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IT'S A SMALL WORLD...

SITUATED BETWEEN THE spheres of influence of Philadelphia and New York lies a small world—a world as individual as any in the universe. Within the boundaries of Ursinus College are all the powers necessary in any world. Come with us through the Eger Gateway and see the monuments of progress in education upon which each succeeding class builds—in this small world within a world.
But A Complete One...
Recorded For You In...

THE 1955 RUBY

URSINUS COLLEGE
COLLEGEVILLE
PENNSYLVANIA
Reveals The Personal Approach To Education Afforded Us In A Small College

Beyond the Lecture Rooms are the spacious lands of personal relationships that large universities and colleges cannot hope to explore. Here at Ursinus, the friendships which arise between students and professors and among students themselves lead to the basic function of small college life. A student is not a name in a classroom; he is a person to whom every acquaintance will mean a more successful and secure step in the future. At Ursinus with very little effort a student can learn to know every one of the 681 other students in the college, an impossible situation in a larger school. The instructors cease to become mere figures teaching a class and become real persons with whom a student can speak informally and in turn receive personal replies.
On its ninety-five acres of land within the borders of Collegeville, "so named due to Ursinus College being located here," the college has built structures with which the students become very familiar. The Library has its meeting rooms, music room, and assortments of imposing book stacks. Bomberger Hall and its music rooms, chapel, and recreation centers are remembered for years after graduation. The athletic fields, dorms, footpaths—all link some personal event or idea to Ursinus College life. The classrooms themselves are not immune to memorable moments—a slip of the tongue, a student's muttered ad lib, the introductory instructions before a test. All these memories are cherished by us, the Class of 1955.
Ours is A Highly Integrated Community

Just as the departments of the House and Senate work together to produce a smoothly operating government, so each group at Ursinus is incorporated into a highly integrated community. From the governing organizations through the news agencies to the social groups, there is an atmosphere of friendliness, of working toward one goal—the betterment of the College and its students.

The supply store is a meeting place for group leaders to discuss ideas. For home football games, the Freshman Class forms a rooting section. Fraternities and sororities join forces to hold benefit parties. Every group is willing to work toward a compact community at Ursinus.

These are the moments that we, the Class of ’55, will remember from our four years at Ursinus College.
A Genuine Education Takes Place... That Goes Beyond The Lecture And The Text Book
In many large schools the only opportunity students have to meet their college president and other officials is on graduation day when they receive their diplomas. Such is not the case at Ursinus, however. We know Dr. McClure through classes; we know Mrs. McClure through her receptions. Miss Stahr is both a preceptress and an understanding friend. We know Dean Pancoast through his classes and his casual, perhaps unexpected trips to the men's dorms. And we know Dr. Heffnerich through his capable Curtain Club leadership.

Our knowledge of these people not as figureheads but as understanding friends is another advantage of our life at Ursinus.

Vision and Insight Characterize Our Leaders...
Here We Have Personal Contacts

Seated, left to right: Dr. Calvin D. Yost, Jr., Dr. William J. Phillips, Dr. Helen T. Garrett, Dr. Donald G. Baker. Standing: H. Lloyd Jones, Geoffrey Dolman, Dr. Ammon G. Kershner, Dr. Maurice W. Armstrong.

Seated, left to right: Maurice O. Bone, James A. Minnich, Dr. George R. Tyson, Dr. James C. Hirst. Standing: Harry C. Symons, James R. Herbsleb, C. Sieber Pancoast, Dr. Harvey R. Vanderslice, Kuht Wiencke.

Seated, left to right: Dr. Frank L. Manning, Dr. Russell D. Sturgis, Dr. Paul R. Wagner. Standing: Dr. F. Leroy Dennis, Dr. Robert L. Hutchinson, William S. Pettit, Dr. Robert E. Ogren, Dr. Roger P. Staiger.
With Our Professors

Dr. Harvey R. Vanderslice
Physical Education

Dr. George R. Tyson
Psychology Department

Dr. Maurice W. Armstrong
History Department

Dr. Calvin D. Yost, Jr.
English Department

Dr. Russell D. Sturgis
Chemistry Department

Not shown:
Dr. James L. Boswell
Economics Department
Dr. George W. Hartzell
Germanic Languages
Alfred M. Wilcox
Romance Languages
Dr. Donald G. Baker
Classical Languages

G. Sieber Paneast
Political Science Department

Dr. Frank L. Manning
Mathematics Department

Dr. John J. Heilemann
Physics Department

Dr. Paul R. Wagner
Biology Department
PRECEPTRESSES
Seated, left to right: Mrs. William U. Helfferich, Miss Camilla B. Stahr, Mrs. Paul E. Towers, Mrs. Clement DeChant. Standing: Mrs. Roger P. Staiger, Mrs. A. E. Schellhase, Mrs. Charles King, Miss Mildred Morris, Mrs. Glennie F. Hazlett, Mrs. G. Henry Shryock, Mrs. Edgar Baird.

We Experience Understanding Relationships

MEDICAL STAFF
Mrs. Verna Schushmar, R.N., Dr. Edward H. Platte, Miss Helen M. Moll, R.N.

LIBRARY STAFF
T. Spencer Hand, Assistant Librarian, Robert F. Sutton, Head Librarian, Mrs. Roger P. Staiger, Circulation Assistant.
REGISTRAR'S OFFICE
Geoffrey Dolman, Registrar, Miss Agnes J. Donohue, and Mrs. Richard S. Tyler. Missing: Dr. Allan L. Rice, Assistant Registrar.

No student at Ursinus can be here more than a few weeks without becoming associated with many members of the college administration. Before one even enters the school, he meets the Registrar; each female student quickly knows her preceptress as a mother away from home; and, of course, everyone experiences those trips to the Infirmary and those bills from the Treasurer.

We know all of these people through friendly relationships. They, too, help to make us really know Ursinus.
Many Lasting
Friendships Have
Been Formed...

... through classes, lectures, and labs; through athletics, both intercollegiate and intramurals; even through customs—in all we do every day.
"Square that dink, freshman!"—what a welcome! Stunned by the tribulations of customs we started our freshman year at Ursinus.

Customs weren't so bad, though. After three weeks, "Bruno" Briner, "Most Fragile Agile Annie," and their crew relinquished control over us and we began to resemble a well-organized class. After the election of our officers, Bob Gilgore, president; Dick Dickerson, vice-president; Ron Usher, treasurer; and Reggie Cairo, secretary, we were finally recognized as a class. However, we shall never forget the skirmishes we had with the Sophs in electing our officers and holding our banquet. These memories and those of Homecoming Weekend, Christmas celebrations, first finals, our freshman dance, and May Day festivities we will always remember.

And now, as we review the fun and work of our freshman year, we are eagerly looking forward to returning in the fall as sophomores.

Class of 1958 Officers: Ron Usher, treasurer, Dick Dickerson, vice-president, Reggie Cairo, secretary, and Bob Gilgore, president.

Customs had everyone feeling low but they ended triumphantly with the Freshman Banquet.

Class of 1957 Officers: Dick Winchester, treasurer; Diane Arms, secretary; Joe Donia, president; Hal Singley, vice-president.

As freshmen, the Class of 1957, led by Dick Hummel, president; Joe Donia, vice-president, Emma Bell, secretary, and Dick Winchester, treasurer, became a part of the working unit at Ursinus College. The first endeavor by the class in the form of a dance, “Ebb Tide,” was very well received.

The coming of the sophomore year brought many new responsibilities to the class. Customs, under the able direction of “Fragile Agile Ann” Shick and “Bruno the Animal” Briner, were carried out to their limit of capabilities. This year the class was led by President Joe Donia; Hal Singley, vice-president; Diane Arms, secretary; and Dick Winchester, treasurer. The Sophomore dance, “Fantasy in Fire,” was certainly a milestone for the class in that the Buddy Winters Orchestra set a standard that will be hard to equal. The dance was highlighted by the choice of Jim Bartholomew and Judy Berry as King and Queen of Hades. With its gay and vivid decorations and pleasant music, the dance was another social success for the Class of 1957. The sophomores then acted as hosts to the entire student body with their spring presentation of the annual Soph Hop.

With two years already quickly gone, we are looking forward to even brighter prospects in the next two years.

Four members of the Class of 1957 preparing for a night at the Prom—Joan Bradley, Joan Clement, Margie Struth and Sharon Bailey.
How vividly we remember our freshman year! Especially fresh in our minds are frosh customs under soph rulers Lois Leonard and Al Paolone. Rowland Hutchinson was elected as president of our class which held two successful dances—"The Queen of Hearts" and "The Bunny Hop" with lovely artistic decorations.

"Hutch" again served as our Sophomore Class president. That year our class directed frosh customs under Nesta Lewis and Ray Drum. Our social calendar included "Cornstalk Capers," the Soph Hop, "April in Paris," and a dance held in conjunction with the Freshmen, "The Mardi-Gras."

And now, here we are as Juniors looking forward with eagerness and hope. This year we elected Paul Neborak as president of our class. Paul is a day student and holds an honor not often claimed by non-resident students. In the fall we presented "Harvest Moon Ball." Our social year ended with our Junior Prom held in nearby Sunnybrook.

Officer of the class of 1956: Phil How, vice-president; Paul Neborak, president; Kay Fretz, secretary; and Frank Brown, treasurer.


Customs Torture for the frosh; fun for the upper classmen.

A party; somewhere, sometime, some fun!

Pep rally before the Drexel game. Never such spirit, particularly with the frosh out en masse.

Four charming members of the Junior Class before the Christmas banquet—Nesta, Beth, Nancy and Kay.
A songfest at Brodbeck, thanks to Tom, Floyd, Phil, Harvey and Dave.

A new approach to the gateway. Is it all fun at summer school?

Charades at Clamer during Hazel’s visit.

Freeland—after any meal, any day, any time of the year. It’s traditional!

A casual party for Diane, John, Rit, Clark, Les and Jody.

Duryea at Christmas time. Note: two men got to this party.

Dorm initiations at Clamer. Solemn looking aren’t they?
Heading
The Class...

OFFICERS

Seated: Elsie Belz, secretary, and Gene Harris, president. Standing: Larry Zartman, vice-president, and Chet Frankenfield, treasurer.

With the green-dinked girls bellowing “We Freshmen are a motley clan designed to bow to you” to “Sad Pan Nan” and the freshmen boys performing on the steps for the sophomore men, we began our four-year stay at Ursinus. After electing Charley Kenney to lead us and spending some anxious moments before the Freshman Banquet, we officially became a class and presented a struggling soph ruler to the happy group. Second semester brought fraternity rushing parties for our boys, and later in the spring they took their fraternity trips, traveling almost anywhere and doing almost anything in one brief weekend. Celestial Fantasy was our first function and we soon became acquainted with the Ursinus springtime—sunbathing, dinner dances, and final exams.

We elected Gene Harris our sophomore president, a position he retained for the remaining years of our college history. “Lovable Lo” and Al Paolone and their crew made full use of our powers over the bewildered freshmen. The tables were soon turned, however, when our girls passed through the rigors of sorority rushing. Two dances held the spotlight—Hit Parade Jamboree in the fall, and Jungle Rhythm, our big dance in the spring featuring a real menagerie of jungle life.

We began our junior year with the sophisticated Penthouse Serenade and replenished our treasury by selling “Ursus”, the Ursinus mascot.
PERMANENT
CLASS
OFFICERS


A new spirit was found at the pep rallies as they turned into jam sessions in front of Freeland, and eager freshmen led snake dances around the campus. This was the year Bermuda shorts and knee socks invaded the campus. Time for the Junior Prom and we turned oriental and featured Hasu 'Kisama as our theme. Mary Lou Singer became our queen and six junior men became proud members of Cub and Key. Before closing our junior year we treated the campus to an old fashioned minstrel show.

Seniors at last and a busy year awaited us. We witnessed the best football season in our four year stay and December rolled around before we had realized it. With it came the senior ball, Frosted Fantasy, and hours of work cutting snowflakes. Our last Christmas and the senior girls' decorations won at the Banquet. Somehow we couldn't quite realize that this was the last time we'd sing Silent Night around the towering Christmas tree in the gym.

This was the year of bigger and better fraternity parties, definite plans for the new girls' dorm, the Student Union—at last—and the memorable raid on the Drug. With the coming of spring we suddenly developed severe cases of "senioritis"—only two more months left and we would finally be finished. We swung into a final whirl of getting measured for caps and gowns, ordering graduation announcements, finishing the year book, and we began to wonder if we really were so anxious to see these last two months pass. Warm weather brought dinner dances, our last ones, and finally our last exams and graduation.
CONSTANCE ACKERMAN

DONALD D. ADAMS
"Don" . . . President of Delta Pi Sigma . . . Marine Vet . . . a likeable fellow . . . married . . . part-time job at Superior Tube . . . answers to the name George . . . Business Administration Major . . . one of three against the wall in Lit. 20 last summer . . . once beat Herman in ping pong . . . never has enough time . . . tree planting expert.

H. L. TODD ADDIS
"Todd" . . . Serious and solid . . . reserved and true . . . Here is quiet Todd Addis appraising you . . . He "flavors" his study with hound and fox . . . and handles the reins from a tally-ho's box . . . V.M.D. he aspires to—besides a B.S. . . . Here's wishing him horse-sense and lots of success.

DONALD L. ALLEBACH

PAUL N. ANGSTADT

JOHN M. AREGOOD, JR.
"Jack" . . . crew cut and jeans . . . four year 724 man; buried her too . . . proctor! . . . moderates Chi Alpha . . . Dutchified accent . . . "Ya know?" . . . intramural letterman . . . we need a volunteer—Jack! . . . manages the bone-benders . . . "Y" cog . . . more of that Pennsylvania-Dutch food! . . . square dance caller . . . German 3-4 for hours . . . Lancaster Seminary bound.
ELIZABETH A. AULT
“Betsy”... major—three years Chem., one year Math... May Day’s balmy wind... Beardwood Booster... letters from Tennessee... “We sell them at the Merry Shop”... Messiah... always reading... the walking World Book... what a family line... Switchboard, four years... Chi Alpha... avid afghan maker... loyal Rimblyte... never a truer friend.

RICHARD D. BALTZ
“Dick”... one of the awful three... Fetterolf’s Mr. Universe... Veep of Sig Rho... Pre-Med Society... pot washer... hot dog vendor... three ring follower... janitor of South Hall... “Flying Home”... caught between fights... headed for Hahnemann Med. School... ambitious... rollicking humor... independent... “jump”... great times in four years... “Hey, J.C.!”

ELSIE R. BELZ
“Els”... English Major... class secretary... co-editor of ’55 Ruby... a claim of Sigma Nu... Weekly writer... connoisseur of progressive jazz... vibrates on same “sound” wave as Nick... “Is it really?”... sports enthusiast (brothers’ influence)... tall, blonde... Rosie... Yost fan... prerequisites; 6’2” and Ivy... “Say, Els, what’s with you and Nick?”

LESLIE M. BEACH
“Les”... M for Myatt... Band Director... Messiah... Sig Rho... Pre-Med Society... Beethoven; Bach; Beach... four year Stine rowdy... intramural water fight captain... category champion... Med School bound... real easy to awaken in the morning... “gotta have some coffee”... trombonist from way back... “make mine real dry!”

NANCY H. BERGMANN
“Nan”... History major in spare time... went Tau Sig way... camping enthusiast... loyal Y member... Dean’s list... Cheerleader... consistent misplacer... Curtain Club... Alpha Psi veep... confuses names... “What’ll I do with my juvenile delinquents tomorrow?”... Messiah... Pi Gamma Mu... mad map marker... one of the Bancroft tribe.

ELEANOR L. BANKERT
“Ellie”... English major... swings gavel at Clamer... Sigma Nu prexy... Messiah... “from Littlestown—near Gettysburg”... four years at Clamer... taxies the Clamer girls in the Sheenmobile... summer weekends at the Chesapeake... likes sailboats, water skiing, and flying... Jim’s copilot... took possession of Jim’s fraternity pin two years ago... great personality... “Punkie”.
ANDRE BLANZACO


JAMES D. BOWERS


SANFORD M. BROWN, JR.

"Brownie" . . . "Little Cougar" . . . permanent resident of 308 Curtis, "The Igloo" . . . worships York, Pa. . . . XZ stalwart and Secretary . . . J.V. Basketball . . . likes his golf and the Cleveland Indians . . . Soph. Ruler . . . inter-fraternity track and intramurals . . . that summer at Ocean City . . . Biology major . . . always travels with his bodyguard . . . "shot down again".

EVELYN BREUNINGER

"Evie" . . . Mohonk's publicity agent . . . Phi Psi girl . . . a study bug whose work pays off . . . F.T.A. member . . . original spellings . . . four years at Duryea . . . swings a mean tennis racket . . . "Wonder what they'll have for breakfast?" . . . special interest: Tom.

RICHARD E. BOWMAN


STUART B. BROWN

ANDREW G. CARTER
"Chip" ... 7 year man at U.C. ... Phys. Ed. major ... ardent APE ... four year courtman ... ex-marine ... one of Sieb's boys ... toed the mound for three years ... F.T.A., ... runs quarter mile in track ... day student, but unofficial Curtis resident ... frequents New Showboat ... likeable guy.

NICHOLAS J. CHAPIS
"Nick" ... ZX treasurer ... the Greek ... what a line! ... Dean's list ... "you're my idol" ... Varsity Club scribe ... strong right tackle and line- man of the week ... Nick's approach- ing if you hear "Lullaby of Birdland" ... leads cool sounds advocates ... four year kitchen vet ... a way with women ... "Say, Nick, what's with you and Els?"

GERRY W. COX, JR.
"Gerry" ... Cap'n Cox ... Sig Rho president ... Soccer captain ... Varsity Club ... Bus. Ad. Club ... tennis (if he gets a chance) ... chaplrones high school dances ... commutes from Phoenixville via Lansdale ... Monday night soldier ... engaged to Audrey ... breaks training at rushing stags.

PAUL M. DARE
"P.Q." ... "Holy Cow" ... Dean's list ... Business Administration Club ... economics major ... summers fishing ... "wish Friday were here" ... magazine stand for Curtis ... Audubon Kid ... majors in Harry Symons' courses.

NORMAN F. DAVIS
"Norm" ... four year pre-dent Bio major ... Curtis "electrocutionist" ... eligible Welshman ... Scrantonian coal cracker ... garcon extraordinaire ... "job available?" ... past Supply Store manager ... "Coffee, zep, and pipe time." ... crazy funnybone ... can't stop laughing ... intramurals ... summer boating and swimming at Lake Wallenpaupack ... ardent Demo- crat ... heading for Temple Dent.

C. EDWARD DAWKINS
"Dort" ... Wrestling team captain ... Middle Atlantic Champion ... chairman, "Y" reception committee ... soccer ... track ... M.S.G.A. ... Cub and Key ... Dean's List ... "Dort did it" ... "This is the greatest place!" ... "It was this big" ... snake chaser, minnow catcher and bull thrower ... "101" boy ... waiter ... Beta Sig ... naturalist after grad school ... U.S. traveller via thumb.
ROLAND W. DEDEKIND, JR.
"Ded"... talent personified... three letter editor—Ruby, Weekly, ex-LANTERN... math wizard... "Ye Gads!"... Deutsch expert... kitten on the ivories... 2nd class thespian... Messiah... joke for any occasion... poet, writer, statistician par excellence... intramural sports... all weather A's fan... a mean tennis racket... four year Breakfast Clubber... Meistersingers... "Gazooks!"

CHRISTIAN de LA ROCHE
"Chris"... tall, dark, and well-dressed... he hails from France via New York... interested in journalism, literature, and politics... New York Times follower... writes for the LANTERN... belongs to the I.R.C. and French Club... Seems interested in Germany and black ties—ask him why!

ELIZABETH M. DOLDE
"Beth"... loyal soprano of Messiah and Meistersingers... "Y" retreats... bicycle hosteler to Europe... Stella, her guitar... sports enthusiast... talks incessantly... our lady psychiatrist... ardent KDKer... "serially"... Curtain Club... prolific mail from First Presbyterian Church... bridge lessons... goofing off... Maples room 6 triumvirate — Marg, Midge, Beth.

GILBERT F. De SIMONE
"Gil"... language major... Future Teacher of America... Dr. Garret's protege... Delta Pi Sigma... tickles the ivories at fraternity meetings... president of French Club... Dean's list... day student... always having car trouble... part-time employee of A&P Foods... likes vacationing in Florida.

KENNETH E. DUNLAP
"Ken"... Port and Ginger... Little Dave Kelly... U.S. Army bound... faces, never names... "gotta work this afternoon"... Curtain Club... History... God's country—Ohio... always wears a vest... classical records... one of the deadly duo... "I'm Ken, not Al"... "The Stetson"... pack a day... "Oh! women!... what coat shall I wear?"

CAROL A. EDWARDS
"Charlie"... loyal Phi Psi rooter... one of seven... student teaching at East Norriton... G.V. haircut... peach peeling 1-2... Soph rules committee... manager of Snell's Belles... W.A.A. Council... shakes up the horses... oh, those Levi's... Mullica Hill, rah, rah... 3rd floor Maples gym team.
ARTHUR H. EHLERS, JR.
"A" ... captain of baseball team ... real baseball enthusiast ... loves bowling in dorm ... "Who, me?" ... member of the basketeers ... What a life, just sleepin' and eatin' ... Mr. Intramural ... Demas fraternity ... Varsity Club ... business major ... known for his driving ability ... "Let's go to the movies for a change," ... a real friend to everyone.

OLIN L. EVANS, JR.
"Olin" ... hails from Pittsburgh ... a French clubber ... classical music addict ... haunts the music room ... prefers Brahms and Wagner ... History major ... "Is it worth the wear and tear?" ... a bug on religious and philosophical problems ... "Out, out brief candle!" ... a two-year Brodbeck man ... Chi Alpha member ... has visions of teaching America's youth.

MARY A. FAUST
"Fausty" ... "Carmen" ... cute as a button ... a honey of a gal ... last of the Shreiner Six ... loyal class member ... "Y" leader ... Sigma Nu ... loves the library (?) ... Oh, those lesson plans ... that 6 foot knitted scarf: no more wool ... "Don't have to set it anymore!" ... "Shreiner girls do!"

KATHRYN A. FEUCHT
"Kathy" ... mathematician at Stewart ... Junior ... Sigma Nu ... "I have to see Ginny" ... F.T.A. supporter ... tea-time with Nancy ... Ruby's banker ... "ketchup, please" ... Messiah bass ... knitting an elephant sock ... from the sublime to the ridiculous ... one of the student teacher trio ... Ethel's library assistant ... "but I like brown" ... loyal friend.

JOAN E. FISHER
"Jo" ... "What's my horoscope today?" ... W.S.C.A. prexy ... "I have to call a meeting" ... capable and conscientious ... with Pris, the long and short of it ... "I've lost weight—milk shake a day" ... Lit. test tomorrow—"Just one game of honeymoon bridge?" ... surrounded by her students at the Norris ... Tau Sig ... only recognizes North Jersey ... coffee pep-ups ... 10:30? Goodnight! ... personality plus.

CHESTER FRANKENFIELD
"Chet" ... Erwinna's claim to fame ... wit ... Sig Rho, "Y", French Club, and Senior Class treasuries ... Ruby staff ... saw the light—no Minnich madness ... "I'm gonna stop smoking" ... Norm's IBM ... money bags ... won't go to bed, and won't get up ... the little trinity ... "There are a million jobs for math majors."
Marilyn J. Freeman

"M.J." . . . males and mail by the dozens . . . Phys. Edder,?? . . . senator from 944 . . . a Junior Prom lovely . . . those never ending chorus lines . . . O Chi forever . . . chief baton twirler . . . eating and sleeping—there are other hobbies? . . . was once one of the quiet ones . . . Basketball . . . sincere friend . . . summers on the beach, boating . . . "Hey, Witz!"

William H. Freeman

"Digger" . . . the hard working business major . . . a loyal member of Demas . . . "the dancer" . . . a member of the band and Newman Club . . . real sports enthusiast . . . roots for Freehold and Giants . . . sack hound . . . irregular dater . . . future as a funeral director . . . very sincere and always willing to help.

David S. Garlich

"Dave" . . . international problem solver . . . Horace Greely, Jr. . . . Pre-Legal Vep . . . Pris . . . Miller fan . . . I.R.C. . . . future with the State Department? . . . a left-over from the Menzel era . . . the G.O.P. . . . Rose was a thorn . . . Psych for hours . . . that collegiate pipe . . . resident of the Brodbeck rathskeller.

Mary A. Gillespie


Harold V. Gale

"Speedy" . . . one of the awful three . . . lives over an old powder keg in Fetterolf . . . drug time—9:55 P.M. . . . Pre-Med Society . . . 4 Roses and ginger ale . . . Temple, his private war . . . "Stardust" . . . flight to the second floor . . . most likely to end up in Army . . . unassuming, independent, dry sense of humor . . . New Jersey's gift . . . "that's a hot one" . . . a gandy dancer . . . died laughing last Labor Day.

M. Thomas Goldenberg

FRANK D. GREEN

EUGENE GREENBERG

HARRY E. HANCE

ROBERT C. HANSELL
Career—yes . . . Additional biographical material available in the Social Register.

BARBARA A. HARRIS
"Bobbie" . . . "want to go to the diner?" . . . wears the D.P.'s colors . . . W.A.A. proxy . . . famous for that giggle . . . loyal Tau Sig . . . "Bring me some coffee, please." . . . those Fords . . . "Fatty" . . . muscle builder at the Pottstown "Y" . . . one of seven . . . one of Maple's rowdy phy-odders.
GENE H. HARRIS
"Taj" ... three-year class president ... presides over Demas ... Curtiss's Hank Williams ... one of Minnie's student teachers ... phys. ed. enthusiast ... "I'm not fat!" ... slowest man on campus ... known to have a date ... real baseball fanatic ... court co-captain ... happy-go-lucky ... "Hey, fellows!" ... Cub and Key ... a wonderful friend and buddy.

ELIZABETH L. HASLAM
"Liz" ... with a song in her heart ... "the two go together—Liz and long hair" ... roots for Phi Psi ... sparkle under serious ... high ideals ... Lit and Logic ... teaches the ducks to swim ... parties in Shreiner ... graces the beauty courts ... lasting friend ... likes the wide open spaces ... "I'll get the car."

M. DIANE HELKER
"Diane" ... songstress in secret ... at home in Duryea ... flair for fashion ... afternoon labs ... dorm barber ... caters to preceptresses ... vive O Chi! ... contagious laughter and sparkling blue eyes ... coffee breaks ... bridge at last ... Lutzie's lady ... handy with a poster pen ... plots with Liz and Ritt ... "Well, doll."

WAYNE L. HERMAN
"Wayne" ... Navy vet ... full of jokes ... "patented hook shot" ... ping pong champ ... day student ... Business Administration major ... likes to play tennis ... Dean's List ... one of three against the wall in Lit. 20 last summer ... Pi Gamma Mu.

MARION C. HASLAM
"Marion" ... "Hi, ya, honey" ... Firecroft's gavel-pounder ... musician at heart ... everybody's gal ... waitress par excellence ... "Liz? No, I'm Marion" ... Bunny mother ... morning moods ... Phi Psi pal ... idealist ... irrepressible humor ... early to bed ... dorm beautician ... philosophy at 8:00 — Lit at all hours ... intriguing imagination ... summers by the sea ... "Guess what?"

Marilyn L. Herrmann
"Lynn" ... Weekly scribbler ... rah rah Phi Psi gal ... permanent Rosie ... George, cigars and Seagram's rate first ... money grabber for Pi Gamma Mu ... all nighters ... champagne parties ... A.M.A.F. "Breakfast?" ... practice teacher that shook Spring City ... that laugh! ... Little One of the Big Three ... literature lunatic ... that word! ... champion cutter ... one of the Bancroft tribe.
HARRIET H. HITCHNER
Richard's Rusty... "our imp"... full of fun... big brown eyes... loyal to Sigma Nu... enjoys Swedish... Juniata's weekend guest... pitches in and really works... football fan... that gurgly giggle... those afternoon naps... "Give me a magazine"... Can she sneeze! (?)... goofin' again... Shreiner girls do!... four friends forever.

GWENDOLYN M. HOCKENBURY
"Bunny"... "Hock"... Doc Waldo's right hand girl... Maples proxy... W.A.A. Council... Senate... Bippert chief of aqua girls... black '46 Plymouth... one of seven... Anchor's Away (South America)... drum beater... one of KDK girls... teaches touch football to H.S. girls... third floor Maples gym team.

NORMAN C. JABLON
"Charlie"... The Philosopher... dining room connoisseur... French minor... "I doubt it"... diner express... Pre-Med money bags... "Let's commute"... interior decorator... "Prove it to me,"... high jumper... pinhole personified... "eggs over"... "shoulders"... Lakeside for free... tennis whiz... "Let's tinker"... Carnero's understudy... pushing 14... speedboy... Jefferson medic.

HENRY W. JENDRICKS
"Hank"... Pre-medder... Moyer's boy... Beta Sig stalwart... cocktail hours... "The Agent"... "Anybody got a cigarette?"... Palmerton peasant... drugging with Marybelen... weekends at Collegeville Inn... menace to highways... summers at Lake Harmony... dart shooter deluxe... Brosious, Jendrick, Inc... The Whistler... Wildwood hitch-hiker... coffee hour... fill the mugs.

PETER D. HOTDENSTEIN
"Pete"... loyal APE... "Keeper of the Archives"... Curtis hermit... "Doc" Wagner's dream student... pre-dent?... "U. C.'s ace bird-dog"... intramurals... draft dodger... Schwab's partner in crime... member of Polar Bear Club... "Sorry, boys, I'm on the wagon"... Shreiner's door stop... seen jerking sodas at the drug... Soph Ruler... nice guy.

SUE SADLER KENNEY
"Sue"... Cheered our Bears to victory... Habitual campus cutter when late to class... A Tau Sig gal... Reliable... Lively conversationalist... Effervescent personality... Yields to psycho-analyzing when necessary... Known for her choice phrases... Efficiency personified... Novel charm... Neat dresser... Yellow and maroon fan.
CHARLENE M. KOYANAGI
Harry’s Honey ... a wonderful friend ... helpful and considerate ... Shreiner’s proxy ... Sigma Nu ... kitchen cutie ... Who’s built backwards? ... Chem. major; to learn how to make formulas ... Charlene’s next ... Brownie booster ... “Have to write a letter” ... “Shreiner girls do!” ... four friends forever.

MARGARET F. KRAMER
“Marg” ... sparkling brown eyes ... soft-spoken ... neatness personified ... loves soft, sweet music ... pinochle sharpie ... sports fan ... home weekends ... four year Mapleite ... roomies—Beth and Midge ... letter and phone confusion with the other M. K. ... conscientious about that student teaching ... loved the Junior High Schoolers ... all for moderation ... “Oh, great.”

BARBARA A. LEE
“B. Lee” ... Psych major with a mania for bio ... three year Mapleite ... “Ye Olde Barber Shoppe” ... Meistersingers and Messiah alto ... only person to attend chapel every day for 3 years ... 4 year hand veteran ... sax, uke, and clarinet ... how to knit ‘and read at once ... bound for O.T. School.

LOIS E. LEONARD
“Lois” ... Hahnemann bound ... Senate ... oh, those Levi’s ... Miss Homemaker of ‘55 ... Tau Sig ... fire hazard ... “the freshmen’s Lovable Lo” ... base sliding 1-2 ... Pre-Med Society ... unexpected visitor from N. Y. ... sense of direction? ... 3rd floor Maples gym team.

JOANNE KUHN
“Kuhnie” ... Shell’s Gazelle ... “Hey, fellas!!” ... “Got anything to eat?” ... Stanley’s lover ... “25¢ worth of gas, please.” ... 20-20 vision ... loves those sports ... what a sense of balance ... risky car captain ... one of seven ... leader of varsity basketball.

ETHEL E. LUTZ
“Ethel” ... Messiah and Meistersingers’ music-maker ... Sigma Nu ... four years with Nancy ... “Are you soon ready?” ... Room I’s alarm clock ... F.T.A. prexy ... Pi Gamma Mu ... leads a “Norm’al life ... “Y” Cabinet ... history huckster at Springfield High ... Kathy’s library assistant ... “Where’s my wallet?” ... chip off the old potato ... permanent Rosie ... firm in purpose.
CHARLES E. MCCURDY
second string sandwich maker.

MARY E. MCKERIHAN

JOHN M. MATLAGA

JANET E. MILLER

ELIZABETH R. MASON
“Rebel” . . . Maples’ gift to O Chi . . . lover of the good old days . . . one of seven . . . leads the softball gals . . . Florida annually . . . them there Levi’s . . . Southern Yankee . . . “How ya doin’?”

SANDRA E. MILLER
NANCY L. MILLHEIM
“Nance” . . . “What is this madness?” . . . Sigma Nu . . . four years with Ethel . . . those crazy days at Lansdale . . . Messiah speaker . . . F.T.A. stalwart . . . incessant giggler . . . afternoon naps . . . tea-time with Kathy . . . “No, I’m really on a diet” . . . three years of “yes, please” . . . “my brother’s fraternity brothers” . . . blithe and bubbling.

SARAH A. MILLS
“Sally” . . . February grad . . . Chem major . . . invariably late for meals . . . lies down for afternoon nap at 5:55 . . . student teacher at Royersford . . . Sigma Nu vice president . . . unlimited enthusiasm for unlimited activities . . . Dean’s List . . . makes library her second home . . . likes classical music . . . sweet and petite . . . “Y” Cabinet . . . summer cycling excursions . . . Prudence.

MILDRED MISTOVICH
“Misty” . . . South Hall gal for four years . . . Permanent Rosie . . . love those exotic dances . . . has a finger in every pie on campus . . . the black dress that caused Mr. Whiteside to forget his lines in The Man Who Came to Dinner . . . conscientious Bio lab assistant . . . Curtain Club supporter . . . vivacity plus.

MARGUERITE A. MONTGOMERY

JOHN W. MOSER

JO ANNE NEWKIRK
“Jo” . . . calm as the night—deep as the sea . . . inevitable twinkle . . . Madame M.D. . . . chef at all hours . . . Tau Sig rooter . . . musical moods . . . debonnaire . . . flair for originality . . . Mother Duck . . . warm brown eyes . . . lends a helping hand . . . wardrobe winner . . . Room #1 Party Pal . . . subtle humor . . . Aunt Doby . . . “Well now, it’s this way.”
BERNARD S. ORSINI


DONALD E. PARLEE

"Don" . . . great sense of humor . . . Dean's List . . . swings Beta Sig and I.F.C. gavel . . . M.S.G.A. . . . Chem-Society veep . . . you can tell by the walk . . . gets what he strives for . . . Meistersingers . . . intramural wrestler . . . out of it in the morning . . . "401" boy . . . collects snakes and hats . . . has been known to catch fish . . . hitchhiker of renown.

JOHN W. OSCIAK


ALBERT M. PAOLONE

"Bear" . . . MSGA chief . . . Z.K veep . . . grapples at 130 . . . co-captains Matmen . . . smallest fullback in the East . . . "tackle by Paolone" . . . Dean's Lister . . . '55's "Mr. Moneybags" for three years . . . Viva la Mafia! . . . Cub and Key captain of the dishwasher squad . . . tough proctor during "quiet hours" . . . plenty of principle . . . future Frank Leahy . . . should go far.

DOROTHY E. PATTERSON

"Dot" . . . fashion plate . . . Phi Psi gal . . . Alpha Psi . . . tall one of the Big Three . . . Yale weekends . . . Karen Andre . . . costumes, costumes, costumes . . . mad physicist . . . "that's my date for the Senior Ball" . . . that laugh . . . "what's the price of potatoes this week?" . . . on a liquid diet . . . beer, argyles, and calculus . . . one of the Bancroft tribe.

GEORGE W. PAUFF

NORMAN H. POLLOCK
"Norm" ... "Rosy" ... history ... p.ting at Collegeville-Trappe ... "Y" Cabinet ... Dean’s Lister ... two years at Rimby’s, one at Maples ... plans future with E. ... Pi Gamma Mu prexy ... pachydermal memory ... cliche expert ... little trinity ... Jack’s mentor, Chet’s tormentor ... Philadelphia booster ... “I do not have flat feet” ... grad school bound.

BARBARA J. RACK
"Barb" ... an O Chi girl ... “and then I learned bridge” ... Maggie Cutler ... Sig Rho’s Queen ... “In my boy’s cooking class” ... annual piano recitals ... “that’s tremendous” ... basketball forward ... those pebbles on the window ... scatter pins ... four years at Baird’s ... washes her hair in the kitchen sink ... “That wasn’t me, that was my twin.”

JOHN F. RODENBAUGH
"J.R." ... Delta Pi Sigma ... Business Administration major ... set shot artist ... well liked by all ... suspected of being a Democrat ... travels from Conshy in 41 Ford ... accident prone in winter ... Dean’s List ... ace in accounting ... likes recreation ... Business Administration Club sports enthusiast ... likes to travel.

JOSEPH H. ROSEN
"Joe Rock" ... sportsman ... 3 day classes ... “I can’t eat this” ... tennis enthusiast ... pinochle pro? ... “Frank Buck” ... “wake me for lunch” ... long distance lover ... three years plus summers ... “He’ll never learn” ... all will power ... “This year we’re really fixing up the room” ... big sea man ... you’ll do O.K. ... on to Jefferson.

SHIRLEY C. RITTENHOUSE
"Rit" ... Duryea’s First Lady ... Tau Sig veep ... hails from Hammonton ... O. C. fan ... wants a farm in Bucks County ... “did someone say CAKE?” ... pert pixie ... friendly smile ... “I’m getting fat” (at 100 pounds!) ... summer waitress ... plots with Liz and Diane ...; those midnight screams ... “Wait til I tell you!”

JANET SKINNER RUTH
"Janie” ... sparkling blonde of the Clamer clan ... “Where’s my letter from Donnie?” ... “Oh my gosh!” ... one of U.C.’s mermaids ... life guard in the summer ... “The thing is” ... O Chi gal ... chess and bridge occasionally ... Histo-Embryo in July and August ... February graduation ... Organic for hours.
ALLAN W. SARE
"Al" ... varsity soccer, baseball ... intramurals ... Demas secretary ... "Punchy" ... Beardwood, Newman Clubs ... Chem. Major ... eligible Trenton bachelor ... all of 6' 2" ... "T necan" Navy vet ... farmer's waiter ... "3-D" activities: darts, dates, Demas ... connoisseur of many "brands" ... "How about a date?" ... tall girls preferred ... "Valentino II" ... "Hoagie, Norm?" ... always a smile ... casual and genial.

FRANCIS S. SCHEIRER
"Posy" ... voice from the pulpit ... swing your partners! ... Messiah ... Meistersingers ... "Hit it, tenors!" ... Chess Club presy ... Chi Alpha wheel ... "Save me a seat at breakfast" ... ever present comp. courses ... Derr's "quiet hour" proctor ... numismatist ... "Soccer, in this?" ... intramural fiend ... part time Dean's Lister ... "Y" worker ... card wizard ... "Have you heard this one?"

H. RALPH SCHUMACHER
"Shoes" ... always an empty stomach ... crazy about basketball ... Varsity Club backer ... Demas enthusiast ... can be told anywhere by his walk ... Curtis proctor ... loves to travel in the blue beetle ... forever an "A" student ... future in medicine ... success likely ... large repertoire of dry humor ... self-made man ... well-liked by all.

GEORGE M. SENSENIG
"Sens" ... hails from Drexel Park ... Bus. Ad. major ... veep of Demas ... golf addict ... married to Dottie ... sports enthusiast ... memories of Daytona Beach ... Dr. Garrett's protege ... spends spare time selling houses ... summers at Ocean City ... Saturdays at Franklin Field ... supporter of Mill ... future in stained glass.

ROBERT C. SCHWAB
"Bob" ... loyal APE ... basketball ... Bus. Ad. Club ... Soph Ruler ... intramurals ... summers at Ocean City ... last of the "Big Four" ... vespers oarsman ... varsity dart team ... human alarm clock ... original Stine wrecker ... amiable personality ... liked by everyone.

MARVIN N. SCHWARTZ
"Herm" ... classics fanatic ... Buck Rogers, Jr. ... "It's a snap" ... Picasso of the Bio. labs ... "great, riot!" ... "Eureka, I found it!" ... "It couldn't happen to me" ... Vicks Vapo Rub, by mouth ... "so she's a vacuum" ... 4 day weekends ... "close that door!" ... "Dad."
ETHEL G. SHANER

"Ethel" . . Biology day student transfer . . anything in science goes . . Physiology operation a success; the rat lived . . . there must be a logical explanation . . . always walking on the grass . . . in a hurry . . . "Where is the car parked today?"

JAMES D. SHEEN


JAMES B. SHIVER

"Jim" . . president of the IRC . . loyal Sig Rho . . Debating Club . . . married vet . . . number "twenty laws" in Spanish . . . victim of circumstances; financial . . . was here in '02 . . . has pull in the Supply—wife works there . . . lousy bridge player . . . beer mugs; his and hers . . . law school in the Land of Sunshine.

MARY LOU SINGER


PRISCILLA A. SHINEHOUSE

"Prix" . . "Gotta' be in bed by 10:30" . . Tau Sig's prexy . . leader of the PSEASECDFTA . . one semester rooter for Plymouth-Whitemarsh . . tooter on the piccolo and flute . . . Hobson's representative to the Hall Board . . Junior Prom and May Queen court . . Fraternity Queen . . "English Club tonight?" . . . "next semester we'll loaf" . . . APE pin led to a diamond . . . "get me about 15 licorice sticks."

CARL C. SMITH

"Smite" . . co-captain of the basketball team . . Ruby Sports Editor . . Weekly reporter . . Demas and Varsity Club treasurer . . FTA vice-president . . the only paid practice teacher . . smooth dancer . . loves Wine, Women, and Song . . . a real hot-rodder . . . "Anybody for the drug?" . . . has been known to frequent girls' dorms . . . Proctor—"Knock it off" . . . real cool dresser.
HAROLD C. SMITH
“Pope Harold” . . . ye olde bell ringer of Freeland . . . Editor of Lantern . . . “doughnuts anyone?” . . . pulpit bound unless offered the presidency of the U.S. . . . survived the Freeland monsoons . . . “more whipped cream, please!” . . . “Where’s the little round one and the guppy?” . . . “Yes, yes, that’s it!” . . . will be most impressive with seven degrees . . . Burp!

NANCY J. SNYDER
“Snr” . . . first lady of Phi Psi . . . infectious laugh . . . works in A.C.—relaxes in O.C. . . . the midnight oil . . . a creative pen . . . our party gal . . . “Komm mit mir” . . . winning smile . . . procrastinator . . . she and Shakespeare . . . those Toni nights . . . fashion-wise . . . 11:30’s . . . resides in Fircroft . . . independent nature . . . interesting letters . . . long trek home . . . and madly teach.

WILLIAM P. SOURBER

JUDITH H. STANTON

LEONARD E. STOCKLER

JOHN C. STONER
“J.C.” . . . one of the awful three . . . sack time ace of Fetterolf . . . Pre-med society . . . staunch supporter of Sig Rho . . . seven and seven . . . Mary’s boy on Friday . . . “Some day” . . . flight to third floor . . . bound for Med school . . . quiet, helpful, industrious, subtle humorist . . . “rotate” . . . owns the Green Beetle . . . Dean’s List . . . great times in four years . . . “Hey, Dick!”
WILLIAM J. STOUT

"Bill"... dictator of Pfahler's third floor... "Gotta see Doc today"... those Beta Sig stags... proud owner of a 1954 wife... Norristown commuter... three year intramural ace... all left handers are crazy... Beardwood's guiding hand... math courses for hours... "Do your stats yet?"... viva la A's... Graduate school in Chem.

FLORENCE A. TINDALL

"Flossie"... Dr. Wagner's girl Friday... February grad... Oh, those wedding bells... weeks at Glenwood, weekends in Lansdale... tea parties with Hope... breakfast every day... Organic for hours—hours—and hours!... good things come in small packages.

BEVERLY R. TYRRELL

"Bev"... leads KDK... supply store cowgirl... fourth year fling... "How are ya?"... decorator deluxe... everybody's buddy... "Who wants to buy me a cup of coffee?"... always a willing fourth for bridge... Psychology major... those crazy ec. courses for hours... understanding... constant stream of chatter... extrovertish introvert... future in social work.

GEORGE M. THOMAS

"G.T."... third floor Pfahler lab assistant... oh, to dance... May Day ballerina... "No, I'm not a phsycedder!"... four year Clamerite... circus in room 9... "Who studies?"... "Well, anyway"... they're finally sophs... snap course... permanent Rosie from the start... Alpha Sigma Nu... Beardwood... Messiah... newcomer to Meistersingers... always on the go... must be a trick to this gearshift... headed for grad school.

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GEORGE B. VASKO

"George"... day student from Phoenixville... Bus. Ad. major... ardent union man and will argue on the subject anytime... independent... pinocle champ of the day study... hopes for a career in the legal end of union work... divides time between Ursinus and B.F. Goodrich... spends weekends at the Slovak Club.
ROLAND R. VOSS, JR.
"Rol" ... four years in Curtis ... Bus. Adder ... "Gotta fix my car"
... Intramural ace ... puts up with McNeill and Sholl ... Ocean City
dram-digger ... hiding from Uncle Sam ... "The Serpent" ... "That's
the way the ball bounces" ... allergic to getting up ... summers on the dock
... "Whitney" ... always dependable ... "Let's get something to eat."

KENNETH E. WALKER
"Coach" ... punt-return artist extra-
ordinary ... captains UC grid machine
... charter member of Bird-Watchers
... ZN'er all the way! ... "Where's
Glock?" ... citizen from Bird Hill ...
sumertime Gyrene—gold bar with di-
ploma ... those crazy crew-cuts ...
always in love ... Mecca at Central
Plaza ... not too shy! ... 944 bridge
enthusiast ... YoYo.

SHIRLEY A. WALTON
"Shirley" ... Psych. major ... Hon-
orary member of Sig Rho ... Senate's
Secretary ... incessant giggler ... lacks a few hours for her MRS. ...
"But I can't spend any more this week"
... Phi Psi Pal ... "You know?"
... Howie ... "Isn't he cute?" ... one of the Bancroft tribe.

ELIZABETH M. WEAVER
"Liz" ... diplomat by nature ... O'Chi's proxy ... she and Marion—
Fircroft's attic idiots ... second home: 944 ...
lasting friend ... good mem-
ory—but short ... beautiful brown
eyes ... bridge?? ... excellent con-
versationalist ... W.S.G.A. pillar ...
plots with Ritt and Diane ... Pol. Sci.
prima donna ... quaint expressions ...
last minute studying ... expressive
humor ... "Hey, doll."

FAYNE ELSESSER WEISER
"Pepper" ... la femme de Jean ... wonderful gal ... good for a laugh
anytime, anywhere ... French Club's
first lady ... Kappa Delta Kappa ...
stutters at the sight of a b-b- bug ...
"Wha-a-at?" ... "Oh, you kids" ...
"Shreiner girls do—Pepper did!" ...
White Sands, here she comes! ... four friends forever.

ALLAN L. WELTY
"Al" ... transfer from Valley Forge
Military Academy ... Business ...
U.S. Army bound ... classical records ...
"I'm Al, not Ken" ... roommates'
clothes ... Curtain Club ... "Let's
have a party" ... "Put some gas in
the car" ... "watch those whitewalks"
... Y Retreats ... those Boswell
courses ... "Call me in" ... "nasty
break" ... "Come up and see our
room."
JOHN H. WESTERHOF
“Preach”... student government stalwart... leader for or against anything... his announcements and talks are famous... “Are you still buying penny candy?”... Demas rooster... “Let’s have a stag!”... his tennis fine... Barney’s boy... head waiter... Cub and Key... hard worker, good friend... Harvard Divinity School bound.

DOROTHY H. WILSON
“Dotty”... Math major... four year Clamerite... hails from New York... “Wish you were here”... takes History for hours... “Let’s have a coke”... “Did I get any mail?”... Aggies fan... “You, too, can be replaced”... Messiah... understanding friend... future in research.

HERBERT N. WITTMAIER
“Herb”... transfer from Albright... day student from Plymouth Meeting... “Gotta hustle”... Bio. major for teaching... camera bug... name that bird... glock in marching band... bio. lab assistant... Messiah bass... size 13 shoe... that ’37 Chevy with the rear horn.

BARBARA A. WITZEL
“Berb”... “Hi, Gang”... “Have a pep tag”... 1st lady of 944... a New Yorker’s New Yorker... the summertime hostess with the mostest... Bus. Adder... winning ways... many moods... Bridge and Supply... O’Chi’s social committee... vogue but not vain... “I’m stuffed!”... a smiling face and a ready laugh... “Where’s M.J.?”.

J. WILLIAM DAVIS WRIGHT
“Whitey”... heads U.C. Spirit... leads the cheerleaders... “The Man Who Came to Dinner”... Veep of APE... Curtain Club... “Whitey’s Wit”... Soph Ruler... Bus. Ad. Club... one of the first in the T.G.I.F. Canterbury Club... The Worry Wart... flower pusher... remembered for his blow-up in front of Freeland... “The Bad Actor”.

LARRY F. ZARTMAN
“Larry”... President of Cub and Key... President of ZX... member of Campus Affairs Commission... soccer, baseball... Ruby business manager... Dean’s List... Business Administration Club... Vice-President of Senior Class... “Mr. Everything”... always good for two goals... Bus. Ad. Major extraordinary... “Big Game Hunter—Women”... fresh air fiend.
JOAN M. HIGGINS

"Joan" . . . loved Ursinus so much she had to come back . . . makes trips to the Bio Office a pleasure, even when it concerns yellow cards . . . faithful May Day dancer, Curtain Clubber, Phi Psi rooter . . . in every Ursinus chorus line . . . petite but wow! . . . that voice and that all-out smile . . . summers in Ocean City.

WILLIAM ZIMAKAS

"Bill" . . . The Greek . . . worried about his 92.3 average . . . Cub and Key . . . M.S.G.A. vice-president as a junior . . . BΣA . . . one of the "Y" boys . . . Campus Chest chairman . . . intramural athlete . . . has been known to play tennis . . . wrestling in the hall . . . Derr's lovable proctor . . . that night in the lower bunk . . . takes O2 for kicks . . . fourth year at Magill University but a degree from U. C.
ORGANIZATIONS

In All

We Become Closer Through

Our Activities . . .

From "Y" Functions To Dramatics.
Members of the Honor System Committee discuss the possibilities of having such a system at Ursinus. Left to right: Dave McLaughlin, Terry German, Nancy Lewis, and Robin Blood.

MEN'S STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION
Left to right: Don Parlee, Terry German, Bruce Holecombe, President Al Paolone, Earl Loder, Dave McLaughlin. Standing: Jack Westerhoff, Bill Rheiner, Dick Hennessey, and Bob Marsden.

WOMEN'S STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION
Left to right: Jean Hain, Jane Smith, Nancy Lewis, President Joan Fisher, Liz Weaver. Standing: Mary McKerihan, Margie Struth, and Robin Blood.
SOPH RULES COMMITTEE


HALL BOARD AND SENATE

"Here at Ursinus we are itty, bitty frosh." Freshman customs is just another phase of student government activity on our campus. The men and women have separate councils composed of representatives from each class and officers who are elected by the men and women students respectively. These councils cooperate for events such as the annual Christmas dance, the Lorelei, and on projects such as the honor system.

The W.S.G.A. Council, advised by Miss Stahr, performs the executive duties, the Senate composed of dorm representatives is the legislative body, and the Judiciary Board enforces the rules. Also under the W.S.G.A. are the Junior Advisory Committee, the Booster Committee, and the Big and Little Sister Committee.

The M.S.G.A. Council, aided by Dean Pancoast, performs the duties concerned with the governing of the men.

Congratulations of Joan Fisher and to Al Paolone for a good job in 54-55.
YM-YWCA OFFICERS
Standing: Phil How, vice-president, YMCA.
Seated, front: Midge Kramer, vice-president, YWCA; Connie Cross, secretary, YM-YWCA; Chet Frankenfield, treasurer, YM-YWCA. Seated, back: Jack Matlaga, YMCA president; Mary Gillespie, YWCA president.

YM-YWCA CABINET

CHI ALPHA
Religious Fellowships

"We, the Young Men's and Young Women’s Christian Association of Ursinus College, unite to affirm our faith in one God and our belief in the Christian way of life." With this purpose in mind, our "Y" worked to make the "C", in Y.M.Y.W.C.A., meaningful in all its activities.

Before the freshmen arrived, the "Y" was busy making arrangements for their orientation and welcome, after which a doggie roast officially opened our year. From then on, the "Y" began its real work—Sunday evening Vespers, Bible study guided by Dr. Armstrong, morning watch services, a music seminar, bloodmobile, various speakers, a Sadie Hawkins dance with the W.A.A., a mid-year square dance, U.N. study groups, and other activities. One of the highlights of the fall semester was our "Y" Retreat, interrupted by Hurricane Hazel. Also, in striving to serve the campus, the "Y" undertook the modernization and repainting of the Rec Center.

To try to say all that the "Y" does in a few words is next to impossible. For instance, few people know about the "little" things, such as—helping with local Girl Scouts and Brownies, Sunday morning nursery, providing faculty with baby sitters, and working with C.T high school students.

The reason for so much of the success of the "Y" has been a truly active membership and a cabinet that has shown unusual willingness and interest in all they have done. We thank all of you for making this year's "Y" a memorable one.

NEWMAN CLUB
Seated, left to right: Freeman, Polto, president; Witzel. Standing: Orsini, Donia, Sare.

CANTERBURY CLUB
Seated, left to right: Bates, Earle, president; Parlee, Griefer, Martin. Standing: Lewis, Wright, Moran, Moehs, Bailey, Baltz, Smith, Beach.
Pi Gamma Mu is the national social science honor society whose life members have maintained a B average in twenty hours of social studies courses. A banquet held in the spring, at which a prominent person in the field of the social sciences speaks, highlights the year's activities.

Seated, left to right: Weaver, H. Smith, Pollock, Herrmann, Bergmann. Standing: Herman, Gillespie, Mistovich, Sourber.
Who

John H. Westerhoff
Priscilla A. Shinehouse

William D. Wright
Larry F. Zartman

CUB AND KEY

The CUB AND KEY Society is an honorary society giving recognition and honor to the men leaders of the campus. The purpose of the society is to stimulate the male students to become worthy sons of Ursinus by encouraging their participation in and support of extra curricular activities by promoting among them a desire to achieve high scholastic standing, and by fostering respect for and observance of all college regulations.

ROSACRUCIANS

The attainment of an 87.5 average for four semesters enables Ursinus women to become permanent members of the Rosicrucians. Each semester all women attaining this average are invited to attend some function of the Rosicrucians held in their honor and are considered temporary members. Unlike many honorary societies, scholastic achievement is the only qualification required for membership, but one finds "Rosies" are active in all campus affairs.
LONG BEFORE the Class of 1955 even attained senior status the work of the 1955 Ruby had begun. Early in the spring of their junior year Elsie Belz and Roland Dedkind were elected co-editors and Larry Zartman and Kathy Feucht were chosen business managers. The first job was the selection of the publishing house and photographers. And then the fun began—planning the dummy, scheduling pictures, provoking professors by interrupting classes, having 4 A. M. typing sessions in Room 11 of Shreiner. And for the business manager there was a constant round of selling books, having charge of concessions, selling advertisement and other duties.

The task was far from easy but we, the staff, and our fellow students will always feel proud of this, the result of our efforts, the 1955 Ruby.

Marian Haslam and Liz Weaver
Portrait Scheduling

Norm Pollock and Bev Tyrrell
Candid

Marilyn Freeman and Carl Smith
Sports

Chet Frankenfield and Barbara Witzel
Picture Scheduling

Peggy Montgomery and Bill Wright
Art

Judy Stanton and Beth Dolde
Proofreading and Typing

Jack Westerhoff and Nancy Bergmann
Features

Al Sare—Senior Writeups
Liz Weaver—Managing Editor
The first issue of the fifty-fourth volume of the Ursinus Weekly appeared to Ursinus students on Monday evening, October 11, 1954. In the issues that followed, many unique features were inaugurated. George Pauff began a new column entitled "How I See It..." in addition to a series of "Know Your College" articles. Harold Smith initiated the dangerous post of play critic. David Garlich wrote a column called "Abstractly Speaking" which forewarned the readers of the article's contents. Editorial decreased in number and a "Condensed Ed." appeared in several issues. A serial, "Deep Passion," crept into the paper.

Advertising fell off slightly and forced the Weekly to reduce its number of six-page issues. Despite this inconvenience, the Weekly appeared twenty-two times (in addition to a two-page Star Extra on November 22) and consistently covered the happenings of the College to the best of its ability.
EDITORIAL STAFF
Seated, left to right: Bowman, sports editor; Dedekind, editor-in-chief; Kramer, news editor; Hain, assistant managing editor. Standing: Garlich, managing editor; Pauff, features editor; Herrmann, assistant copy editor; Okino, copy editor; L. White, A. Wertz, assistant news editor, W. Wright.

NEWS AND FEATURE STAFFS
Seated, left to right: Dolde, Kramer, Wertz, Belz, McKelvie. Standing: Leger, Shelly, Okino, Pauff, Hain, Herrmann, Smith, Mistrovich, White, Wright.

SPORTS STAFF
THE LANTERN

Harold Smith, editor-in-chief of the Lantern, is talking with the printer regarding the publication of the campus literary magazine. Harold succeeded Roland Dedekind in this position.

The 1954-55 Academic Year saw the publication of the three issues of Volume XXIII of the Lantern, the Ursinus literary journal. These issues were brought out by an enlarged staff in the face of a tradition of hostility on the part of the student body toward this publication. However, the staff put forth a great effort to improve the magazine.

Results of this effort are obvious to those who read the Lantern. There has been a marked increase in the quality and quantity of the material published; covers have been greatly improved; illustrations have become more interesting and appropriate; and, most important of all, the campus interest in and attitude toward the Lantern has become more favorable.

The year saw great progress for the Lantern, and, with the help of the student body, such progress can continue.

LANTERN STAFF

International
Relations Club

The International Relations Club is devoted to the study and discussion of affairs on the international scene. The club makes several trips during the year to observe the United Nations in action and to participate with other colleges in Model United Nations Groups. Affiliation with other colleges in the United States, through the Collegiate Council on the United Nations and the Association of International Relations Clubs, makes it possible to promote a positive program on the campus and to increase the interest of all students in world affairs.

Booster Committee

Composed of members of the Freshman class, the Booster Committee’s job is the making of posters for activities on campus. Whenever an organization needs advertisements, this group of girls can be called upon to do a good job in making the posters. The members are selected by the girls in the class. Annette Wynia headed the group this year.


Debating Club

This year the Debating Club engaged in a vigorous schedule of intercollegiate contests against such schools as Immaculata, St. Joseph’s, University of Pennsylvania, LaSalle, Haverford, and Swarthmore. With the exception of our two experienced teams composed of veterans Schorsch and Grenitz, and Muhlin and Hector, who debated together successfully in high school, the rest of the club was relatively inexperienced. For them it was a year of gaining skills while debating the national collegiate question pertaining to recognition of Red China.

English Club

The English Club is composed of a comparatively small group of junior and senior English majors. These students meet every other Monday at the home of Dr. McClure where they read and discuss the plays of Shakespeare and other literary works. The Club usually does not meet until second semester because of the large number of practice teachers within the group.


French Club

Parlez-vous français? Members of the French Club have loads of fun trying. Famous for its sponsoring of a French film each year, the Club also held a political discussion, a Soirée of Music and its annual Christmas party complete with punch. Not to be forgotten are the French apple pies and the farewell banquet. Among its other activities the club also participates each year in the Cultural Olympics in Philadelphia.

Seated, left to right: Sulliff, Frankenfield, treasurer; Kutzer, Standing at right: DeSimone, president. Back row: Miller, secretary; Pollock, Mistovich, Kelley, Shelly, Evans.

Chess Club

This year has been one of reorganization and rebuilding for the Chess Club. A large number of freshmen and a few upperclassmen gave the club new vitality. Under the able guidance of Dr. Manning, the newcomers progressed rapidly. Three freshmen and three seniors comprised a surprisingly strong team. Because of the time consumed by organization, there were fewer matches than usual. Prospects for the future are very good.

Seated at the table: Scheirer and Sourbeer. Left to right: Bretzger, Steubing, Mack, Dr. Manning, adviser; Millham, Guarnieri, Vasco, Rockett.
Future Teachers of America

Under the capable advisorty of Mr. J. A. Minnich, the Future Teachers of America experienced a very successful year. President Ethel Lutz and her co-workers, Carl Smith, vice-president, Jean Hain, secretary, and Hazel Okino, treasurer, planned many interesting and varied meetings. Some of these included a skit by the practice teachers, several informative films on education, and a program presented by a Philadelphia exchange teacher who had taught in England. The Ursinus F.T.A. chapter was again host to the Southeastern District of the F.T.A. on March 12.


Pre-Legal Society

The purpose of the Pre-Legal Society is to serve as a center of information and discussion of the various aspects of the law. The activities of the society this year included a mock gubernatorial election, guest speakers, a trip to a court trial, and the annual banquet. The members are kept informed of the requirements for entering graduate schools and the opportunities in the field of law.
Brownback-Anders Pre-Medical Society

During the course of four years of association through labs and lectures, one realizes there is no typical pre-medical student. As a group they share a common goal, but as individuals each has his own philosophy, values and ambitions.

The efforts and sacrifices of these students are completely different, as are the obstacles each must overcome. Here at Ursinus they have had an opportunity to grow, to encounter varied experiences and to meet both the successes and frustrations which are part of their preparation. All who begin in the medical field do not finish, and all who finish do not realize their expectations. This page is a dedication not to some but to all who have been a part of the work and have been made richer by it.

Leonard Stockler
President, Brownback-Anders Pre-Medical Society.

Senior Members of the Pre-Medical Society—First row: Gerber, Dr. Wagner, Leonard, Stockler, president; Brown. Second row: Davis, Blanzae, Jablon, Greenberg, Goldenberg, Meisel, Baltz, Angstadt. Third row: Schwartz, Stoner, Beach, Schumacher.

Len Stockler, president, and Dr. Wagner, adviser of the Brownback-Anders Pre-Medical Society.
Dr. Roger P. Staiger, adviser, and Bill Stout, president of the Beardwood Society, are shown in the Chemical Library, which is one of the projects of the Chemical Society.

Russell Grebe, a member of the Chem Society, is working in Quan Lab.

Beardwood Chemical Society

The Beardwood Chemical Society at its opening meeting of the year heard Mr. W. Herman Barcus from the Sun Oil Company speak on "Opportunities for Chemists in the Petroleum Industry." Later in the month the society took a plant trip through the Sun Oil Company at Marcus Hook, Pa.

Throughout the year, the society has heard speakers from various laboratories in the nearby vicinity and seen films about the field. A plant trip to Smith, Kline and French Laboratories completed the activities of the Chemical Society for the year.

The biggest project of the Beardwood Society is the maintenance and enlarging of the Chemical Library located on the third floor of Pfahler.

Membership in the Delta Tau Cast of Alpha Psi Omega, a national honorary fraternity, is extended to those students who have contributed outstanding work to college dramatics. The thrill of acting, the headaches of directing, and the trials of committee work are all necessities before one is allowed to wear the blue and gold colors and receive the formal initiation. The important highlight of this year’s activities was the presentation of a selection from Dicken’s David Copperfield on T.V.

Jim Bowers, president of Alpha Psi Omega, and Gene Greenberg, president of the Curtain Club.

Karen Andre, portrayed by Dot Patterson, and District Attorney Flint, played by Dick Hector, the leads in The Night of January 16th.

Alpha Psi Omega

ALPHA PSI OMEGA
Seated, left to right: Allen, Bergmann, vice president; Bowers, president; Higgins, Brown, secretary-treasurer; Patterson. Standing: Jones, Greenberg, Dolman.
Jim Terry, in the role of Larry Regan in *The Night of January 16th*, is shown on the stand in the trial for the murder of Bjorn Faulkner.

The Ursinus College Curtain Club, well known in this area for its high calibre performances, started the season with W. W. Jacobs' *The Monkey's Paw*, co-directed by Wayne Millward and Bobbie Hunt.

For the major fall production the hours of rehearsals and the worn nerves of the student director, Jim Bowers, paid off in the tenseness created by the courtroom drama *The Night of January 16th*, by Ann Rand.

A courtroom scene from *The Night of January 16th*.

During the rest of the year the members were kept busy with group productions led by *Lithuania*, co-directed by Dot Patterson and Bill Wright; and the humorous spring production, *My Three Angels*. As is customary, the season was climaxed by a picnic with the Helflerichs as hosts.

Whether it was locating an obscure prop, whispering forgotten lines to panicking actors, painting sets, or experimenting with grease paint, a large number of theatre-minded students found a place in this year's club.

**Stars and Players**

MEISTERSINGERS


Meistersingers

The Meistersingers emphasized three major projects this year. The group formed the nucleus of the Messiah chorus which, with the guest soloists and orchestra members, gave one of the most dynamic performances of Handel's masterpiece ever heard at Ursinus. The excellence of the production was evidenced by the fact that a national recording company made records for interested students.

The Meistersingers also presented a formal spring concert at which show and folk music was offered. Once again the Meistersingers toured New Jersey in the spring, presenting a fine series of sacred and secular concerts in churches and schools.
The Ursinus College band, directed by Les Beach, is shown in full formation, including color guard and majorettes, on Homecoming Day.

Two years ago Les Beach assumed command of the Ursinus College Band. At that time the band was in rather sad shape—their selections were dull, their uniforms were nondescript, there was a complete lack of unity.

Within two years, however, there’s been a complete transformation. The selections of the Band are lively and interesting. There’s a definite interest on the part of the members and the student body. We congratulate those who have accomplished this and hope that the Band will continue to improve.

Left to right: Marilyn Freeman, Connie Thomas, Ruth Wilke, Marilyn Welsh, Jody Myers, Charlene Ziegler, Jeanette Yeager.

The Band
SORORITIES

The Bonds Of Fraternity Life Join Us Even More Closely.

AND FRATERNITIES
Inter-Fraternity—Sorority Councils

The Inter-Sorority Council has been concerned primarily with the preferential bidding system this year. After much discussion and many changes the Council felt that it had succeeded in establishing a satisfactory system. The Council once again helped in making a success of the annual Lorelei and had the usual fine time in introducing sororities to the freshmen women at the after-dinner dessert.

The Inter-Fraternity Council is a group organized for the preservation of fair play among the social fraternities of Ursinus College. The council consists of twelve members, two representatives from each fraternity. The chief concerns of the council this year were regulating rushing and preparing the six fraternities for the expected enlargement of the College in the near future which is being made possible by the generous Pew grant.
"Sigma Nu's a mighty crew." So go the words to one of our favorite songs, and there were many things in the activities of the sorority to prove the statement true. The Old Timers' Day luncheon, the dinner before the Lorelei, the St. Patrick's Day party, and the annual Christmas and Easter parties given for the Rivercrest Preventorium are among the varied activities. The annual dinner dance and trip to the shore put the final touches on Sigma Nu's social events. Members of the sorority are active in all aspects of campus life and hold an enviable academic record. Sigma Nu's sponsors are Mrs. Heilemann, Mrs. Mattern, and Mrs. Hutchison.

Members of Alpha Sigma Nu and Beta Sigma Lambda are shown at their Christmas party for the children of the Rivercrest Preventorium.


Another picture of the Alpha Sigma Nu — Beta Sigma Lambda Christmas party.
"FRIENDS, FRIENDS, friends, we will always be . . ." signifies the very backbone of Kappa Delta Kappa, both during the school year and after graduation when we meet at the annual Christmas luncheon in Philadelphia and at the Old Timers’ Day luncheon. Our circle of friends does not stop here. Parties with Delta Pi Sigma, our brother fraternity, are frequent and we join them annually for an orphanage party. Our social calendar commonly includes bowling parties and trips to the theater. Of course, we take advantage of the usual money-making schemes, one of which was a cake sale. Our school year ends with a dinner dance at Phoenixville Country Club when the girls change from their green and gold jackets into formal attire to climax our social season.

Lois, Pat, and Maryhelen in their skit given at the KD rushing party.

The members of K Δ Κ at the home of their advisor, Mrs. Allan Rice, for their formal initiation.
The new members of Omega Chi are seen in their informal initiation garb.

Omega Chi—part of the gay side of our college life. Things we’ll remember: welcoming our alumnae to the Homecoming Day luncheon at Lakeside . . . a proud day for our five fraternity queens . . . rushing, hectic but successful as eleven new members joined the ranks . . . fun at informal initiation and more solemn moments at formal . . . a great party co-sponsored with Demas . . . the dinner before the Lorelei . . . spring days and maroon and white jackets re-appeared . . . a wonderful dinner dance at Brookside . . . smiling faces at our Easter party with Beta Sig for the orphans . . . a fabulous shore weekend . . . thanks received for the Easter favors sent to Valley Forge Heart Institute. What more to say but one last “Vive O Chi!”

First row: Marcon, corresponding secretary; Frantz, recording secretary; Durn, treasurer; Weaver, president; Mason, vice-president; Barron, chaplain; Witzel, social chairman. Second row: Weiler, Kruse, Lawley, Rack, Wilck, Thomas Kinderman, Bowman, Parkhurst, Becker, Loper, Kyritis, Georgaris. Third row: Henry, Brown, Arms, Helker, Turzzo, Freeman, McCann, Dandrea, Burns, Stahl, Frew.

The O Chi rushers with their traditional red scarves and sorority keys on their foreheads on informal initiation day.
Phi Alpha Psi

"... though years find us scattered afar," many wonderful and vivid memories will linger on for the '55 alumnae of Phi Alpha Psi. Perhaps it was because this was our last year as active "Pals," but Old Timers' Day luncheon at Moorehead's; our rushing party at Dolman's; informal initiation with knee socks, Bermudas, and blazers; bake sales; Christmas letters done at Martha's; party for "us" at Kimberton—party for "others" at Christ's Home; that usual great weekend at O.C.; and the perfect ending to a perfect year—our dinner dance at Brookside... all these will be tucked away with a blue and gold ribbon and remembered always.

First row: Montgomery, sentinel; Cheney, corresponding secretary; Bream, recording secretary; Snyder, president; Myers, vice-president; Stanton, treasurer; Heller, chaplain. Second row: Walton, Fay, DeOlden, Smith, Davis, Dawson, Olmo, McCalmont, Dawkins, Derk, Sutton, Swallick, Jones. Third row: Higgins, Breuninger, Singer, Shumaker, Patterson, Ross, Miller, Herrmann, Edwards.
The fun and fellowship of Tau Sigma Gamma can be summed up in the words of a favorite sorority song... "Tau Sig spirit never dies." This spirit is ever present from the hectic rushing season in the fall to the formal dinner dance in the spring. It is traditional for the Tau Sig girls to meet in Philadelphia during the Christmas holidays for a luncheon and theater party, and also to spend a weekend of fun and sun at the shore when warmer weather comes. Nor does Tau Sig spirit die upon graduation, for on Old Timers' Day Tau Sig alumnae return to renew old friendships.

"Go Tau Sig Way!"—the slogan of the sorority. Looks like quite a crew did just that last fall.

Five Tau Sig gals — Ricky, Nesta, Barb, Nancy, and Scotty.
WELL-ROUNDEDNESS IS THE KEYNOTE of Alpha Phi Epsilon fraternity. This quality makes it practically impossible to single out any one member or activity as outstanding for the year. The fraternity as a whole gives the true picture. APE brothers are unsurpassed in athletic prowess and especially in fellowship. APE stags are memorable and the open parties, including “The Rebel Retreat,” interrupted by a small scale blizzard, were highlights of the social calendar. APE’s activities included, in addition, their Old Timers’ Day party at the Old Mill, made more festive when the APE queen, Mims Lawley, became Homecoming Queen; the spring dinner dance, and other events all of which proved successful.

First row: Subin, corresponding secretary; Greenberg, treasurer; Orsini, president; Wright, vice-president; Levin, secretary; Bowers. Second row: Stipa, Padula, Cranston, Edson, Aucott, Schwab, Carver, Neborak, Loder, MacIntyre, Hottenstein. Third row: Tull, Heydt, Slotter, Jewett, Law, Nunn, Karasic, Winograd, Conti, Townsend, Jesperson.
The highlight of Beta Sigma Lambda’s fall activities was the presentation of Bill Haley and His Comets in Norristown. Previous to that, Beta Sig conducted a Christmas party for the children of the Rivercrest Preventorium. The fraternity’s fall rushing party was held at the Collegeville Legion following which seven new members were given bids. The initiation period was climaxd by a party held at the Graterford Hotel. Homecoming Day found the brothers welcoming back the alumni at a cocktail party. Spring activities included the annual dinner dance at the Reading Country Club, a charity dance for the Campus Chest, an Easter egg hunt for the children of the Preventorium, and a second open party.
Delta Mu Sigma

Distinguished in any crowd by their green jackets, the members of Delta Mu Sigma are also easily noticed as leading in many of the activities at Ursinus. Better known as Demas, they have many of the traditional activities such as initiations, fraternity trips, spring dinner dance, and this year a new precedent was started by having all rushees do at least one hour’s work for the school. Added to these were an early season doggie roast, a never-to-be-forgotten open stag, and a rip-roaring party with their sister sorority, Omega Chi. Fraternity trips, checks bouncing, fast meetings, pizza excursions, annual out-house on campus, rushee’s poems, and the annual bungler award are the things that will long be remembered.


Members of Demas entertaining the girls of South on the night of the Christmas festivities.

Jack McNeill at the Bronx Zoo, one of his stops on his fraternity trip. Wonder what’s in those packages?
Delta Pi Sigma

Delta Pi Sigma is a fraternity founded on work. The 1954-55 year is the proof. Under the leadership of Don Adams the fraternity sponsored two basic kinds of activities: social affairs and community projects. In the first classification were the Homecoming Day dinner at Lakeside, the New Year’s Eve party, the annual fraternity party, and the spring dinner-dance at the Reading Country Club. 1954-55 will be most readily recalled for the charitable projects which the fraternity undertook. The donation of a tree to the school campus, the clothing drive, the Christmas party at the Orphans’ Home, and the one hundred dollar contribution to the Campus Chest served to make this the peak in Delta’s brief history.

Members of Delta Pi Sigma are shown at the site of their gift to the College, a new tree to help replace those ruined by Hazel.

This looks like it might be the storming of the Bastille. Actually, it’s just Don Adams and company storming Bomberger.
Sigma Rho Lambda

This was a busy year for all of us. Our president, Gerry Cox, led us through two highly successful semesters which saw many big projects undertaken. It was our twenty-fifth anniversary, and we celebrated it with a gala supper and dance on February 19. To commemorate this milestone in our history, the fraternity endowed the College with a $1,000 scholarship and the Sigma Rho "Newsletter" to its alumni was reorganized. Our present members were joined by some alumni for two very fine dinners, Homecoming Day and the spring dinner-dance. A few loud stags and a weekend in the Poconos rounded out our activities.

Pete Earle, Joe Donia and Chet Frankenfield after their fraternity trip to Niagara Falls and sundry other places.

Sigma Rho’s Homecoming Queen for 1954, Miss Barbara Rack.
Zeta Chi is a brotherhood fostering fellowship and loyalty. Through the years, the brothers have always kept the close ties which bind them fraternally and also have endeavored to carry out the cardinal principles of the fraternity. This can be seen in the many functions in which both present and past members engage. The current fraternity is composed of thirty-three members, possessing various talents, and active in many extra-curricular activities on campus. This year Zeta Chi added to campus life by holding its annual “Football Finale” and also a dance party with its Tau Sig “sisters.” The traditional dinner dance in the spring also highlighted the year’s activities. Having enjoyed fine leadership in the past, the tradition has been bolstered by having top campus leaders head the fraternity.

First row: Bowman, S. Brown, secretary; Zartman, president; Paolone, vice-president; Chapis, treasurer; Smith, corresponding secretary. Second row: Walker, Weber, Ruth, Lawhead, Hummel, McWilliams, Crane. Third row: Osiak, German, Schwartz, Reiner, Knauf, Goldenberg, Briner, Frank.
ATHLETICS

Our Support In The Past
Four Years Will Extend
For A Life Time...
The 1954 football season again proved to be a successful one as the Bruin eleven rounded out the season with a 4-3-1 slate. This record is comparable to that of last year but a few changes were made in this year’s gridiron schedule. Moravian and Brooklyn College replaced Dickinson and Franklin and Marshall, the latter having been snowed out last season.

The Bruins opened the season with Susquehanna University by downing them, 12-0. Next, playing host to a strong Drexel squad, the Bears seemed to fall apart in the second half after playing good ball the first half. At Haverford, the Ursinus eleven again bounded back into the win column. Returning home for the annual Homecoming Day clash with Swarthmore, the Bears disappointed the crowd a little. After leading at half time by a 14-6 score, they again faltered in the second half as the contest ended in a 20-20 deadlock. But the Bears recovered to crush Wagner College only to fall to a very strong Moravian Club. Traveling north, the Bruins added another victory by shutting out Brooklyn College. The Ursinus squad terminated the season by playing host to Juniata which again proved too powerful.

Judging by the facial expressions of the Bears, it's a tense moment in the Drexel game.

Dick Dickerson is about to be knocked out of bounds on the Swarthmore five after catching a pass. The game ended in a 20-20 tie.

Les Applegate, end, stops a Drexel back trying to skirt the flank. The Dragons won handily, 41-13.
Only three men will be lost through graduation. Captain Ken Walker, elusive half-back, ended his career after playing a very sparkling brand of ball throughout the entire season. Another very scrappy backfield man, Al “Bear” Paolone, hung up his jersey after playing four years with the club. These backfield men were very ably assisted by rugged lineman Nick “the Greek” Chapis who leaves an opening in the right tackle slot.

Prospects for the 1955 season look very good, despite the loss of these three stalwarts, as “most valuable player of the year” Paul Neborak will return to captain a squad which will be comprised of veterans Carver, Donnelly, Briner, Heydt, Krasley, Slotter, and freshman standout, Bob Famous, who gained considerable fame this past season.

And so another winning season on the gridiron came to a close, a season to be remembered by all because of the fight, spirit and grim determination shown by each and every player.

Don Don Carver can’t quite reach a Neborak pass as Ursinus fell before a powerful Drexel squad, 41-13.

Bear quarterback Paul Neborak gains six yards on a sneak against Wagner. Ursinus defeated the Seahawks, 34-7.
Senior members of the 1954 Football Team: Nick Chapis, Al Paolone and Ken Walker.

 Ursinus end Harry Donnally snags a quick jump pass against Drexel.

 VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE 1954

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Scatback Dick Padula finds rough going around right end against Juniata. Juniata kept their record clean, 26-6.
Basketball

Returning from last year's basketball squad were six lettermen who formed the nucleus of the '54-'55 team. Although only two men were lost through graduation they proved to be a big loss in the persons of co-captains Bill Burger and Herb Knoll. This year Coach Harry Spangler centered his effort around co-captains Gene Harris and Carl Smith, Ralph Schumacher who was voted on the first team of the Southern Division of the Middle Atlantic Conference last year, brother Jack, a very promising sophomore and senior Art Ehlers, with Paul Neborak proving very valuable also. With the beginning of the second semester came another very good sophomore prospect, 6'4" Jack Taylor.

Beginning the season with a close 80-77 victory over a visiting National Aggie club the Ursinus quintet traveled west, losing to Juniata but chalking up their second win at Susquehanna. Going down by ten points to F. & M., the hoopsters got back into the winning column by defeating Philadelphia Pharmacy and Swarthmore, playing four games inside of seven days.

Jack Taylor jumps, tipping the rebound to Ralph Schumacher.
After their first league win the courtmen ran into trouble, the cause of which again proved to be lack of height, our tallest consistent player being a mere 6'2". By playing a fast, hustling type of ball the Bears were always able to keep up with the opponents for the first half. Then, having expended most of their energy during this first half to stay in the game, the Bruins just couldn’t keep up with the big men who could play a more leisurely type of game. As a result the opponents almost always jumped to a quick third quarter lead which they were able to maintain, coasting to victory. What the team lacked in height they made up in hustle and scrappiness but they just couldn’t maintain the fast pace they needed to keep up with their taller opponents throughout the entire game.
J.V. Basketball

The purpose of the J.V. basketball team is to build ballplayers for the varsity squad. Experience and team play, probably the most important traits of a team, are gained by playing junior varsity ball. This year’s Junior Bears have made a good showing. For the first time in six years the Cubs have come through with a winning season. Coached by Reed Watson and led by co-captains Bart Wilson and Don Sowers this year’s J.V.’s have played above par, winning well over half the games played. It wouldn’t be right to say that the games lost were all heart-breakers. In most cases it was the old story of lack of height. But it can be said that the games won were on spirit and grim determination to come out victorious.

J.V. BASKETBALL TEAM
Standing: Watson, coach; Sloss, Hause, Moser, Churn, Knabe, Berger.
LED BY ONE of the greatest booters in the Bears’ long history, Larry Zartman, the Ursinus soccer team concluded its most successful season in recent decades with a 7-3 record. Zartman was named to the All-Middle Atlantic team on which Captain Gerry Cox and Ed Dawkins received honorable mention also. Zartman was also named on the All-Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware first team as was Bill Rheiner who received honorable mention. Sophomore Dave Burger proved a tremendous goalie allowing only 14 goals to be scored while the Bears tallied 22, Zartman accounting for 13, in their ten-game schedule. Among the notable victories was a 4-0 win over LaSalle and a 3-2 victory against Drexel. At the close of the season, Wayne Engle and Charlie Tricebock were chosen as co-captains for 1955.


Soccer

Gerry Cox, captain of the Ursinus 1954 soccer team, practices penalty kicking in the pre-game warm-up.

Larry Zartman, chosen for the first team of the Middle Atlantic All-Star soccer team, loosens up before a game.
Wrestling

Bolstered by unparalleled strength in the first three weights, the Ursinus wrestling team compiled a record-tying six-and-one slate to equal the mark established by the 1950 squad, best in Ursinus' history. The 123, 130, and 137 pound entries, labeled the "Lightweight Brigade," romped undefeated in 21 bouts, as co-captains Ed Dawkins and Al Paolone, and Dick Padula bested all comers. Dawkins pinned five, Padula four, and Paolone two. The Ursinus hopes for recognition in the Middle Atlantic Association championship at Del-

aware were expected to ride on the backs of the lightweights.

Ursinus opened the season with a close 14-12 victory over Swarthmore, then suffered its only loss, a 21-11 affair, to Lafayette. Bouncing back, the Grizzly grapplers won five straight, smothering Haverford 26-7, edging Delaware 18-12, and humbling Bucknell 23-7. They next overpowered highly-touted Muhlenburg 23-15, and ended the season by humiliating Drexel 29-5.

Middle Atlantic championship contenders—Dick Padula, Ed Dawkins and Al Paolone.

Dick Briner wrestling Crippen of Drexel. “Bruno” won the decision, 5-1.

Individual surprise of the year was 157-pounder Don Knauf who finished 4-1-1, pinning three men (the quickest in 40 seconds at Drexel). Sophomore Dick Heydt, 167-pounder was 4-1-1, and was a team mainstay. Dick Briner, 147-pounder, started off slowly, but won his last three bouts to go 4-2 for the season. George Aucott, 177-pounder and heavyweight was 2-1-1, winning both on pins. Jack Townsend, Gene Berman, and Fred Godshall also wrestled varsity.

Scoring five team points for a pin and three points for a decision, the individual totals were as follows: Dawkins, 35; Padula, 29; Paolone, 25; Knauf, 20; Heydt and Briner, 14; Aucott, 10; and Rigler, 2.
Fielding what promised to be the strongest team in Ursinus baseball history, Coach Sieb Pancoast and captain Art Ehlers hoped to improve on last year’s impressive 12-1 record.

The pitching staff was composed of Art Ehlers, who played shortstop when not pitching; Bob Slotter, Andy Carter, and pitcher-outfielders Don Allebach and Paul Neborak. The catching duties were handled by Arlin Lapp. Infielders were Gene Harris at first base; Larry Zartman, second base; Ted Sholl, third base; and Bob Crigler, utility infielder. Dick Hause filled the other outfield position. The team was able to rely on capable replacements in Al Stipa, Jack Townsend, Al Sare, and George Carson.

Coach Pancoast anticipated that the tough seventeen-game schedule that the team faced would be ably handled by his strong pitching staff and powerful array of hitters.

The team lost seniors Art Ehlers, Gene Harris, Don Allebach, Andy Carter, Larry Zartman, and Al Sare through graduation, all of whom will be greatly missed by next year’s squad.

VARSITY BASEBALL SCHEDULE — 1955

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Senior Don Allebach, outfielder and pitcher, prepares to lay down a bunt in a pre-game warm-up.

Captain Art Ehlers, fastballing pitcher, rifles one of his specialties into the catcher before the Drew game.

SENIOR MEMBERS OF THE SQUAD

First baseman Gene Harris awaits a late throw as an opponent beats out an infield hit.
Although the 1954 track record showed one win, three losses and one tie, the team, sparked by Captain Dick Eshbach, gave Coach Ray Gurzynski much to be proud of.

Accounting for eight points in the Middle Atlantics held at La Salle College were Eshbach, with a second place in the hurdles, and sophomore Ben Settles, with a well-deserved second place in the broad jump.

Outstanding performances were turned in by Skip Ruth, a mainstay of the 1955 team, who averaged nine points a meet in the weight department. Dick Eshbach, who set two Ursinus records in the high and low hurdles and undefeated Ben Settles in the broad jump.

With Eshbach having graduated and Settles having left, the 1955 team found rebuilding necessary. Harry Donnelly captained the 1955 team which was built around Skip Ruth, and newcomers Bart Wilson, Carl Herwig and Al Frank.

**1954 TRACK TEAM**
With a successful season of four wins and four losses behind them the 1955 Tennis Team started preparing for the new season. The graduation last spring of five members of the varsity and the absence of Coach Eugene Miller, traveling in Japan, meant the possibility of rough-going for the team. Captain Pete Jesperson had to build a new team around himself and Jack Westerhoff, a four year man. Additional mainstays were Tom Ely and Gerry Cox.

There were some promising freshmen playing in the intramural tennis tournament last spring. Particularly outstanding was Eugene Morith who, together with the other newcomers, was a big help. In the absence of Dr. Miller, Sidney Quinn, well known around Collegeville, became the team’s coach.

1954 VARSITY TENNIS TEAM

Miller, coach; Kenny, Schwartz, Bernhardt, Jesperson, Westerhoff, Rotman, Radomski, Fellows.
Hockey

THOUGH OFF TO A SLOW START, the '54 Hockey Squad completed its season by beating Penn, 2-0. They were very ably captained by Phyl Stadler.

Senior members of the varsity were Joanne Kuhn, left fullback, and Liz “Rebel” Mason, playing right inner.

Vonnie Gros very skillfully held the right fullback position with Ricky Bauer guarding the cage. Backing up the line were Anne Shick, Jane Dunn, Ruth Heller and Sue Holmes. In scoring positions for the Belles were Agnes Watson, Phyl Stadler, Marge Dawkins, Nesta Lewis and Liz Mason.

Coached by Miss Eleanor Snell and Miss Jen Price, the girls’ record was three wins, two ties and three losses.

Credit is due those members of the squad who placed in the All-College Tournament. They were Ruth Heller and Ricky Bauer, first team; Joanne Kuhn, third team; Nesta Lewis, Phyl Stadler, Marge Dawkins, Jane Dunn, fourth team; and Vonnie Gros and Liz Mason, honorable mention. Those who made the All-Philadelphia team were Ruth Heller and Ricky Bauer, third team.

It's half-time in what was obviously a tough game. Coach Snell is shown talking to her varsity players.

VARSITY HOCKEY TEAM

Phyl Stadler, Captain of the 1954 Hockey Team, lets go with a wicked smash at the ball.

Coach Eleanor Snell and 1954 Captain Phyl Stadler.

It was rough but she made it — that is Rickey Bauser received a badly cut eyebrow but she also won honors on the All-College Squad.
Sparked by “comedianne” Joanne Kuhn, the 1955 varsity basketball team started off for one of the finest records in Ursinus coed basketball history. Conquests over Rosemont, Beaver and East Stroudsburg began the season. The Belles’ winning streak was broken when they bowed to Immaculata. However, they recovered by defeating Chestnut Hill and at this writing have four more games to play.

Scoring honors were shared by four-year varsity player “Kuhnie” and sophomore Vonnie Gros.

Junior Ruth Heller was a team standout with her consistently fast pace-setting.

The three starting guards were sophomore Marge Dawkins, and freshmen Irene Rawcliffe and Pat Woodbury, all of whom deserve recognition for their outstanding play.

Substitutes included Liz Mason, Marilyn Freeman, Phyl Stadler, Ricky Bauser, Nesta Lewis, and Polly Taylor.
J.V. BASKETBALL
Kneeling: Helmle, McKnight, Justice.
Standing: Price, coach; Adam, Turtzo,
Livingston, Bream, Dunn, Derk.

VARSITY BASKETBALL RECORD

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Joanne Kuhn, captain of the 1954-1955 Basketball Team.

Senior members of the squad: Liz Mason and Marilyn Freeman.
The 1954-55 Swimming Team began its season with a promising outlook by defeating their first opponents of the year, Drexel, 30-27. Coached by Sis Bosler, a former Ursinus student and swimmer, the team was forced to do considerable rebuilding since half of the squad was lost through graduation. The returning veterans were Captain Gwen Hockenbury, Carol Loper, Ginny Stecker, Lucy Fay, Nancy Strode, Teddy Rapp, Sue Holmes and Carolyn De Olden. Newcomers to the squad were Judy Berry, Joan Martin, Marylou Wadleigh, Marilyn Shelly, Meryl Syvertsen, Valerie Spencer, Robin Blood, Jean Moore and Carol Hespenheide.

Team standouts included Carol Loper, Meryl Syvertsen, Gwen Hockenbury and Lucy Fay in the free-style relays, Ginny Stecker in the backstroke, Marilyn Shelly in the breaststroke, and Judy Berry and Carol Hespenheide in the diving events.

**SWIMMING SCHEDULE**

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The 1954 Softball Team ended the season with two wins and one loss. The lone loss came in the last game of the season at the hands of a strong Temple club.

The 1955 team sadly missed outstanding seniors such as captain Jen Price, infielder Marge Merrifield and catcher Marge Watson. The others in the starting lineup were Polly Taylor, Roxie Albertson, Phil Stadler, "Rebel" Mason, Ricky Bausar, Annette Danenhower and Jo Kuhn.

Although limited to a small schedule, Coach Eleanor Snell continued to produce a team of a strong caliber.

First baseman Phyl Stadler reaches out for a peg to first.

Jane Dunn beats out an infield grounder in the alumnae game last May Day.
The 1954 girls' Tennis Team, coached by Eleanor Snell, ended the season with a four win, three loss record. Paced by strong singles players Annette Danenhower, six and one, and Connie Cross, undefeated, the team beat Temple, Chestnut Hill, Rosemont and Drexel.

Veteran doubles players Nancy Laib and Bev Syvertsen co-captained the team.

For the 1955 season the team was composed of Captain Connie Cross, Ruth Heller, Jo Kuhn, Ricky Bauser, Phyl Stadler and several newcomers, all of whom contributed to the tennis success.

1954 VARSITY TENNIS TEAM
Left to right: Cross, Danenhower, Kuhn, Price, Strode, Laib.
BADMINTON TEAM


Under the supervision of Coach Jen Price, the badminton team formed a stronger organization this year. The Varsity had a schedule of six matches and there were three J.V. matches.

Led by the three singles players, Captain and Manager Connie Cross, Rickey Bauser and Ruth Heller, the badminton team won its first four matches in defeating Rosemont, Penn, Drexel, and Swarthmore. The doubles teams of Vonnie Gros and freshman Rene Rawcliffe and seniors Jo Kuhn and “Rebel” Mason also added to the team’s successful season.

Badminton

BADMINTON RECORD

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Jen Price, coach, and Connie Cross, captain, of the Badminton Team.

**Varsity Club**

**Women's A.A.**


The Varsity Club is composed of the men of Ursinus who have earned varsity letters. The purpose of the club is to increase the scholastic standards of Ursinus athletes and to make the granting of varsity letters an event of honor.

The Women's Athletic Council, the governing body of girls' athletics at Ursinus, was headed by Barbara Harris this year. Special activities of the W.A.A., which the council heads, include a card party and a variety show, the proceeds of which go to scholarship aid.
Cheerleaders

WITH BILL WRIGHT as their spirited head and a group of fellows and girls who really give their "all" for the Bears, the Cheerleaders have surely done much to increase the spirit at Ursinus.

Kneeling: Bill Wright, Dave Subin, Bill Tull. Standing: Joan Clement, Nan Bergmann, Diane Arms, Bonnie Weiler, Sue Kenny.

Spirit Committee

THE SPIRIT COMMITTEE is one of the most active groups on campus as soon as football season arrives. Dances, pep rallies, and pep tags are among their activities which help build enthusiasm for the school.

See The Social Highlights

Of A Year At Ursinus...
OLD TIMERS' DAY

Led by the cheerleaders and the band, we marched through campus singing and cheering, and on to dance around the bonfire. Afterwards, we moved to the T.G. gym to a dance given by the Spirit Committee. The girls didn't get much sleep that night. By five in the morning the campus was awake. The girls in their Bermudas and sorority jackets were out decorating their houses. Crepe paper hung from every side in the shapes of Ursinus bears and "welcome alumni" signs. Red, old gold and black set the campus into a flame of color. The spirit of the day had affected everyone.

Wes Dunnington and Barbara Witzel, decked out in their racoon coats, added to the color of the day.

The fraternity queens were Barbara Rack, ΣΠΑ; Eileen Kinderman, ΔΜΣ; Ellie Marcen, ΔΠΣ; Mims Lawley, ΑΦΕ; Sonny Kruse, ΒΣΑ; and Robin Blood, ΕΧ.

APE'S Homecoming queen, Mims Lawley, driving past the stands. Mims later became Homecoming Queen for the entire college.

Old grads poured onto the campus. The day was beautiful and the stands were packed. At half time our band put on a fine performance, and then it was time for the feature event—the presentation of the fraternity queens. The game was one of the most exciting of the season. At night the college danced to the music of our campus band. The highlight of the evening was the crowning of the homecoming queen, Mims Lawley, representing A.P.E. Old Timers' Day had come to a wonderful end.
The highlight of the half-time ceremonies at the football game was the presentation of the fraternity queens. Sonny Kruse, Beta Sig's queen, is shown in this picture.

All sororities have alumni luncheons on Homecoming Day. The Tau Sig sisters are shown at their luncheon at the Collegeville Inn.

Every girls' dorm works very hard on dorm decorations. The best decorated dorm receives a cup, the judging having been done by the cheerleaders. For the second year in a row, Glenwood Hall won the prize.
The Christmas Spirit

The combination of talent and hard work of Georgia Thomas, Ellie Bankert and other senior girls resulted in prize-winning decorations.

It's the night before Christmas vacation and the whole campus is astir with the traditional celebration of one of Ursinus' gayest evenings. As the girls sit down to their banquet, the hectic preparations of the afternoon are forgotten in the enjoyment of the beautifully decorated, candlelit tables which transform the upper dining room with their Christmas themes. The lower dining room is also a scene of festivity as the boys celebrate the coming season after an afternoon spent in creating the proper Christmas spirit.

Then the dance where the gigantic tinsel-covered Christmas tree overshadows the dancing couples. And who will ever forget our wonderful Santa Claus and his hearty "Merry Christmas."

The festivities go on into the night at dorm parties where gifts are exchanged amid the interruptions of spirited carolers whose singing is rewarded with sandwiches and sweets. The holiday ends on a solemn note with the candlelight Communion Service in Bomberger Chapel.
Caroling and high spirits prevailed at the Sophomore table.

The preceptresses joined in the feasting at the traditional banquet.

Jack Mallaga makes his last appearance as jolly St. Nick.

The beautiful pine tree adds to the Christmas atmosphere at the gala dance.

Cold but enthusiastic, the boys make their rounds of dorms, earning refreshments with their boisterous carols.

All night dorm parties bring the revelry to a weary but happy end.
Joan Fisher and Larry Zartman were chosen Lord and Lady of the Ball by the Senior Class.
“Fantasy in Frost” was the theme of the Senior Ball presented at Sunnybrook this year on December 3. Much hard work on the decorations resulted in a lovely “winter wonderland” atmosphere which delighted everyone. The highlight of the evening was the crowning of the Lord and Lady of the Ball, Larry Zartman and Joan Fisher, who were chosen on the basis of their contributions to the class.

The Senior Ball, the Class of 1955’s last big social presentation at Ursinus, was a fine culmination of four years.

Everyone was delighted by the smooth dance music of Bud Rader and his orchestra.

Greeting the chaperones was followed by dancing ’til one and then refreshments at Lakeside and other favorite spots.

Dr. Roger P. Staiger is here presenting the Lord and Lady of the Ball to the audience and giving Larry and Joan their gifts from the class.

Not too many people joined in to jitterbug but everyone enjoyed watching those who did.
Mary Lou Singer was chosen Queen by the class of '55. She is shown here on her throne after being crowned.

The Queen and her Court, left to right: Marilyn Freeman, Elizabeth Haslam, Mary Lou Singer, Priscilla Shinehouse and Sue Kenny.

An important moment in the evening was the “tapping” of the men who had been selected as new members of Cub and Key. Frank Kulp is explaining Cub and Key just before the “tapping”.

"Hasu 'Kisama" was the name of our Junior Prom and an oriental motif pervaded Sunnybrook.
Dr. Donald L. Helfferich is shown crowning the Queen, Mary Lou Singer.

Dr. Helfferich is shown with the Queen and Court after their presentation to the audience.

Everyone enjoyed dancing from nine to one to the music of Woody Leigh.

Mary Lou Singer is pinning the Cub and Key ribbons on the new members of the society. They are, left to right, Gene Harris, Al Paolone, Jack Westerhoff, Larry Zartman, Bill Zimakas, and Jack Matlaga.
May Day has been a wonderful tradition at Ursinus and highlighted our spring activities this year. We all looked forward to May 14 when "The Magic Hour," written by Betty Tayes, was presented, and once more parents and friends flocked to our campus to witness the pageant. The 1955 presentation was directed by Mrs. Connie Poley and managed by Mary Gillespie. The final pageant represented a great deal of work and cooperation on the part of the student body and the women of Ursinus could justly be proud of it.

The most anticipated part of the program was the coronation of the queen, Priscilla Shinehouse. Her attendants were Elizabeth Haslam, Marion Haslam, Lillian Kyritsis, Eleanor Marcon, Joan Donald, Mims Lawley, Joan Martin and Valerie Spencer. It was a stunning procession.

The pageant was followed by the traditional father-daughter softball game, and then everyone enjoyed a buffet supper on the lawn. The day was made complete by the Curtain Club's presentation of "My Three Angels."

Priscilla Shinehouse
May Queen, 1955

May Day
1955
Left to right: Elizabeth Haslam, Marion Haslam, Ellie Marcon and Lillian Kyritsis.

SENIOR AND JUNIOR MEMBERS OF THE MAY COURT

Left to right: Valerie Spencer, Joan Donald, Joan Martin and Mims Lawley.

FRESHMAN AND SOPHOMORE MEMBERS OF THE MAY COURT

MAY DAY COMMITTEE HEADS

Front row, left to right: Thomas, Montgomery, Stanton, Weaver.
Back row: Koyanagi, Helker, Bergmann, Rack.

Betty Tayes, writer of "The Magic Hour", and Mary Gillespie, 1955 May Day manager.
On October 16, Hurricane Hazel hit Pennsylvania and the Ursinus "Y" hit University Camp. It was time for our traditional fall retreat and even the elements couldn't dampen our spirits for volleyball, good food, long hikes, involved discussions and meditation. A time for ironing out difficulties as well as making plans and a time for carefree fun as well as personal re-evaluation, the "Y" retreats provide weekends packed full of happy memories.

In the spring we set out for Camp Mensch Mill and again filled our time with discussions, faculty antics, and square dancing plus the added fun of initiating the new officers with a quick ducking in the lake. These weekends provided the old "Y" members with many memories of fun, food, and fellowship.
Hurricane Hazel provided unforeseen complications in travel arrangements for the weekend.

Jack Matlaga displays abilities as a conductor while leading a singing session.

A place for meditation.

Always a frantic volleyball game.

Delicious meals cooked by Mary Johnson.
We have shown what this small world means to us today ... and what it will mean to us tomorrow ... when all these happenings are but pleasant memories.
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