

# Alumni Newsletter

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## SPRING DEMONSTRATION

The annual Spring Demonstration of the Normal College will be held in the gymnasium May 15 at 8:00 P.M. (D.S.T.) This year the College will give the entire program. In the past our demonstration has been given in conjunction with that of the Athenaeum Turners.

The numbers will be varied to represent the different types of activities and have been chosen primarily in accordance with the wishes of the students.

Jean Cresoski, a sophomore from St. Louis, has taught two very interesting Polish folk dances which she learned while a member of a folk dance group. These numbers will be given for the demonstration and will be written up. We will repeat them for Homecoming and have the descriptions available.

Fencing, apparatus and tumbling will be given. The Ladies' Mass Drill to be used for the Detroit Invitational Festival also will be shown.

The Freshmen want to work out an original number but so far haven't gotten beyond the discussion (or should I say argument) stage. They are thinking in terms of a jungle number. Let us hope they finally arrive at some definite conclusions soon.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the demonstration. There is no admission charge and as usual we hope to start on time.

8:00 P.M. Sharp

May 15

Athenaeum Gymnasium



There will be a square dance in the East Room of the Athenaeum immediately following the demonstration. The caller will be Reed Moody, one of the popular callers in Indiana.

We hope that the alumni will be able to attend.

## EDITOR'S MESSAGE

Our heartiest appreciation to the reporters who so faithfully have sent news when requested, sometimes even on painfully short notice! Our deepest thanks to those of you who heeded our plea and mailed us new addresses for our lost alums. We would appreciate any lead you might be able to suggest, even if you don't have the exact address. We have cut 61 new stencils for this issue and are hopeful that we constantly can keep increasing the number of alums contacted. Following is a list of the alums whose Bulletins were returned with no forwarding address given by the Post Office. Can you help us on any of these?

Max Wonneberger  
Nelson Lehston  
Mrs. M. G. Daugherty  
Eleanor Hegman  
William Dregalla  
Mrs. H. W. Severance  
Mrs. C. J. Tjarden  
John Palmer  
Elinor Doerr  
August Anania  
Harry Briggs  
John Tanzine



Karl Neumann  
Mrs. Eldred Spring  
Arthur Krueger



## IN SYMPATHY

Your editor deeply regrets omitting from the last Bulletin the notice of the death of August Aurenheimer, '26, in November, 1952. He had taught at the University of Washington in Seattle since leaving the College. He is survived by his wife and daughter.

We received a letter from Mrs. Julie W. Schneider informing us that her husband, Dr. Frank Schneider, M.D., who was graduated from the College in 1897 died suddenly on February 27, 1953. Dr. Schneider's home was in Peru, Illinois. We extend sympathy to Mrs. Schneider.

Dr. C. F. Weege sent Bobbie Larsen notice that Carl Otto Meier had passed away last July. We extend our sympathy to his family and friends.

## announcing

Congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Frank Frey, Jr. on the birth of their son, William Thomas, on February 19, 1953.

Congratulations and best wishes to Miss Sharol Goddard, a freshman at the College last year, who was married to Joseph Lampert on Saturday, April 23, 1953.

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Martha Washburn Whipple was kind enough to be one of our guest speakers for the class in Community Hygiene. The class this year has visited the State Board of Health, Kingans Meat Packing Company, Banquet Milk, International Harvester and will shortly include trips to Cross Roads Rehabilitation Center, Roberts School for Crippled Children, Indianapolis Water Company and Indiana Central Mental Hospital. We have had speakers from the Indiana Tuberculosis Association, the Industrial Hygiene Division, the Visiting Nurses Division and the Food and Drug Division of the State Board of Health. The students are gaining an insight into the size of the field of Community Hygiene.

## VISITORS

We were pleased to have had several visitors at the College recently. Carl (Strumpfe) Baumann of Buffalo who visits us every Easter as regularly as the Easter Bunny, arrived on schedule bearing a list of new addresses.

Ed and Elizabeth (Harnish) Reisig and daughter, Rhonda, visited us recently. Rhonda is now  $1\frac{1}{2}$  years old and is as cute as a button. Ed is working for the Boy Scouts in West Branch, Michigan.

Mr. & Mrs. Walter Mikols (Mikolajik) brought with them their daughter, Donna Jean, who is now 7 months old, when they came in for a recent visit. She is a darling baby and the pride of her parents. Walter is still teaching at the University of Kansas.

We were sorry to have missed seeing Lester Kettering of Canton, Ohio, who came into the College when passing through the city. He came during our spring vacation so none of the faculty saw him.

Frank "Butch" Philipps visited us again a few weeks ago and we managed to get his address at long last! He is still a super salesman dealing in swimming equipment.



Shirley Obermiller who is now a senior at Iowa State Teachers College was here for a short time just before spring vacation.

It is always so nice to see you alums. We look forward to these visits and hope more of you will be able to come in. Let us hear from you.



## OUR ROVING REPORTER REPORTS

It is just like having an alumni secretary when Rudy Schreiber takes off on one of his new capacity as National Secretary of Phi Epsilon Kappa.



His eastern trip began in Pittsburgh on March 14. Mixing business with pleasure he had occasion to renew friendship with Ernie Sen-

kewitz who is the major domo at a large Junior High School. With Ernie Senkewitz; Dick Barrick who is principal of one of the largest elementary schools, Harry Dippold, (Dr. to you) who is doing a fine job as supervisor for the Board of Education and Karl Fehrenback who is doing his best to mold character via the round and square dance route and the redoubtable Harvey Lecollier who you will be happy to learn has regained his health and is working as hard as ever.

From Pittsburgh our roving reporter spent three days in New York City. Larry Howard is chairman of the undergraduate majors at New York University and Dr. Nelson Walke is head of the department of Health, Physical Education and Athletics at Brooklyn College. There are undoubtedly many more alumni in metropolitan New York but they evidently do not spend their leisure time on Time Square!

The next stop was Newark, New Jersey. Here our informant accepted the hospitality of Al Baer who is living in his beautiful and spacious suburban home in Livingston, New Jersey. Although Al has forsaken physical education for insurance he still accepts an occasional assignment as a substitute teacher in Newark. Christ West also the class of '30, is living in semi-retirement in Baskings Ridge,

New Jersey, but braved the elements to drive 40 miles to reminisce and be brought up to date.

Philadelphia, the City of Brotherly Love, has the welcome mat out and the following are still in the harness. Grover Mueller, Director of Physical Education and Health was recently honored on his 25th anniversary as Director. Martha Gable is working as the assistant director of community relations for the Board and has attracted national prominence for her work using the media of television and radio. Gus Heineman has recovered from his recent illness and is back at Temple University in charge of student teaching in Physical Education.

After a bumpy ride on the famous Lehigh Valley to Buffalo your reporter was met at the station by George Geoghan who with his wife, Evalyn, played host for the next three days. The following were seen on the occasion of a banquet at the Buffalo Turners: Ray Glunz, Pete Cipolla, Dick Frazier, Bill McColgen, Rudy Heis, Swede Nilson, Lou Goldstein, Carl Bair, Hubert Lee, Carl Heinrich, Ted Bednarczyk, Carl Spitzer, Ray Ping, Andy Lascari, Jim Butler, Bill Naab, Steve Rychnowski, Angela Trippi Russell, Pat Fissler, Sam Blumer, Jack and Peg Stocker and Helen Woelfle. On a special side trip to Niagara Falls it was learned that Lou Taperman is co-owner of the second longest bar in New York State. Julie Posner has made a remarkable recovery from his bout with the dreaded bulbar polio and is back at work in his own shoe store on Bailey Avenue.

Another short hitch on the Lehigh Valley brought R. R. to Ithica where he found Karl Klein back between semesters from Springfield College where he is working toward his doctorate in physical rehabilitation. Herb Broadwell is on the faculty at Ithica.



College and has had remarkable success with his wrestling team. He was later seen at Penn State at the NCAA wrestling tourney. His good wife, Dorothy (Spaulding) dug deeply in the deep freeze to come up with a T-bone steak which was quickly consumed. Before this dinner was over the telephone announced the arrival of the retiring and reticent Charley Sutton and Nick Collis who had been detailed to transport your reporter to Syracuse. Charley and Vera (Menapace) and their four lovely children live in a suburb where Charley is a member of the school board. Nick is continuing graduate study in the field of Special Education and is kept in line by his charming wife, Helen.

An evening get-together brought Cliff Sollinger, Harold Gebhardt, Sam Contino, Roy Broadwell, Pat Fiumano, John Zabadal and Paul Romeo who has had outstanding success as gymnastic coach at Syracuse University. From Syracuse your reporter traveled to Boston and State College, Pa., but no alumni were contacted. It was difficult to resist the temptation to call Paul Morse, Len Pielmeier and Don Chestney while waiting for a train in Altoona -- about 4:30 A.M. That is just a little too early to exchange pleasantries over the phone.

Rudy's itinerary calls for a trip to Chicago, Milwaukee and Madison during the last week in April and no report can be gotten in time to meet the publication deadline for this issue. We will try to carry a resume of his future trips.

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In the Newsletter published by the Indiana AHPER we noticed an article concerning Virginia Nisle, a recent graduate. Virginia is teaching at Hammond Tech in Hammond, Indiana and is offering classes in social dancing every Friday afternoon for boys and girls. This is proving to be a very successful project.

Henry Schiget, physical director at Milwaukee Turners should be extremely proud of his fine "Show Of The Century" held at the Milwaukee Auditorium on April 12 which commemorated the 100th Anniversary of the Milwaukee Turners. Walter Eberhardt of St. Louis was the Master of Ceremonies and did an excellent job. The performance attracted a sellout crowd of 3,418 and 200 were turned away. More than 500 performers took part.

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Bobbie Larsen reports that Lib and Wally Hente have bought a house and now call Eugene, Oregon home. Wally just recuperated from the flu, and we are sorry to report that Mrs. Rath, Lib's mother, is not well.

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On April 29 the students of the Normal College gave a demonstration at Franklin County High School and Grade School. The entire program was well received, especially the fencing.



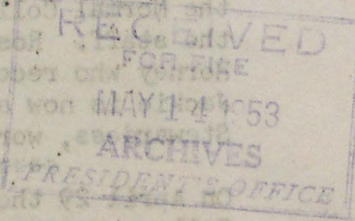


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