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Hidden Jewels

Pointing to the importance of small colleges, he added, "Hidden here and there are the small jewels, the independent colleges that have kept themselves manageable.

Excitement and Ferment

"Most colleges founded before the beginning of this century were children of controversy, often born of religious disputes which to many of us today seem scarcely to be significant rallying points," Dr. Pettit said, and added, "yet the greatness of many colleges is the direct outgrowth of the excitement and ferment.

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Dr. Pettit became the ninth president in the 101-year history of Ursinus College on November 1, 1970. He has been an educator for 58 years and, prior to his current post, was Dean of the College and vice president for academic affairs at Bryn Mawr.

The Phi Beta Kappa chapter dinner meeting was under the direction of chapter president Russell Dilks, Esq.

Ken Hendrick Vies For All-American Stat Title

The Ursinus College Public Relations and Sports Information Department is currently boosting Ken Hendrick (70) for the title of All-American Football Statistician.

Never a Loss

Ken, a senior political science major from Souderton, Pennsylvania, has been the varsity statistician at Ursinus for four consecutive years. During his remarkable four-year career, Ken has never lost a single game and is a top man in every category.

Championship Performance

In 1969 Ken's statistics helped Ursinus to the Middle Atlantic Conference football championship. Because of his stats, Ursinus players have set several conference records in passing and receiving. Ken has kept stats at 32 straight Ursinus football games home and away—and has never been injured. This past season he has kept Ursinus' All-American fullback Harry Adrian in the top three among conference runners. Finally, in 1969 Ursinus was the top punt team in the nation thanks to Ken's statistics.

Along with his duties as the statistician, Ken is a valuable addition to the football team. A "clutch" performer and goes well to his right or left—Ted Taylor, Ursinus FB Director

"Ken always calls in the results promptly."

—Phil Jasner, Trenton Sportswriter

"Hedrick is a 'clutch' performer and goes well to his right or left"—Ted Taylor, Ursinus FB Director

"Ken is a nice boy."

—Harold Hedrick, Souderton, Pa.

The Ursinus Weekly extends its best wishes to Ken Hendrick in his bid for national recognition as All-American Statistician. Perhaps next year Ursinus may even be in contention for the Heisman Trophy.
Women’s Curfews: An Lesson in Hypocrisy

The denial of human freedom inherent in dormitory curfews for women students is, at best, an outrage. The long-standing pronouncement which dictates that women must return to their dormitory at a particular hour stands as an extremely bold affront to the maturity and responsibility of the Ursinus female population. It seems virtually inconceivable that a woman should pay four-hundred dollars for her residence and not be permitted to schedule her hours according to her own convenience.

A Question of Maturity

The dormitory curfew system for women serves only to prolong the period of emotional adolescence—a service which most progressive colleges are abandoning today. At a time when their contemporaries are executing adult responsibilities as wives and mothers, the Ursinus women are honor-bound to a restrictive curfew schedule which intrudes markedly into their daily lives. If a woman is not sufficiently mature to handle the responsibility of determining her own hours, then she is certainly not of sufficient maturity to live away from home. Curfews are often imposed by parents during the adolescent development in order to provide a basis for good judgment in the child. But it is not the prerogative of a college or university to assume by fiat that parental responsibility. Indeed, there is no hierarchy of responsibilities which maintains that this parental duty devolves, by necessity, to the student’s educational institution. By ascribing to the doctrine of “in loco parentis” in 1923, the college unfortunately overlooks the fact that Ursinus College must recognize that morality cannot be imposed upon thinking and questioning individuals. As the degree of moral imposition increases, the number of violations of that moral code likewise increases.

The absurdity of imposing a residence curfew upon women is magnified immensely when one endeavors to classify the other institutions in our society which impose similar restrictions—namely, prison and confidential card (in case of divorce and separation)—and the armed forces. Evidently, curfews are endemic to institutions that require ironclad control over their subjects. It is our conviction that no college should ever require or even desire such rigid control over its students.

A Multiplicity of Fraudulent Practices

Despite the fact that the Ursinus College code of regulations maintains a dormitory curfew for women, the number of Ursinus coeds who (1) fail to sign in and sign-out of their dormitories altogether, (2) manage to escape and return to the confines of the dormitories during the middle of the night, and then (3) instantly connect their whereabouts during evening or overnight excursions all reduce the entire set of women’s dormitory curfews and regulations to mere mockery. The sheer multiplicity of fraudulent practices surrounding the restrictive rules governing resident coeds has turned the curfew and house-mother systems into little more than a farce. In short, the institution of a more realistic and mature system of regulations for women would certainly be less hypocritical.

The Ursinus Weekly advocates the replacement of the present curfew regulations with a system modeled after the University of Pennsylvania. Women should only be required to sign in and sign-out of their dormatories (in case of an emergency) whenever they leave the campus overnight. This system would certainly be much less self-defeating than the Ursinus method; since women would be assured of the confidence of their dormitory regulations (except in the case of an emergency), they would not be inclined to falsify their declared destinations, as is the common practice among many Ursinus coeds.

It seems utterly senseless to delude ourselves into believing that the present curfew system at Ursinus is operating effectively, for it is failing miserably. Ursinus dormitory preceptors would certainly be at a loss in attempting to locate and (d) instantly connect their whereabouts. The dormitory curfew will probably never work effectively at Ursinus. In view of this reality, it would require either unequivocal stubbornness or a marked proclivity toward hypocrisy in order to perpetuate such a system.

The Facts of Life

“My family did not feel that it was a tremendous relationship. When we get together it involves hours and hours, and we can talk about every topic that you could imagine. He’s my best friend as well as my father. He’s taught me to be one with myself and with the facts of my exist-

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Dear Alan:

I am writing to you from the heady, rarefied air of the Chancellorship. We must protect Royersford, Pennsylvania 19468

Dear Mr. Hardman, why did you leave the pastoral ministry of a particular church?

Gretchen, registered as Gretchen of the Matterhorn, is a small dog, a 10-pound Saint Bernard poppy. She’s a year old and a cutie, and she loves to go for trips at times. (Note: At this point, Gretchen was bounding through the living room trying to catch a piece of rubber that her new owner, Mr. Powers, had thrown for her in the garage without a body. We’re very proud of both of them.

Could you please tell us a bit more about it?

Thinking at the University of Pennsylvania, I came across a 1910 White Steamer. I renovated the old engine, and to get it running smoothly, I added a new clutch, a new bearing, and a new set of spark plugs. It looks just as it did as it came from the factory 60 years ago, and it won first prize at the Hershey meet. My recent acquisition was a 1912 Olds Mobile, now sitting in the garage without a body. We’re very proud of both of them.

On the other hand, marriage also involves for the woman a change in her legal name and in most communities a change or a shift in legal responsibilities if she is in a minor from parents to her husband and for herself. Thus the influence of the College is the age of the woman is of considerable importance. We feel that the new, intense human relationship involved, the frequent addition of financial concerns for the man and wife, the continuation of academic pressures on one or both partners and the peculiarly intimate responsibilities of all of us within the College challenge the College to learn for everyone’s sake the plans of the couple. Finally, the initial change in address and the inevitable change in name should require extensive and multiple changes in records and especially in the processing of grades and class roll are most easily accomplished by another application for admission. The College was exactly the same device to reenroll the multitude of a student who has had a postgraduate leave of absence.

Kingston

Believe that you are following anyone on one point, however. Only a fool would allow his roommate to force him into leaving his house and in cold air all night. I do have a word of advice for you, my dear friend. My room had two available beds, and I’ve certainly there were others. Have you no friends or are you existing with your eyes closed in a world of constant fantasy? Love,

Outsider’s Comment

I am a student at the graduate school of the University of Pennsylvania, but I often read The Ursinus Weekly since several of my friends attend Ursinus. I cannot believe that you have students like me. Glen Plaid and Stuart Sterling. What is the matter with these people? Are they the victims of some sort of premature trauma, or are they merely living fifty years too late? If they think Ursinus is too liberal, wait until they get out into the real world. I hope, for the benefit of their student body, that they would graduate as soon as possible.

Dear Editor,

I am assuming that there is always a good reason for a tradition-pllad institution such as Ursinus to forego one of its most enduring events. I am referring to this year’s absence of the annual Har­ vest Moon display in the girl’s dorm. The comfort I take is in reassuring myself that there was no interest in existing with denizens. Personally, I had always been thought that there were never events are on campus, especially on weekends. But it may be the case that there is enough to do that people are busy—or at least busy enough to organize the annual antics of Har­ vest Moon. It is always a good sign of the College’s stability when scholastic and cultural events can be balanced with adequate for anything involving sex, partial nudity, and the seeking of cheap thrills. But it may be the case that there is something else to do that rises above the temptation to bodily pleasures. Keep up the good work. I’m beginning to miss what I suppose is an exciting campus!

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Welcome to You
Harry Adrian Paces Ursinus Grid Stats

Sophomore fullback Harry "King" King Adrian paced the Ursinus College football squad in rushing yardage and scoring during the 1970 season according to final statistics released this week.

Head Coach Dick Whatley sees promise in Adrian in the fact that the young Bear won three out of his last four games this season and graduation will only claim five members of the current squad.

The leaders in individual categories were:

Rushing Yardage and Scoring:

Harry Adrian, sophomore fullback from Perkiomenville, Pa., Adrian had 673 yards in 125 carries for seven touchdowns and 42 points. His best game was against Johns Hopkins when he gained 159 yards in 29 attempts. Adrian has rushed for over 100 yards in his first two years of college football. He holds the Ursinus one-game rushing mark of 173 yards against Haverford, November 15, 1969.

Rushing Yards-Average Per-Carry:

John Stewart, junior halfback from Wallingford, Pa., Stewart averaged 4.6 yards-per-carry with 269 yards for the year. His best game was a 90-yard effort against Swarthmore. Stewart also led in this category as a junior freshman.

Passing:

Don Larson, junior quarterback from Hampden, Md., completed 44 percent of his passes (38 of 86) good for 568 yards and two touchdowns. Larson's best effort was against F & M when he completed 10 of 15 for 105 yards. He completed only six of 17 against Haverford, but they were good for 189 yards. Larson (with Mike Marlin) holds the longest single completion record in Ursinus history with a 92-yard touchdown pass against Moravian in 1969.

Pass Receiving:

Felix Narog caught 32 passes for 391 yards and one touchdown during his senior year. The Pottsville native also served as co-captain of the Ursinus squad. Narog's best day was against F & M when he caught 11 of 15 passes for 146 yards.

Point Returns:

Freshman Bruce Montgomery handled ten returns for 114 yards in an 11.4 average. Montgomery is from Coatesville, Pa. Montgomery also handled 13 kickoffs for 229 yards and a 3.9 average.

Kickoff Returns:

Freshman John Safatino from Philadelphia handled only four kickoffs but averaged 32.7 yards-per-return. Saba- net a new Ursinus record with a 90-yard return against Geneva in October 31, 1970. (The previous record was 29 yards set by Steve Fosko against Swarthmore in 1968.

Interceptions:

Last year's leader, sophomore Pete Keilwai from Upper Moreland High (via Huntington Valley, Pa.) and senior co-captain Jim Wilcos from Chatham, N. J. shared honors with three each. Their two defensive backs returned one interception for touchdowns.

Punting:

Freshman Bill Kornecki, from Wallingford, Pa. assumed the punting job and averaged 37.0 yards-per-kick in 34 attempts.

Field Goals and Extra Points:

Senior Gary "Soup" Keyes from Niles, 11., kicked 14 of 19 extra point attempts and was two for three in the field goal department for 20 points.

JV Roster Complete As Season Begins

Coach Bob Handwerk will have a roster of 12 players—nine freshman two, and sophomore, and a sophomore who has never played any collegiate baseball. He is a native of Haverford, Pa., and was on the field at the opening of the season in Haverford on December 2.

The seniors and juniors are also slated for varsity duty. The duo includes 6'4" senior Bill Downey, a center from Plymouth, Pa., and sophomore guard Roger Blind, a 6'5" performer from West Orange, N. J. who saw limited Jayvee ac- tion last season.

The height on the Jayvee club will be provided by Downey; 6'5" Jim Buckwalter, a junior from Pottstown, Pa.; Steve Fristich, 6'3" freshman from Pottsgrove High in Pottstown.

The forwards include Bob Vliet, '71 sophomore from Coatesville, Pa.; Barry Nettles, & freshman from Collegville-Trappe. Pete Stanton, 6'1" freshman from Ardmore, Pa. and St. Joseph's Prep and Henry Gibson, 6'1" freshman from Shillington, Pa. The guards are Blind; Gary Ceff- gith, 5'11" freshman from North Caldwell, N. J.; Bob Lay, 6'3" fresh- man from Westfield, N. J.; Jack Messenger, & freshman from Cim- namon, N. J.; and Joe Sager, 6'11" freshman from Pottstown, N. V.

Ursinus Falls to PMC, But Defeats Haverford In Recent Basketball

By DON MAVINEY

Bears Even Record at 2-2

The Ursinus Bears regrouping after suffering the loss of starting forward Bruce Montgomery, and Fredy Cattell met two powerful court opponents during the past week. The Bears were unable to control the ball, and did make an impressive showing in a determining Harvey- ford team in the home court de- feat.

Ursinus Plays Control Ball

The injury riddled Ursinus bas- ketball team met a powerful PMC team on Tuesday, December 8. The Bears opened the game playing control ball, and were successful in slowing the game down for the first ten minutes of play. However, their strategy to control the ball, and did make an impressive showing in a determining Harvey- ford team in the home court de- feat.

Haverford Closes Gap

The beginning of the second half saw Ursinus open its lead to 22. At this point Haverford moved into a full court man-to-man press which temporarily turned the momentum of the game over to the Bears. However, the poised and experienced Bears quickly broke the press and continued holding on to a ten point lead for the remain- der of the game. Gary Schad was high for the Bears with 21 points. Sam Colville finished second in the scoring with 14, and Bill Dow played well and Gordon Jones handled 13, 82, 42. Bob Loup finished the game with 12 points. The Bears opened the lead to 14. The first half ended with the home team leading 41-26.

Haverford Ends Season

The Bears opened the game with a 92-point lead over Ursinus, but the Bears were unable to control the ball, and did make an impressive showing in a determining Harvey- ford team in the home court de- feat.

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Kilt-Klad's Comments

By CRIS CRANE

Most of us cannot fathom the magnitude of the accomplishment, but Ursinus has two Snobbelles on the United States Hockey Team (two out of 11 of the best hockey players in the nation) . . . Robin Cash and Sandy Wood, Robin for the second straight year, made the team which then proceeded to beat the British touring team for their only loss of their U. S. tour. . . . Both Anders and Trudy Schneckler made the U. S. Reserves and all four girls will be touring New Zealand and Southeast Asia on a trip around the world next summer representing our country. . . . So, out of 22, Ursinus has four of the greatest from Maine to California, not just collegiates, but everybody! . . . It has a tribute to years of fine coaching and effort, and Ursinus provided the final launching pad to four great careers. . . . Miss Snell and the school should be extremely proud.

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