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## CALENDAR

Friday, April 24, Schaff Prize Debate, 8 p. m.  
 Saturday, April 25, Baseball, Dickinson vs. Ursinus, on Ursinus Field, 3 p. m.  
 Y. W. C. A. Benefit Social, in Bomberger Hall, 5.30 to 9 p. m.  
 Monday, April 27, Weekly Staff Meeting, 1.30 p. m.  
 Tuesday, April 28, Baseball, Pennsylvania vs. Ursinus at Philadelphia.  
 Y. W. C. A., 6.40 p. m.  
 Wednesday, April 29, Y. M. C. A., 6.40 p. m.  
 Friday, May 1, Literary Societies, 7.40 p. m.

## BASEBALL

### BUCKNELL

On Thursday morning, April 16, the baseball team started on its second trip westward and played their initial game with Bucknell. The ride to Lewisburg was a most interesting and enjoyable one, and although the game was called shortly after their arrival, nevertheless the boys seemed none the worse after their long ride; for they at once settled down and captured this game in a brilliant manner. The game had hardly commenced when two runs were registered by Ursinus. Bunting, the first batter to face Northrop, was safe on Nipple's error; he went to second on Snyder's single, and on Horton's out both runners advanced a base, scoring a moment later on Hoover's timely single. Bucknell endeavored to square matters in the second inning, but their effort yielded them only one run. In this inning Clark reached first on Isenberg's fumble, stole second and third, and scored on Leach's fly to center. In the sixth, however, the home collegians were more successful and tied the score. Loveland singled, Dewire fanned, and Nipple flied to center, but Clark's timely hit scored Loveland with the tying run. Not to be denied, our boys went to bat in the next inning and clinched the game by scoring a run. After Abel and Hain had been retired, Raymond stole second and scored on Isenberg's safe crack to left. The home team made a desperate attempt to win out in the remaining innings, but failed. Although the entire team played well, a throw from deep center by Paist cutting off a runner, and the masterful pitching of Horton were easily the features of the game. Horton al-

lowed the opponents only two hits and was very steady throughout the game. The score:

URSINUS.					
	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Bunting, 3b	1	0	0	0	1
Snyder, ss	1	1	3	4	0
Horton, p	0	2	1	3	0
Paist, c f	0	1	3	1	0
Hoover, 1 f	0	1	1	0	0
Abel, r f	0	0	0	0	0
Hain, 1b	0	1	10	0	1
Raymond, c	1	1	7	1	1
Isenberg, 2b	0	1	2	3	2
Totals,	3	8	27	12	5

### BUCKNELL.

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Loveland, ss	1	1	1	3	0
Dewire, 1 f	0	0	2	0	0
Niple, 3b	0	0	1	0	1
Clark, c f	1	1	3	0	0
Lerch, 2b	0	0	0	2	0
Northrop, p	0	0	1	1	0
Lenhart, 1b	0	0	6	0	0
Philson, r f	0	0	0	0	0
Hawk, c	0	0	13	0	1
Totals,	2	2	27	6	2

Stolen bases, Hain, Raymond, Loveland, Hawk and Clark. Base on balls, Horton 3. Struck out by Northrop 12, by Horton, 6. Umpire, Wolfinger.

### SUSQUEHANNA

After spending a night in Lewisburg, the team left for Selins Grove, where they played Susquehanna as their second game. The game was equally as good and exciting as the one on the previous day; but, however, the tables were turned, for we met defeat by the score of 3 to 2. Although Ursinus was able to get numerous men on the bases in the early innings, the unexpected strength of the home team kept our boys from scoring until the fourth inning, when two runs were registered. After Hoover had been retired, Abel was passed to first and stole second and third. Raymond also walked and on Miller's muff of Isenberg's fly, both runners crossed the plate. A three-base drive by Gaylor, followed by a sacrifice, scored one run for Susquehanna in the fifth. In the sixth, however, the home team won out on Leshler's base on balls, who advanced on Sunday's single and scored on a similar hit by Spangler. Uber then fanned, but on Snyder's fumble of Bing's grounder, Sunday crossed the plate with what proved to be the winning run. No further scoring was done by either side. Both teams played well at times, but the superb twirling of Kauffman was a decided feature of the game. Kauffman is a member of the Oil City team of the Inter-State League, and judging by the part

he played in the victory, Susquehanna is very fortunate in having such an artist. The score:

URSINUS					
	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Bunting, 3b	0	1	1	1	0
Snyder, ss	0	0	3	0	1
Horton, c f	0	1	1	0	0
Paist, p	0	0	0	6	0
Hoover, 1 f	0	0	0	0	0
Abel, r f	1	0	0	0	0
Hain, 1b	0	0	8	0	0
Raymond, c	1	1	9	1	0
Isenberg, 2b	0	0	2	1	0
Totals,	2	3	24	9	1

### SUSQUEHANNA.

	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Leshler, 2b	1	1	1	4	0
Sunday, ss	1	1	2	1	0
Spangler, 1b	0	2	13	0	1
Uber, r f	0	1	0	0	1
Bing, c	0	0	8	1	0
Gaylor, 3b	1	1	1	1	0
Miller, 1 f	0	0	1	1	1
Pieffer, c f	0	0	0	0	0
Kauffman, p	0	0	1	5	0
Total,	3	6	27	13	3

Earned runs, Susquehanna, 1. Stolen bases, Horton, Abel 2, Leshler and Spangler. Base on balls, Paist 2, Kauffman 2. Struck out by Paist 10, Kauffman 8. Two base hits, Horton and Huber. Three-base hits, Raymond and Gaylor. Umpire, Wiest.

### ALBRIGHT

The next and last game of the trip was played at Myerstown with Albright College. Thus far the weather condition had been all that could be desired. About the time of this game threatening clouds gathered, and before the game had proceeded many innings Jupiter Pluvius opened the flood-gates and called a halt to the game. Ursinus was first to bat, but drew a blank; not so, however, with Albright, who in their half accumulated two tallies. C. Kelchner was safe on Hain's error and went to third on Lavelle's two-base drive, and after Liebengood's out both runners crossed the plate on a single by Buck. In the fifth, Ursinus evened matters somewhat by scoring two runs. After Hain and Raymond had been retired, Isenberg singled and Bunting walked. Snyder came to time with a single, scoring Isenberg, and as Horton's grounder got away from Liebengood, Bunting counted. In their half of the fifth, Albright broke the tie and clinched the game by scoring three runs on Isenberg's wild toss to the plate. Ursinus scored one more in the sixth, but at this point the rain was falling so fast that the game was called. It rained throughout the entire game,

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## THE DEAN'S COLUMN

Now that the Easter recess is over, attention should center once again on the various subjects of study. The Easter recess comes as a pleasant relief after the long, steady pull of the winter months. The withdrawal from books and the association with friends and kinfolk outside of academic walls refresh both mind and body. But all this means more than merely rest and recreation to students. It means the restoration of gray matter and the recuperation of mental power. This makes it possible for the work of the College to be carried through to the end of the term without deterioration. In college work, as in anything else, it is a great satisfaction to finish with strength and vigor.

Of the student who has made proper use of the months now gone no unusual effort will be required to maintain good standing during the remaining weeks. In fact, the wise student will have his work so well in hand that he may have the pleasure which we wish for every one, namely, that of the beautiful out-of-doors for which Collegeville is noted. We of Ursinus deem the beauties of our natural surroundings as an important educational asset. I sincerely wish that every student might let the influences of our natural environment have full sway in his soul, and that there may thus be added to his fund of knowledge the touch of aesthetic appreciation which constant communion with nature secures.

G. L. O.

## SHINE!

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EDITORIAL

ALUMNI ATTENTION!

In looking over the weekly as it was three or four years back, and comparing it with the publication of today, we find that the Alumni are not represented in our columns to the extent that they should be represented. We realize that our little sheet could be more interesting to the subscribing Alumni, and with the end in view of stimulating more interest in those who are interested, and arousing new interest in those who are not interested, we wish, as a means, to give and ask suggestions.

In its make-up, the paper must preserve a certain harmony, which is possible only when its parts are well balanced. The absence of any one part will affect the whole, throw it out of tune, as it were. Does the paper not seem deficient to you when the Alumni Notes are wanting.

There is one member of the staff whose duty it is to attend to the Alumni notes. Our only sources of information are the church papers that are received in the library. These, to say the least, are unsatisfactory and inadequate for our use. We must, as a rule, depend upon the issue of the week before, and as a result the news reaches you from a week to ten days late. Do you appreciate our difficulty? At present there is only one alumnus who sends us information with any regularity. It seems unbelievable that with the hundreds of our graduates engaged

in public life, many of whom are men of deeds, there should be only three or four Alumni Notes. Why hide your light under a bushel? Send us news of yourself, of your class-mates, and of other alumni, and help us to strengthen our publication.

Y. M. C. A.

Dr. James I. Good, of the Central Theological Seminary addressed the Y. M. C. A., Wednesday evening. His remarks, bearing upon Eastertide, were based upon Matthew 28:4,—“And for fear of him the keepers did shake, and became as dead men.” A few of the golden thoughts that interspersed his remarks follow.

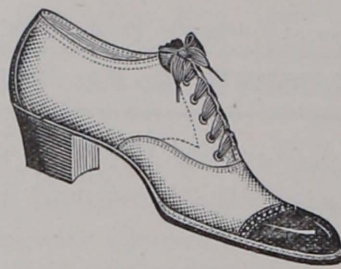
At the tomb of Christ there were placed Roman soldiers whose duty it was to prevent the stealing of Christ's body. The fact that they were Roman soldiers shows great significance. They were the bravest of all soldiers and were only removed from duty by death. Their strength surpassed the strength of others, and they were heathen. The resurrection of Christ filled their hearts with fear and they ran away. Since they, the only witnesses of the resurrection, ran in fear from the tomb, it provides evidence of the truth of Christ's resurrection. They could stand before the material changes round about them, but the resurrection from the grave proved too great a trial for them.

That the heathen Roman soldiers were put to flight by a resurrection within the grave is a sign of the great resurrection spiritually that is coming to all heathen. China's awakening to the moral stimulus of missionary activity, and the development spiritually of the South Sea Islands, the inhabitants of which were barbarians only fifty years ago, are examples of the effects of Christian progress.

The resurrection of Christ teaches the heathen, and us Christians as well, of our immortality and redemption. Christ's life was completed by resurrection from the dead, and immortality was proven. The great theme that is characteristic to Christianity is the resurrection and the redemption through Christ's blood.

Easter teaches us not only the resurrection of our slain Christ, but it also gives us a prophecy of a great social resurrection that is coming on. There is coming a great social uplift. Step by step the great evils are being torn out. The activity is based upon Christianity, and has received a great impetus by Christ's resurrection. The story of Christ's life is the greatest factor in its progress, and by the aid of campaigns against the prevailing evils, its development is

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Dr. Good concluded his remarks with a plea to the college man for the proper use of his great influence and for aid in bringing about the social and moral regeneration which shall come, since Christ has prepared the way by his own sacrifice and resurrection.

**BROTHERHOOD OF ST. PAUL MEETS**

The Brotherhood of St. Paul held its bi-monthly meeting on Wednesday evening after the regular Y. M. C. A. devotional service. After the usual business routine the boys listened to a talk from Dr. Good. He spoke along the line of preparation for the Christian ministry, and it proved to be very profitable. The last meeting of the year will be held in May, for which a speaker will be secured to give an address.

**PERSONALS**

Miss Fermier, '10, spent part of her Easter vacation at Sunbury as the guest of Miss Fryling, '09. Both the young ladies witnessed the Bucknell game.

Stamy, '08, returned last Sunday from a week of service in the public schools of Rockaway, N. J.

Krusen, '09, has recovered from his attack of the measles. He is still confined to his room, however, and does not expect to return to school until May 1st.

Koons, '09, President of the local Y. M. C. A., was a delegate to the President's Conference held last week at Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa. Mr. Koons attended until Saturday, when he left for his home at State Line, Pa.

**SEMINARY NOTES**

Dr. Van Horne was at Dayton on official business.

Dr. Christman preached in the Reformed Church at Athens, Mich., on Sunday.

The following students preached on Sunday: Sommerlatte, '08, Bluffton, O.; Browse, '09, Berwick, O.; Tobias, '09, Carothers, O.; Hartman, '09, Berwick, O.; Boros, '08, and Bertok, '09, Toledo, O.; Huckereide, '08, Prospect, O.

The Y. M. C. A. elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Hartman, '09; Vice Pres., King, '09; Sec., Kriete, '10; Treas., Alspach, '10; Musical Director, Fry, '10.

Alspach, '10, preached in the closing services of German Homiletics. Ruf, '10, and Herbrecht, '09, assisted in the services.

Fry, '10, addressed the Epworth League in the M. E. Church on Sunday evening. Mr. Fry will be the regular supply for the Reformed church at Fulton, Mich., during the summer.

Alspach, '10, substituted in the Tiffin public schools last week.

Kriete, '10, will discharge the pastoral duties of the S. Louisville, Ky, charge this year.

**ALUMNI NOTES**

The Fourth Reformed Church of Dayton, O., Rev. Ross F. Wicks, '96, pastor, has obtained possession of a farm, which is expected to furnish a place of recreation for over 800 people from the city during the summer months.

L. D. Crunkleton, '07, is coaching the baseball team of the Cumberland Valley State Normal School during the present season.

H. D. Steward, '07, of Lansdale, visited his uncle, Prof. W. W. Chandler, at College during Easter vacation.

Pres. Keigwin will deliver the address at the commencement exercises of the Theological Seminary at Tiffin, O., the evening of April 30.

M. B. Sponsler, '07, a student in the Medical Department of Johns Hopkins University, visited his home in Collegeville during Easter week.

Rev. Geo. W. Welsh, '93, of Columbia, O., has accepted a call to the Reformed Church at Spring Grove, Pa.

**EXCHANGES**

The *Dickinsonian* gives us a good story this issue, entitled "That Raccoon." The poem, "In Retrospect," is also very good.

The *Iris* is always a most welcome publication. The stories by their originality, the bits of poetry, the good editorials, all comprise a very pleasing paper.

The *Weekly Gettysburgian* is a good, steady paper, and can always be assured of a prominent place on our table.

An excellent story, "The Lion and the Lamb," is to be found in the *Delaware College Review*.

The *Anchor*, of Hope College, is to be congratulated on its neat cover-sheet. The whole tone of the paper this month is on a higher plane than usual.

The *Lesbian Herald* has just arrived, chuck-full of good reading matter and new ideas. Let all students read the editorial, and profit thereby.

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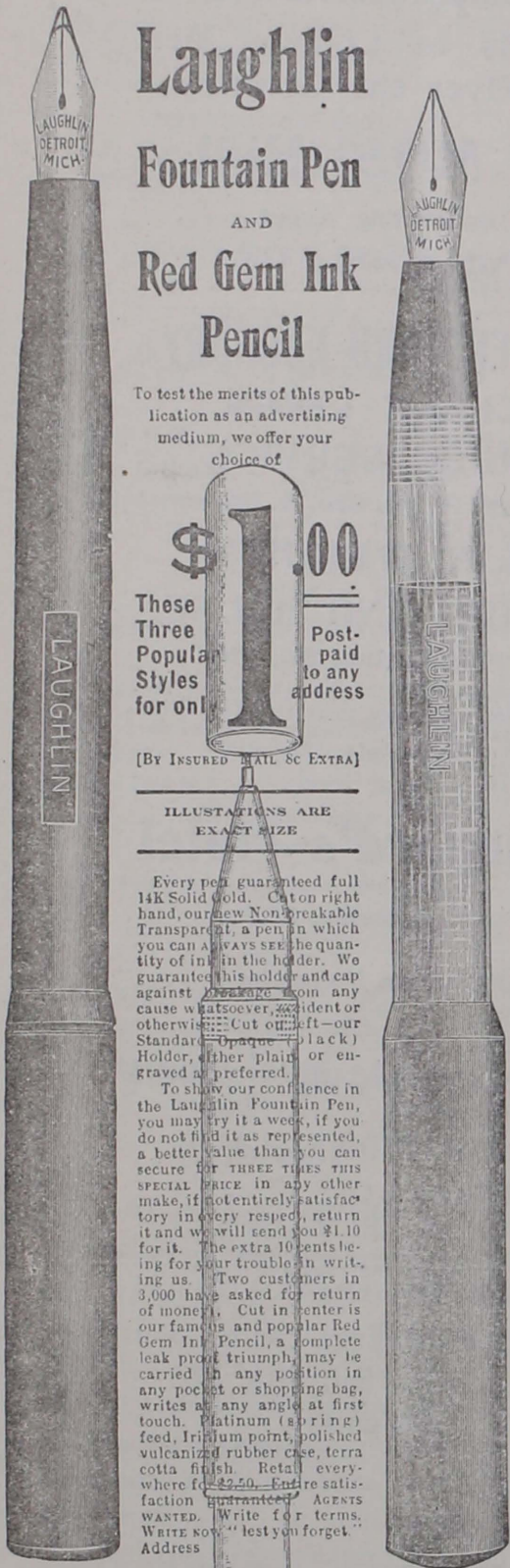
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BASEBALL

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thus making anything like fast and accurate playing impossible. Considering the condition of the ball, both pitchers did well. Isenberger, however, was hit harder than the score shows. His fielders cut down many hard and apparently safe drives. The score.

	URSINUS.				
	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Bunting, 3b	1	0	1	1	1
Snyder, ss	0	1	3	0	1
Horton, p	0	0	0	1	0
Paist, c f	0	0	2	0	0
Hoover, 1 f	1	1	1	0	0
Abel, r f	0	0	1	0	0
Hain, 1b	0	1	2	0	3
Raymond, c	0	0	3	0	0
Isenberger, 2b	1	1	2	0	1
Totals,	3	4	15	2	6

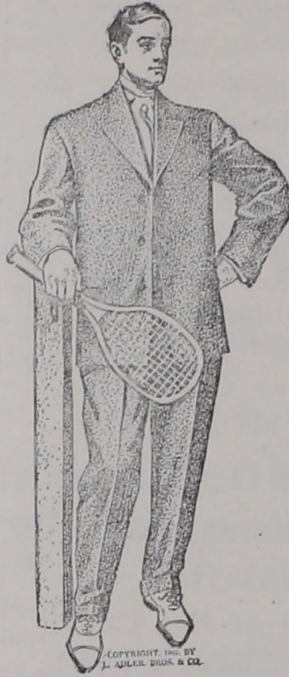
	ALBRIGHT				
	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
C. Kelchner, c f	1	0	0	0	0
Lavelle, 1b	2	1	8	0	0
Liebengood, ss	0	0	0	0	3
A. Buck, 2b	1	2	0	1	0
Becker, c	1	0	2	1	0
H. Buck, 1 f	0	0	4	1	1
J. Kelchner, 3b	0	0	2	3	1
Slack, r f	0	0	2	0	0
Eisenberger, p	0	1	0	1	0
Totals,	5	4	18	7	5

Earned runs, Albright 2. Two-base hits, Lavelle, Hain. Bases on balls, Horton 2, Eisenberger 1. Struck out by Horton 3. Umpire, Graham, Lebanon.

TRACK PROSPECTS

With the date of the Penn Relay Races fast drawing nigh, Coach Watson is now putting the finishing touches on the Relay team which will represent Ursinus at the races. With quite a number of candidates, the competition was keen for a place on the team, and as a result the Coach is well pleased with the time shown in the trials. Captain Abel, Custer, Davis, Maeder and Bogert will no doubt comprise the team. Ursinus is again in the same class as last year, but was not quite so fortunate in the drawing of positions. This year our team has third position, but as all our men have thus far proven themselves to be faster than last year, and with a year's experience to their credit, there is every hope that Ursinus will again be able to bring back a trophy from Franklin Field. The colleges in Class 5 are Ursinus, Muhlenberg, Brooklyn Pol., New York Law, Brooklyn Law, and Washington College.

A Society of Flunkers has been organized at Ohio Wesleyan. The requisites for membership are a failure in some study or expulsion. The records of distinguished alumni have been looked over, and invitations have been sent to Vice-President Fairbanks, Bishop McDowell, Dr. Frank Gunsalus, Senator Foraker and Mayor Brand Whitlock, of Toledo, to become members, these men having been found to have filled all the requirements.



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