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College To Graduate 114 On Monday

Alumni And Graduation Program

May 30, June 1 and 2 is Alumni Week-end, or, to old grads, Alumni Reunion. It is a time of returning to old friendships and of making new ones. Grads have the opportunity to get into the spirit of the college again, and students have the opportunity to see the type of persons who have gone before them.

Everyone who has been here during a Reunion Week-end will be very sure that he takes part in the activities which are culminated by the commencement exercises of the Class of 1940 on Monday, June 3, 10 a.m., at the First Methodist Church.

The following program will be followed for the week-end:

FRIDAY—MAY 31

2:30 p.m.—Informal meet, with program to be arranged by the faculty. GREEN ROOM

5:30 p.m.—Returning members of the 1931 Class will be guests of President and Mrs. Job at a buffet supper at their College Park home.

6:00 p.m.—Delta Phi Formal Banquet at Ithaca Hotel.

7:00 p.m.—Our annual Presentation of TARTUFFE. The part was consistent with the title role of 'TARTUFFE' which was speaking.

10:00 p.m.—Alumni Dances to be held in the college gymnasium.

SATURDAY—JUNE 1

Registration all day.

Open House—Green Room

Breackfasts and other gatherings of various groups as they may choose and arrange.

12:15 noon—Luncheon at Ithaca Hotel.

1. Induction of Class of 1940.

2. Business Meeting.

3. Honoring Class of 1915.

Ithaca College Chapel.

Afternoon—Picnics, pageants, papers read.

Especially Sigma Alpha Iota Alumni Buffet—6:30 p.m.

Pi Mu Alpha Piene—Taughannock Park.

Kappa Gamma Pi Picnic for students and alumni.

Fred Wilson's outing, West Side of Cayuga Lake.

7:45 p.m.—Orchestra Concert—Directed by Pierre Henrici

10:30 p.m.—Carillon Concert—Directed by Albert Casella.

SUNDAY—JUNE 2

8:00 a.m.—Delta Phi Alumni breakfast—Delta Phi House.

9:00 a.m.—Mu Phi Alumni Breakfast—College Spa.

11:00 a.m.—Kappa Gamma Spa.

President Job will give the address.

2:30 p.m.—Glee Club of the Music Department.

Watercolor concert.

4:00 p.m.—Reception and tea at President's home.

6:30 p.m.—Kappa Gamma Pi Spa.

6:30 p.m.—Kappa Gamma Phi Spa—Dinner.

Monday—JUNE 3

10:00 a.m.—Commencement at First Methodist Church.

Speaker—Dr. Frederick Maroney.

Teachcrs College, Columbia University.

Freshman Performance Marks Class of Season

A cast of freshmen and sophomores, under the direction of Norm Davey and Mr. Deut, presented a single performance of Albert Cassina's three-act comedy, "THE WHITE HUNTER" in the Little Theatre Monday evening, May 27. This student laboratory production marked the close of the 1939-40 season of the Ithaca College Players.

The play was presented by Mr. Betts' usual personnel of class for freshmen and sophomores. The students worked under the guidance of Mr. Betts, having to rehearse in the Green Room during the production and in the assembly of "Tartuffe".

Miss Dorst, a senior, was the director, and Mr. Dean the super-

Senior Class Holds Ball in Ithaca Bank Building

The annual senior ball was held last Tuesday, May 28, in the Bank Building. Members of the senior class and their guests were tendered the invitation by President and Mrs. Job.

The dance, from 11:00 to 3:00, was enjoyed by everyone who attended. Dancing was to the music of Herb Marley and his orchestra. This is the third of a number of musical performances and entertainment given for the week of the members of the graduating class.

At the close of the dance, a drawing was held, the proceeds to be used for the purchase of "Tartuffe". The program was announced by the president, and the super-

vising director, Donna Seiler, of the class of '40. The program was arranged by the faculty. Director, Miss Dorst, a senior, was the super-

44th Annual Commencement Is Scheduled For JUne 3rd

George H. "Dutch" Proechel has signed a contract to play professional baseball with the Cincinnati Reds of the National League, according to an announcement made to the Ithaca College students.

Proechel, a veteran of four-year's play with the blue and gold varsity in 1936, is a steady, steady, steady hitter, and is rated as one of the outstanding names in the opinions of professional interleague competition.

Proechel was an excellent pitcher, an impressive finisher, and a heavy hitter. "Dutch" should make his mark in the chosen profession. Playing with the varsity club this year, he led the team in hitting, batting over .400 for the season.

A veteran of four years, Proechel has played with Malvine in the National League, a semi-pro organization, the Winona independent club, and with numerous other teams in Rexville and the western area.

He has long been regarded as an excellent prospect and was at one time under contract to the Cleveland Indians.

Proechel will report to the Columbia team of the South Atlantic League, a "farm" club of the Reds. The league is Class B and is rated as one of the finest in minor league baseball. Next spring Proechel will join the Reds at their spring training camp at Tampa, Fla.

Another Ithaca player, Jack Kroehnke, a senior, has been signed by the Philadelphia Athletics after school is completed for the try-out. Kroehnke, a miner at school and a first baseman, is highly thought of as a prospect, and the Athletics paid the summer activities Jack expects to return to school fall to complete his scholastic work.

Assistant Professor Of Psychology Is Appointed

A new appointment to the faculty of the college was announced last week by Dr. Leonard B. Job, president. Dr. Goodrich Wander of Idaho will take over the associate professorship of psychology next fall.

Mr. Wander is a graduate of the California State University, in Idaho. Idaho in 1931; studied at Columbia University Teachers College, receiving his master's degree in education in 1931; and is a candidate for a Ph. D. degree from Columbia in June, 1941.

He has taught in high schools in Idaho, Utah, and has been at the University of Idaho, where he was an assistant in psychological and bio-
Your four years' walk down Col­lege road have been terminated, and you have come to the cross roads and are now ready to take the great walk of your future down Future Road. Future Road branches off in many directions, some more interesting than others. But, after trying to see ahead, just one road will appeal more than the others, so pick up your books, you have some miles to go before you turn down your Future Road.

Walk Into The Future

In a short time nearly one-fourth of our student body leaves the col­lege never to return as undergradu­ates. Others will have one, two, or three more years of work and play here at Ithaca.

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Taking Stock

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ATHLETIC SCHEDULE

For the benefit of the returning alumni we present the 1940 varsity football schedule and suggest that you clip it and keep it handy in order to plan a trip back here next fall.

Coach Freeman's charges will play four home games—the Transfiguration of Miss Philura

Miss Lee Page was guest speaker at a meeting in the Little Theatre. The main purpose of the gathering. They were President, Grace Conkin; 1st Vice-President, Ruth Reesweld; and 2nd Vice-President, Betty Woodruff; Treasurer, Rhoda Ann Duddleston; Cen­tral Chairman, Sue Bertrand; Out­side Girls, Jean Dubin; Phy Ed representa­tive, Helen Jacobs.

These students are taking advantage of the opportunities (suf­ficed to ably this year by Beatrice Gardner, Marilyn Gray, Grace Conkin, Eleanor Kow­sky, Betty Woodruff, Margaret Givens, Jane Riggs, Betty Jane Kohler, and Anita Thomas.

The singing of the Alma Mater closed the meeting.

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**Fraternity News**

**Sigma Alpha Iota**

All the plans are completed for a very successful Alumni Weekend, and we sincerely hope that many of you will make your rounds to the Ithaca Hotel. Registration will be held Tuesday evening. We are very anxious to see you, and we are looking forward to seeing you.

**Delta Phi**

This is the last issue of the year in news that doesn’t seem as important as the things that you are doing. We know how hard you are working, and we are glad to see you have a balance in your lives. We have enjoyed our meetings so far, and we wish you continued success in your endeavors.

**Late Fall Registration and Late Commencement**

A slightly later start in the fall and hence an even later graduation has been noted on the school calendar for 1940-1941. Registration will also begin next fall. September 22, when the new freshman class will start. Upper-classmen will register on the 24 and 25 of September and their classes will start on September 26.

The new college catalogue lists the days for Thanksgiving for Thursday, but notes that the vacation will be on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, with a holiday on the Monday of the week. Christmas is observed. December 21 will begin winter. Sixty-three of the 250 seniors will be on the School of Art.

**March 29 Spring Recess Begins**

**April 7 Instruction Resumes**

**June 6 Second Semester Ends**

**June 9 Commencement**

**Kappa Gamma Psi**

The last week of school, busy with pleasurable activities, has come to an end. On Sunday, May 26, formal initiation was held at the Ithaca Hotel. At five o'clock, the parents of our alumni were waiting to see their children graduate. Sunday morning, May 2, an open house and buffet supper will be held Saturday at 6:30, at the house. Dr. and Mrs. Zellers hosted the view.

**Paul Ayres**

Kappa Gamma Psi names for this year are: Kaye Harrison, Helen Shersty, and Beatrice Gardner.

The Senior farewell breakfast was held Sunday, May 25, for all seniors, and we are having a breakfast June 3 for graduation guests and their parents at the house.

Miss Harris returned from her trip to the coast and we are very glad to have her back with us. We are all sorry to see our Seniors leave us, but many happy memories will be the result of their departure, and we are looking forward to city next year.

**Why Not Hike?**

Spring is here, and not only comes thoughts of love, but also thoughts of the great outdoors. Nature has placed in the hearts of men a particular love for this season of the year which spells new birth and new experiences. A feeling of the Divine Presence in the early morning hours of the Spring —time—these precious few minutes just before the sun rises. Suddenly, out of a great void that seems to have been filled, the sky is filled with a radiant beauty and the forest songsters begin their celestial symphony.

Believe it or not, there are still many places left to earth where the automobile has not penetrated, and it’s along that narrow forest trail we go hiking in the early dawn. Now and then we pause to observe plant and animal life and become educated through actual experience rather than through word. Our observation helps us to better understand that which we have read. Training the eye to search a fleeting bird or scurrying rabbit sharpens our sense of sight and heightens our mental alert. Training the ear to recognize the various sounds of the forest helps us to concentrate and think more keenly. It is unnecessary even to mention the healthful benefits and attractiveness of a brisk walk in the fresh air.

Take advantage of these early spring days to freshen your interest in health and happiness, plan a well rounded trip, get a new start, and you'll understand what I mean when I ask, Why not hike?

**Jean Ayres**

Verse

Land, I lay by down to sleep,
May I catch those warm words to keep
And if I die before I rise,
Sad Farewell to Paradise.

Doves the Earth abound,
Taste and touch and smell
Are apprehended,
All of these combined with sight
To offer Man his light.
Monsoons in a night-fright sky
Cool the earth and bring it night.
Rays of sunshine ring it war.
Clouds give pattern, shape and form.
Lightning flashes in the night,
Seeking all with swat at sight.
Sunshower ever for the earth.
Water descends on earth with tears
Filling up the laves of years.
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**L.C.’s Futurama**

by George Charles

“Little Toppie” does call her. But she isn’t little, not really. For what this little human drama lacks in stature she makes up for in accomplishment. The diminutive bits a feather in her cap in keeping with the good fortune of being able to interview the diminutive Miss Evelyn Teper. We have maneuvered and coaxed and pestered and schemed to get all we could from her. We were informed by the editor that she would interview the lady, if we cared.

“Toppie” is a school character. She is a student at the College and faculty alike for her intelligence. The present picture is to see the young lady going about her course in a mad rush, followed by the ever-present “Toppie.” “Curly” is her graduation gift from a very thoughtful person who seemed to think she needed a bodyguard. She (the dog) is a smooth-haired terrier and so tiny that she (“Toppie”) looks like Garbonza in the small parts. Certainly one of the more important senior wonders will be seeing Evelyn Teper of Ithaca College with the graduation of these two.

Evelyn Teper came to Ithaca from Ithaca, New York, where she spent her life up to the time of this writing. Her amazing vitality was given full opportunity for release at Albright High School, the scene of her early education. While attending this institution, she became interested in speech, such as she taught grammar school. Her is a curious one, and this junior and senior years only, then the last with the highest honors and with impediments. As a result of her faculty with the English language, she became the winner of the regional speaking contest and in her sophomore year. In her last year she was adjudged winner in the State Speaking Contest and was elected representative in the finals held at Oklahoma City. It was so this time, she states, for the first time ever to receive membership in any work. She was authorized by her school, then the school of various other grants to attend and extend her education in the world, 32nd Anniversary of the granting of the charter. Under the supervision of this mission, she acted as traveling correspondent for an Albion College.

During the two good days of her time, too. Playing leads in her junior and senior years only heightened her desires to attend a dramatic school. Here is a good, old-time example. Ben Light, of the physical education, a native of Alba- "tina, talked about the college department of drama to the other, who was spending the summer acting as an actress in a children’s series, no fewer than the planting. The next September she was an instructor in Ithaca College, resident of Westminster Hall.

As a freshman here, Toppie decided her customary attitude was a good one. She is a firm believer in, “Don’t look back tomorrow, what can you do today?” She has kept this philosophy during her stay. She has won numerous awards after her name has been on the Ge- rating lists like Adelphi, Theta Alpha Phi and Omega, her solitary name on the order. Of the last two, she is vice-president and his- torian respectively. Serving as assistant editor on the Ithaca staff, she has acquired the repu- tation of being almost infallible. She is extremely popular.

“Toppie,” as a junior, was the winner of the annual Margaret Page Sargent annual. She applied her price, a

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**Campus Camera**

**Baseball Team Has Excellent Record**

Completing the season with vic­­tories over the Groves Convent, American International College and Mansfield Teachers, the blue and gold baseball club ended the year with a record of eight wins and two losses, the one of the finest records in years.

Paced by the veteran “Dutch” Proebstel, who walked the ball for an average of .421, the team had a splendid season. The two losses, one to Amsterdam of the Can-Am League and the other to the Penn A. H. were the only setbacks. For the first time, the club was unde- feated in college competition.

A team composed largely of sophomores and juniors (only one man will be lost by graduation Proebstel and Carlton Tarbell the team showed the finest form of prospects for next year are bright. George Davis, a converted first baseman, led the pitchers, turning seven in four walks without a loss. John Martzol and Al Green each had two wins and a loss in a season that was marred by the postponement of seven games due to bad weather.

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**Track Team Victorious**

Closing their season with the first dual meet victory, the L. C. track team turned the tables on Normal’s aggregation at Perry yesterday and took the meet a team a record of one win and two losses in dual competition with the win at the physical education conference meet. The duals were won by Ithacan men; Turner Carlton was taking the second in the building, and “Carmichael” McKillop, who took the third, broke the college records for that.

Other firsts scored by Ithaca were the 130 yard high hurdles won by Al Marshall, the two-mile run won by “Chop” Jordan, the high jump taken by Jerry Ten and the javelin in which Abe Green again won. Strong support by the other members of the team in meeting second and third place meant the ef- fectiveness between victory and de- fection.

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**Varsity Awards Given to Senior Athletes**

The annual athletic smoker of the physical education department was held Tuesday night in the Green Room in the Administration Building. Entertainment and the presentation of athletic awards to the senior men was order of the evening’s affair, preceded by social by Ben Light.

The evening was opened by a short talk by Mr. Light. Ben com- plimented the men for their efforts and pointed out that records well in varsity play stand in an important part in any team and both were equally important. He concluded by giving a short review of the records of the college teams this year.

Coach Yavits then addressed the assembly and he pointed out that the men to be honored, the seniors, were more to be out in the field facing the problems that faced the college coaching staff here. Mr. Yavits mentioned several that contained every coach and spoke concerning them. Mention pictures of the Cornell— Colgate and the Cornell—Princeton football games were then shown. These were presented through the generosity of Jack Hoyer, who was in charge of the pictures. Unusual facts and details of the game were explained by Mr. Herson and Coach Light.

Twenty-three senior athletes were awarded regular varsity letters by Mr. Hill, department rector, who also presented two special awards. Mr. Hill pointed out that varsity college letters were awarded to service for the accomplishment and an expression of gratitude from the college in return for the hard work and hours of study.

Two phy. ed. seniors, who had done a great service for the varsity teams were honored with a special award. Explaining that these boys had worked consistently and diligently for four years and had been faithful in attendance, Mr. Hill stated that it was the opinion of the department that those two men, Nick Gravino and Chuck Auchter, had truly earned their varsity letters.

At the conclusion of the evening, Ben Light was presented with a slight token from the men who at- tended Camp Singing Celars last year, and as a result the “third event” in the Light house.

By following in the list of senior men who received varsity letters, we find the following in these col- lege sports:

- Track: Yavits, Ives, Hayes, Proebstel, Phelps, Nocco, Yavits, Ives
- Soccer: Habib, Proebstel, Troux, McVey
- Football: Yavits, Ives
- Baseball: Yavits, Ives, Hayes, Proebstel, Phelps, Nocco, Yavits, Ives
- Basketball: Yavits, Ives, Hayes, Proebstel, Phelps, Nocco, Yavits, Ives
- Wrestling: Yavits, Ives

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**Special Service Award**

Coach Light has several for prospects for next year’s L. C. var- iety. Lockwood and Press, both pitchers; Watson, an all-star, and Habijude, short stop, are on their way. Many of the men players may be looking for the job this year.
J ohnson is winner of Junior Contest

Gordon Johnson, winner of the Junior Monologue contest, held Monday afternoon, May 20, in the Green Room, was awarded a $40 prize for placing second in the competition of 32 schools from far and near, another successful tour, and this difficult contest

Johnson's selection was a cutting from the play "Johnny Johnson" by Paul Green.

Harold Wise received a cash award of $25 as second prize winner with a scene from Shakespeare's "Henry IV." Best Rogers Lyon was awarded a $15 prize for third place, and Howard Hall received $10 for placing fourth. The three other contestants, Miriam Segal, Abe Mitchell, and Robert Anderson, received books for participation in the contest.

I REMEMBER

GEORGE CHARLES

I remember—
It seems so long ago—
But when I was a great adventurous and full of dreams.

Happy, sad dreams.

And I remember how
I loved the sad dreams most.

There was something about them
That hurt and made me cry
Because I couldn't understand them.

And I have forgotten
In a sport of individual effort were
Johnson's and other prize offerings of Kauffman and Freeman's. During the winter, to
the Amsterdam Rugmakers and the students of the school history, the blue and
gold courtsters rang up
14 wins in 22 games.

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On Stage

One of the reasons directors feel they must have good visual imagery. This visualization almost always projects the play in terms of color, in design and costume, as well as stage movements. McClinton gives more time and thought to setting than any other single part because he feels it is to a difficult and technical phase of direction. He engages the best available actors he can get; an actor who intuitively gives him the right emotional feeling of the part, appears far more to him than a better-known actor who doesn't.

Unlike most directors, McClinton attempts to establish the tempo, rhythm and timing of the play largely around the table. Once established it helps the actors to get the feel of the play.

Before the actors "get on their feet," he maps out and routines the action of the play. By the time he starts rehearsing on the stage "every solitary bit of the set is ready." Then he puts the actors through the business he has devised. He never considers this business "a fixed thing."

McClinton's phobia is that he insists upon lighting his own actors which drives designers crazy. If the last row in the gallery can see the actors — in the way I want them to be seen then I'm satisfied. It's the gallery that really pays your bills and so I am determined that they shall see, as well as hear, my actors.

Graduation Line Up

Find your number and keep in your column, Right or Left, no matter if your partner is absent.

The Chorus and Orchestra will lead the march and will go directly to their places in the Choir or Orchestra.

Remember to go into the row to which you are assigned. Do not try to fill an apparently unfilled row.

In going to the rostrum for your final wave, try a wave Turkey and Greece are combined right in the one right standard of size and shape for a sailor, better tested, definitely milder smoke. Coolers are made right in your next pack Chesterfield.