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#### Prejudice In Disguise

Why is it that people once having formed a bad opinion about a subject wish to hear nothing further which would recommend it?

The fact is, that, while certain systems may seem evil, they are not inherently so.

The recent chapel speaker who was given the label of "Communist" by many students may well be used as an example. A member of the student body present at that chapel, after hearing a few minutes of that speaker, casually remarked to a fellow student, "Wake me up when chapel's over. This guy's a Communist." Other students after chapel suggested red ties, etc., for the speaker.

We, who have been so long interested in the welfare of the Chinese people should share in their present optimism.

The speaker, a Christian missionary, who had been in the area occupied by Chinese Communists, had seen the conditions first-hand and we have no reason to doubt the authenticity of his report.

He presented the views of the Chinese people as he saw them, and we, his listeners, should evaluate the facts as presented without depending upon previously formed prejudices.

Communism, as it existed in his specific area may be entirely different from the picture we usually have of the system. And the speaker spoke ONLY of this localized area with which he was familiar.

Part of the educational program of the student should consist of his being able to make careful judgments based upon logic and fact. The sincere student should, first of all, listen carefully to the information, as given by the present speaker, reserving judgment until its conclusion. Then, following this conclusion, he should compare the present information with his previously formed, unbiased opinions on the subject.

In this manner the student may effectively combat prejudice which may operate in disguise within himself. In addition, his opinions become broadened and his entire educational outlook enlarged.

This example is only one of many which may arise every day. The student must be alert, ready to recognize that his opinions on any subject have not reached their final point. Education is a growing process, one which should not become dormant because of prejudices which are fashionable at the present.

#### Freshman Initiation Impresses Looker-on

When one thinks of Freshman Court, he also thinks of Freshman initiation. One is inseparably linked with the other. And when a person thinks of one, thereby also thinking of the other, his attitude toward the subject depends on his attitude toward freshmen. Therefore, we have several viewpoints on the subject of Freshman court (or youknow-what, they both go togeth-

Someone once said, (that is a very convenient way of avoiding brickbats if YOU are the "someone") that there are three sides to every thing: there is the side taken by one extreme, and there is the side taken by the other extreme, and there is the truth (oh, you elusive thing, So it is with the subject under discussion. There is the side taken by the upperclassmen, and then there is the side taken by the freshman class, and, finally, the side taken by all those students entering York College as new, upperclass students. I am of the latter group, and since the other two groups are of opposite extremes, it is to be taken for granted that the viewpoint taken by the third group (of which, you must not forget I am a member) is the vision of truth.

It is true, I do, as an upperclassman, have the privilege of participating in the distribution of justice to the more ignorant of the student body . . . meaning

#### • Memo To The Younger Generation

Blessing on thee, little man, Barefoot boy, with cheek of

Trudging down a dusty lane With no thought of future

You're our one and only bet absorb the nat'l debt. Little man with cares so few We've got lots of faith in you; Guard each merry whistled

tune Your are apt to need it soon. Have your fun while you can, You may be a barefoot man.

—Overland Life.

of course, the Freshman class. But this participation does not bring to me the joy that it brings to others not of my category, because I . . . and others like me . . lack the necessary element. That is Revenge! I can't really pour it on, because it was never poured on me. In fact, I was so disinterested, that I couldn't even take pleasure in the wondrous fact that every year, the Jury seems to think of a whole new set of sentences. That takes originality, you know it?

And do you know, I can't even enjoy the lowly pleasures of the Freshman. I'll never know the thrill that comes with the discovery that you have been leaning on something—perhaps for the last halfhour-without being "written up." It must be fun to live dangerously like that. Nor will I ever know if I have the

#### Orchids And Onions

ORCHIDS-

To Mr. Barker and his untiring effort to keep our campus beautiful.

To the football team.

To the Frosh for being good sports.

To Miss Savery and her fireplace.

To the cute Freshman girls, To relatives that send mail. To students who write let-

ters home. To the Panting Panthers. To anyone who can afford

To Parents and alumni here

ONIONS-

for Homecoming.

To people who drop toothpicks on the floor.

To the weatherman.

To people careless with the irons in Middlebrook. To those who like onions.

To people with radios on after eleven p. m.
To the PALS and Zetas with

hurt feelings.

To the alumni and parents who could have come to Homecoming and didn't.

## The Traveler's **Blue And White**

So you think you have been around and seen things. Well, let me tell you something. My poor old feet have traveled so many places, so many times, I don't know whether I'm coming or going. Just take last year, for instance. I took a trip practically every other week, from York College to some town in Nebraska, Kansas, or Iowa. I've been to Kearney, Crete, Fremont, Lincoln, and many other places in Nebraska.

Then, to top it off, they wanted me in the spring to go all over southwestern United States. Anyway, I was drafted. I traveled to places like Russell, Coffeyville, and Wichita, Kans. I visited Enid, Bartlesville, and Miami, Oklahoma. Then other places such as Santa Cruz, N. M., Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Denver, and Loveland, Colorado. Let me tell you, when I got home I was so tired of running I could have dropped dead right in my tracks. I had eaten so much gasoline and oil and worn so much metal off my pistons that I even rattled a little. I saw people, people, and more cars. I went to the movies; I visited the scenic wonders of the Mexican passes and senoritas. I saw the famous Red Rocks. even got stuck in the Narrows in Manitou, Colorado. Pikes Peak, and Bald Mountain sure looked good to me. But it was the little peaks on several of the heads of Y. C. students that really worried me. I watched mountain streams roar down to the valleys. I held lovers in my lap and watched them day after day. I heard the singing voices of the York College choir. And I even stayed overnight at the Santa Cruz mission school.

I'm tired but there is no rest, on account of the wicked, and I must do it all over again and again. But I really don't mind. In fact, I'm kinda proud I'm blue and white, because, you see, I'm your own York College bus.

bravery to try to outwit the jury. And I have missed the satisfaction that comes when you have carried your sentence out in such a way that you know that you are the best taxi the school has ever had, or the best brick-counter, or the best shoe-shiner, or the only freshman who . . .

But, see here, I'd better stop or they'll be initiating me any-

#### NEWS BRIEFS

Mrs. C. Brandenburg, Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Hollinger, Mrs. John D. Morton, Mrs. Max Biays were visitors on the York college campus October 7, 1950.

#### **DORM DITTIES**

Tea towels for the kitchenette, towel sets for guest room, plastic

lines for clothspins were given to Middlebrook Hall by the E. U. B. church at Republic, Kans. Three irons were given to the dorm by other Kansas friends.

Five dollars for first aid supplies have been sent to Middlebrook Hall by the Wichita Waco Avenue church.

Girls at Middlebrook Hall recently elected officers of their governing council. The three officers for this semester are: Alberta Frost, senior, Rulo; Frances Porter, senior, Aurora, Nebr.; Betty Creech, freshman, Polk, Nebr.

The girls of Middlebrook Hall also elected their Homecoming committee. This committee consists of Mary Woelfle, senior, Loveland, Colo., Shirley Scheierman, freshman, Stratton, Colo. Beth Yates, freshman, Espanola, New Mexico; Betty Robinett, freshman, Riverdale, California; Pat Taylor, sophomore, Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lewis and Darlene Lewis, Mrs. G. W. Wright and Mrs. Howard Green were visitors at Middlebrook Hall on Sept.

#### Murder in Middlebrook

A scream is heard, echoing through the silence (?) of the halls during Quiet-Hours, followed by sounds of scurrying feet. A door slams. All is comparatively quiet again, except for the muffled sound of voices coming from beyond the closed door farther down the hall.

Strangely enough, you are neither frightened or alarmed. This is nothing unusual. Your study period has been murdered before. You move your books closer to the light and readjust your notebook to a more comfortable position. Glancing at the clock, you heave a sigh as you realize your regular study period is already half gone and your Psych notebook has to be filled out yet. Collecting your thoughts, you skim over the page to discover where you were reading and try to concentrate on tomorrow's History assignment.

You have really settled down to business, thinking to yourself how glad you are that your roommate happens to be studying at the same time. It's easier to eliminate conversation when you are both studying. Just then your roommate says, "Hey, what will be included in our test tomorrow morning?" Reaching for a piece of candy to munch on, you read off the next day's assignment and discuss the possible test ques-

From the hall comes the clatter of many feet hurrying past and you can recognize the familiar flap-flapping of your neighbor's bedroom slippers. Hum!! There must be a jam session brewing somewhere. You can't help wondering what's up. Nevertheless, you bury yourself deeper in the Industrial Revolution, in hopes of shutting out such tempting thoughts.

For at least 91/8 minutes the place remains calm and you actually get something accomplished. In fact, you were so deeply engrossed in studying that it hardly seemed like drudgery.

Suddenly your buzzer splatters the silence. It startled you until your old heart practically did a 1-2-3-flip! Your first impulse is to growl "Is there anything else to murder this evening?" Then, instead, a coy little grin spreads across your face as you think about the swell guy out there waiting for you. Hurriedly you slap your books together into a neat pile ready to carry to that 7:50 class in the morning.

"Boy, there goes another study period-MURDERED! I've been in my room since supper and still don't have all my lessons," you mutter to yourself. You shrug your shoulders in an indifferent manner and give the buzzer a happy little buzz which conveys the message, "You bet, I'll be right

## ON THE COB

By Bill

I have been asked to lend my talents, if any, to take up space in our fair paper, and give the proof reader something to do.

When you write for a paper you must remember to pick an interesting subject. Will someone please tell me a subject that is a common interest to both boys and girls, not "each other." To change from the sublime to the ridiculous, you must also meet a deadline. Dead line, that's a line that has been used by a bachelor for years with negative results.

We will attempt to bring everybody up to date on current events in this issue. No I didn't say A Date. A current event should be date-lined, but if you were in the park Sunday afternoon you see we have lots of dates with lines so we will dispense with that.

We notice according to the grapevine that the trends of breakfast foods are changing. One popular firm used to advertise Snap, Crackle, and Pop; but now for people who eat at night and don't want to wake the house, they have changed their slogan to "Soggy, Crushed, and Prefab-It also allows you to ricated." sleep at the table, as there are no annoying sounds. The secret of the stuff is to let it soak.

Perhaps we should define the word "grapevine." That is a man's expression for a ladies aid on foot.

The United Nations are meeting trying to form an international police force. This has a far reaching meaning if it works. Twenty years from now, if you go through a stop light you might have three or four choices. (1) Work three days in the Chinese rice fields, (2) be an usher at the King's ball, (3) Umpire a baseball game, (4) or work in the salt mines.

In closing we should all remember the expression one of the outstanding safety razor companies made the other day concerning the U. N. I quote, "Two heads are better than one, but it will take you longer to shave.'

## Life's Little Quotations

by Jack Mathis

"But the wisdom that is from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, and easy to be intreated, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality, and without hypocrisy.'

James 3:17

"Precedent is a fact established on something that is going to happen in the future."

"Nature is in earnest when she makes a woman.' Oliver Wendell Holmes

"Oh! Gosh! I forgot to tell you. For the first fifteen minutes we'll be gone.'

Mrs. Betty Auchard

"I'm gonna spend a week-end with some Pekinese dogs. Why? Because I haven't any cousins.' Shirley Scheierman

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## PANTHER SPORTS



### CONCORDIA BULLDOGS SPOIL PANTHER HOME DEBUT 13 - 0

YORK FUMBLES COST SCORING OPPORTUNITIES

A tenacious Bulldog from Concordia, scoring touchdowns in second and third period, upset the Panther's hopes for a home victory 13-0. A big factor in the defeat was the York backs' inability to hang on to the ball.

York missed a gilt-edged opportunity to score early when a Concordia fumble was recovered by Wooters on the Bulldog 38. In 8 plays, with Wooters and Emerick carrying, and Wooters throwing to Thorson for 12 yards, the Panthers had a second first down on the Lutheran nine yard

Here occurred the first of the Panther miscues. A York back fumbled and Concordia recovered on the eight to end the threat. The quarter ended with York yielding the ball on downs on the Bulldogs' 34 yard line.

Several sparkling runs by Frank Wooters were nullified as the Panthers lost 12 yards on a fourth-down fumble and relinquished the ball on downs. The Bulldogs took over on their own 41, moving downfield on passes and short thrusts into the line until John Bunge roared over from the 19. Missing the try for point, the Teachers led 6-0.

Taking the second half kickoff, the Concordians had three successive first downs and the ball on York's ten yard line. Here Bill Soukup came up with the first of several saves, intercepting a Concordia aerial on the 12 and returning it to the 32.

Just a minute later came the break that finally crushed Panther hopes. On York's 32, Frank Wooters fumbled as he was hit, Concordia recovering the ball. Once again Soukup was Johnnyon-the-spot with a timely interception. But on the next play, Wooters again was the victim of a fumble. Soukup acquired momentary control, but before he could clutch the bobbing pigskin to his jersey, V. Hinrichs, Concordia lineman, had grabbed the errant leather and chugged 12 yards for the final tally. Zobel's kick ended scoring for the night,

	Con-	
Statistics:	York	cordia
First downs	9	20
Yds, rushing	141	178
Yds. passing	37	55
Passes attempted	13	7
Passes completed	4	3
Passes intercepted	2	3
Punts	1	3
Punts, Ave. Yds	31	33
Fumbles lost	5	3
Yds. lost penalties	65	35

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#### York Succumbs To Wayne Eleven, 34-0

It was a case of nice start no finish when York College took on the Wayne Wildcats at the latter's field. The Panthers started good drives time and again but couldn't sustain them. Fine running by Wooters, Larsen, Emerick, and Dunn provided several scares for the Wildcats.

Wayne, who is currently leading the tough Nebraska College Conference without a defeat, combined hard blocking with accurate passing and sparkling runs to dump the Y. C. crew 34-0. Wayne was just too alert for York. They capitalized on York errors and made many of their own breaks.

Those who saw the game felt that the Y. C. club is definitely on the upgrade. The game at Wayne witnessed the best ball that has been played by York this year. The downfield blocking was sharper. The defense was tough and made it very rough for Wayne backs. The running and passing showed marked improve-

The contest was much closer than the score indicated, and the Panthers showed much fight and will to win. Had it not been for York fumbles and alert Wayne defense, the score could well have been different

Wayne scored two markers in both the second and fourth quarters and one in the first while the Panthers held them scoreless in

the third frame.

Both "Dirty John" Moran and Frank Wooters saw sixty full minutes of play while Les George saw only limited bench duty.

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## Panthers Seek Win WAYNE RIDEOUT TO COACH To Boost Average

In the last 20 years, since 1930, York College has won 8 of the 16 homecoming games played. In the same span of years the Panthers lost six and tied two. The scores for the last 20 years are like this:

1930—no homecoming game 1931-no homecoming game 1932-York 0, Doane 0 1933-York 6, Midland 19 1934-York 6, Nebr. Wes. 26 1935—York 3, Midland 0 1936-York 27, Dana 0 1937—York 13, Wes. Union 0 \*1938—York 48, Dana 7 1939-York 7, Wes. Union 0 1940—York 0, Hastings 28  $\dagger 1941$ —York 6, Sterling 38 1942—York 27, Concordia 12 1943—no homecoming game 1944—no homecoming game 1945-York 38, Dana 19 (six-man football)

1947—York 7, Hastings 26 1948—York 19, Sterling 7 1949-York 27, Chadron 28 1950—YORK ??, STERLING ?? \* Largest score by York. Largest score by any oppon-

1946—York 17, Sterling 7

## **Doane Breezes Past Panthers**

After building up a 33-0 halftime lead, the Doane Tigers breezed to a 40 to 0 victory over the York Panthers. As the score indicates, the game was all Doane's.

The Tigers were held to one touchdown the first quarter, low-

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## FOOTBALL, BASKETBALL AT Y. C.

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WAYNE RIDEOUT

ering the boom the second quarter and scoring four touchdowns.

In the third period, an Anderson to Edwards pass for twelve yards scored the only touchdown of the last half.

In the fourth quarter, the Panthers made their only first down. Doane was stopped on the one foot line as downs and time ran Harold (Jiggs) Summers scored two touchdowns for the Tigers to carry the offensive load.

An addition has been made to the coaching staff of York College in the person of Mr. Wayne Rideout. He will serve in the capacity of head basketball coach and assistant coach of other major

Coming to Y. C. from Texas, he has a background of ten years of coaching experience. Graduating from North Texas State, he has a bachelor of science degree in physical education. Coach Rideout completed four years in track and field while in college and was a member of the world record distance medley relay which established its record at Penn. relays in 1938.

He is 33 years old, married, and has one child. Although he will not bring his family to York until sometime in the future, he will assume his duties immediately.

Coach Roberts will continue as director of athletics and maintain a heavy teaching schedule, while he is developing a strong intramural athletic program for the college. Oscar Swanson will continue as an assistant coach.

With one exception, York has lost fewer penalty yards than its opponents. Only Concordia had fewer yards called against its 'The Panthers have lost team. 160 yards by penalties, their opponents 275.

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#### They Tramped These Halls

By J. C. Morgan

Mr. John A. Franz '31 is cashier of the Buhler State Bank, Buhler, Kansas. He expresses his interest in Y. C. and in other alumni. His brother George is vice-president of the same bank.

Miss Ruth Weston taught in the Polk schools last year, has accepted a position as field director of the Girl Scouts of Lincoln. This summer she served as camp counselor at the Girl Scout camp at Nebraska

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Stowe '20 attended the commencement exercises of the University of Washington where their daughter, Mary, was a member of the graduating class. They also visited their son, John, at Boise, Idaho, who is a civil engineer with the U.S. Forest service.

Miss Isabelle Westlake is General Manager of the Westlake Bureau (Lecturers, Dramatic Artists, and International Attractions) and is in immediate charge of the Midwest office, Lincoln. Miss Westlake attended Y. C. in the '20's and studied with Miss Pearson, Dean Amadon, and Professor Shlanta. She continued her studies at the University of Omaha and was a teacher and supervisor of music in Nebraska high schools for several years.

Harvey Holbrook '49 is superintendent of schools at Elba, Nebraska, where his brother Lora Robert '47 is pastor of the E. U. B. church.

Miss Loraine Garlock '44 and Miss Blanche Buswell, former librarian of the college, each established a record for herself in traveling this summer, and, of course, in any extensive travel California would have to be included in the itinerary.

Carroll Myers '35 writes that after fifteen years he still finds the Sandburr interesting. notes that now and then he sees the name of some student in college who was just a youngster when he was a student. He has

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four children, the youngest of whom is now in the 3rd grade. His work is that of a linotype operator.

Miss Alice Gilbert '30 sends word of the death this summer of her brother Roy N. Gilbert who attended Y. C., 1908-1911. His home was at Nampa, Idaho. Mrs. Gilbert was the former Ruth Loomer, '13. Their children are grown and married, three sons and one daughter.

At the recent session of the Oklahoma conference, Franklin D. Cody '45 was elected as one of the delegates to the General Conference and Merle B. Pulver was elected an alternate. Robert S. Hunt was elected secretary. Wedding:

Miss Carol Y. Mead x51 and Mr. Frank D. Medsker, '50 ,Aug. 22, Imperial, Nebraska. Their home address is 220 Loomis, Naperville, Illinois, where Mr. Medsker is attending Evangelical Theological Seminary.

New Addresses: Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mease (Flora Blakely '37), Haddin apartments, Mexico, Missouri; apartments, Mexico, Mrs. Charles Amadon 93 Perry Street, Brookline 46, Massachusetts, % M. Allen; Rev. and Mrs. Robert Hunt '42 (Lorena Wygle ex'44) 215 North Center, Shawnee, Oklahoma; Arlene Beason '42, Evelyn Beason '42 and Lois Miller '40, 532 Oxford Avenue, Dayton 7, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Milton R. Snow '49 (Wanda Miller '49), 1707 9th, Des Moines 14, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Rojahn x'48, Crete, Nebr. (Mr. Rojahn will attend Doane College and serve as pastor of a Community church in South Lincoln); Mrs. Clinton S. Royer (Grace King '22) Box 456, Westmorland, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tomlinson '47 (Reva Allen '47), Edgar, Nebr.

The name of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cook appeared in the previous issue as Mr. and Mrs. Alex Colk.

#### Hillbillies Theme Of Open Meeting

Mountain music, barefeet, and Southern drawls were much in evidence at the PALS open meet-Thus opened another year of activity for the literary society. A rather extemporaneous dialogue, hashed-up songs, and corny jokes set the pace for the evening which featured a duet, a solo, group singing, and bits of literary selections.

Those participating in the event included old PAL members, alumni, and visitors, numbering approximately 75. Pumpkin pie and coffee served to satiate the appetites of those present.

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#### Rockets, Moons, Stars Featured At Zetas

The Zeta Space Lines have announced that the first experimental flight of Z-1950-51 was completed Thursday night, October 5, 1950. Many passengers aboard the rocket at the time of the flight were new students to the York College campus. The main purpose of this experimental flight was to promote good relations between earth, moon, and the planets.

With paper overhead arranged in the manner of the interior of an airship, the plane left earth under the guidance of co-pilots Betty and Denny Auchard. Jim Potter, radio announcer, gave a second by second report of the happenings aboard the rocket ship.

The first constellation visited was the moon. The representatives of the moon were Barbara Benfer and Evelyn Thomas who sang "Shine On, Shine On Harvest Moon." Herb Kamm, representing Mars, sang "Stars in my Eyes." From Venus came Janice Regenos as their representative singing "How Deep is the Ocean."

The co-pilots not only piloted the rocket ship but they also entertained the passengers by giving some of their varied experiences in a humorous dialogue.

After the rocket ship had safely landed on earth again, refreshments were served by the stewardesses-Norma Isley, Georgann Hoff, Pat Taylor, and Laura Jane Taylor.

#### **CAMPUS CHOLLY**

What would have happened if Jan Coleman had not found out that Doane was **not** a town? 'Seems that on the way to the game, they kept looking for highway signs with Doane on them.

Did you know that Elaine Gile was wearing pajamas at the game with Concordia? Seems they were only spotted thing she could find for her clown suit.

Just before rush week, Lois Miller (a PAL) was teaching her roommate the Zeta song.

Does Chuck Chipman always wear a pencil on (or is it behind) his ear?

If Zetas are informed how come they can't afford shoes? Does everyone put their elbows on the table in the library?

How often do YOU turn Campus Cholly into the Champus Colly?

"Sniffin' Sue" came up with this

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#### **CAMPUS WOMEN** "BUTTONED" IN Y-W CEREMONY

"On the Button" was the theme for the Y. W. C. A. introductory meeting held recently in the Zeta Hall. President Valda Embree, junior, York, conducted the meet-

The second meeting featured a candle-light service in recognition of new members. The service, held in Zeta Hall, was conducted by the president.

Mr. Yost, Sutton, Nebraska, showed slide films, taken during his trip to Europe, in the joint Y. W. C. A. - Y. M. C. A. meeting September 27 in the chapel.

### Mr. and Mrs.

Helen Embree

Top story for the "Mr. and Mrs." crowd this week is the organization of a Campus Wives club. Perhaps I should say this with reservations because a number of the Misters have to babysit when the wives meet. The first meeting was quite successful; about thirty student and faculty wives attended the affair which was held in Middlebrook Hall on September 26. Hostesses Jolene George, Norma Harris, and Helen Embree. Mrs Edith Regenos and Mrs. J. C. Morgan presided at the coffee table.

Officers elected were president, Mrs. Paul Embree; vice-president, Mrs. John Roberts; secretarytreasurer, Mrs. John Barrett, and hostess chairman, Mrs. Merle Glahn. The group will sponsor a float in the Homecoming parade.

Items of interest include outof-town guests and trips away from York.

Alfred Kilpatrick '50, of Farnam, was a recent guest at several Kroyville homes.

Mrs. Carl Bott underwent a tonsillectomy last week at the York hospital; Barry Joe Huebert had his tonsils removed at a hospital in Nebraska City on October 7. Scotty Noble went to Hastings for his tonsillectomy. Scotty and his mother spent the next week visiting relatives at Inavale and Red Cloud.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dougherty of Falls City have been guests of their son "Buck" Dougherty and

The John Barretts spent the week-end of October 1 at their home in Concordia, Kan. Johnny entered a golf tournament but rain halted the completion of the games.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis "Jim" Friesen and sons of Mullen were York visitors last week-end. Jim's football team is making a good showing this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Holm drove to Gothenburg last week end to visit their son John and family. Johnny is teaching in the Gothenburg schools this year.

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#### CHAPEL NOTES

by Robert Herrick

For the first chapel program of the month of October, the students were entertained by a motion picture starring Grace Moore. Miss Moore . . . very aptly portrayed the character of a young singer's struggle in becoming a notable personage in the realm of opera. The film was mostly musical, with some comedy used as a pace-changer. The music was familiar and well done.

Dr. D. E. Weidler was the speaker for chapel on the morning of October 5, 1950. Dr. Weidler, using the text Romans 5:21, spoke on the subject "Amazing Grace." After quoting with commentary, from a sermon by Bishop Kennedy, he concluded his talk by stating that Christ trusted His disciples because He knew what was in them. "Christ also knows what is in us . . . " he continued, " . . . may He then also depend on you and me.'

Monday, October 9, the chapel speaker was Mrs. Hermine Kocina who has but recently arrived in the United States. Her homeland is Latvia. Mrs. Kocina's subject was "Life behind the Iron Curtain." The speaker has traveled extensively in European countries now in the Russian sphere of influence, and is, therefore, qualified to speak of the immediate effects of Communism -which she terms, "... the greatest evil of the present hour."

#### **Pre-Theos Welcomed**

In absence of the president, John Bergland, Glendive, Montana, Eugene Smith, vice president, Seattle, Wash., called to order the first meeting of O. B. N. September 28. Dr. Morgan gave the welcoming address to all would-be new members. After devotions by Vernon Phelps, Berryton, Kans., the remainder of the meeting was spent in discussion of the types of meetings the group preferred.



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# WELCOME, HOMECOMING GUESTS

## Harris Heads Student Body

Heading the student body this year as Student Council president is George Harris, senior, Nelson. As a pre-med. student, his major is in the science department. George, his wife, Norma Ekwall Harris, and small



daughter live in Kroyville. Not only do his activities and college work keep him engaged, but he acts as one of the assistants to Prof. Zerwekh in the chemistry department. His future plans include study for work as a medical missionary in the foreign mission fields.

George has been active in student affairs centering his interest on Life Work Recruits, O. B. N., The International Relations club, and PALS, and has served his class in official capacities.

## 16th Homecoming Observed Today

Homecoming at York College was first celebrated in 1931. Since that time it has become a traditional part of the fall campus activities.

Each queen, elected by the student body, selects two representatives from each class to be her attendants. The first queen was elected in 1935.

The former queens are as follows: 1935, Edith Goodban, York; 1936, Dorothy Bittinger, York; 1937, Gwendolyn Hoofnagle, Dawson, Iowa; 1938, Mary Jean Buttermore, Woodston, Kansas; 1939, Gladys Mohler, Humacao, Puerto Rico; 1940, Ruth Brandstetter, Mascatine, Iowa; 1941, Arlene Beason, Circle, Montana; and 1942, Virginia Hinkel, Cambridge, Iowa.

During the war years, Homecoming was discontinued, but was resumed again in 1945, after which time the queens have been elected from the Junior or Senior classes.

The queens since 1945 are: 1945, Ruth Wiren Auchard, Woodston, Kansas; 1946, Jean Rasp, Shelby; 1947, Wanda Miller, Russell, Kansas; 1948, Ruth Weston, York, and 1949, Opal Anderson, York.

#### Woelfle W. A. A. Prexy

Organization for new year for the Women's Athletic Association was held and Mary Woelfle, senior, Loveland, Colo., was chosen as president and Miss Wakelin as sponsor.

On October 13, the annual slumber party and initiation was held at Miss Wakelin's home. Approximately a dozen new members were installed. Plans have been made for an active schedule of activities including some intra-mural athletics.

## "Around the World" Y. W. C. A. Theme

"Around The World" was the theme of the Y. W. C. A. tea at 4:00 p. m., October 4, in the Middlebrook Hall reception

A welcome was given by the president, Valda Embree. Pat Taylor served as mistress of ceremonies.

The program was as follows:
Trio \_\_\_\_..."White Cliffs of Dover"
Joyce Klingman, Evelyn Thomas,
and Barbara Benfer

Opal Anderson Caro-Mio
(Soprano Solo)

Lois Miller When Men Propose
Irene Meierhenry My Wild Irish
Rose (Ukelin)

Trio Representative American
Spirit (I Was Born in Kansas)

Following the program candy, wafers, and tea were served.

### Student Wives Organize Club

Another organization has added its name to the already long list of campus activities. This organization, the Wives Club, has recently been organized for the express purpose of furthering the associations and friendships of the wives of students and faculty members on the campus, some being students themselves.

some being students themselves.
Officers elected at their first meeting were: President, Helen Embree; Vice-president, Mrs. John Roberts; Secretary-treasurer, Colleen Barrett; Hostess chairman, Guylyn Glahn; Sponsor, Mrs. J. C. Morgan. The ladies will choose a permanent title at their next meeting.

#### I. R. C. Meets, Korea Subject

At the first regular meeting of the International Relations club, Thursday, September 28, Mrs. John Shell, wife of Rev. John Shell, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, discussed the present situation in Korea.

Mrs. Shell wore her native Korean costume during the evening and displayed several other items of clothing from that country.

try.
The I. R. C. has a membership of some thirty students who meet to better acquaint themselves with world problems and to orient themselves to world situations.

The group is sponsored by Dr. Lorraine Casby, Department of History at York College.

## Picnic Given By Y-Club

The annual Y club picnic for football boys was held two and a half miles north of York on the 9th of October. A large crowd was present. The program consisted of singing around the campfire and the regular Y club meeting, at which the two new coaches, John Roberts and Wayne Rideout were voted honorary members of the Y club.

Baked ham, baked beans, cabbage salad, choice of drink, and ice cream was served for the evening meal. It might be added that this was also a co-educational picnic since all of the boys present were required to have dates.

## Pantherettes Begin Activity

The Pantherettes, girls' pep organization, participated in a parade from campus to town square to athletic field, Friday, preceding the Concordia game. They were accompanied by the Pantin' Panthers — boys' pep club - who carried lighted torches. Cheer leaders led the activities of the evening. Both pep clubs were attired in snappy blue and white uniforms.

At the half, Pantherettes marched in V formation and released blue and white helium-filled balloons lettered Y-O-R-K.

Officers of the Pantherettes are as follows: Cora Marquez, president; Alberta Frost, vice-president; Joyce Klingman, secretary; and Manita Mattison, treasurer.

There are 22 new members in the organization. All new girls are busy working on uniforms.

# Homecoming At Y. C. Celebrated Since Year '31

## Program Prepared For Friday and Saturday, October 20 and 21

Homecoming this year marks the 60th Anniversary Observation of the founding of York College. Because of this, an especially outstanding program has been prepared for Friday and Saturday, October 20 and 21.

The festivities started at 1:30 p. m. Friday afternoon with contests between the Freshmen and the Upperclass students. This was followed by a parade at 4:30 p. m. and at 5:15 to 6:00 o'clock the dormatories and buildings were open to the public.

At 6:00 p. m. dinner was served to students and guests, followed at 8:00 p. m. by a football game between York's Panthers and the Sterling team. The Homecoming Queen was revealed just prior to the game. Again from 10:00 to 11:30 p. m. the college holds open house in Middlebrook Hall and donuts and coffee are served.

On Saturday morning at 10:00 a. m. the 60th Anniversary program will be held at the College Church. The Homecoming celebration will close with a 12:00 banquet at Middlebrook Hall for alumni, students, and guests.

In previous years, Homecoming has been held on Fridays only but the activities this year have been so arranged to include Saturday so that it will be possible for teaching and working alumnito attend.

#### After-Game Activities Initiated At Middlebrook

The Student Union in Middlebrook Hall was the scene of an all school party following the first home football game, Friday, October 6. Several games were played, under the leadership of Miss Lois Miller, and others enjoyed ping-pong and some quiet games.

Plans now include entertainment after each home game throughout the remainder of the season as well as during the basketball season. Some possible entertainment for the future includes marshmallow roasts, campfire sings, stunts, and games.

# HOMECOMING QUEEN MISS LOIS MILLER



Lois Miller, Dawson, senior, was chosen by Y. C. students as Homecoming Queen for 1950. Lois has taken an active part in campus activities and other college functions. She participates in PALS, W. A. A., Y. W. C. A., Pantherettes, and the Panther Club. In these organizations she has held various offices and positions. Lois is Student Council Representatives for the senior class and was voted vice president of the Student Council. She is the senior editor on the Marathon staff. Under her leadership as president of the Pantherettes for the past two years, the girls' pep squad has taken an active part on the campus and at all the games. Last year Lois was lab assistant for Dr. Noll in the science depart-

As an expression major, Lois presented a junior recital last year. She played a prominent role in the comedy "January Thaw", which was presented by the Y. C. Players last year. She also gave readings upon request of camus organizations and various off-campus groups. Lois is making plans for her senior recital which will be presented later in the season.

Other candidates nominated for Homecoming Queen for 1950 were—Georgann Hoff, Los Alamos, N. M., senior; Frances Porter, Aurora, senior; Barbara Benfer, Robinson, Kans., junior; and Evelyn Thomas, Topeka, junior. Both candidates from the senior class are expression majors, and the

two junior candidates are music majors. Georgann, Frances, Barbara, and Evelyn all participated in the presentation of junior recitals last year. These girls maintain an active interest in many of the same campus organizations.

Georgann Hoff is a member of Zeta's, Y. W. C. A., W. A. A., and sings in the chorus. She is secretary-treasurer of the senior class. She was on the Marathon staff in both her freshman and sophomore years. During the past two years, Georgann has been working in Al Zerwekh's office.

Frances Porter and Georgann worked together as co-editors for the Marathon during their freshman year. Frances takes an active part in Zeta's, Y. W. C. A., W. A. A. and sings in the touring choir and has also sung in chapel choir

Barbara Benfer is an active member of Zeta's, Y. W. C. A., W. A. A., L. W. R., Pantherettes, and the Panther Club. She has been drill captain for Pantherettes in her sophomore and junior years. She is in band, the traveling choir and chapel choir, and is well known for her solo work.

Evelyn Thomas has been class president in her sophomore and junior years. She is active in Zeta's, Y. W. C. A., L. W. R., Pantherettes, Press Guild, and writes for the Sandburr. She plays in the band, sings in the touring choir and chapel choir, and serves as an accompanist. Evelyn is assistant editor for the Marathon this year, and is Student Council representative for Pantherettes.