

Valentine Greetings Welcome Annual Prom Guests

Gaily Decorated Gym Scene of Dance; Sheila Moore Crowned Princess During Broadcast Over Local Station; Neal Is M. C.

By PAT SCOTT

About 175 college couples and their guests danced amid valentines and streamers at the fourth annual Publications' Prom, last Friday night in the Physical Education building. The walls were gaily decked with paper hearts on which were written valentine greetings and the names of couples attending the dance. From the center of the ceiling to the corners, red and white streamers, and rows of gayly painted newspapers were strung.

During intermission, the eleven princess candidates were introduced by Don Neal, master of ceremonies, who gave a brief resume of their college life. The Prom went on the air at 10:45 to be broadcast over the local station. Neal and Hazel Anderson heightened the excitement of the evening by a skit to detain the announcement of the winning princess candidate. They pretended to have lost the envel-

ope in which the local coast guard committee, who served as judges, had placed the name of the 1943 Publications' Prom Princess.

When it was finally found, Sergeant Felix Montes, former WWCollegian business manager, was introduced to end the suspense with the announcement that Miss Sheila Moore, dark-haired sophomore, would reign over the prom.

Princess Sheila walked through two lines of coastguardsmen, who stood at attention, to the stand where the crown of honor was placed on her head by Sergeant Montes. Paper boys entered shouting "extra" and distributed the prom edition of the WWCollegian.

Miss Moore and her escort, ASB president Art Clark, then led the line to a container where defense stamp boutonnières, which had been purchased by the women, were deposited for the benefit of the Student Lounge fund.

Music for the affair was furnished by George Hankins' orchestra. Miss Hazel Anderson, Klipsun editor, and Miss Bernice Shellhamer, WWCollegian editor, under the advisership of Mrs. Frank Burnet, headed all prom plans.

Uncle Sam's Gain Is College Loss

Although busily engaged in his work, Herbert C. Ruckmick paused to answer the inquiring reporter's questions. "Yes, I'm going into the Naval Reserves. I'll be in a branch of Naval aviation as a specialist in photography." He added that of eight different types of work he may be teaching aviation photography, or doing camouflage work.

Mr. Ruckmick will leave February 25, for Columbus, Ohio, where he will spend four to six weeks in training. He will have a senior grade lieutenant rating. As Dr. Paul Woodring is also in Columbus as a first lieutenant in the army, Mr. Ruckmick is looking forward to seeing him.

Quoting Mr. Ruckmick, "I feel as if I am going on in education as this is of an educational nature. Being a type of visual aid work, it offers a challenge. I'd like to see how the Navy does it."

State Governor Guest Speaker

Governor Arthur B. Langlie has accepted the invitation to attend the dedication ceremony for the new Campus Elementary school building. Scheduled for the weekend of May 7 and 8, the services will begin Friday evening and continue Saturday morning.

John P. Jones, architect of the building, appeared before the board of trustees at their last meeting. He discussed, with the board, the steam line and other aspects of the new building.

Another invitation has been accepted by President Ernest O. Melby of the University of Montana. He has consented to be the chief speaker at the summer conference to be held July 8 and 9. President Melby is the former dean of the school of education at Northwestern university, Illinois. The subject of this annual conference will be, "Schools After the War."

Pub Prom Princess Pictured in P-I

Saturday morning's Seattle Post-Intelligencer carried the picture of The Publications' Prom princess, and a write-up about the prom. Pat Scott and Jean Mulvaney who were on the publicity committee, sent the story to the Seattle paper.

Budapest Quartet Wins Praise

By JEAN ELAINE MULVANEY

A music loving audience is always fascinating. Especially the one that sat awaiting the Budapest String Quartet last Saturday night. Everyone had that look of long-awaited anticipation, complete with great expectations for such a rare treat.

The program presented was truly a music lover's delight. The program was as follows:

I. Quartet in D Major, Opus 76, No. 5, Haydn: Allegretto, Largo, Menuetto, Presto.

II. Quartet in B Flat Major, Opus 130, Beethoven: Adagio, ma non troppo—Allegro—adagio Presto—L'istesso tempo; Andante con moto, ma non troppo; Alla danza tedesca; Cavatina (Adagio molto espressivo); Allegro.

III. Quartet in E minor, "From My Life," Smetana: Allegro vivo appassionato; Allegro moderato a la Polka; Largo Sostenuto; Allegro Vivace.

A continuous and pleased applause showed the appreciation of the audience. Many favorable comments were heard as the audience left the auditorium.

Publications Move Headquarters Soon

Work is now underway on the new Publication offices which are to be located in room 208. This will be the headquarters for all student publications such as the WWCollegian, Klipsun, and the Navigator. The room is to contain two smaller offices and a general room for reporters.

Klipsun and Navigator work will be carried on in one of the smaller offices, while the other will be for Mrs. Ruth Burnet, publications adviser.

Mrs. Burnet has this to say about the new offices. "We are happy to have the publication offices moved near the ASB and AWS offices as the three together will create a student activity center for the school.

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Viks Fight For Top Position

Student Election Fills Board Posts, Elect Manager

Aileen Gardiner, Declan Barron, and Bill Hatch are winners of the election held Wednesday, February 17, in the Dean of men's office.

The two new members of the Board of Control, Miss Gardiner and Mr. Barron won the posts of four-quarter woman and four-quarter man or woman respectively. Mr. Hatch is the new Student Lounge manager.

Other students running for office of four-quarter man or woman were Marie Eines and Julia Klann. Zosia Nowagroskia was the other candidate for four-quarter woman. Chris Diede and Mike Smith were also running for Student Lounge manager.

The question concerning the raising of student fees one dollar was omitted from this election but might possibly be on a future ballot.

Speaker Uses Current Titles

William Starr Myers, an authority on national and international affairs will be a speaker in assembly Friday, February 19.

Dr. Myers occupies the Chair of Political Science at Princeton university, and has been instructor of history and politics at John Hopkins university. He also was instructor of history at the University of Tennessee.

Because of the timely nature of Dr. Myers talks, his titles change constantly as current developments change. He also will answer questions after his lecture.

A Christian adventurer, Charles A. Wells, will appear in assembly Tuesday, February 23, and speak on Christ and world need.

He has been employed by newspapers and religious periodicals as cartoonist, journalist, feature writer, and artist. As a Christian adventurer, he has traveled most of the world, and has seen much excitement in China, Russia, and Germany.

His cartoons and editorial comment appear regularly in the Methodist Advocate, Baptist Missions, and many other leading religious periodicals.

Victory Book Drive Aided By Library

Red, white and blue V's cover the book container in the library. The Victory book drive is being carried on throughout the city, with the help of all town libraries. The box is filling up, but only certain types of books are wanted. Students are asked to read the bulletin for the preferred list, as there has been a misunderstanding. Remember, soldiers are tired of reading about "Patty's Trip to Fairyland" or just any old book. Get up in that book shelf and really pick a "winner."

Rangers Here For Crucial Series; Norsemen Have Big Chance

Lappy's Hoopsters Out to Avenge Double Header with Coach Ennis's Basketball Quintet

After splitting a two game series early this week with the St. Martins Rangers the Vikings will entertain them tonight and tomorrow night in a two game series on the Viking's home floor determined to make a clean sweep of both games.

This series is especially important to the Viks as they still have an outside chance of earning a first place tie by sweeping their remaining games. One loss and they are definitely out.

The Rangers have been using their three big men, Gaston, Lozeau, and Ellensworth, under the backboard for rebound shots and it has proved very effective. Fuchs and Erickson are the two short men that Coach Jimmy Ennis has been using because of their speed and accurate eye in bucketing shots.

McPhee is another tall man who spells off Ellensworth at center. Gaston, who has a deceptive and

excellent left hand shot, tallied most of his tries in the two games earlier this week.

"The games at the first of this week" have been the only conference this season in which both teams used a semi-zone defense, Coach Lappenbusch asserted.

Lappy is brushing up the foul shooting which was very poor against the Rangers and is drilling the boys against the zone defense which proved very effective against the Viks this week.

The boys will have to watch their eating before and after both games if they want to have the physical stamina to keep up a steady pace both nights.

Friday night the preliminary games will be: the Supersarsity meets the highly touted Coast Guard Sea Bees from the City league and on Saturday night the all star college picked from the five intramural squads will endeavor to down their fellow classmates on the Supersarsity.

Lappy will start Gregg, Wittren, Ludwick, Lowery, and Strankman, the same five that started both the Ranger games.

New Money Maker For Lounge Fund

Through the efforts of various members of the "W" club, a new type of money maker for the student lounge has been initiated in school during the last week. It is nothing more than the old form of score guessing except that you don't guess, you just pay ten cents and hope that your number will be the one that wins the pot of five dollars for yourself, and five dollars for the lounge.

Each entrant pays his money into the main fund, and after each basketball game that the Vikings play, the one whose name is in the correct square, wins.

So far there have been three lucky people. Bobby Ludwick won the one for the Fort Casey game, Larry Munizza the Monday game with St. Martins, and Chris Diede the Tuesday game pot. So far the idea has been more than successful and there have been people waiting to sign and unable to because of the limited amount of space. Also, thanks to the "W" club, the student lounge fund is fifteen dollars richer today than it was one week ago.

★Dateline . . .

Saturday, February 20—
Basketball game with St. Martins, here.
Monday, February 22—
ACE meeting in room 208, at 4 p. m.
Thursday, February 25—
IRC meeting in men's Club room at 7:30 p. m.
Friday, February 26—
Discussion groups, meet in AWS room, men's club room, and faculty room.

Two-Week Courses This Summer

Short courses of two weeks each will be offered this summer. These are refresher courses which may be taken by anyone, but which are especially helpful for returning teachers who have limited time. This plan is being adopted by the two universities and four colleges in the state.

Seventeen credits will constitute a standard load. These courses will be given: observation in the training school (kindergarten to the sixth grade), beginning reading, remedial reading (grades above the second), curriculum, teaching of science and teaching of arithmetic.

Instructors Attend Elma Conference

Leaving Wednesday for Elma, Grays Harbor, to attend a meeting sponsored by the Elma schools and county superintendent's office were Dr. Aubrey E. Haan, Miss Ruth Melendy, and Miss Evelyn Odom, of the college staff.

The purpose of this conference is to plan to use more effectively the material gathered by the state planning council three years ago in the noted Elma Survey. Participating in the conference besides the teachers of Elma and surrounding schools, are representatives of the University of Washington and the State Department of Education.

School Monday

Classes will be held as usual on February 22, which is George Washington's birthday, to make up some of the time missed when school was closed.

This will not effect Spring vacation however, which will be as scheduled.

Western Male Population Again Reduced

WRA Gives Party, Hold Election

Unhappy Girls? 'Nuff Said

There goes Harold, Frank, and Red.

Montesano Red Wright received his questionnaire, his orders to report for medical examination, and his induction orders, all within two weeks. Red reports to Fort Lewis today for his final physical examination, and to be sworn into the army. He and Wendell Kugel, of Edwards will travel down together.

Frank Iraola, third quarter freshman and member of Hospice, received his call from the Naval headquarters in Seattle. Frankie is at home at the present time but he expects to be back here for a few days before he reports for duty.

Harold Hardman also has been the recipient of an invitation to drop in and see the boys in the Luther building. He is announcing a "Draftie" sweepstakes. Harold is selling tickets at two-bits each, one for each day in the coming month. The holder of the ticket with the date of Harold's induction inscribed thereon will be awarded a prize, the eraser with which Harold corrected his sports copy for the WWColegian.

Ralph Major and Ralph Burgess left for home Tuesday. Both men were spending a short vacation before being inducted into the army. Both will be in service before the end of the month.

Corporal Mickey Smith and Marine Pfc. Stan Wetherell were week-end guests at Hospice. Corporal Smith is a former student and Hospice resident and is well known by the upperclassmen. Wetherell is at present attached to the merchant marine, waiting appointment to the Quantico, Virginia, officers candidate school.

Don't You Hear the Bells Go Ding Dong?

Tuesday evening, Phyllis Artley was honored at a party after announcing her engagement to Lawrence McLaren, a former student of WWC, who left Monday for the Navy. A white angel food cake, bearing the engaged couple's names,

"Phyll and Mac," was served.

A joint birthday party was given Monday evening honoring Margaret Moyer and Marilyn Johnson, who have now reached the ripe old age of twenty-one.

Annette Wright of Snohomish spent the week-end with Crystal Ackerman.

Zosia Nowogroski had as her week-end guest, Majorie Heintzelman of Olympia.

PAID ADVERTISEMENT

Watch this column for further notice of Crystal Ackerman's birthday party.

Deadline for all house news is Tuesday afternoon at 4.

● Last Wednesday evening was the scene of the WRA valentine party in the big gym. During the business meeting Iris Bowden was elected as the Frosh representative to the cabinet. Other nominees were Georgia Driver and Alice Marie Andersen. Basketball and bowling the main sports for the winter term, were discussed. Following the business meeting, games such as the Flying Dutchman and You Are My Sunshine, were played. The girls especially enjoyed the refreshments of punch, chocolate cake and jelly beans.



Life in the WAAC

Some questions and answers of interest to every patriotic college woman

The drilling sounds so strenuous—!



Nonsense! The most beautiful women in America today are the girls in khaki! Some calisthenics and drilling are vital to general good health, discipline and tuned-up reflexes. After a few weeks at Fort Des Moines, Daytona Beach or the new Fort Oglethorpe training center you'll feel better than ever in your life.

Maybe I wouldn't like the work?



People are happiest doing what they do well. Every effort is made to place you where your service will count most toward final Victory. You may have some latent talent that will fill a particular need for work interesting and new to women—such as repairing the famous secret bombsight, rigging parachutes, operating the fascinating new electronic devices—or driving an Army jeep over foreign terrain.

Then I have a chance to learn something new?



Yes, indeed. And the list of WAAC duties grows constantly. The training and experience you get in the WAAC may equip you for many stimulating new careers opening up for women.

What are my chances of promotion?



Excellent. The Corps is expanding rapidly and needs new officers, both commissioned and noncommissioned. Those who join now have the best chances. All new officers now come up through the ranks. If qualified, you may obtain a commission in 12 weeks after beginning basic training.

What is the age range and other requirements?



Very simple. You may join if you are a U. S. citizen, aged 21 to 44, inclusive, at least 5 feet tall and not over 6 feet, in good health—regardless of race, color or creed. But the Army needs you now—don't delay. Total War won't wait!

Linguists needed. If you speak and write Spanish, Portuguese, Chinese, Japanese, Russian, French, German or Italian, see your local Army recruiting office now! You are needed for interpreting, cryptography, communications.

First of all, is the WAAC really needed?



Emphatically yes! Already the President has authorized the Corps to expand from 25,000 to 150,000. The Air Forces and Signal Corps have asked for thousands of WAAC members to help with vital duties. Both Ground Forces and Services of Supply are asking for thousands more. Members of the WAAC may be assigned to duty with the Army anywhere—some are already in Africa and England.

Can the WAAC really help win the war?



The whole idea of the WAAC is to replace trained soldiers needed at the front. If American women pitch in now to help our Army (as women in Britain, Russia and China do), we can hasten Victory—and peace.

What can my college education contribute?



College training is important equipment for many WAAC duties too long to list. Cryptography, drafting, meteorology, laboratory work, Link trainer and glider instructing, for example. If you are a senior you may enroll at once and be placed on inactive duty until the school year ends. See your WAAC faculty adviser for more details.

But can I live comfortably on WAAC pay?



There are few civilian jobs in which you could earn clear income, as WAAC enrolled members do, of \$50 to \$138 a month—with all equipment from your toothbrush to clothing, food, quarters, medical and dental care provided. WAAC officers earn from \$150 to \$333.33 a month.

Women's Army Auxiliary Corps

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U. S. ARMY RECRUITING AND INDUCTION STATION

Bench Splinters . . .

collected by j. dorcy

The Viks are down but they're not quite out. They go into their two-game series with St. Martins tonight with an outside chance of getting a tie for first place in the Winco race. As a result of Tuesday's defeat they lost the chance of standing alone at the top of the heap. Now, by winning their remaining games, getting that protested game against Cheney coupled with Ellensburg dropping the defending champs twice, the Wildcats and Vikings will tie with 12 wins and 4 losses. If Cheney takes three games from Ellensburg the latter will drop to second and the top spot will be shared by the Viks and the Savages. In any case the Viks can't afford to lose any more games. Come out Friday and Saturday nights and help see that they don't.

The sports pages are full of the pros and cons as to whether baseball should be continued under present conditions. The most convincing argument I've seen is a picture from a book written by a marine recently returned from Guadalcanal. It shows a photograph of the bulletin board in the operations office at Henderson Field and posted in a prominent place were the box scores of the major league games played here at home. If those boys are wondering about how the Dodgers or the Yankees are making out there should be some Dodgers, Yank, etc., for them to wonder about.

Russ Davis, one of Lappy's greatest guards, is now a Naval cadet at San Diego. . . Speaking of the Navy, the ranks of the apprentice seamen will be considerably swelled by WWC undergrads in the near future. . . The W club basketball pool is the best method thought of so far for raising money for the student lounge. . . Bill Ropes was a visitor here last week. . . He's attending officer's candidate school at Fort Benning, Georgia. . . The Three-Eye, one of the oldest baseball leagues, is folding for the duration. . . The W. I. league may follow their example. . . Willie Pep, between yawns, won his 61st consecutive fight last week. . . He's recognized as featherweight champ in New York and California. . . Russ Wiseman needs only 29 points in his next four games to break Johnny (Hotfoot) Katicas Winco scoring record of 226 points set last year. . . Russ probably will make that many foul shots.

Prelim Features Mural Squads

As a highlight of the intramural basketball season an all-star intramural team will meet the Supersarsity in the preliminary to Saturday night's Ranger-Viking game. As yet the all-star squad has not been picked but it probably will include such fellows as Barnhill, Leu, and Packard from Daniels, Stenson of Hospice and most of the Unknown's team, Anderson and Johnson might represent the Renegades. Edwards probably will have Hickenbottom as their representative. It will give many of the students a chance to see just what kind of a bunch goes out for the intramurals.

Another intramural highlight will be the meeting of Edwards hall and Hospice inn in a game played Tuesday, February 23, for the benefit of the student lounge. A small fee of ten cents will be charged. Everyone is urged to attend as the game promises to be as good as any played this season.

With the WRA . . .

By ALICE FJELLMAN

This week our battered defense hat tips off to one MARGARET RICHARDS who led the WRA Valentine party to success with her committees. Thanks MAGGIE, we know all the girls who went, had a grand time.

HIKERS, ATTENTION!

Here's hoping to your shoe leather! The Outing Committee has dooed it. Tomorrow morning all interested hikers are asked to catch the 10 o'clock bus on Garden street and then transfer to the Lakeway Drive bus. They will get off at the Park entrance of Whatcom Falls and then proceed on their destination to the Boy Scout cabin.

STALEMATE

Basketball news for the week really happened when the EDENS HALL SEXTET strove to batter the TOWN STUFF's defense. The result was another tie. Edens was led by RUTHIE OLDS and the TOWN STUFF shone with IVALOE STILLMAN.

KEGLERS INSTRUCTED

All girls who are interested are urged to come to the 20th Century bowling alleys every Tuesday at 4, to get beginning and advanced instruction in bowling. ELEANOR ANDERSON hit high making 135 in her single attempt.

Vik-Ranger Series Proves Standoff

The Western Washington Vikings split the first two games of the first of their series with the St. Martins Rangers, Monday and Tuesday. The Viks took the first game by a score of 50 to 44, and the Rangers the second, 54 to 47. Rich Wittren and Erickson tied for scoring honors with 17 each, Monday night. The rest of the scoring on the Vikings side was evenly divided with Bones Lowery getting his usual amount of nine points. The Vikings led almost all the way and were never in too great trouble all evening.

The lineups:
Western (50) St. Martins (44)
Wittren, 17 F. McPhee, 2
Gregg, 7 F. Gaston, 11
Lowery 9 C. Ellsworth, 5
Ludwick, 8 G. Fuchs, 5
Strankman, 3 G. Erickson, 17
Substitutes, Western: Richardson (3), Wark (3), Faller. St. Martins: Lozeau (4), Hoene, Fugel.

High Scoring Marks Mural Battles; Art Stenson Counts 25

Basketball this week featured much high scoring on the part of every team. Daniels won a not too easy one from the Renegades 46 to 43. Don Leu made 17 points for the winners as Bill Brown canned 15. Johnson and Archie Anderson led the losers with 10 to 9 points respectively.

The lineups:
Daniels (46) Renegades (32)
Richards F. Johnson, 10
Minor, 7 F. Hartman, 4
B. Brown, 15 C. Anderson, 9
Packard, 7 G. Felton, 1
Leu, 17 G. J. Dorcy, 8
Subs: None.

The Unknowns grabbed a thriller from the rapidly improving Edwards team by a score of 19 to 17. Although Edwards held the lead only once in the game they remained within three or four points all the time.

The lineups:
Unknowns (19) Edwards (17)
Ellenbaas F. Stephanson, 6
Bruland, 8 F. Hickenbottom, 8
Shay, 5 C. Hatch
Frank, 4 G. Diede, 2
Haggard, 2 G. Clark
Subs, Edwards: Long. Unknowns: A. Dorcy.

In the wildest and most exciting ball game of the week Hospice won an overtime tussle from Daniels 36 to 37. hTe big gun for Hospice, Art Stenson, scored 12 field goals and a free throw for a total of 25 points. Hospice was behind until there was 25 seconds to go when Stenson dumped a shot to give Hospice the lead 32 to 31. As the final gun sounded Minor was fouled and he tied up the score 32 to 32. After some dispute, Hospice went on to win 37 to 36.

The lineups:
Hospice (37) Daniels (36)
Wright, 1 F. Minor, 5
D. Brown, 4 F. S. Brown, 13
Smith, 4 C. Barnhill, 5
Stenson, 25 G. Leu, 9
Wilder, 3 G. Richards, 2
Subs, Hospice: Bailey, Morsman. Daniels: Packard (2).

Hospice continued their win streak Wednesday night by downing the Renegades 33 to 23. Archie Anderson led everyone with 11 while Stenson scored 10.

The lineups:
Hopice (33) Renegades (23)
D. Brown, 6 F. oJohnson, 4
Wright, 3 F. Hartman, 2
Smith, 4 C. Anderson, 11
Stenson, 10 G. Grubb, 2
Morsman, 6 G. J. Dorcy, 3
Subs, Hospice: Davies (2), Prince, Wilder (2). Renegades: Felton (1).

The Vikings just couldn't hit their shots Tuesday night as they lost a tough one to the Rangers 54 to 47. As usual, of late, Rich Wittren led the individual scoring for the Vikings by gathering 16 points.

The Vikings will be out to avenge that loss Friday and Saturday when the Rangers invade the Viking home court for a two game series.

Collegian Gains Top Position

TEAM STANDINGS

TEAM—	W.	L.	Pct.
Collegian	26	13	.667
Edwards	21	18	.538
Hospice	20	19	.513
PE Dept.	20	19	.513
Independents	17	19	.456
Faculty	10	26	.278

Soundly trouncing their closest rival, Hospice, to the tune of 3 to 0, the Collegian gained a five game lead in the intramural bowling race yesterday. In the other games the Independents measured Edwards 2 to 1 and the Faculty forfeited for the third week in a row, this time to the PE Department.

Don Brown, of Hospice, rolled a two game total of 355 pins to lead in that department and tied with Dick Verrill, the Collegian's south-paw ace, for the single game title with 180.

Collegian	Hospice	
A. Dorcy	328 Loop	300
Verrill	315 Morsman	314
Bruland	316 Dennis	233
Reilly	295 Prince (1)	134
J. Dorcy	276 Brown	355
Handicap	42 Low (1)	135
Total	1572	Total 1471

Independents	Edwards	
McPherson	102 Hatch	231
Felton	264 Diede	261
Clark	184 Long	237
Fellis	227 Hickenb'tm.	270
Erickson	281 Kerchen	304
Handicap	240	Total 1303
Total	1358	

PE Dept.	Faculty
Stenson	254
Carver	261
Haggard	247
Bushell	220
Ludwick	271
Total	1253

Long Lost Silverware Found in Room 203

At a meeting of the Inter Club Council, held February 5, it was decided that the silverware of the now non-existent Philomethian club is to be made available to any club on the campus. The silverware, was found when the Science department was cleaned, and is now being polished by Miss Cummins.

Those clubs wishing to use the silverware for picnics should notify the Inter Club Council.



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Sports Personality Leaves School; Reddy Will Write

Winding up his college days, temporarily, until after the war, we cite a person known to almost every student at WWC. A more likeable and congenial personality can be found nowhere. He is known as a real competitor and true sportsman in intramural athletics. Entering the college in the latter part of September from a small southwest Washington town he became the first frosh to become a senior varsity manager for several years.

During his high school days he wasn't much of a varsity star but he had the ability to stick to it and was able to win a letter in baseball his senior year. Even though he wasn't the best basketball player ever to come out of his school he deserves plenty of credit for the work he put in on the "B" squad for three years.

Not only a strong booster in athletics and of Hospice Inn, he has held a bright spot in radio work around the campus. For a while he was a competitor of P. H. Davis, clothier, and Harley Huhta, and more recently was a star messman in the Edens hall galley.

He will be missed tremendously in intramural sports and surely there shall be a few heartbroken misses around the campus and the Edens hall Blue room. Our college's loss is a great gain for Uncle Sam.

New Books at Lib

"Are We Civilized?" is the title of the book display in the library this week. There are several books on special phases of this subject, "Civilizations."

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PULL, YANKS!

War news this week could be compared to a frosh-soph tug-of-war. Rommel's troops in Tunisia advance through the American lines one day and the next day, the Yanks push the fox's army back. If we add the Russian victory at Kharkov and the American victories in the Solomons, the sum total would place the Allies on the winning side of the rope for this week.

PIN A ROSE!

Boutonnieres this week should certainly be pinned on the "W" club fellows who have organized and put into effect the game pool. When the fellows who are most apt to be leaving the campus are willing to give time, effort, and money to the student lounge, the rest of us should surely be willing and able to follow their worthy example.

Mid-Quarter Check Reveals Loafers

Darn it those things are out again. Each holds his breath and says "amen."
For you will get one, sure as fate, if you try to keep that certain date. Cheer up kids, no use to cry in this school it's do or die.
Earn good grades; you have the chance
No dates I fear, or an all night dance,
Click your heels and jump sky high. You'll miss that slip bye and bye.

Lounge Fund Gains

• Proceeds from the Defense Stamp Corsages, which were dropped into the ink well at the Publications' Prom, totaled twenty-seven dollars. This amount has been turned over to the Student Lounge fund.

Valkyrie girls, who helped make the corsages, contributed about six dollars of this amount.

Ancient Fever Rears Head

**'Tis spring, Ah, me!
I'm happy as can be
Because, you see
With your eyes, you dope.**

....Well, it's almost spring, anyway. You can just tell it's almost spring because birds are singing, people are going outside without coats, and everyone has spring fever. There are several kinds of spring fever.

No. I—Spring board. Swimmers have this kind of fever. The first day it sunshines they get the urge to go swimming.

No. II—Spring bored. People who have this kind of fever are bored with everything in general, and school in particular. This kind of fever takes care of practically all students.

No. III—As far as I'm concerned the worst type of spring fever is the type that gives some people the urge to work. This is probably the most deadly (and dreaded) kind of fever there is. Once it takes hold of you, you can't help but work. You wash windows, cars, or your dog. You putter around in the garden. Usually pulling flowers instead of weeds, but puttering nevertheless.

No. IV—The most popular (but just as deadly as the aforementioned) kind of fever is the kind boys have. You know, "In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns—" and so does my stomach.

No. V—Girls will have the following type of spring fever especially bad this spring.

SPRING FEVER

*Doesn't he know he's my hero,
Or that he is my ideal?
Doesn't he know that for him I pine,
That he's why I can't eat my meals?
Can't he see that I'm getting
Nervous, and run-down, and thin,
Can't he tell what it's from,
That it's just from thinking of him?
At night, I can't get any sleep—
It's like lying on needles and pins.
And if I do get to sleep
My dreams are all of him.
It's terrible to be in love
When you can't get your guy.
Here's one thing I don't understand
Why do I do it? Why.*

Junior High Studes Swing and Sway

• While the Prom was in full swing, the junior high youngsters put on their best bib and tuckers last Friday night and held a dance of their own in the training school gym.
They danced from 7:30 until 10 p. m., with time out for a few games and refreshments. Their ice cream and cookies were served in the gayly decorated cafeteria in the north wing.

Patrons and Patronesses at the affair were: Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Haggard, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Ross, Miss Ruth Melendy, Miss Emma Erickson, Dr. Paul Grim, Miss Miriam Snow, Mr. Fred Knapman, Miss Elsie Wendling, Miss Anna Ullin, and Mrs. Strand. Student teachers present were Norma Stangle, Dottie Toppano, Bob Stuart, Bernice Shellhamer, and Ed Prince.

Answer: Howard 'Montesano Red' Wright.

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Prof: You should work and get ahead.

Student: I've got a head!

**Late to bed, early to rise,
Makes a fan radio-wise.**

Boy: My girl's very dove-like.
Friend: Soft and cooing?
Boy: No, pigeon-toed!

Mike Smith: Can you use the word "miniature" in a sentence?

Red Wright: Sure! The miniature asleep you begin to snore.

Who are the children of an automobile?

I don't know.

The automobile skids.

What are your views on kissing?

I haven't any, my girl's hair always gets in my eyes.

Bring A Book To AWS Tea

• Aileen Gainer, chairman of the AWS book drive; and Mary Pirrung, chairman of the regular Thursday afternoon teas are co-chairman of next Thursday's tea.

Admission will be charged for this tea. Students may come in if they donate one book, or two or three students may come in with the same book.

Boo Hoo!

• Western Washington College contributed several men to the armed forces in the past week. The Navy grabbed the biggest share, taking four, and possibly more of the male students while the Army took three.

Leaving soon for their "boot" training in the Navy are Frank Iraola of Hoquiam, Hal Loop of Edison, Frank Siemons of Bellingham, and Larry Munizza of Puyallup. Most of the boys will go to San Diego. The Army will induct also, in the near future, Howard "Red" Wright of Montesano, Wendell Kugel of Skykomish, and Ed Muscutt of Bellingham.

More boys are expecting induction before the end of the quarter. Many have received their notices.

Smith Calls Meeting

• Lois Jo Smith announces that there will be a meeting of the AGE on Monday, February 22, at 4, in room 208. All members please attend.

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WAVE Hits Campus

• Lieutenant Jane Bogue, of the WAVE's will be a speaker in the AWS assembly on Friday, February 26, according to word received by Miss Lorraine Powers, Dean of Women.

Lieutenant Bogue will discuss qualifications for enlistment and also various branches of service in the WAVE's. Schools, other places of training, opportunities for advancement and other important information will be given the women.

Anyone especially interested probably will be able to have a personal interview with Lieutenant Bogue after the assembly.

Accompanying Lt. Bogue, will be Lt. Jg. Dorothy Bevis of the SPARS, the Women's Coast Guard Reserve.

Prom Trot Attract Former Students

• Seen dancing at the Publications Prom last Friday evening were several former students of WWC. You couldn't miss Bob Rogers and Elaine Ringstad Rogers, recent newlyweds. Bill Hatch looked plenty happy to have his girl friend, Evelyn Petersop, at his side again. Two other former steadies, Rosemary Bolster and Paul Glenn were able to be present for this event. Paul's brother, Tom Glenn, was also there.

The reason for Rosemary Watt's smiles that evening was the soldier escort at her side. Didn't you recognize our long absent Mickey Smith? Clinta Campbell, active in dramatics, looked as lovely as every dancing with her escort. Other former students present were Nancy Nix, Al Revoid, Frances Neevel, Jane Aus, and Ann Arthurs.

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Song Story

• While "STROLLING THROUGH THE PARK ONE DAY," MR. FIVE BY FIVE, all dressed up in a ZOOT SUIT, gave his best of SMILES to a BEAUTIFUL DOLL. It was JEANIE WITH THE LIGHT BROWN HAIR blithely TIPTOEING THRU THE TULIPS and looking DE-LOVE in her ALICE BLUE GOWN.

"ARE THERE ANY MORE AT HOME LIKE YOU?" he gaily asked her. "IT SEEMS TO ME I'VE HEARD THAT SONG BEFORE," she tartly answered and started for LOVELY in her ALICE BLUE GOWN.

"I WAS ONLY TEASING YOU," he told her. "WON'T YOU LINGER AWHILE with me or I GIVE YOU MY WORD that I'LL NEVER SMILE AGAIN." "WHY DON'T YOU FALL IN LOVE WITH ME?" SHE SAID NO. "NEVER IN A MILLION YEARS, because I HAD THE CRAZIEST DREAM and I CAN'T GET OUT OF THIS MOOD. So, I'll say GOODBYE NOW."

"Please, SURRENDER DEAR," he begged her. "YOU'D BE SO NICE TO COME HOME TO, EVERY NIGHT ABOUT THIS TIME."

"IT'S A SIN TO TELL A LIE and YOU MADE ME LOVE YOU," she sighed, "So, I'm YOURS and you'd better DO RIGHT or SOME OF THESE DAYS you'll be ALL ALONE AND LONELY."

"I'LL BE FAITHFUL," he promised as they happily entered the JULEP JOINT to have TEA FOR TWO.

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