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## Athenaeum Debate Results In Verdict Against Capitalism

Subject "Resolved that Capitalism is a Failure", Results in Spirited Argument.

The meeting of the Athenaeum literary society last Thursday evening was featured by a debate on the subject of "Resolved that Capitalism is a Failure," the affirmative being upheld by Evelyn Klugman and L. Lawson and the negative by Elizabeth Spohn and F. Doering. The affirmative side was awarded the decision by a narrow margin.

In her opening remarks, Miss Klugman defined capitalism as "the system that favors the concentration of capital in the hands of a few." The speaker quoted a line "Capitalists own the earth and rule it" to bring out her point that capitalism controls the government, that it is a destroyer of democracy. It was pointed out that war and a great deal of existing unemployment are the direct result of capitalism.

Miss Spohn, as leader of the negative.

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## Pamphlets Published Appealing For Help

Copies will be Placed in Every Lutheran Home.

The College and Seminary authorities this year are making an extensive appeal for aid to the Lutheran congregations. A pamphlet, "The Call of Waterloo College and Seminary", has been published and a copy of this will be placed in every Lutheran home.

In addition to personal messages from Rev. F. B. Clausen, president of the College and Seminary and Rev. J. Reble, president of the Canada Synod, it contains an historical review by Dr. N. Willison, president of the Board of Governors, and much other valuable information.

A number of students laboured several nights, folding and packing the pamphlets for shipment. Envelopes were enclosed for the Reformation Day collections which are set aside solely for the College and Seminary.

## Lynden Lawson Wins Hawke Cup As Senior Track and Field Trophy; Ernst Gomann Wins Junior Title

Eleven College Records fall at Annual Field Day; Seniors win Relay.

CO-EDS PROMINENT.

Showing flashing speed and splendid form, Lynden Lawson, a newcomer to Waterloo College, won the Hawke silver cup, emblematic of the Senior track and field championship of the college, Thursday afternoon at the annual athletic meet. Ernst Gomann, last year's junior champion again won the gold medal for this class, beating Otto Reble by two points.

The junior title was more closely contested than the senior, only two points separating the winner and his nearest rival, Lawson, on the other hand, came out nine points ahead of William Hill, who took second place in the senior contest.

Eleven Waterloo College records fell as the older students tried to prevent the Freshmen from winning too many honors. New marks were established both on the track and at the jumping-pit as the foremost athletes of the College gave the spectators a finished exhibition.

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## BOOK DRAMATIZED



MISS B. MABEL DUNHAM,

popular Canadian novelist, librarian at the Kitchener Public Library and teacher of Library Science at Waterloo College, whose well-known book "The Trail of the Conestoga" has been dramatized here for the use of the Senior Class in the annual College play.

## "Trail of Conestoga" Is Dramatized For Senior Class Play

Mabel Dunham's Novel put into Play Form by Professors Doherty and Klinck.

Permission having been granted by the authors, Miss B. Mabel Dunham, B.A., the epic story of the trek of the Mennonites from their home in Pennsylvania to Waterloo County, as unfolded in "The Trail of the Conestoga," will form the background for this year's senior class play.

As the Mennonites were the first settlers of this county the play will contain much local color and is expected to prove popular. Professor E. Doherty and Professor C. E. Klinck, honorary president of the Class '32 which is presenting the play, have been at work for some time at the task of dramatizing "The Trail of the Conestoga," and have practically completed the play.

Details of the business side of the project have not been completed.

Although the date of presentation has not been set definitely, an early announcement may be expected, as rehearsals begin next week.

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## First Rugby Game of Season on Wednesday

Battle with O.A.C. Freshmen, Billed for To-day, Postponed.

A last-minute telephone call from Guelph gave the local Athletic Directorate information that the proposed rugby game here this afternoon with the Ontario Agricultural College Freshmen could not be played. The game, it is understood, will take place next Wednesday afternoon.

The game was to have been the first of the season for the local rugby squad which has been training under the direction of Coach Jack Hemphill for the past three weeks. A chalk-talk Thursday night and signal-practice Friday night completed training for to-day's expected game, and the message from the farmers in the Royal City destroyed the hopes of both gridders and other students eagerly awaiting the clash to-day.

## Plan To Stage Annual Hallowe'en Social In Gymnasium Oct. 30

Students Eagerly Looking Forward to Athenaeum Society Function.

The gymnasium of the College will again be the scene of a Hallowe'en Social on the evening of October 30. The students of the college and their friends will gather on this well-known date to spend a social evening under the auspices of the Athenaeum Society.

Although the nature of the entertainment could not be learned it is expected that it will be of a different type from that of the past two years. Since the custom of holding annual Hallowe'en socials was begun, two years ago, success attended the efforts of those in charge, and this year's entertainment is expected to be more novel and better than ever.

## Freshman Rules Revived After Five-Year Lapse; Must Wear Green Bows

Newcomers Forced to Obey Regulations set by Sophomore Class.

The youngsters who have just graduated from the Collegiates tend to become rather unruly when they get away from home. Such was the case at Waterloo College this year. Many of the new students became quite boisterous and unruly during the first two weeks.

The Sophomores have taken upon themselves the task of keeping a brotherly eye upon these youngsters, that their inexperience may not lead them into temptation. A set of rules has been drawn up by the sophs for the guidance of the frosh. The frosh have adopted these rules and are attempting to obey them.

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## THE COLLEGE CORD

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# The Editor's Chair



**An Arts Course.** A local student complains that several people, on being informed that he was taking a General Arts course, have asked him: "Are you that good at drawing?"

Another standard remark concerning an Arts course is: "Why don't you take up something practical, like law or medicine or engineering?"

What should be our reply when people, unaware of the true meaning of the General, or, as it is called across the border, Liberal Arts course, make such remarks?

What, in fact, is a General Arts course?

To the practical-minded materialist we may point out that a General Arts course is the basic course for many professions. Lawyers must have it, doctors should have it, and newspaper men are wise to get it. It is also the course prescribed for anyone who wishes to teach in the high schools or collegiates of the province, and is one of the lower rungs of the ladder for the man or woman who aims at higher degrees and a scholarly life.

But is that all it is?

A friend of the writer recently defined education as "The ability to think—and the ability to appreciate."

The General Arts course, provided that the student is really a student and not merely exposed to the lectures, is one of the best means of acquiring these abilities,—of acquiring that much-sought and rarely-found thing known as "education".

"The ability to think—and the ability to appreciate."

Given these, a man or woman will enjoy a happier, more useful and fuller life. Both qualities are rare—and both invaluable.

This is the true, the highest worth of a General Arts course.

—W—

**College Yells.** A prize of five dollars has been offered by the Athenaeum Society, to be given to the person writing the best school yell, provided that the yell, in the opinion of the Athenaeum Executive, is worthy.

A similar prize was offered last year, but the whole business, somehow, went into a slow decline and finally perished.

At present we have, it is true, some school yells; antiquated relics which sound worse on each of the few occasions they are used, and which, fortunately, few people here remember.

None of these, however, would be worthy of the title of official Waterloo College yell. They have not the snap and "punch" of the famous Osgoode Hall war-cry, the aptness of the O.A.C. favorite, nor the swinging rhythm of the standard yells of other colleges and universities.

In short, they are terrible.

Now that the rugby and basketball seasons are upon us, it is imperative that we have a good yell; a yell that everybody

## CONCORDS

Statistics made public recently by the Board of Education of the United Lutheran Church of America indicate that the increase in registration at Waterloo College and Seminary this year was 45 per cent which was the highest of all the colleges under the control of the U.L.C.A. The next highest increase in any of the colleges of the U.L.C.A. was 17 per cent. In other words, the increase at Waterloo this year was almost three times as great as the next best Lutheran controlled college.

Rev. S. W. Hirtle, local professor, had a narrow escape from injury last Monday when the automobile he was driving crashed head-on with another car near Jordan, Ontario. Four persons were injured in the accident, but Rev. Hirtle was unhurt.

Two trips were made by officials of the students' boarding club here early in the week, gathering donations from the various parishes in the Canada Synod and trucking them back to the school.

The old story of too many extracurricular activities for too few students is being repeated. Rugby, basketball, Athenaeum and Germania are all in full swing. Cercle Francais meetings will be begun next week, and the Senior Class has commenced work on its annual play and on the Waterloo section of the University of Western Ontario Year Book. And then, of course, there's the "College Cord."

Our Dean of Women, Miss H. M. Haug, must feel mildly happy as she surveys the crowded condition of the girls' section of pews in Chapel. Much of the great increase in the number of girls registered this year is due directly to her efforts.

By the time the Freshmen and Freshettes are permitted to don their green ties and ribbons they will be inured to almost anything. It is no mean feat to walk down the street while everyone from tiny children to senile, decrepit old wrecks giggles and points at one's flowing green adornments.

The step taken in forming a choir here to lead the singing in Chapel fulfils a long-felt need. Heretofore the singing has been, to put it mildly, horrible.

knows and everybody likes; a yell that can be snapped out like a Scotch sergeant-major's command; a yell that distinctively belongs to Waterloo College.

And so, after many detours, we come to the point of this editorial: get to work, both of you who still are reading this and write an original, distinctive, "peppy", Waterloo College yell.

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## REV. G. SANDROCK IS OFFICIALLY INSTALLED AT CHURCH SERVICE

"Place of Old Testament in Curriculum" Covered Thoroughly in New  
Seminary Professor's Address.

At an impressive service held in St. John's Lutheran Church, Waterloo, on Wednesday evening, October 7th, Rev. George Sandrock was duly installed as professor of the Old Testament at Waterloo Seminary.

Speaking on behalf of the Board of Governors, Dr. N. Willison, president of that board, extended a hearty welcome to Rev. Mr. Sandrock. He briefly reviewed the progress of present-day education, at the same time pointing out the great responsibility resting on a professor.

"The student entering the Seminary," the speaker said, "has had a College training and this has made him cautious as to what to accept. He is not satisfied with a mere statement that this is true and that is false; he wants to reason it out for himself. The professor must therefore be capable of dealing with every discussion that may arise on the part of the student."

The speaker also pointed out that the professor, in his daily contact with the student, was able to find his weaknesses and thus help him to overcome them.

The efficiency of a professor, Dr. Willison stated, depends on the goal he sets; he must not teach merely for the sake of teaching, but because of a burning desire to impart knowledge to his students. Since the student looks for the ideal in his professor, it is the duty of the latter to be a living example of a true Christian. A splendid spirit of loyalty will thus be formed.

Continuing his discourse, Dr. Willison stated that Waterloo College and Seminary is a vital factor in the Church of Canada as well as being of vital importance to the country as a whole.

Following the order of installation, Rev. G. Sandrock gave an address in which he chiefly stressed

the importance of the Old Testament in the Seminary curriculum.

The speaker deplored the short time that the Seminary has to become thoroughly acquainted with the Bible. He stated that the modern pastor should have the best education available, in order to stand on solid ground.

"People nowadays," the speaker continued, "think that the day of the Old Testament is past, but since it is, so to speak, the first-born of the Bible, it should not be neglected. Both scientists and historians attack the Old Testament; if their teachings are contrary to the Bible, their works should find no place in our schools. Our best defence against scientists and historians is Christ, who Himself said 'Search the Scriptures.'"

The officiating clergy were: Dr. N. Willison, Rev. C. Roberts and Rev. F. B. Clavien. Local and visiting pastors and Seminary and College students joined in the procession.

The senior choir of St. John's Church rendered an anthem.

### DEBATE AT ATHENAEUM

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tive in seeking to prove that capitalism is not a failure, pointed out the fact that in nearly all countries private concerns are at the head of industry and commerce and that because one or two men control the finances of a corporation, they are able to provide cheap food and living necessities for the laboring class. They are thus a benefit to mankind. Capitalism, she pointed out, provides opportunity for individual initiative.

In Mr. Lawson's address, he proved that the big chain stores and organized corporations backed with sufficient capital were driving the independent retailer out of business. He also showed that in the process of handling from manufacturer to

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## Correspondent of Cord Interviews The Great Gandhi

Garfield Featherstonehaugh's First  
Article Gives Intimate Picture  
of Mahatma.

London, Eng., Oct. 17.—As the eyes of the world are focussed upon Gandhi at present, I deemed it advisable to interview him in order to gain material for my first article as foreign correspondent of "The College Cord." I assumed that since the Round Table Conference was temporarily shelved as a result of the governmental upheaval of Great Britain, the Holy One would be easy to find at home.

However, I was given a surprise. I found it exceedingly difficult to obtain an interview. Finally, after trying all morning, I was admitted into the presence of the great one.

"You're lucky, young man," Gandhi remarked, squinting at me over his eyeglasses as I entered the room. He pointed to a pile of calling cards on the table. "I've already refused to see twelve reporters today."

"I know," I answered. "I'm them."

"They," corrected Gandhi. "After any form of the verb 'to be', one uses the nominative rather than the objective case."

He sat, chewing meditatively.

My interest was aroused. Did the great one chew tobacco?

"What are you chewing," I asked.

"Chewing gum," grunted Gandhi. "An American gave me some today, I like it, and I won't give you any."

"But how can you chew, with only three teeth in your head?"

"It's all in the gum," replied the prophet, showing himself to be quick on the uptake.

He groped among the folds of his loin-cloth and finally produced a penny.

"Match coppers?" he asked.

"No," I replied, primly. "No coppers."

He fumbled again and produced a pair of dice.

"Shoot craps?" he asked, hopefully.

"No," I said, firmly. "No craps."

Gandhi sighed in disappointment.

"I suppose I may as well give you an interview, then. What do you want to know?"

"Have you any secret vices?" I asked. "That is, besides chewing gum."

Gandhi spat meditatively on the floor. He appeared to be lost in thought.

"Yes," he said. "At least, I used to have one, but I was cured."

"What was it? Liquor? Drugs?"

"No. I used to play the saxophone."

I recoiled in horror.

"The saxophone," I shrieked.

"Yes." He bowed his head in

shame, but in a few moments raised it and looked me courageously in the eyes. "But I reformed. One day a wise man came to my humble home while I was practising, and made me see the light. I immediately put the old, evil life behind me and since then have been an upright, honorable man, not ashamed to look my fellow-citizens in the face."

There was a pause. Both Gandhi and myself were deep in thought, he ruminating on his escape from a life of shame, I wondering what to ask him next.

My meditation on the shattering of all my preconceived opinions of Gandhi was interrupted by a movement on the part of Mahatma. He had gone to the mirror and was examining himself intently.

"I think I'll get my hair cut," he announced, at length.

I was interested immediately.

"Which one?" I asked.

"This one," said Gandhi, pointing to the growth in question, above his left ear. "You know I only have one."

As Gandhi brushed his tooth in preparation for appearing in public, I rose to leave.

"Was the interview satisfactory?" he asked.

"Very," I replied. "I'm sure I'll be able to give my readers lots of prophet."

### —W— FRESHMEN RULES

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There are, however, considerable infractions to these rules. No punishments have as yet been meted out. The frosh expect punishment and their expectations shall not be left unfulfilled.

The special factor in the freshmen rules is the wearing of large, conspicuous green bows. The girls wear them as hair ribbons; the boys as bow-ties.

The freshmen rules are as follows:

1. Freshmen shall always give gentlemanly precedence to upper-classmen.
  2. Freshmen shall keep off the grass on the campus except in games.
  3. Freshmen shall not wear sweat-ers without coats except in games.
  4. Freshmen shall not carry their hands in their pockets.
  5. Freshmen shall avoid loud language and boisterous conduct at all times.
  6. Freshmen shall wear, in place of a tie, the required green bows, which must be visible at all times. Freshettes shall wear the required green bows in their hair, visible at all times. Exceptions to this rule include only Sunday, Church functions and school-holidays.
- The above rules must be obeyed throughout the entire year, with the exception of rule (6) which only holds until after the Hallowe'en party.

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# :: SPORTS ::

## Lynden Lawson Wins Hawke Silver Cup

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A new feature in this year's field day was the large number of girls entered in various events. Lottie Pullam, a freshette, annexed the girls' championship with 18 points, and Norma Maxwell came second with seven.

The Class of '32 showed themselves to be true seniors by winning the inter-class relay for the second year in succession. The team which led the way around the track was exactly the same as that which won this event last year, comprising W. Eifert, H. Little, A. Pauli and J. Lothead.

Following are the results in full, with each new Waterloo College record marked.

### Girls

100yd. dash, M. Tailby and L. Pullam (tie), N. Maxwell, A. Johnston, 15 seconds, new record.

8 lb. shot-put, L. Pullam, N. Maxwell, J. Bilger, 22 ft., 6½ in., new event.

Standing broad jump, H. Willison, M. Hahn, L. Pullam, 5 ft., 10½ in., new event.

Running broad jump, L. Pullam, N. Maxwell, J. Bilger, 10 ft., new event.

Running high jump, E. Klugman,

## Sport Comments

Old man weather is not being fair to the tennis players. On days on which their timetable is full he gives them bright sunshiny days, but as soon as they have a spare hour or two he sends out damp, rainy, misty days entirely blighting their anticipatory dreams of a good game.

The first basketball game of the season is this evening. The hour is a little inconvenient but it won't deter those who are really enthusiastic.

On account of the early commencement of play there has been little time for intensive practising. Also, the rugby and basketball practises are likely to conflict, causing serious problems as many students play on both teams.

Boys, are you going to let the girls better you? Last year it was a recognized fact that the co-eds did most of the rooting. A little rivalry in this matter would make a lot more cheering, and a lot more cheering would show the team that the school is really interested. However, why not have a rooters' league with organized cheering? As the Aethnaeum has offered a prize for the best yell handed in there should be plenty of material for this. There is all the difference in the world between the cheering of a few scattered fans and that of a concentrated group with definite yells.

Watch for the regular tennis ladder which will be put up some time in the coming week. Another notice will be posted on the board as to its whereabouts.

There is much promising material around for a hockey team.

L. Pullam, M. Hahn, 3 ft., 8 in., new event.

Running, hop-step-and-jump, L. Pullam, M. Hahn, H. Willison, 21 ft., 4½ in., new event.

Baseball throw, L. Pullam, H. Willison, N. Maxwell, 108 ft., new event.

### Junior Boys

100 yd. dash, O. Reble, E. Gomann, L. Schweitzer, 11 1-5 seconds, new record.

220 yd. dash, E. Gomann, O. Reble, 25 1-5 seconds, new record.

440 yd. run, E. Gomann, O. Reble, S. Alberti.

880 yd. run, E. Gomann, M. Ault, S. Alberti, 3 min 10 sec.

Standing broad jump, E. Gomann, O. Reble, M. Ault, 8 ft., 7 in.

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## Basketeers Oppose Trinity Church In Season's First Tilt

Game Starts at 6.30 To-night at Y.M.C.A.; Girls May Form Team.

Waterloo College's basketball team again will have a chance to show its prowess through its entry into the local Church League. The first game that the basketeers have is this evening at 6.30, with the Trinity quintette. As usual the games will take place at the Y.M.C.A.

Last year considerable support was given the players by the students, but it was generally felt that more could have attended the games.

The College enrollment this year has increased considerably, which means more rooters. The team has been steadily improving from year to year, and deserves keen support.

The number of girls attending has been increased so much that there are very promising prospects of a girls' basketball team. Last year there were too few to permit this, but it will be remembered that two years ago several games were played in which the girls did not do too badly. The great trouble so far has always been to get enough players. It is too much to expect the whole team to play a whole game continuously without a rest. However, this difficulty seems to have been finally overcome and there are even possibilities of entering a league. This step will be entirely new and may in time lead to the development of a strong team.

—W—

It is greatly regretted that several of the rugby players have received injuries which will keep them out of the game for some time.

There was a very noticeable difference in the number of girls' entries handed in for this year's field day and for last year's. Compare with three entries for one event, nine entries for six or more events.

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## Co-ed Gossip

The freshettes are looking forward to the end of the month when they will be able to remove their green bows permanently. Flaunting vivid colours in public everywhere one goes, and enduring the curious stares of passers-by, is no joke, say the new lassies; especially when that colour is what it is.

There are rumours floating about the feminine colony of the school concerning the reorganization of the Uplifters Society, that mysterious club whose purposes puzzle all the male students. It is probable that officers will be elected in the near future and the activities of the year begun.

With girls on the executives of the majority of the classes and other organizations of the school this year, the co-eds are expected to take an active part in the extra-curricular activities of the College.

There is one particular street-car ride behind a professor that some of the school's feminine students enjoyed, according to a story circulating about the College.

Miss H. M. Haug, Dean of Women of Waterloo College, Miss Eleanor Doherty and Miss Louise Twietmeyer, members of the faculty of the college, entertained the co-eds at the home of Miss Twietmeyer, Frederick street, Waterloo, on the evening of October 2nd.

An initiation ceremony was arranged for the freshmen. Each newcomer was presented with green bows which she was ordered to wear on her shoes throughout the month of October. Following the initiation progressive games were played. Miss Verna Lauman and Miss Ruth Bohlender being the winners. At the conclusion of the evening a dainty supper was served.

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### FRESHIE

Who was the noisy, boisterous lad,  
With humor crude and manners bad,  
With academic blankness sad?

"Twas Freshie.

Who is it now who's small and still,  
Obeying Sophomore will,  
Avoiding Sophs with wondrous skill?

It's Freshie.

Who is it with the bright green tie,  
With sombre and rebellious eye,  
Whom upper classmen call "small fry,"

It's Freshie.

Whose life just now seems sad and drear?

Whose gloating betters at him leer?

## Seminary Notes

On Sunday, Oct. 4, the following students of the Seminary were out preaching: Erik Larsen, at the Sunday School rally at Hespeler and at First English Church, Kitchener, in the evening; Fred Mueller at Conestogo and St. Jacobs; W. Vetter at Ayrton; Walter Goos at Owen Sound. President F. B. Clausen preached at First English Church, Kitchener in the morning service.

The seminarians were apparently taking a holiday in good earnest on Thanksgiving Sunday. We have heard news of no homiletical efforts on their part over the week-end.

We have been informed that President Clausen will preach at Preston on October 18th. He will also speak at the Sunday School Convention to be held in Montreal on Oct. 21st.

Dr. Little will preach at Stratford on Sunday, October 18th.

Another arrival from Hungary has joined our numbers. Rev. F. Csontak, of Budapest. Since his arrival on September 7th, he has spoken at Windsor and at Kitchener. After a stay of a few weeks in the Seminary he plans to take up work in the Hungarian Mission in Montreal.

Walter Goos and Fred Mueller have been appointed by action of the mission board to hold services alternately at Owen Sound and carry on the work begun there.

A meeting of the Seminarians was held on October 5th. As this was the first meeting for the semester, the officers for the first term were elected. The honorary president for the semester is President Clausen. The honorary vice-president is Dr. Little. Eric Larsen was elected as president, J. Neff as secretary and G. Durst as treasurer. It was decided that meetings should be held every other Monday, for the purpose of discussing current theological questions.

At the meeting of the Seminarians it was decided that a choir should be organized for the purpose of leading the singing in the chapel. Dr. H. Schorten was asked to organize the same. Steps have already been taken to arouse interest in this matter and the time for practice has been set as every Thursday at 6.45 p.m. All who are interested are asked to bear this in mind. We ask the co-operation of all who have sufficient talent and time.

Who looks with longing toward next year?

Poor Freshie!



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## DEBATE AT ATHENAEUM

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consumer, goods repay those who are backing the manufacture of them more than they should because the poor consumer is paying an abnormal price for the finished product. He also blamed capitalism for the bad distribution which is one of the worst features of the day.

Since capitalism has not deprived us of our social, political or spiritual rights, it has fulfilled its purpose and existing bad conditions which are caused by capitalism, are only minor. This was the argument of Mr. Doering, the last speaker of the negative, who said man is a selfish.

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# Literary News

## Cercle Francais Activity Starts Tuesday Evening

A year of activity on the part of Le Cercle Francais, local French literary society, is promised by the early commencement of meetings. With the executive providing the program, the first meeting of the society for the year will be held Tuesday evening and a large attendance is expected.

The activities of Le Cercle Francais were renewed at the beginning of the second semester last term, after a lapse of several years. Although there were few meetings, success attended the efforts of the executive.

Meetings will be held regularly every two weeks this year according to present plans, so that those studying French here will be afforded an opportunity to learn to speak and understand the language as well as read and write it.

A pleasing feature of the meetings last year was the period in which the assemblage sang French songs and played games. This idea will be continued in this year's meetings.

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## Instructive Addresses At Germania Meeting

Program of High Calibre Enjoyed by Members of Society.

At the regular meeting of the Germania Verein held October 8th, Doctor H. Schorten described the life of the first pastors of the Lutheran Church in Canada in pioneer days. Personal contact with pioneer pastors and laymen made his talk very interesting.

Emil Dietsche spoke on the modern German poet, Christian Morgenstern, who is just becoming recognized as a genius. He finished by reading a poem of the poet's younger

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## This Week's Anecdote

At the famous Garrick Club of London, not long ago, the members of a dinner party exchanged anecdotes of the theatre, deciding to vote for the best one told. This was the winner.

Sir James Barrie had been engaging an actor for one of his plays. The terms had been settled when the actor said: "Of course, Mr. Barrie, I am to be featured, am I not?"

Barrie said he did not understand. The actor explained that he meant the names of all the cast should be printed on the programs and bills in the ordinary type and "at the end of this list my name is printed in large type with the word 'and' just before it."

Barrie took a pull at his pipe, glanced at the actor thoughtfully, and replied: "Why not 'but'?"

—W—

## Five Years Ago

The Hoffman Memorial Campaign was launched October 12th.

The annual Field Day was held October 20th.

With their socks pulled over their trousers and their vests put on backwards, freshmen at the College were compelled to sweep the street car tracks in Waterloo.

The "College Cord" extended congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Little on the occasion of the birth of a daughter.

Lloyd Schaus was elected president and Arthur Buehlow vice-president of the Freshmen class.

The organization of a Glee Club was planned at a meeting of the Athenaeum Society, October 14th.

days, "Der Tod erst macht den Menschen Frei", and of his later days expressing his pantheism "Siehe da ist Gottes Lamm."

Alvin Paul discussed International peace, outlining the war attitude between the various countries in the past. He presented the ideals that were being advanced by some of the nations, showing how far short the results of diplomacy were falling.

Julius Neff gave an interesting talk on Lessing. "Lessing," he said, "was the first of Germany's dramatists." Then he read part of Lessing's tragedy "Similia Galatti."

A committee was appointed to make plans for a social evening. The meeting closed after the singing of several folk-songs.

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Themselves when they be felt.

—Shakespeare.

—W—

Prayer is the soul's sincere desire,  
Uttered or unexpressed,  
The motion of a hidden fire  
That trembles in the breast.

—W—

To have what we want is riches,  
but to be able to do without is power.—MacDonald.

## CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schulte on the occasion of the birth of a daughter, Oct. 12, at the K.-W. Hospital.

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## LYNDEN LAWSON WINS

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Running broad jump, O. Reble, S. Alberti, E. Gomann, 17 ft.  $\frac{1}{2}$  in., new record.

Running high jump, O. Reble, E. Gomann, M. Ault, 4 ft. 7 in.

Running hop-step-and-jump, O. Reble, E. Gomann, M. Ault, 35 ft. 6 in., new record.

Pole vault, E. Gomann, S. Alberti, O. Reble, 8 ft., new record.

8 lb. shot put, M. Ault, O. Reble, E. Gomann, 38 ft. 11 in., new record.

## Senior Boys

100 yd. dash, L. Lawson, J. Lochhead, W. Hill, 10 1-5 sec., new record.

220 yd. dash, L. Lawson, J. Lochhead, K. Knauff, 23 1-5 sec., new record.

440 yd. run, R. Ruch, K. Knauff, C. Crouse, 1 min. 5 sec.

880 yd. run, K. Knauff, C. Cooke, W. Elfert, 3 min. 9 sec.

Standing broad jump, L. Lawson, R. Ruch, W. Hill, 9 ft. 5 in.

Running broad jump, L. Lawson, W. Hill, C. Kruspe, 18 ft. 2 in., new record.

Running high jump, W. Hill, R. Ruch, L. Lawson, 4 ft. 10 in.

Running hop-step-and-jump, L. Lawson, W. Hill, K. Knauff, 35 ft. 6 in.

Pole vault, L. Lawson, W. Hill, 8 ft. 3 in., new record.

8 lb. shot put, G. Orth, H. Casselman, L. Lawson, 40 ft. 10 in.

Class Relay, Class of '32, Elfert, Little, Pauli, Lochhead.

Girls' champion, L. Pullam, 18 points, N. Maxwell 7 points, H. Willison 6 points.

Junior boys' champion, E. Gomann 23 points, O. Reble 21 points, M. Ault 8 points.

Senior boys' champion, L. Lawson 20 points, W. Hill 11 points, K. Knauff and R. Ruch (tie) 7 points.

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## DEBATE AT ATHENAEUM

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being and asked the question, "Can Communism, Bolshevism or Socialism change the nature of man? Can they do for mankind what Capitalism has not?"

Musical selections by Fred Haak and Bill Hill were rendered while the judges, J. H. Smythe, B.A., A. Pauli and E. Neigh were making the decision.

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Politician: "So when I found out there was graft in the matter, I immediately got out of it."

Voter: "How much?"



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Waiter: "Oh, thank you, sir. I have been looking all over for it."

The absent-minded professor called on his medical friend one evening and in a few moments the two were chatting merrily. At the end of two hours the professor arose to leave.

"By the way," asked the doctor, "is everything all right with the family?"

"Good heavens," cried the professor, "I forgot to tell you. My wife's having a fit!"

English Professor: "What did Macbeth say when he heard that Birnam Wood was moving towards him?"

Bright Student: "Cheese it—de capse!"

First Co-ed (reading): "Think of those Spaniards going 3,000 miles on a galleon!"

Second Co-ed: "Aw, forget it! You can't believe all you hear about those foreign cars."

## Schoolboy Howlers

(From "The Reader's Digest")

Acimony, sometimes called holy, is another name for marriage.

A momentum is what you give a person when they are leaving.

Contralto is a low sort of music that only ladies sing.

In Christianity a man can have only one wife. This is called monotony.

The dog came bounding down the path emitting whelps at every bound.

Jacob, son of Isaac, stole his brother's birthmark.

Launcelot arrived at a castle, where he asked if he could be put up with for the night.

The letters M.D. signify "mentally deficient."

Solomon had 300 wives and 700 porcupines.

The Mediterranean and the Red Sea are connected by the sewage canal.

Chivalry is the attitude of a man towards a strange woman.

Appendicitis is caused by information in the appendix.

Science is material. Religion is immaterial.

"What part did the U.S. navy play in the war?" It played the Star Spangled Banner.

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A college education never hurt anybody who was willing to learn something afterwards.

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