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(Daylight Saving Time)
SUNDAY, JUNE 13
8:00 A.M. Holy Communion.
10:30 A.M. Choral Eucharist and Baccalaureate Sermon.
MONDAY, JUNE 14
7:00 A.M. Holy Communion.
2:00-3:30 P.M. Dragon Club Informal Dance, Memorial Gym.
4:00-5:30 P.M. Faculty ladies serve tea on the President's lawn in
connection with dances.
4:50-5:20 P.M. President and Mrs. Bell at home to alumni and
guests.
6:00 P.M. Last Choral Vespers of Year.
8:00 P.M. Fraternity Banquets.
TUESDAY, JUNE 15
8:00 A.M. Corporate Communion of the students and alumni.
The Rev. Albert Wilson, '14, President of the Alumni Association, Celebrant.
10:00 A.M. Trustees Meeting, President's Office.
10:00 A.M. Alumni Association Meeting, Bard Hall.
12:30 P.M. Alumni Luncheon in Preston Hall.
2:15 P.M. Blessing of John A. Hancock Cottage, Edward F.
Albee Cottage and William C. Rives Cottage, by the Bishop of Central New York.
2:45 P.M. Commencement Exercises. Address by President
Harry R. Garfield of Williams College.
(The change of date of the fraternity banquets was made by mutual action of the local chapters.)

JUNIORS AND FRESHMEN NAME OFFICERS; PICK NEW COUNCIL

SHRIGLEY ELECTED TO LEAD STUDENTS

Bartley, Urquhart, Myers and Griswold Also Elected to Office

At the Annual Convocation of students held in Memorial Gymnasium on
Wednesday night, May 19, the opinion of the undergraduate body was solid in the election of George A. Shrigley, '27, to the position of
President of Convocation, and also in the appointment of Harold Bartly
'27 to the post of Treasurer. Kenneth Urquhart was elected Vice-
President and the poet of Secretary of Convocation was conferred on
John M. Myers, '28. The fifth office filled by vote of the student body was
that of Marshall, which was entrusted to Hurbut Griswold, '27.

The meeting was opened by the retireing President of Convocation, Gaston Jones, who in a short speech urged the students to forget personal
and fraternal partialities and elect
men to the offices who would carry
on the spirit begun by the present
officers. This speech had the effect
of creating unanimous feeling in favor of Mr. Shrigley for President, there be
ning no dissenting vote when a motion
was made and put to the question to have the secretary record a solid vote
for the single man nominated. There were
ninety-three members of the student body present.

MRS. ZABRISKIE WILL LEND THE MONEY TO INSTALL PIPE LINE TO THE RIVER

It has been learned from a reliable source that an agreement was
reached between Mrs. Andrew Zabriskie and the Board of Trustees whereby the injunction obtained by
Mrs. Zabriskie permanently enjoining the college from the operation of its
sewage plant, which was to have
been in effect on Tuesday, will not
go into effect until July 1 and that the
suggestion of the plaintiff a pipe line will be installed from the sewage plant to the Hudson River. The college
authorities at first fought the suit as brought by Mrs. Zabriskie but
under the recent agreement have consented to install the pipe line.

In not continuing its opposition, however, the Board of Trustees in-
formed the parties concerned that because of the excessive expense in-
volved it did not feel capable of mak-
ing so great an expenditure at this
time. Mrs. Zabriskie has consented
to lend the college money on a long-
term note with which to defray the
expenses of the pipe line installation.
The estimated cost of such installa-
tion will be about $15,000. Work is
expected to be started early this
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MENTIONED IN BOOK

Students will be interested to know that in his new book "The American College and its Rulers", a study in educational democracy, President Bartley, of an article in the "Journal of Education", has devoted several pages to the recent disturbance at St. Stephen's col-
lege. This book made its appear-
ance to readers on June 1. The
author has divided the contents of the book into three parts: "Acad-
emic Beginnings, Academic Prac-
tices, and Democratic Stirrings,"
The Lyre Tree

EDITORIAL OPINIONS

Individual work unrestricted by course attendance for upperclassmen capable of it, the abolition of mid-year examinations, and a freshman week immediately prior to the coast visit of college are three innovations to be introduced next September at Trinity. "This" week will give in conjunction with the head of a department, will be relieved of two courses during their junior year and three during their senior year. The student, however, will pursue a course of study unrestricted by class attendance under the guidance of the head of his department, and in general will be required to take an examination at the end of each year. The purpose of abolishing mid year examinations is to prevent loafing through a course and cramming for the examination. Hour examinations will be given during the year, and men will be required to have a permanent special loan fund on file. The week will include conferences between the first year men and their faculty advisers, lectures on the aims of the church, a special loan fund for the course of the freshman year, a faculty-freshman dinner, a medical examination, and scholastic aptitude tests. These innovations were preceded last fall by the establishment of a reading course in which credit of a regular course is given. It is based upon a list of a thousand volumes. One hundred points of reading are clamoring at its door for admittance, why not grant concessions to those whom we do not?

Salve et Vale '26

The Lyre Tree takes this opportunity to bid the class of '26 god-speed. Within the next few days, they will have completed their undergraduate work and be ready to go forth in new fields of endeavor and to prove to the world that the years they have spent here have not been idle. They have shown themselves strong in mind and vigorous in achievement, unfraid to risk personal interest in the advancement of college interest, loyal to the principles of self-government and self-expression. They go with the best wishes of the student body for their success and with the thanks of their fellow students for all that they have done for the college.

ATHLETES vs. FACULTY

Under the caption "The Student Movement Surges: College undergraders, long inarticulate and placid, in their elders' will, now demand a hand in educational affairs" the president of Vassar analyzes the new "movement," Henry N. MacCracken, president of Vassar wrote an interesting and important article in last Sunday's New York Times." Of especial interest and importance to us were the two following paragraphs: "Next to the development of the student body and the student's society the student in the United States has occupied itself with the development of state and intercollegiate athletics. Various games have been developed and standardized, and training has been so systematic that the student has been largely trained in natural development, and immense sums of money expended. As far as the student himself is concerned, the movement has been almost wholly beneficial. Many an unwilling student has been made to make his team, many a law-breaking student has conformed to social custom in order to make good on the

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TRUSTEES PUBLISH A FEW RESOLUTIONS

New Faculty committee to be elected at June meeting

The Board of Trustees have forwarded the following resolutions to the college which express their decision as to the form of government and management to be in vogue at St. Stephen's next year:

RESOLVED that this Board decides that all control of the students within the classrooms, libraries, laboratories, and gymnasium in carrying out the academic exercises of the institution, is properly the concern of the faculty as a body; that all control of the students in relation to business matters, to the housing and dining arrangements and to the physical fabric of the college in general is properly the concern of the President; that all control of the students in relation to the Chapel is properly the concern of the Chaplain; that all control of the students outside of the above mentioned matters is properly the concern of a student disciplinary authority to be appointed annually in June by the Board after consultation with the faculty. This authority when appointed shall be responsible solely to this Board. Further, the Board decides that appeal from any of the officers mentioned above ought to be only to the Board itself, presented in writing in each case, through the President and the Education Committee.

RESOLVED that for the academic year beginning September 1, 1926, the Board shall appoint a disciplinary committee consisting of three members of the faculty. This appointment shall be made at the June meeting of the Board and the personnel of the committee shall be decided after a conference between the Education Committee of the Board and a Committee of the faculty. They shall be responsible solely to the Board of Trustees. They shall have absolute authority, subject only to such directions as may be issued from time to time by the Board, and may pass such regulations and impose such penalties as they see fit, except that they may not expel or suspend from the college without the consent of the faculty. Appeal from such decisions may be made only in writing and to the Board, through the President and Education Committee.

RESOLVED that the disciplinary committee appointed for the academic year 1926-1927, may make such arrangements for student self-government as appeal to them provided they retain in their hands as representatives of this Board the right to control such student government.

FRENCH EXAMINER

Dr. James H. Wilson, professor of French, was an examiner of the French honor students at Swarthmore on Friday. The other examiner was Professor Eins of Princeton.

Why Not?

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field, many an injurious habit has been given up for the Spartan regimen of the training table. Moral qualities of leadership and teamwork, the tough muscle and the steady eye are the reward of American athletics. And as in the case of the fraternity, the faculty which ignored the existence of this great institution has come to realize that unless it makes of athletics its friend and aid in the scheme of American education, athletics like the fraternity, may put an end to the college itself.

It is the fault of the faculty. If the professors had really concerned themselves with the students' leisure day they would not be in the predicament so eloquently described by the recent report of university professors condemning intercollegiate football as now conducted. That report reads like the expressions of dismay of the "recto" on the morning after prohibition. The professor engaged in his Addams walk of contemplation has hopped into the stadium and cannot imagine how it came into existence. Year, which is the child of ignorance, cries 'Down with it,' but second thought suggests that the institution is here and that the sooner it is brought into line with the general purpose of the college the better it will be.

ATHLETES vs. FACULTY
Faculty Members Arrange Vacations

Some to Go Abroad, Others to Do Research Work

Only three of the college faculty are planning trips to Europe during the coming vacation. Last year there was a general exodus for the continent. Very few have made definite plans for the summer up to the present time.

Dr. Whitecloud will start his leave of absence by sailing on the "Tuscania" for Havre on June 19. After he has landed, he states, if anyone wishes to get in touch with him, he will have to advertise.

Coach Bray, Father Garnier, Dr. Upton, and Professor Libaire are almost entirely undecided as to where or in what manner they will spend their vacations.

Dr. Foster has made arrangements for research work at the Harvard Laboratories. Mr. Brown, who has been working here with Dr. Foster, has decided to spend the summer in chemical work in Brooklyn.

"Stay right here" was the only reply offered by Father Crosby when questioned as to his intentions.

Mr. Voorhees and Mr. Corti will sail late in June for Sicily, and after touring that island for a time, they will visit Italy. Mr. Corti expects to remain near the Lake of Como for the remainder of the summer while Professor Voorhees is to travel through Austria and parts of Germany.

After a stay in Maine, Dr. Davidson plans to travel "a bit" elsewhere before college reopens in September.

Dr. Wilson is planning a sort of individual old home week—"back to Vermont." For the latter part of the summer he is expecting to take a short trip through Canada and do some work at the Harvard Library.

Original research with a view to publication on some historical problem will occupy the greater part of Dr. Flournoy's vacation. The center of his studies will be the library at Washington.

Dr. Obreschkow will enter the laboratories at Syracuse University to do work on a certain biological problem.

Martha's Vineyard off the New England coast will be the residence of Dr. Packard and his family during the summer. Dr. Packard is retiring from St. Stephen's at the end of this semester and has made no definite plans for the coming year.

Dr. Stowe and Mrs. Stowe have almost decided that they will visit Wisconsin during the early part of the summer.

MRS. ZABRISKIE WILL LEND THE MONEY TO INSTALL PIPE LINE TO RIVER

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summer. The pipe line will be from the present disposal plant to the Hudson River for the purpose of carrying the effluent from the plant, across Mrs. Zabriskie's property to the Hudson. The line is not expected to be direct but will cross the road and thence travel north to the Cruger Island road and thence west to the river.

The injunction restraining the college from operating the plant was issued February 1 by Supreme Court Justice George Taylor, Jr., at Poughkeepsie.

PREXY TO SPEAK

Dr. Bernard I. Bell, President of St. Stephen's, is to be the speaker at the commencement exercises of the New York Chapter, Inc., American Institute of Banking. The exercises will be held tomorrow evening, June 3, at The Brick Presbyterian Church, Fifth Avenue and Thirty-Seventh Street, New York City.

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MEETING
TENNIS STARS

The varsity tennis team went to the
University of Vermont on May 26
to play its first intercollegiate match
away from home. Vermont was victor
by the close score of 4-3. All of
the matches were close, and the out-
come of the contest was in doubt
until the end of the last match. Titus
played well, winning both his singles
and doubles matches. The score:
Singles
Gull-Heiss 6-1, 6-2.
Titus-Nye 6-3, 5-7, 6-4.
Baldwin-Faebber 6-3, 6-3.
Morrill-Shaw 6-3, 7-5.
Taylor-Brunot 6-0, 6-4.
Doubles
Ferris and Titus-Gillis and Nye
3-6, 7-5, 6-2.
Baldwin and Shaw-Faebber and
Morrill 6-2, 6-4.

Friday, May 28, the varsity was
defeated by Middlebury by the score
of 4-2. The contest was featured
by the number of close sets which
were needed to determine the winners.
All of the matches were close and
fast throughout. The score:
Singles
Wolfschill-Ferris 6-3, 6-2.
Titus-Hindes 1-6, 6-4, 6-3.
Seymour-Sherber 4-6, 6-2, 6-2.
Hindes-Morrill 6-3, 9-7.
Doubles
Wolfschill and Seymour-Ferris and
Titus 6-4, 7-5.
Faebber and Morrill-Hindes and
Twichel 3-6, 6-4, 6-2.

Thursday, May 20, the strong tennis
team of Lafayette College defeated
the varsity at Annadale by the score
of 6-0. The playing of Ferris and
Morrill for the varsity was the re-
deeving feature of the contest.
Drexel Institute held the varsity to
a 3-3 tie on the following day. The

THE BOOKWORM
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The new Lyre Tree board has voted
in favor of a book column for every
edition of the paper and in conse-
quence we have been requested to
point out three or four times a
month a little literary pataos about
everything or about nothing at all.
This explains our presence. We can-
not, we realize, serve as a mentor:
we shall merely offer passing com-
ments, more valuable—or less.

For those who have read "Jean-
Christophe" Remain Rolland needs
no introduction. His "Annette and
Sylvie" is the "prelude of a work in
several volumes, that bears the title
'The Soul Enchanted.'" It must be
admitted that this "Annette and
Sylvie" has a certain amount of sex
appeal but we cannot say that Rol-
land has written it as a glorification
of sex. We are not at all sure but
that here is a new and trenchant out-
look on the latter day movement for
freedom of woman.

Rolland has drawn Annette as the
woman who has loved wisely
but too intelligently. She sees behind
the "dominance of the male" instinct,
and revolts. "How badly life is ar-
ranged! One cannot live without
mutual affection; no one can live
without independence. The one is as
sacred as the other. They say to you:
'Sacrifice—' But it is almost always
those who are capable of a great love
who are also most emasculated by
independence. For them, all is
strong." And Annette sacrifies her
love on the altar of her pride.

As usual with Rolland, the style is
neat. We recommend it as a more
or less racy novel with an abundance
of "atmosphere" and a remarkably
poignant characterization of a woman.
SYpher President of Dragon Club

At the last meeting of the Dragon club for the season, Wylie Sypher, '27, was elected president for the ensuing year and William Brunot, '28, was named secretary. These two men were also appointed members of the committee which is to arrange for the tea dance to be given Monday afternoon before commencement. Announcement was made that the Dragon Club prize will be given to the author of the best article which has appeared in any of this year's issues of the Messenger. The award will be made following the publication of the June issue of this magazine.

RECEIVE APPOINTMENTS

Victor Davey and John Englekirk of the class of '26 have received appointments as assistants in the Romance Language department at Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill. These men will work for their M. A. degrees at Northwestern and teach at the same time. Davey will be an instructor in two French classes and Englekirk in two Spanish classes. Arthur Moser, '26, has accepted a fellowship at Cornell and while working for his M. A. at that institution will also teach in the French department.

UNION Defeats Varsity

Friday, May 21, the Union lacrosse team easily defeated St. Stephen's by the score of 9-1, a score which clearly points to the superiority of Union, though perhaps that superiority was not so great as the score indicates. Lack of experience and an apparent lack of team spirit are the two reasons given by those who saw the game for the defeat. The only redeeming feature was that the team though beaten from the start fought hard until the very end. Rogan, Gou- telle, and Raymond played well for the college while McDonald was easily the star for Union.