course).

Bye now and love . . .

NEW BOOKS

The Ithaca College Library has been steadily growing for some time, but in the last few weeks it has made a particularly large expansion. The Music Department section alone, has added over sixty volumes.

Mrs. Sally Osborne said "Probably her recent biographies of important musical figures would be most interesting to her students."

Among them are, *Brahm's by Walter Nemannis*, *Life and Works of Beethoven* by John N. Burk, *Mozart*, *W. J. Turner*; and *Domitri Shostakovich* by Victor Seroff. Outside the field of composers there are many other works for music students, *Rise of Music in the Ancient World: East and West* by Curt Sachs, and *A New History of Music* by Henry Pruniers.

Mrs. Osborne says that she expects the Drama students will be very pleased with our records of George Lyman Nittredge, *Complete Works of Wm. Shakespeare*, also

Fifteen Greek Plays, with introduction and supplement from poetics of Aristotle, edited by Elaine Cooper.

Several new books have been added for the Physical Education students, among them, *Physical Fitness* by Drs. Miller, Bookwalter, and Schlafer.

Reference books include *History of Far East and Chinese People* by G. N. Stieger and W. C. Goodrich, *A Cumulative Book Index* (this lists everything written in English from 1915-1944). Also *Encyclopedia of Education Research* by Walter Monroe. This last volume was the last to be published by class of '42 senior fund.

The library also has a growing list of magazines—*Free World*, *Survey Graphic*, *Dancer Index*, and *Library Journal*.

Our reason for the growth of the library is that Dr. Karl Schrader and Mr. Adrien Newens both gave part of their libraries and Dr. Ray Holcombe left a large library of paper plays.