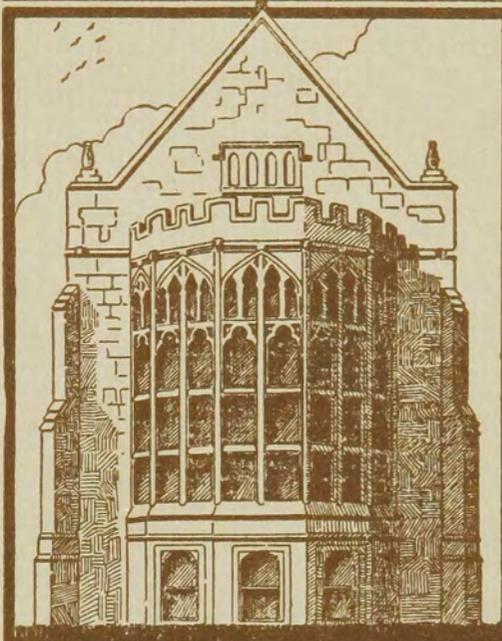
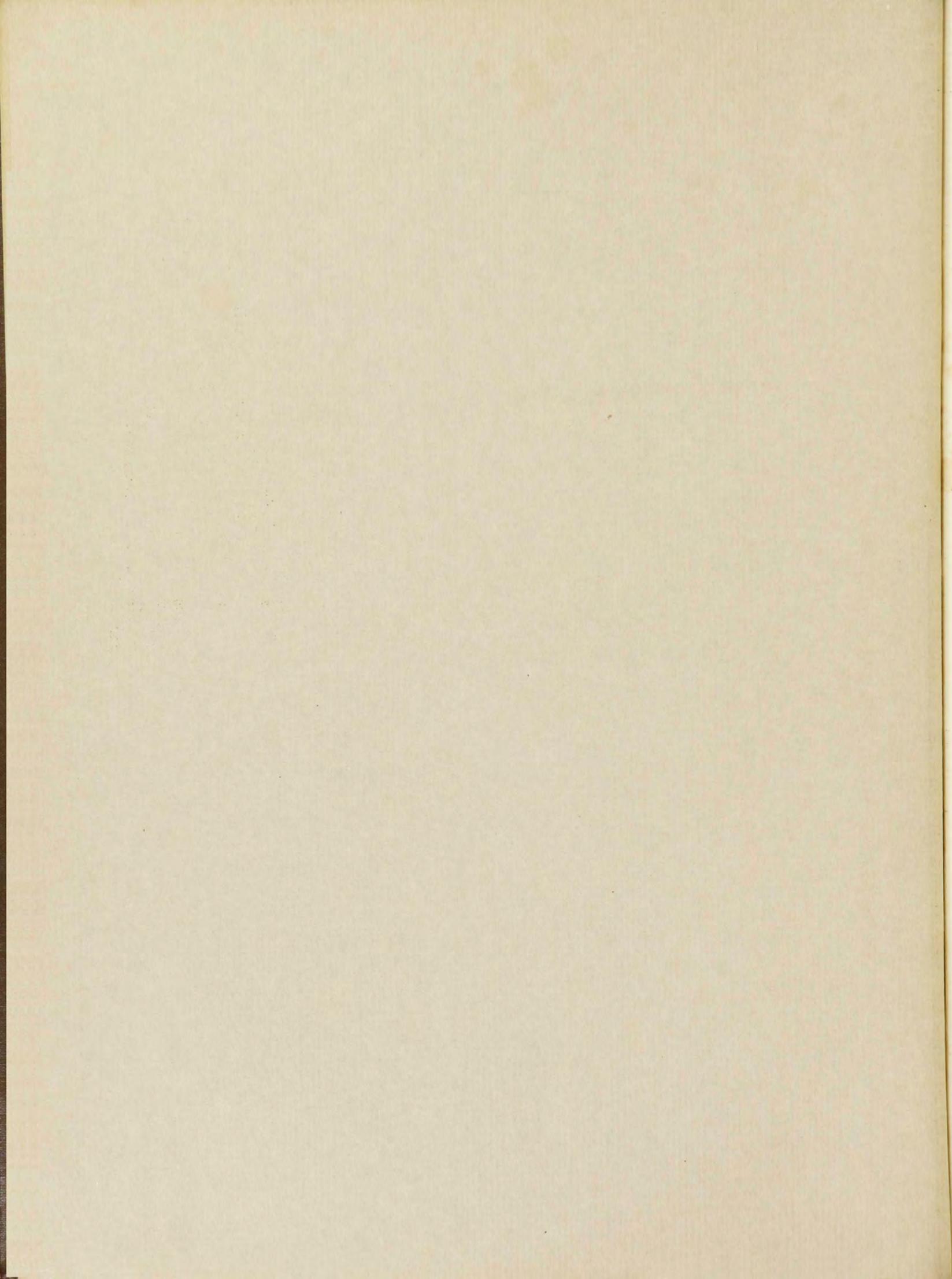


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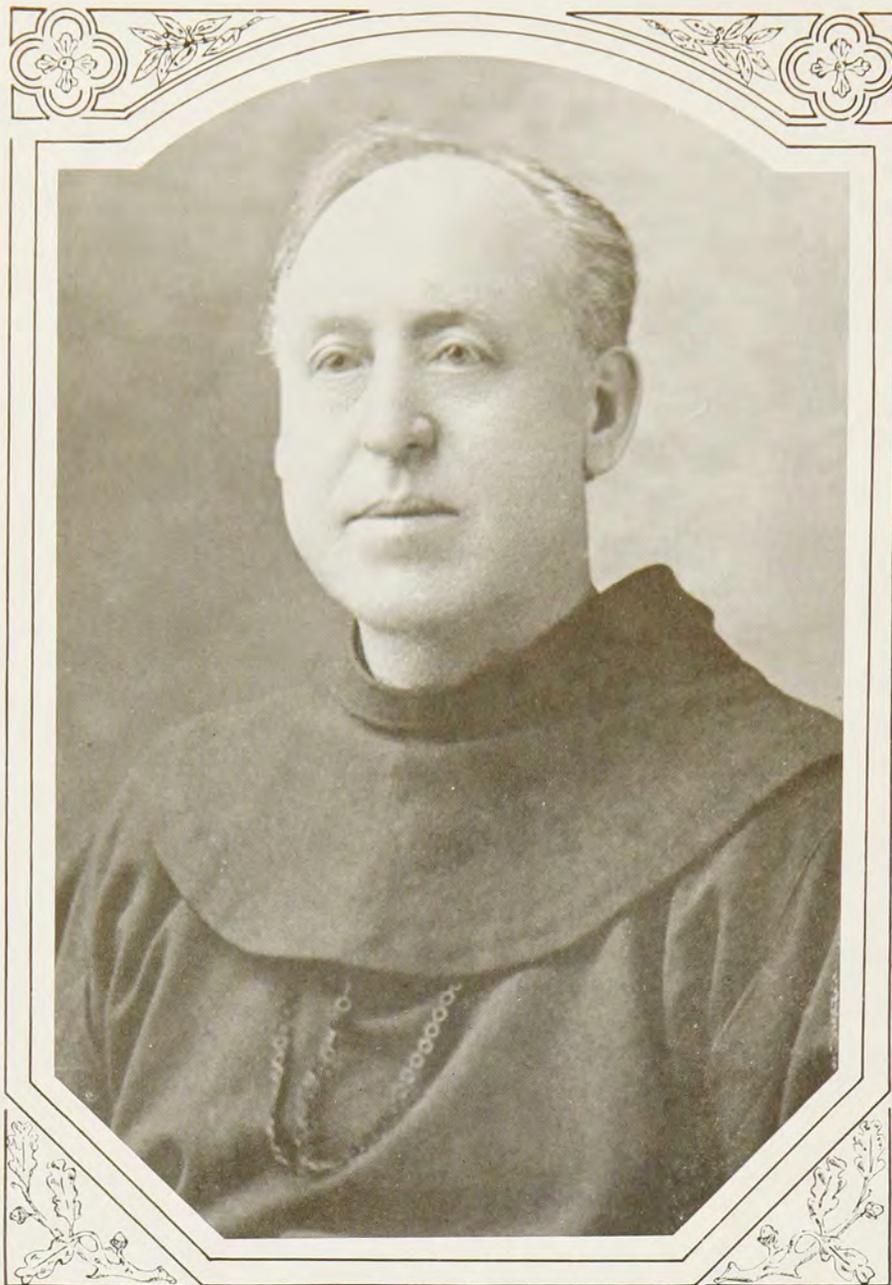




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TO THE MAN WHO GREW OLD GRACEFULLY
AMIDST HIS LABORS

THIS, THE LAUREL ANNUAL OF 1930, IS DEDICATED
BY THE LAST CLASS HE INTRODUCED
TO LITERATURE

Father Alexander, O. F. M.

Death carried many times before
He struck a mortal blow;
Skyward a gentle soul took wing,
White as the purest snow;
So like a child's it was, and yet,
Living, it knew life's woe.

He loved and was much loved of men
Whose minds had known his calm;
All unkind thought and bitterness
Were chastened by the balm
Of one who happy went his way,
Fearless and without qualm.

His brown robe masked a singing heart,
Whose music oft burst through,
And left a mem'ry—haunting, clear—
Which made us see anew
The things we were in childhood taught,
And lost as manhood grew.

“Except you be as one of these—”
His Master's voice had said—
And we who saw his happy smile
Knew that he had no dread,
For when he met what men call death,
He passed into life instead.

—Dennis F. Abele, '30

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*"Salve" is writ, beneath, o'erhead
An open door.*



*this green landscape is to me
More dear, both for itself and for Thy sake!*



Hic habitat felicitas



Next the valey is the bill aloft



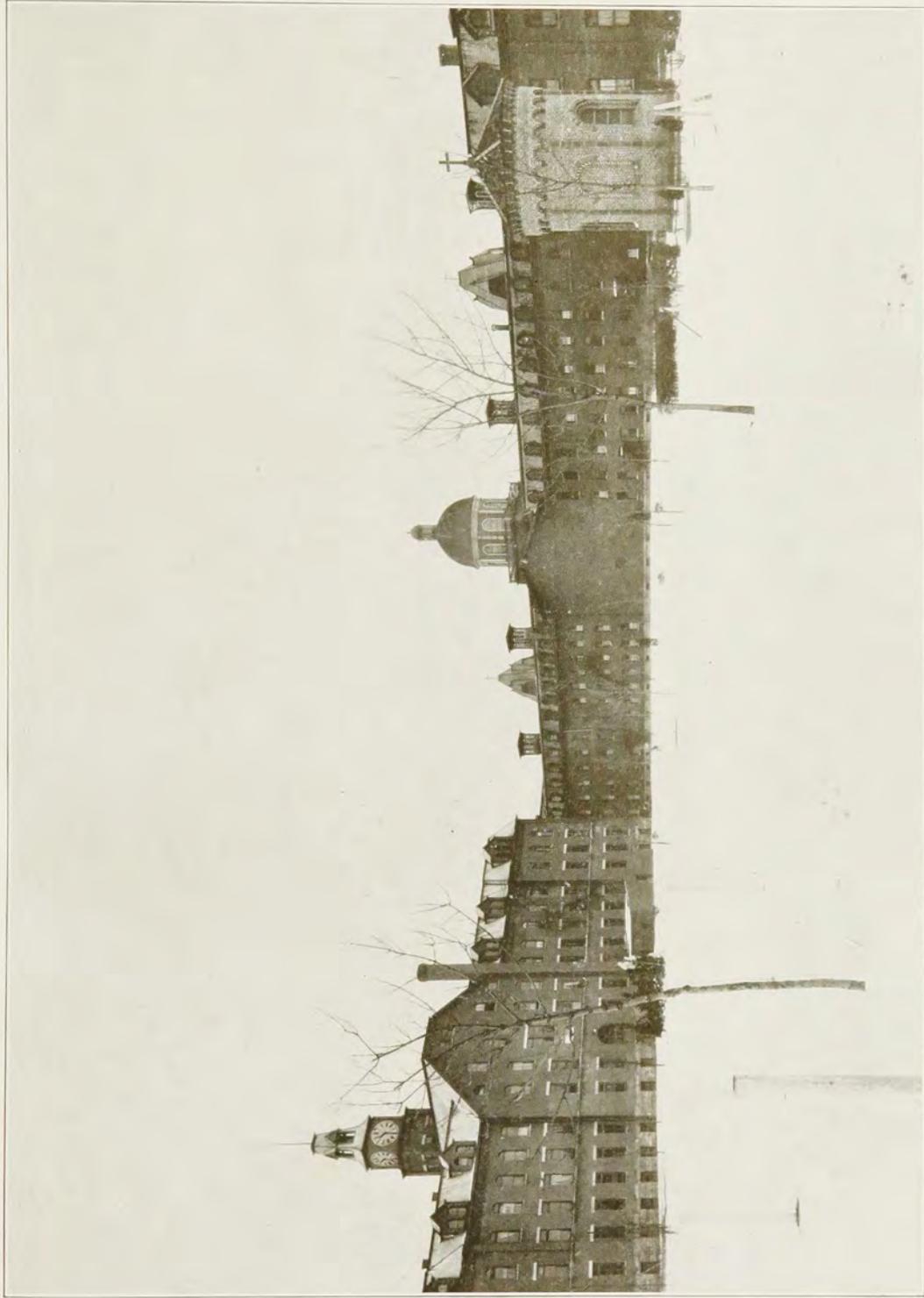
*A slant of sun on dull brown walls,
A forgotten sky of bashful blue.*



*A gateless garden, and an open path:
My feet to follow, and my heart to hold.*



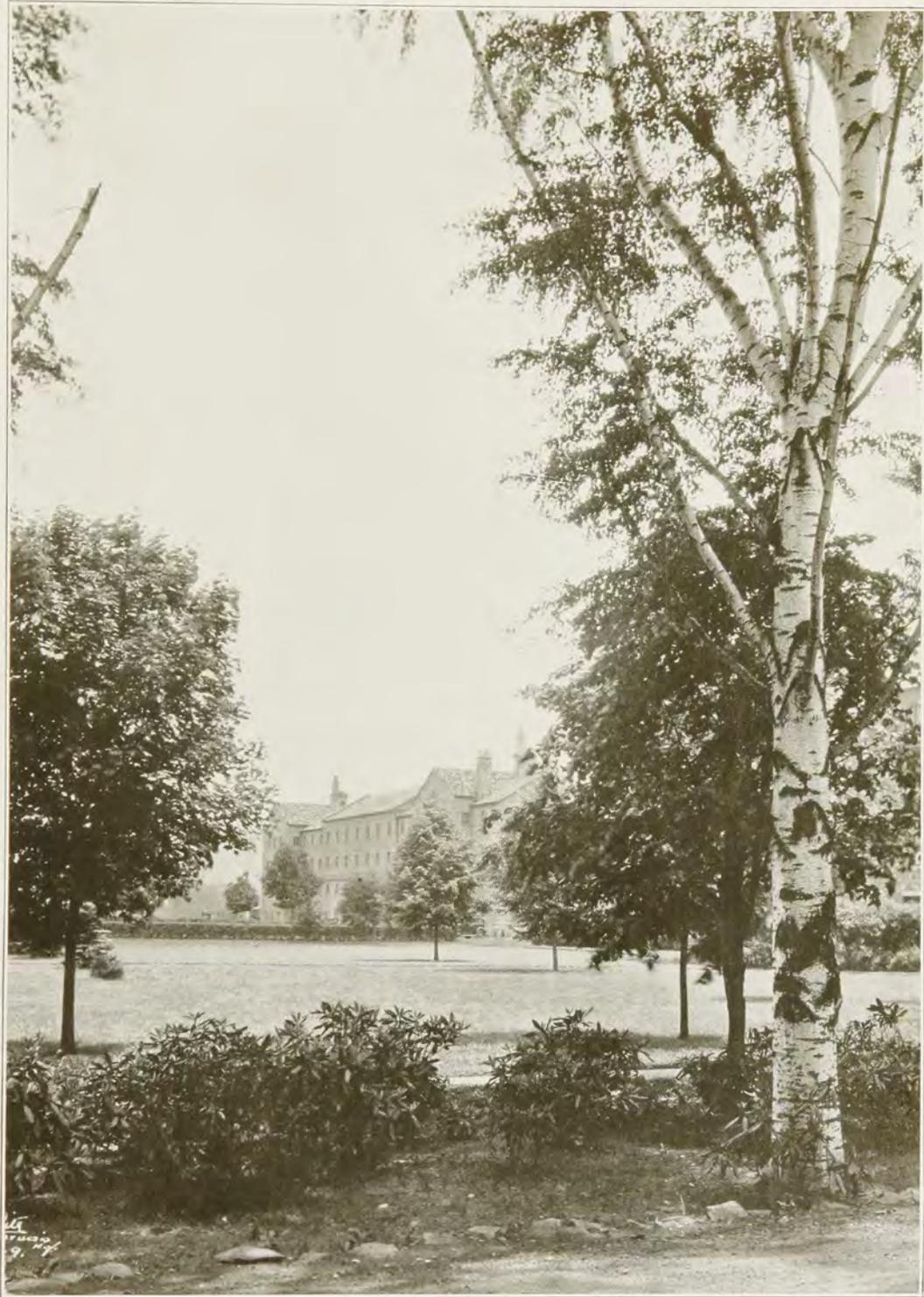
Beauty is God's Handwriting.



*No cloud above, no earth below,—
A universe of sky and snow.*



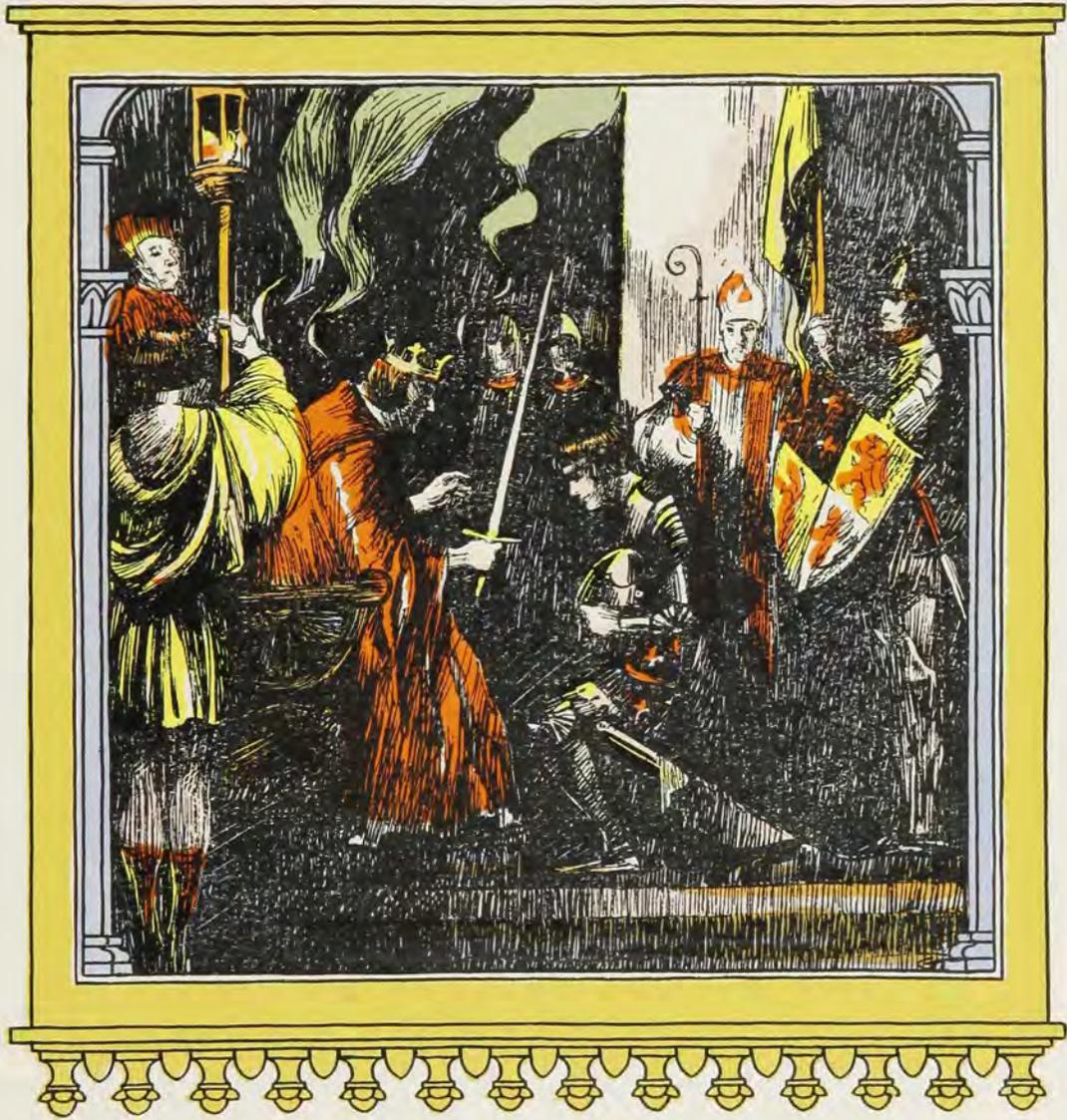
The pine, the mother of legends.



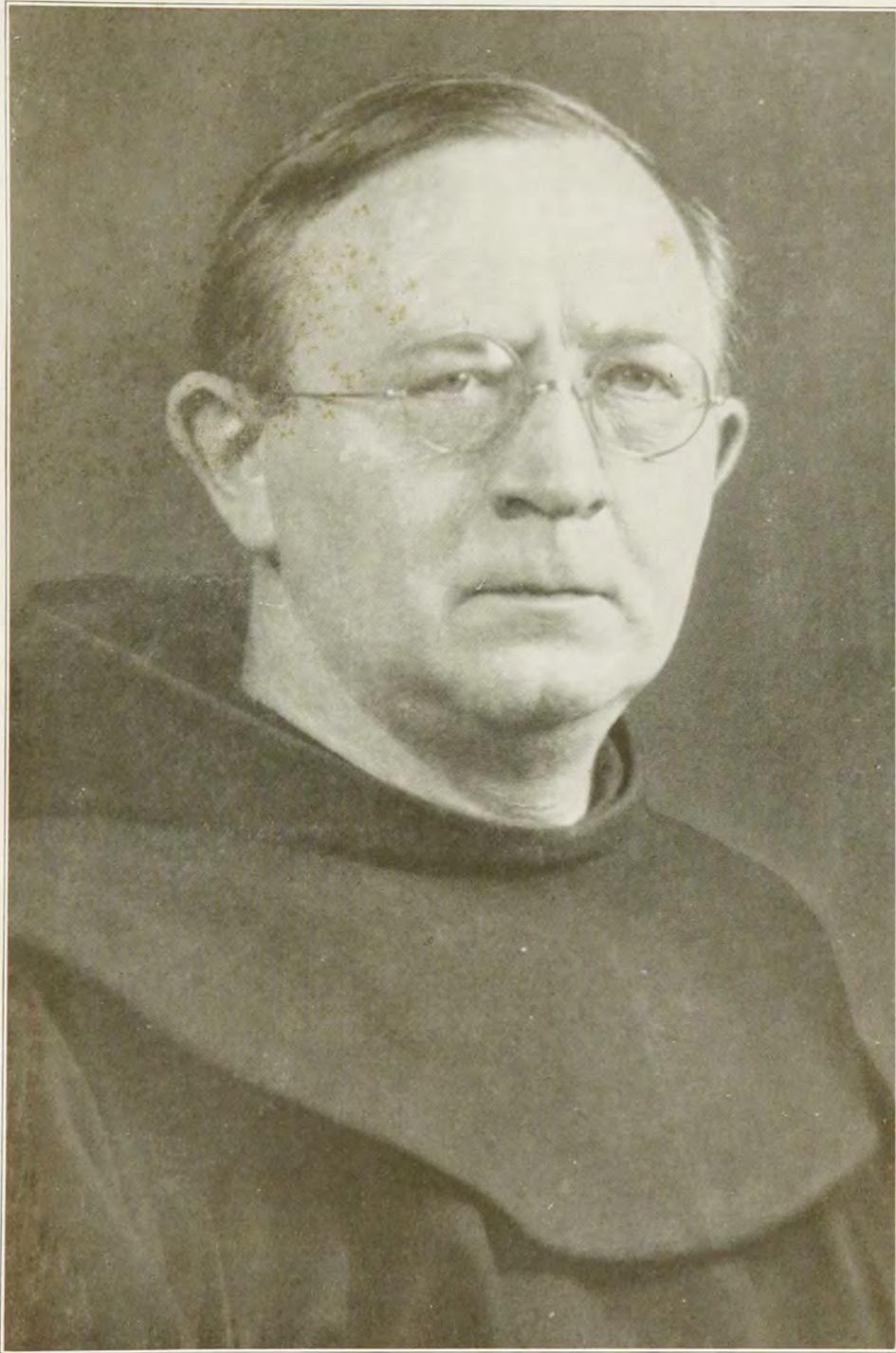
*Fair youth, beneath the trees, thou canst not leave
Thy song, nor ever can these trees be bare.*



*I will go in to the altar of God;
To God, Who giveth joy to my youth.*



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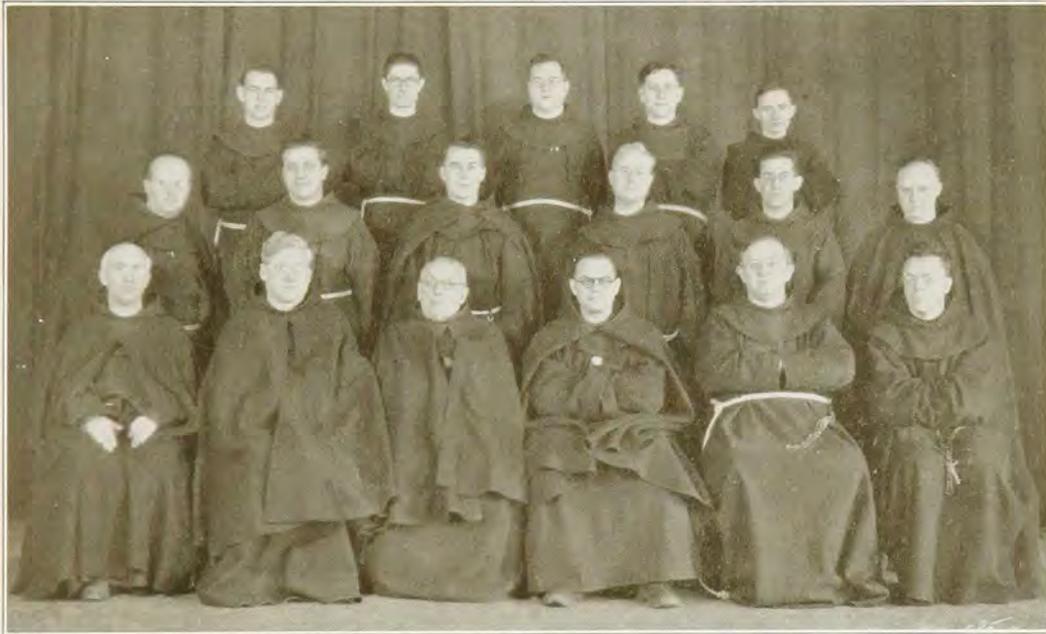
Dean of Studies

REV. BERTRAND CAMPBELL, O.F.M.

Dean of Discipline



Clerical Faculty



WE have sat at the feet of these men of God, these sons of St. Francis, and heard the rapt peal of their tongues in glamorous tones tell of the royal roads leading on to the wonders of the arts and the sciences. They have lifted us to the majestic heights overlooking the vistas of the narrow roads of the future, and pointed out in rounded terms the direction on and onward to our goal. They have lent their hand to our hand, and braced our shoulder to make us stalwart warriors in the battle of life, to do honor to God, our Country and our Alma Mater.

These spiritual brothers of St. Bonaventure—St. Anthony, Duns Scotus, Alexander of Hales, Roger Bacon and William of Occam who laid fame to Oxford and Paris, do honor to their predecessors. The halls of Bonaventure have been fired with the zeal of their Seraphic Father, St. Francis. His followers in Allegany have for three quarters of a century devoted their lives, year in and year out, to the repulsion of irreligion in the classroom. Men have gone forth from their classes with the bright pavilion of their hearts filled with the love of God and their minds filled with that never ending devotion to the best things in life.

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Lay Faculty

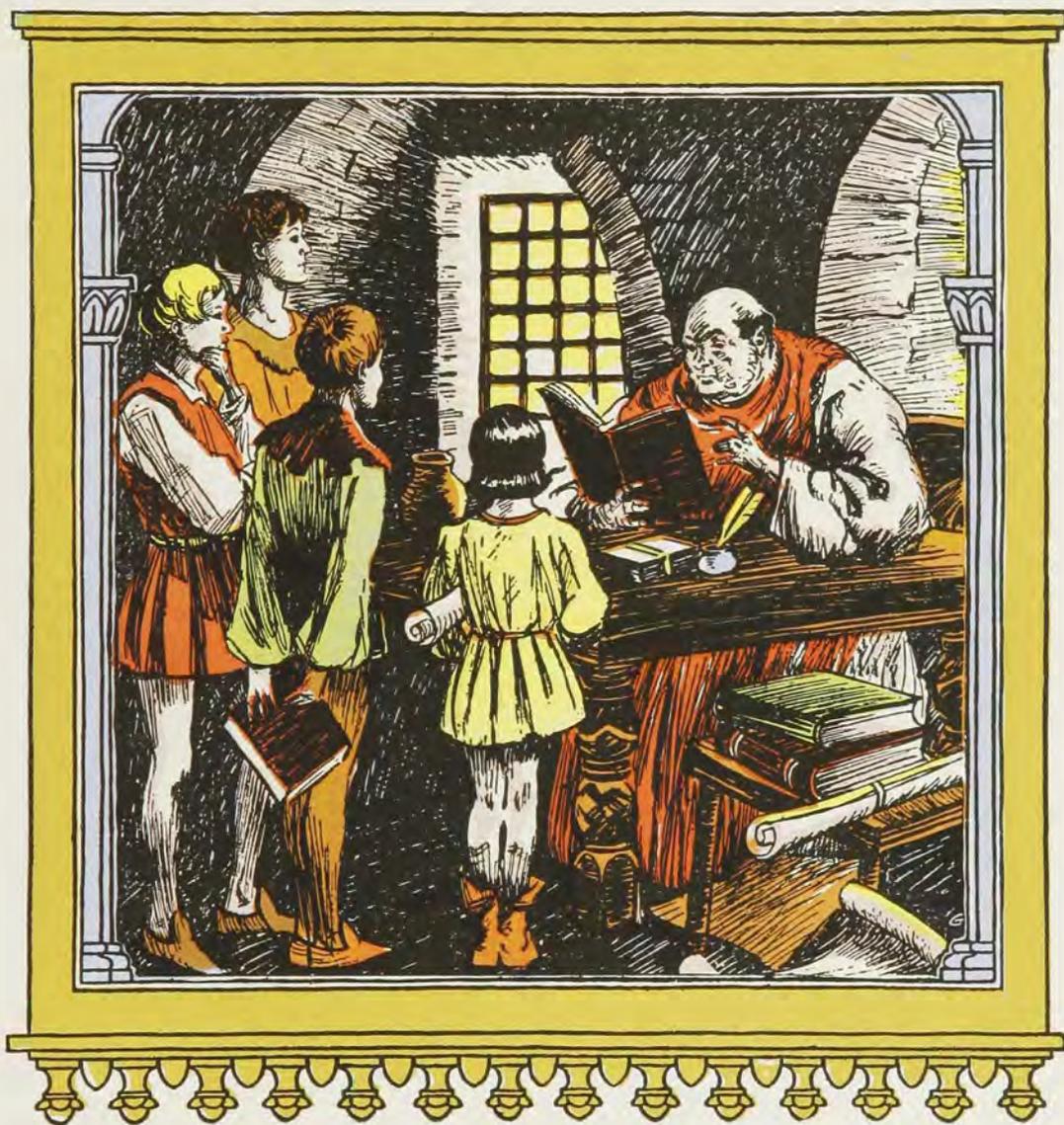


THEY have walked in the ways of the world of knowledge and have come to dwell within the scholastic walls of our college. They bring with them, like the argosies from the East in years gone by, cargoes of gold, frankincense and myrrh of science; their mathematics, with Descartes' rule and Horner's method; their physics, with the new laws of light and sound, and new conceptions of space and time; and their chemistry, with the Bunsen burner, test tube, one-hole stopper and ring stand: all for enlarging the scope of a young man's sphere of knowledge.

Our lay professors have been loved by their students. They have been one of the crowning jewels of the institution, contributing much, not only to the intellectual life of the college but also to the social side. They have endeavored to get closer to the hearts of their students and set forth for them true examples of Christian scholars.

The lay professors, during the course of the history of our college, have contributed much to the advancement of the institution. These men have not confined themselves to purely academic labors, but have mingled among the things of the outside world.

To these men the Class of 1930 extend the best of greetings for the years to come, and may their students of the future love them as we have.



C.l.a.s.s.e.s





REV. HUBERT VECCHIERELLO, O.F.M.
Moderator of the Senior Class



Salve Et Vale

Joys pass away, and memories in their stead
Gladden the heart when sorrow's cup o'erflows,
And life moves on. It seems but yesterday
We peered ahead on learning's upward path
And saw far-off the end of college days.
The end is nigh, the joy we thought to find
Has all been in the climb; the summit reached
Is but a step that leads to other heights.

Gaily we crossed the thresholds of our homes,
Our childhood left behind, and all of youth
Unrolled before our eyes in pleasing view.
Ere this our lives had been carefree and light
Through others' care. Life's struggles now are ours,
Our very own. Too soon we realized
How much we owe to those who stay behind;
How brief the time we had to show our worth.

The green of Freshman's cap was not more green
Than we when first we trod the campus walks.
A double weight of discipline our lot,
To test the strength of manhood we possessed.
As Sophomores, the Sophists were by far
Less wise than we—or such our feelings were.
The Sophists learned their thoughts were like a bag
Filled up with air and noise—and so did we.



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The third year made our thoughts of duty clear;
We set a goal and never lost its view.
Success became obsession to our minds,
And should we fail, we still have had our dream.
And last, the future dawning in our eyes
And words of farewell trembling on our lips.
We leave our books and friends who taught us well
That we who learned so much have much to learn.

Happy the youth who sees a vision's end,
But dim the eyes which know the journey's o'er,
No more to be retraced. In distant view,
New paths are seen ahead, but unknown ways
Have not the friendly air of pleasant roads
Which we have trod for years, and know no more.
God grant all journeys' ends will be like this—
Crowned with success and gay with smiles of friends.

—DENNIS F. ABELE, '30

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Senior Class Officers



HAROLD W. SHEEHAN
 LEO F. McCORMACK
 GERALD G. McCABE
 LOUIS E. PALERMO

President
Vice-President
Treasurer
Secretary

Class History

ST. BONAVENTURE'S COLLEGE, nestling in the majestic setting of the Cattaraugus Hills, was basking in all the beauties of Indian Summer, as 125 intrepid youths from scattered parts of the country journeyed here in September, 1926, to enter into their college life. Each man had chosen the famous Franciscan school as his Alma Mater; each determined to drink his fill at the fount of learning presided over by the humble, brown-robed Sons of St. Francis.

A humorous picture, indeed, to the sophisticated eyes of experienced collegians—the long line of verdant freshmen congregated before the door of the Dean of Studies. Material for future enjoyment, and at an early hour. The first definite assurance given the Class of 1930 that it composed an integral part of the college body came within a few days, when every green-capped neophyte received instruction at the hands of solicitous sophomores. Rules were read and explained, and a crestfallen, chagrined group of freshmen sought their beds that night determined to live up to the letter of the law, as dire penalties were predicted for violations and infringements.

The remainder of freshman year passed quietly, with Leo Sullivan of Rochester, N. Y., at the helm as president. Charles Coyle, Thomas Riley, and Frank Walsh, all of Rochester, N. Y., were elected vice-president, secretary and treasurer, respectively. The Frosh Frolic was staged in the Knights of Columbus Ballroom, with Anthony Caruso as general chairman, and proved to be a tremendous social success.

No flag-rush was held, although frequent initiations and regular sessions of the Student Court tended to make the lives of the upper-classmen more enjoyable. The Frosh signaled their entrance into intramural athletic competition by winning the flag in the Interclass League.

Passing each day under the strictest surveillance, wearing the green cap, detested at first then respected as an emblem of distinction, every freshman looked forward to the close of the term, when he might pass from the probationary stage into the role of a tried and proven Bonaventure man. Hated days, yet productive of much good, for in the feeling of common repression was welded the spirit of understanding and co-operation, the love of class and Alma Mater, that has characterized the career of the Class of 1930.



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Summer vacation, and then the freshman of yesterday emerged as the sophomore of today, omniscient, self-satisfied and confident. The Class of 1931 received its baptism under the watchful eye of '30; tradition was firmly upheld and punishments meted out impartially to miscreants. Haughty sophomore glances were sufficient to curb any external dissatisfied freshman expressions. The class gloried in its new freedom; college life had become a living thing, crammed with moments of unalloyed pleasure and unforgettable events. The officers elected to serve were: President, Leo Sullivan; Vice-President, Arthur O'Keefe; Treasurer, Thomas Garin, and Secretary, Leo McCormack.

December 8th saw a group of strangely clad sophomores gathered around the flag pole next to the library, repulsing successfully the desperate attempts of the freshmen to secure the precious bunting floating imperiously in the snow-laden air. At the end of fifteen minutes of terrific struggling, the crestfallen freshmen dragged themselves conquered from the field.

Philosophy-contact with the thinkers of the ages claimed the class the succeeding year, and every junior reveled in its depths. Studies seemed to have a different aspect; the craving for knowledge increased; the student became a self-thinking creature, no longer willing to accept as true, statements delivered by professors. Each problem demanded individual thought.

Junior Year was signalized by the magnificent success achieved in the Junior Prom which set a new standard for the college in brilliance and success. Months of earnest preparation were climaxed by the event held in the Knights of Columbus Ballroom, Olean, on February 8th, when Johnny Martin and His Penn State Orchestra matched melodies with Ted Zaph's New Yorkers. The beautifully decorated ballroom, the colorful spectacle of evening gowns of every hue contrasted with the sable of tuxedos, the novel favors—leather-cased onyx shoe trees bearing the class numerals and school insignia were presented the women, while the men received leather billfolds—all succeeded in keeping the 400 guests in a constant state of enjoyment. A tea dance the following afternoon under the auspices of the James Dolan Literary Association, dinner and theater parties and a glorious court win over Canisius brought to an end one of the greatest week-ends in the history of the school.

The class had lost some men through transfers and entrance into the seminary. The officers for junior year were: President, Harold W. Sheehan, Winsted, Conn.; Vice-President, Gerald G. McCabe, Carbondale, Pa.; Treasurer, Thomas J. Harkins, Oil City, Pa.; Secretary, Louis Palermo, Wilkes-Barre, Pa. Gerald McCabe was General Chairman of the Prom Committee.

This fall witnessed the return of the class to the campus in the role of seniors; sad at the thought of parting, yet eager to go forth into the world. Officers were elected at an early meeting, in order to organize the class immediately for the many difficult problems that come up during Senior Year. Harold W. Sheehan was re-elected president, Louis Palermo, secretary, with Gerald McCabe and Leo McCormack, treasurer and vice-president, respectively.

On the night of February 7th the seniors enjoyed the hospitality of the Class of '31 at the Junior Prom held in the Knights of Columbus Ballroom, Olean. The Prom was a remarkable success, and the seniors expressed their appreciation and tendered their congratulations willingly to the junior classmen. The round of week-end parties also saw seniors as prominent members of all gatherings.

The ANNUAL staff was selected, and soon began the long grind that terminates with the receipt of this book. Sacrificing time and pleasure, they have succeeded in setting another standard for succeeding classes to aim at in future years, Messrs. Reed and Harkins have done yeoman work.

True to its reputation, the seniors presented the college with another innovation on May 9th, when the Senior Ball was run as a formal affair for the first time in the history of the school. A glorious success, the dance heaped further praise on the heads of the class members.

The Senior Banquet next, then Commencement and the severing of close-knitted bonds made tender by four years of association. The Class of 1930 has come to the parting of the ways; no longer will it exist as a militant student body. Armed with the spoils of the past four years, confident in their ability to successfully battle the world with the weapons provided by educated men, the seniors await the fateful day.



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DENNIS F. ABELE, B. A.

Johnstown, Pa.

"DENNY"

J. D. L. A., 3, 4, *Secretary* 4; *St. Bona Venture* columnist, 2; *The LAUREL* book-reviews, 3, 4; *ANNUAL*.

"Denny" is the first on our list. He is the bibliolater of the class and the prize of Father Albert's staff. Coming to Allegany from Duquesne in his sophomore year he cut out a niche for himself in the classroom by his thorough scholarship. Despite his reserved nature, he has gathered about himself a host of enduring friends. We leave you, Denny, only yearning to meet you some day in the Vatican Library, poring over some codices.

MICHAEL A. BARLETTA, B. A.

Punxsutawney, Pa.

"MIKE"

The LAUREL, 4; *J. D. L. A.*, 4; *ANNUAL*.

If the strains from an aria from "Aida" should happen to waft your way you know that Mike is around. He has made opera and the best in literature his hobbies, blending the cadences of music with those of language. He may also be recognized by his ever-present pipe. During the course of his studies here he has been a constant contributor to *The LAUREL*. He has a romantic glamor about him that charms every circle in which he moves.

WILLIAM A. BARNES, B. A.

Trenton, N. J.

"HAPPY"

"Happy," with that ear-to-ear grin, has an eternal place in the hearts of all who know him. His genial, everlasting smile and his ready wit, together with his ability to make and hold friends, have made him the universal favorite that he is. We will long remember him for his disputations on Einstein's theory of relativity, and his intense interest in things mathematical, winning a place for himself within the hearts of his professors. Now, with you gone, it will be a long time between smiles. The best of luck.


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ROBERT O. BEAUDET, B. S. Nashua, N. H.
"BOB"

A. K. M., 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary, 1, Vice-President, 3; Frosh Frolic; General Chairman Junior Prom; Boxing, 1; Track, 1, 3.

A student! Though "Bob" is quiet and unassuming, we find that this is merely a cloak for his modesty, for in the classroom we see the knowledge that lies within this retiring chap. We're convinced that "Bob's" earnest application will not be in vain, and predict that some day the world of medicine will honor the name of "Beudet."

JOHN E. BELLARDO, B. S. Jamestown, N. Y.
"JOHN"

R. B. M. C., 4.

Short of stature, "Johnny" possesses none of that dominance which comes with physical prowess. Few appreciate his diminutive size, however, due to his complete mastery of things in a scientific way. A wizard in chemistry and mathematics, he is an animated example of that time-worn proverb, "good things come in small packages." If not in the "lab," you may rest assured that he is perusing some scientific journal. Lucky indeed will be the concern that acquires "John's" service in their research department.

JOSEPH F. BELEC, B. S. Gowanda, N. Y.
"JOE"

Buffalo Club, 4; Treasurer, 4.

"Joe" was initiated to Bonaventure by way of the "Mack House," and like his fellow members faced the world in a carefree manner. The saying, "to know him is to love him," probably was constructed to fit just such as he. No matter how heavy the glove or bright the sun, his smile is omnipresent. Studies apparently never worried "Joe," but he always came through with flying colors. Here's wishing him luck and many Proms.


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ARTHUR J. BLODGETT, B. A. Binghamton, N. Y.
"Cozy"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2; Dramatics, 1, 2; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4.

Unassuming, sincere, and amiable, "Cozy" has completely won our regard. A true and loyal friend, a gentleman in the fullest meaning of the word and a real student. Full of quiescent power, endowed with an acute mind and a storehouse of knowledge, mingled with a sense of humor sufficient to erase the drab side of life.

MICHAEL G. BOCHNAK, B. A. Endicott, N. Y.
"MIKE"

Orchestra, 4; Dramatics, 3; J. D. L. A., 4.

Although "Mike" has been with us for only two years, coming to us from St. Vincent's College, he has proved to be a worthy addition to the class. Quiet, but self assertive, he has been a good student. He has displayed ability as a member of the Symphony Orchestra, and as Treasurer of the Musical Association. His persistent endeavor will bring him success in whatever field he may follow. The best wishes of the class go to you, "Mike."

THOMAS P. BOYLE, B. A. Sharon, Pa.
"TOM"

J. D. L. A., 2, 3, 4, Treasurer, 4; Dramatics, 1; Prom Patron Committee, 3; St. Bona Venture, 3; ANNUAL.

Tom knows Bonaventure like a book, and he knows his books like his Bonaventure. Possessing a tinge of the social blade about him he has danced the light fantastic from one shore of Lake Erie to the other, Buffalo to Erie. And, it might be mentioned, he is an epicure. With a powerful voice and a keen mind he has made a name for himself in his forensic endeavors. His favorite pastime is bridge. His aptitude in Latin, Greek and psychology has won him laurels that are not undeserved.



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JOHN J. BRENNAMEN, B. S. Forestville, N. Y.

"JOHNNY" "JACK" "BREN"

A. K. M., 2, 3, 4; R. B. M. C. Vice-Pres., 4; Junior Prom Committee; Track, 1, 2; Cross Country, 1, 2, 3.

"Johnny" entered his Alma Mater on the run and helped make us Junior National Champs his first season. As a student he can't be beat. He is quick to analyze and retains his judgment. A friend to all, he is ever ready to lend a helping hand. Although his achievements are now numbered, his potentialities are many. We expect him to go higher.

FRANCIS C. BYRNE, B. A. Norwich, N. Y.

"FRANK"

J. D. L. A., 2, 3, 4; ANNUAL.

"What will you have?" "Couple of hamburgers" "On the fire." Frank broadcasting from his cafeteria which he has managed for the last two years. He manages in other lines so well that he has been called the "King of Hearts." This is aside from the point that Frank is a high-calibre student with a purpose in all his endeavors. He has won the hearts of all the newcomers to the institution with his winning smile and pleasing disposition.

THOMAS J. BYRNES, B. A. Rochester, N. Y.

"CHICK"

Rochester Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; R. B. M. C., 4.

"Chick" hails from the "Flower City." It might be mentioned that for four years he has assisted in guiding the destiny of the craving stomachs in the cafe, and at the same time adding to his many friendships. A conscientious student, a sincere friend and a gentleman, "Chick" should anticipate little difficulty in making good. All he needs is a chance; his greatest powers are latent. He is a friend well worth having, one who will come through in a pinch.



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FELIX A. CALBI, B. S.

Yonkers, N. Y.

"CAL" "CAPPY"

A. K. M., 2.

"Cal" is one of Bona's budding men of science, having a propensity for thorough investigation of the things of nature and their composition. Not often seen on the campus, for he is spending his time with his test tube and Bunsen burner in the chem lab in search of some new chemical combination. Yet he is not a grind, and his optimistic spirit and thorough-going earnestness have endeared him to all of us. We shall miss him next September when the leaves begin to fall.

JAMES T. CARLINO, B. S.

Punxsutawney, Pa.

"JIMMY"

A. K. M., 1, 2, 3, 4.

After coming to Bonaventure, "Jimmy" immediately worked his way into our hearts with his willingness to help and his ability to do so. His initiative has carried him through his classes in top shape, and his conviviality leaves us with the memory of pleasant hours spent in his company. We will miss "Jimmy" because he has radiated good cheer, and his pleasing qualities coupled with persistent endeavor will carry him a long way in his study of medicine. Our best wishes are yours, "Jimmy."

ANTHONY R. CARUSO, B. S.

Salamanca, N. Y.

"TONY"

Musical Association, 1, 2, 3, 4, Manager, 4; A. K. M., 3, 4; R. B. M. C., 4, Secretary, 4; LAUREL, 3, 4; Prom Orchestra Committee Chairman; Frosh Frolic.

As Salamanca's pride and Bona's glory, "Tony" has achieved an enviable record while here. A student well above the average he has still found time for extra activities. He has proven his ability in the ring, amused us on "amateur night" and given his whole-hearted support to the Band and Orchestra, as well as demonstrated his ability along literary lines. Whatever he undertakes, he sees it to the end. Best wishes, "Tony."



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DANTE E. CATULLO, B. S.

Yonkers, N. Y.

"DANNY"

Musical Association, 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary, 3, 4; A. K. M., 1, 2, 3, 4; Metropolitan Club, 4, President, 4; Dramatics, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader, 3, 4; Chairman Decoration Committee, 3.

What would an amateur night be without this "Merry Andrew" and his little group of original funmakers? He has tickled the funnybone of more than one of the soured collegians with his laugh-provoking antics. In persons, as in every question, there is another side. This is the side that makes his work in the laboratory, whether it be with a test tube or over a microscope, admired for his untiring energy of persistence. He has been the organizer of one of the newer clubs on the campus and has displayed an ability for leadership in his various other achievements. When you go, "Danny," what will happen to our amateur nights?

BERNARD J. CLINTON, B. S.

Rochester, N. Y.

"JUGGS"

Rochester, 1, 2, 3, 4; R. B. M. C., 4; Basketball Manager, 4.

Behold our handsome basketball manager. Is it any wonder that the games on the home court have been crowded with the feminine pulchritude of Olean? It's his way with the world and its wonders. "Juggs" is a gentleman, a true friend and a real scholar, being a master of the finer points in the mathematical fields. He has impressed us all with his cool, calm and collected ability. That complacent attitude towards everyone and his business ability will insure his success. During the four years that he has been with us he has done well by Rochester, and with his departure many a heart will be aching.

FRANK R. CLUNE, B. A.

Carbondale, Pa.

"DAPPER"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President, 4; Band, 1, 2; Annual.

"Gentlemen, be seated." This is the welcome accorded to all visitors to the room of "Dapper," trap drummer extraordinary. "Dapper" tells us only concerning the demeanor of this lordly gentleman from the land of the carbon dust. His name adds nothing to his prestige, for he has been endowed with a buoyant nature that radiates about him. He steps forth from Bonaventure with the friendship of everyone, for his cheerful smile and his ever-ready wit make us all take him to our hearts as another friend missing from the ranks.



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ROBERT B. COLLINS, B. A.

Norwich, N. Y.

"BOB"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Patron Committee, 3.

The best way to the heart is via the stomach. "Bob" has won the hearts of hundreds of us in officiating at the cafe. He will serve anything from the latest synthetic chemical concoction of the lab to one of those juicy hamburgers. This happily-bombastic lad, tinged the ironic, with a smile that wins the world before him, has nothing to fear in the labors that he may perform. "Bob," despite his gastronomic labors, has not neglected his literature, for it is said, he devours a novel a day to keep boredom away.

EDWARD F. CONLAN, B. S.

Waterbury, Conn.

"EBBY" "CAGY"

J. D. L. A., 2; Football, 1; Basketball, 1; Circulation Manager, "St. Bona Venture," 1.

"Ed" is one of the boys from New England; from that group that left traditions behind them. He is known for his congeniality and his gathering of friends. This lad from Waterbury has shown a decided interest in the various sports of the college, and like one of the old-timers is able, without provocation, to quote statistics in propounding his argument. "Ed" has been one who has never lost faith in that charming and vivacious female—Lady Luck.

JAMES D. CURRY, B. A.

Blue Mt. Lake, N. Y.

"JIM"

J. D. L. A., 2, 3, 4, President, 4.

The mountaineers have no fears. And here is the mountaineer of the Senior Class. "Jim" loves those good old Adirondacks with their lakes and wooded sides. Any day he will tell you of Paul Bunyan and his adventures. Coming here six years ago, as a prep student, "Jim" has gained the esteem of all by his determination to do things. When set upon doing his duty he cannot be deterred by might nor main. During his Senior year he was President of the J. D. L. A. Such is the character of this lad whom we tender the best of wishes for success in life.


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HARLAND L. DAVIS, B. A.

Kane, Pa.

Dramatics, 1, 3.

We first knew Harland as an exceptionally fine student of Latin, mastering the subtle qualities of the prosody of Horace. Since then he has passed on to his days of companionship with the philosophers. Characteristic of Harland is the staunchness of his friendship and the sincerity of his nature. His unquestioned ability and his love of truth are his two outstanding characteristics and they will go far in helping him to reach the high goal of success for which we believe he is naturally destined.

PATRICK J. DEVERS, B. A.

Pittston, Pa.

"PAT" "PADDY"

Football, 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball, 1, 2, 3, 4.

How many times has the name of "Paddy" been on the tongues of frenzied crowds as they cheered his winged feet down the white serried lines of the gridiron or his sprints from one side of the outfield to the other of the baseball diamond? This lad, from the land of the black diamond, is an athlete of whom Bona is proud. Reticent by nature, "Pat" has won the admiration of us all, for not only does he star on the field of play but also in the battle of books. Although bedecked with red hair he does not possess the "trigger" temper so common among sorrel tops. "Paddy," we wish you well.

LEO P. DORSEY, B. A.

Syracuse, N. Y.

"MEATS"

J. D. L. A., 1; Student Senate, 4, President, 4; Dramatics, 1, 2, 3, 4; LAUREL ANNUAL.

Leo developed the Socratic method to perfection just before the psych exam—"what is this, and what is that? Is it abstract or concrete?" During the last year he has impressed the Freshmen as he was impressed during his first year. The only things missing are Father Bede, and "Goose" to share his joy as he shared his chagrin. As a comic actor, Leo has yet to meet his peer during the amateur night performances. As President of the Student Senate he has marked a way for men to follow him in office. Many a time we will miss you with your rollicking love of fun. We wish you success.


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M. KENNETH DOYLE, B. A. Green Island, N. Y.
"KEN"

Band, 3, 4; Orchestra, 3, 4.

"Ken" has a touch about him and a snap to his entire being that draws one to him. It is this something which has set him blazing forth in the classroom to match with the best of our students. His depth penetrates the wells of philosophy of the moderns as well as of the ancients, which he devours with the avidity of a romance. Further, it may be said to limn a good picture one would have to combine a man of letters and one of science to form a clearer concept of him. A gentleman, he can smile, laugh and agree with you. His future will doubtlessly be governed by the same steadfastness of purpose which he has always exhibited to us—his friends and colleagues.

JAMES A. DWAILEEBE, B. A. Olean, N. Y.
"PONZI"

"Laurel," 1, 2.

"Jim" is one of the day hops. He first came to fame with his rapid-fire production of verse by the yard for Father Alexander's class. The only minutes of the day that it is known he has been quiet is during his sleep, and questions have been raised as to that. He is a student with considerable talent, having shown it in the acquiring of languages and his persistence in making everyone good humored with his sportive flair of wit. He has demonstrated industry in various activities, including his express monopoly.

PAUL J. EBERZ, B. A. Buffalo, N. Y.
"PAUL"

Band, 3, 4; Orchestra, 3, 4; Glee Club, 3, 4, Director, 4.

Shades of Paul Whiteman and Vincent Lopez, give this little boy a hand! When "Paul" starts to perform on the piano, it is difficult for a one-legged man with the gout to keep his foot still. The music master—a musician of musicians. To "Paul" goes the credit for the fine work accomplished during the year by the Glee Club for which he waved the baton. He has, as the sports writers would say, whipped it into tiptop condition, with plenty of reserve strength to carry it through. He has also been a factor in the newly-organized Jazz Band. With all of this he is a thorough student and a true friend.



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MICHAEL W. FUFFERD, B. A. Amsterdam, N. Y.
 "MIKE"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2, Librarian, 2; Dramatics, 1, 2; "Laurel," 3, 4.

Let us present our Hebrew scholar, a potential Scripturist, and perchance—what can one tell will come out of the East? Not only has he extended himself in his Oriental studies but his disputations held in the philosophical seminar have become part of our history. It may all be summed up by saying that "Mike" has distinguished himself as an excellent student and is always ready to do his share. His keen insight and sympathetic understanding give promise of placing his name among the most successful. He is known for his loyal and unselfish support of all school activities. Au revoir, "Mike," your record augurs well for the future.

FRANK GALLO, B. S. Winsted, Conn.
 "GAL"

Dramatics, 1, 2, 3, 4.

There is no need of introducing good old Frank, for he is always around when things are going on. He has been able to mix with the best of us and come out smiling. A keen eye, an alert mind and a sunny disposition are the kindest possessions of this boy of Winsted. His animating spirit and hearty laugh are constant reminders of his ingenious character. Our association with him has made us admire his fine qualities and his personality which say much for him in his future undertakings. Throughout his four years with us he has taken a leading part with the Bonaventure Players.

PAUL W. GILDEA, B. S. Archbald, Pa.
 "PAAL"

A. K. M., 1, 2, 3, 4, President, 4; D. O. W., 3, 4; Dramatics, 1, 2, 3; Prom Patron Committee, 3; "Laurel," 3, 4.

Here we have the Irish character personified; he talks and walks—rather, swaggers—like one of "me ole buckos right from the ole sod." To hear "Paal" in conversation is to listen to the characters stepping out of the pages of Lady Gregory, Synge, or Lennox Robinson. To his sparkling wit, the twinkling of his eyes and the smile on his lips is to be added his unbound world of friendships which he has added to his list as the years passed on. During his Senior year he has guided the ship of state of the A. K. M. as its president, under whose leadership it has rapidly advanced.



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PAUL E. GOODER, B. A.

Reynoldsville, Pa.

"PAUL"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2; Dramatics, 1, 2.

Life at Bonaventure, for "Paul," began in the good old dorm. Those days are gone forever when one was gathered into his little tent by Father Bede. Those were the happy days when one's problems were neither Hebraic nor philosophical. Aside from all of that, "Paul" is a pleasant fellow, indeed, and in addition, a man with an understanding solidity and depth of character which life in all its guises cannot shake. He has passed through these four years of academic work with the proper touch to his studies. We know when the roll of Bonaventure's alumni is called, he will assume the place he deserves—at the pinnacle of success.

LEO B. GUNN, B. S.

Rochester, N. Y.

"LEO B" "GEP"

Rochester Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; LAUREL ANNUAL.

"Gep" is one of the most jovial members of the class, carrying off the honors for his good nature and pleasant feeling toward all. He is a man of many sides, taking life on its many angles. His winning smile and his ability as a promoter of various activities has made his friendship with us secure. He can boast of his salesmanship of anything, from shoestrings (including aluminum he didn't sell) and ending with Baldwin locomotives. We nominate "Leo" to Mr. Eastman as the envoy-extraordinary to the United States of Soviet Russia for the extension of the use of more films in the Leninland. Good luck, "Gep."

THOMAS J. HARKINS, B. S.

Oil City, Pa.

"TOM"

A. K. M., 3, 4, Secretary, 4; R. B. M. C., 4; Class Treasurer, 3; "St. Bona Venture," 3, 4; Business Manager "Laurel", 4; Business Manager LAUREL ANNUAL.

Here is that man that fables are written about; one who is seldom seen in flesh and blood but is told about in stories of the past as the model for us to follow. "Tom" is real flesh and blood, every inch, his savoring quality being that he understands that all of us are human. Never has it been known that he spoke an unkind word of anyone. The possessor of a disposition that cannot be beat and to such an extent that "Tom" has never made an enemy. In scholarship, he has few equals, a master of mathematics as well as chemistry and physics, with a keen insight into the niceties of the turnings of an English sentence. We leave "Tom", only wishing that we could be like him.


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GEORGE M. HOCK, B. A. Rochester, N. Y.
"GEORGE"

J. D. L. A., 3, 4; Rochester Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics, 1, 2, 3, 4; Manager Musical Association, 4; Decoration Committee Junior Prom.

Introducing "Gentleman George!" This is the debonair and non-chalant gentleman on the campus; a composite of all the matinee idols of the last decade. During the winter a student, while his summers are spent from coast to coast as a seedling traveling salesman. His spare time with us he devotes to Dramatics, and has done remarkably well at it. Added to his tasks this year is that of managing the affairs for the temperamental musicians. Our "George" has a pleasing personality plus boundless enthusiasm, and as far as we know he possesses the happiness of seeing his efforts terminate in success.

GILBERT R. HUBERT, B. A. Torrington, Conn.
"GIL"

"Laurel", Sports Editor, 4; LAUREL ANNUAL, 4.

Wit and humor are inseparable in "Gil's" nature, mixing them in a manner that would do credit to Mark Twain for his humor and Beau Brummel for wit. Such is this little fellow from among the Connecticut hills, chirruping forth something to make us happy throughout the day. He is the sort of fellow who takes the blue out of Monday morning for us. "Gil" is one of the biology wizards, with a lancet in one hand and a microscope in the other, sitting under the guiding eye of Father Hubert. Then, with all of this may be mentioned the fact that he makes many visits to a certain house on East Main Street. Cheerio, "Gil," my lad!

ERNEST J. HURTUBESE, B. S. North Tonawanda, N. Y.
"LON" "ERNIE"

Football, 2, 3.

No, this is not Gene Tunney, but our own little "Ernie." The fable runs that Longfellow got his inspiration for the line, "and a mighty man was he," after seeing "Ernie" in a football scrimmage. "Ernie" has been one of the mainstays of the football team for two years; one of those hard-hitting backs that sports writers love to wax eloquent over, and opponent coaches lose sleep over. Of late, "Ernie" has taken to indoor sports, and any morning, bright and early, may be seen giving the gym a workout. At first we thought it was training for the Junior Prom, but that is over now. Come clean, "Ernie," tell us all about it.



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ALFRED V. KARL, B. S.

Allegany, N. Y.

"AL"

A. K. M., 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4; Band, 3, 4; R. B. M. C., 4; Dramatics, 2.

"Allegany's favorite son" has built up a strong band of friendships among his classmates because of his sincerity and cheerful disposition. "Al's" ability to make and hold friendships is one of his outstanding traits. Every day he may be seen driving up his Hudson to the first class and then driving away after the last in the Allegany fashion, passengers aboard to be left off at their stops before "Al" reaches his destination up in the Four Mile. As a student of mathematics he is one of the best, shining with "Shine." He intends to study engineering, and some day we hope to hear of him as a great bridge builder or in charge of the supervision of a new trans-continental railroad.

JOHN KEENAN, B. S.

Troy, N. Y.

"JACK"

A. K. M., 2, 3, 4; Capitol District Club, 3, 4, President, 3; Patron Committee, Junior Prom; "St. Bona Venture" Business Manager, 3, 4.

Business management, statistics, salesmanship, campaigning, and sundry other correlated subjects to business are the line of John. He has a grasp of the essentials and the greater details of putting all kinds of business deals across. His kit of the finer points of business are well known to us all in his managing of the business of the *St. Bona Venture* for the last two years. When things were in a sorry plight he turned on the heat and again it was nurtured. Such are the things that hold John's interest. He has been an exceptionally fine student in the science end with a taste for good literature.

FRANK G. KENNEDY, B. A.

Cohoes, N. Y.

"FRANK" "MACKO"

LAUREL ANNUAL, 4.

Frank joined us in our Junior year after two years at Holy Cross. And when we say joined we mean that he made himself part of our class, not only in name but in spirit, that spirit filled with a zeal to push forward and make something of the many advantages presented to him. He is one that is able to sound the foundations of pure fun, in which he is one of the leading personages. This does not in the least detract from the fine qualities of his scholarship, which have been noticeably displayed to us during his short but enjoyable stay with us. It may be said that he is a good student, serious in his school work, and an understanding friend possessed of all the attributes of good fellowship. "Macko," we hope that you will not miss those Wednesday and Saturday afternoon dinners as we will.


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JOSEPH P. KENNEDY, B. A. Rochester, N. Y.
"JOE"

Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4.

Reliability should be "Joe's" surname; he has earned it in his days with us. His playing of four years with the basketball team with such acute skill in manipulating the ball has attained for him the title with which we have plumed him. He is one of the greatest basketeers ever to wear the Brown and White uniform on the court. Every movement of his on the floor is one of grace, from the time when he snatches the first tip off in midair until the last shot is fired. "Joe's" good nature and radiating personality have endeared him to us all. Though his fame may go far and wide, he will always be known to us as a modest, unassuming and ever-helpful friend.

J. EXPEDIT KOCHER, B. A. Lancaster, N. Y.
"JIM"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2.

Here is a human machine; one who is always busy, either preparing for his classes or assisting someone else in their endeavors. He has trained himself in the hard school of self discipline in preparation for his future activities. Nothing is beyond his aim to accomplish his end. He has impressed us as a worker who has shown his ability by his untiring efforts in every field. "Jim" is modest and good-natured, a keen observer, possessed of a frank mind with honesty substantiating it, a sunny greeting, a smile for every one and a deep warmth for his friends. With these traits, success lies in the path of his future endeavors. We shall remember with pleasure our enjoyable association with him.

CASIMIR J. LANDEWIT, B. A. Central Islip, L. I., N. Y.
"LANDY"

"Landy," as he is familiarly known to those of us who have had the pleasure of meeting him, is, in every sense of the word, a real friend. He lingered first in the halls of St. Charles, Maryland, before he decided to migrate to the cooler clime of Allegany. He is one of our many residents of the Field Afar, known throughout the history of Bonaventure as the land of the free and the home of the brave. His roots, after the transplanting, show signs of progress, and today "Landy" is one of our proudest products. It is becoming so that he has started to like the atmosphere which permeates the entire ozone. "Landy," look over at the other side and see Frank. We have tried hard to keep you together. Farewell, old lad!



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FRANCIS L. LE GENDRE, B. A.

Turners Falls, Mass.

"FROG"

J. D. L. A., 3, 4.

"Frog" smiled his way into our class as a sophomore and, to quote Knox, "his are the joys of nature, his the smile, the cherub smile of innocence and health." But oh, my friends, and oh, my foes, what mockery is in that smile of innocence! What hearts have gone a-flutter, what castles have come tumbling down, what joy gone forever when perchance that enticing smile, laughing eyes and curling blond hair have crossed a blushing maiden's vision? But aside from the fact that pulchritude is his weakness, "Le's" has demonstrated to us all that he is a good student with a keen understanding which will lead him a long way on the line which he attempts to follow.

THOMAS J. LILLIS, B. S.

Buffalo, N. Y.

"TOM"

Buffalo Club, 4; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4.

"Tom," the mailman, musician and somnambulist, believes with Tully that "all great men are to some degree inspired." Although by nature a dreamer, "Tom" shatters all such enchantments with a uke (minus a string) and a quartet strong, enchancing songs sung with the opening of the first transcontinental railroad as well as the theme songs of the latest Broadway hits. Though usually a little slow in acquiring a textbook he becomes inspired sooner or later and by examination time finishes up with the best. Mathematics is his stronghold; and his weakness is not here but in Buffalo. In the future there are many things for you to accomplish. Good luck, "Tom."

EDWARD W. McCARTHY, B. A.

Buffalo, N. Y.

"Mac" "UBI EST EDDIE"

J. D. L. A., 2, 3, 4; Vice-President, 4; Buffalo Club, 4, President, 4; Chairman Junior Prom Patron Committee, 3.

When "Mac" hears "Ubi est Eddie," he takes to his little horse and away he rides with the same spirit that possessed Tyl Ulenspiegel who scampered through the Low Countries with that carefree spirit, fostered in exuberant youth, making them travel on and on with joy in the things of life. To "Ed" goes the credit of organizing the Buffalo Club which has proved so successful in bringing together the boys of Bison City. He is filled with that truly remarkable ability of being an innate storyteller. He has entertained us on many a long evening, and there will be many a time in the future when we will wish he was near to keep up our spirits. Many fitting things could be added to these paltry remarks, but it is better summed up in saying he is a "true Bonaventure man."



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GERALD G. McCABE, B. A. Carbondale, Pa.

"JERRY"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2, 3, 4; D. O. W., 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President, 4; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4; President Musical Association, 4; Chairman Junior Prom, 3; Fresh Frolic Committee, 3.

The white-haired boy of Bonaventure is "Jerry." This is both literally and figuratively true. He has been a leading figure in the life of the boys from the coal mines where they pick out black diamonds every day in the week. When "Jerry" arrived, he lost no time in winning a place in the hearts of his fellow students, because of his remarkable sociability (one could always get a piece of cake or a chicken leg in his room) and his cheerful disposition. "Jerry's" idle moments were few, but he always found time to help a friend. Wonder what the girls in Perth are thinking about, "Jerry"? Anyway, it was just a common occurrence for one so gifted to hold responsible class offices. Good luck to you, Gerald.

LEO F. McCORMACK, B. S. Binghamton, N. Y.

"Mac" "Moose"

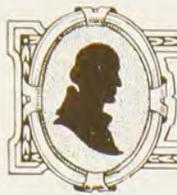
A. K. M., 1, 2, 3, 4, President, 3; Class Secretary, 2, Vice-President, 4; Baseball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Patron Committee, 3.

"Mac" is one of those of whom it might be said, "preparedness is the best policy." If at first one takes him for a docile sort of fellow who may be rubbed either way, with only a casual purr, then that one is in for a great big surprise. Although only of medium stature, Leo swings a wicked stick on the diamond and, it is said, he could take care of the Chinese immigration. "Mack's" leadership is attested by the class presidency in his Sophomore year, Student Senate in his Junior and Senior year, and Presidency of the A. K. M. in his Junior year. Mack is just another proof that a good athlete can also be a very good student.

DANIEL J. McGILL, B. A. Burlington, N. J.

"GIL"

Another boy from the land of Jersey. "Dan" came to us, a quiet lad, filled with a fine scholarship inculcated in the halls of St. Charles' College, Maryland. Genial, conscientious and sincere, he will always be a fond and pleasant recollection to his classmates and to his many friends residing with him in the precincts of the Field Afar. For subjects which he has a liking he becomes buoyant with enthusiasm, radiating it to his associates, for they become his followers in his vein of thought. His captivating personality has won him scores of friends throughout the college. As a famous poet once said, "the making of friends who are real friends is the best test we have of a man's success in life."



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JOHN D. McNALLY, B. A.

Rochester, N. Y.

"YANNO"

Rochester Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; R. B. M. C., 4; Basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4.

The campus loses one of its most colorful figures when "Yanno" is graduated. His ever-smiling, bantering, carefree disposition will leave a gap in the ranks, with only "Rip" and "Bucket" to try and carry on and take his place. Many a time on the basketball floor we have watched with awe his skillful maneuvering against a seemingly aggressive opponent. When "Yanno" is not piling up scoring records on the court he is engrossed with creating new fashions in clothes for the well-dressed collegian about the campus, and giving the latest pointers in the proper methods of dancing the light fantastic. "Yanno," your inimitable shots as a member of Bonaventure's greatest basketball team will never fade from our memory.

STEPHEN H. MEKO, B. A.

DeLancey, Pa.

"STEVE"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2.

A born optimist, "Steve" always has a smile for everyone and his spirits are never drooping. His standing as a student is par excellence and is only equaled by his personal magnetism and charm. He hails from Pennsylvania, which should in a small way account for his industry and perseverance. "Steve" is one of the original "dorm" boys, being initiated in the trials and tribulations of the discomforts of a young man going away to college. He has lived through it and is still with us as one of the able representatives of the Field Afar. When "Steve" has departed from these academic walls, we warn all to just watch his smoke.

JOHN J. MONAGHAN, B. A.

South Amboy, N. J.

"WHITEY"

Perchance you know our little fellow from the sea-swept shores of South Amboy? He has the happy faculty of possessing many friends, and it is without doubt that you are of the many. "Pete's," for we call him "Pete," also, youthful face belies the wisdom and knowledge which he has garnered in his adventuring among scholastic walls. He came to St. Bonaventure at the beginning of the Junior year from St. Charles, and if the record he has made during the past two years is prophetic, he will, we are assured in the near future be doing honor to both in the reflected glory of attained success. His quiet, unassuming manner is one of his many desirable traits, and the friendships that he makes are real and enduring.



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ALFRED M. MOSACK, B. A.

Lancaster, N. Y.

"BABE"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2; Dramatics, 1, 2, 3.

One of the biggest men in the class and they call him "Babe." It only accentuates his immense proportions. Despite all of this he is a model of everything in every way. Meticulous, conservative and considerate in all of his undertakings, quiet, unobtrusive and ever ready to lend a helping hand to a pal in need. These qualities almost give one an idea of the caliber of "Babe." It is hard to do full justice to one whom all admire so much and still not be hackneyed in the manner of expression. He is one of the reigning members of the now famous club organized in the Field Afar for the promotion of the Lancaster spirit. We extend our sincere wishes for success in the future.

VINCENT F. MUNDAY, B. S.

Allegheny, N. Y.

"FRANK"

When Tennyson wrote, "he stands on the height of his life with a glimpse of a height that is higher," he had in mind just such a one as Munday. He is one of the hometown boys who is making the best of his opportunities. And not content with just daytime classes, we find him in this, his last semester, journeying up to school for a two-hour session in the evening, twice a week. Science is his meat and honey, but when he wants a truly sweet he goes to Bradford. In chemistry he knows his fats and oil, and his aspiration points toward a big-time oil producer.

ANTHONY S. MUSSARI, JR., B. A.

Carbondale, Pa.

"TONY"

Music Association Manager, 3, 4.

"Tony" was preceded to Bonaventure by his brother, Francis, who now resides in Rome. They got together in their Sophomore year and organized the "after-lights-went-out-club" which was rolling along fine with the goal of success within their grasp until it was broken up by the powers-that-be. Loyalty is "Tony's" outstanding characteristic. Never when opportunity presented itself did "Tony" fail to sound Bonaventure's praises. He has the happy faculty of taking things as they come, and no matter how gloomy the situation, "Tony" never loses his smile. There must surely be a bright future in store for "Tony" from the land of the carbon dust.



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JOHN F. NOONAN, B. A.

Rochester, N. Y.

"JOHNNY"

Golf, 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Patron Committee, 3.

We have not seen so much of "Johnny" during the course of his stay with us, but we have learned a lot of things, among them, golf and its allied sciences. "Johnny" is an ambitious youth with the spunk to go through with his convictions. While attending college he has had charge of a course in Rochester as professional golfer. He has an affable disposition and is always accommodating to his friends. He was mainly instrumental in bringing about the formation of the program for the new golf course, and also conducted a school for the embryonic golfers among the collegians. Success, "Johnny," to you, my lad.

JOHN F. NUGENT, B. A.

Binghamton, N. Y.

"NUGIE"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2; Dramatics, 1, 2.

"Nugie" is one of the many products that we have from Binghamton, the town of shoes, and with this the city's fame does not rest entirely on its feet, for John is one that any town would vie with another for the distinction. "Nugie" greets everyone with an irrepressible smile of friendship. His attractive manner, pleasing personality, his sincerity and earnestness, emphasizing an extensive assortment of noble characteristics, draw to him an extensive assortment of good friends. Jack is the kind of fellow whom one likes to remember in after years.

CLIFFORD J. O'BRIEN, B. A.

Syracuse, N. Y.

"OBEE" "CLIFF"

"Clif" came to us in his Junior year and soon was known all over the campus. Although usually preoccupied he always responded when greeted with, "got a cigarette?" His last name became well fixed in the minds of his companions in sociology, being the last word of the rollcall. On most occasions, "Clif" wears a bored expression, but when he smiles its radiance fills the place. To those who know him well he is a true friend; with those of casual acquaintance he is slightly aloof, and it may be said of him that: "But rare on earth is such sublime ambition found."



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CLARENCE R. O'DONNELL, B. S. Genesee, Pa.
"Buck"

A. K. M., 2, 3, 4; R. B. M. C., 4; Student Senate, 3, 4, Vice-President, 4; Junior Prom Committee, 3; Cross Country, 1, 2; Track, 1, 2.

"Buck" was the most successful candidate for the Student Senate, according to the poll of the Senior Class. This popularity was not undeserved, for "Buck" is one of those fine friends one would have to go a long way to beat. He has that knack, despite his bashfulness, of making you like him. For four years we have seen him assist in the destinies of the daily mail for Uncle Sam. With all of this, "Buck" is a student in the Science end of the college, and he has made his mark to his own credit and that of the school. Of late we have become somewhat suspicious of him with his many visits to Allegany. Who is she, "Buck"? Farewell, old-timer, and much luck.

ROBERT W. O'DONNELL, B. S. Genesee, Pa.
"Bob"

A. K. M., 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer, 3, 4; Junior Prom Program Committee, 3; "St. Bona Venture," 3; ANNUAL.

"Bob" is a man of determination. We saw the gleam in his eyes during our Freshman year, and to this day, four years later, it is still with him. He is possessed of many qualities that endear him to our hearts, but placed above them all is his consciousness of his own business, and only his own. That is enough to be said of any man, but let us add to this that he is filled with the pioneering spirit that made Pennsylvania and the sciences grow so rapidly. He has ventured forth more than once in search of the Truth and he has not returned empty-handed for, as we said in the beginning, he is a man of determination. May he set forth again and bring back argosies this time, filled as those of old.

ARTHUR K. O'KEEFE, B. S. Fall River, Mass.
"Art"

Student Senate, 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee, 3; LAUREL ANNUAL, 4; Football, 1, 2, 3, 4.

When Fall River, the town of hills, mills and pork pies, lost "Art" to us it lost one of no mean ability. If it were not so trite one might truly say, he is both a gentleman and a scholar. Added to this he is an athlete of merit. For four years he has handled the wing position on the varsity eleven in a most creditable manner, and in the meantime maintained a high standard in class work and interscholastic activities. His work on the Student Senate and as a class officer was of the highest calibre. "Art" has the mien of a general and eventually will be a leader in whatever he takes up. Why does "Art" go to Buffalo so often? is the current question.





FRANCIS J. O'MEARA, B. A.

Allegheny, N. Y.

"FRANK"

Junior Prom Committee, 3.

For the last four years one could see "Frank" making his way, whether it be good or bad weather, with his books under his arm, for the eight o'clock class. He is one of the members of the class that all admire for his mannerly qualities, in preserving the best traditions of scholarship and true friendship. He is no fair weather friend but one that would stick through thick and thin despite the consequences. In his scholarship he has developed a keen appreciation of what is worth while in the world of books, and is able to give a hand in the solution of the most difficult philosophical problems. During the course of our fellowship with him we know of none who has not given unstinted praise of his many fine qualities, in which he is duly honored.

CLARENCE F. OTT, B. A.

Lancaster, N. Y.

"OTT"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2.

"Ottie," as he is called by the members of his class residing in the land of the Field Afar, is a lad who caught our eye with his many pen and ink caricatures during his Freshman year. He drew, and drew us all out so that we were all going to name him the finder of our weaknesses. The room of the club was well decorated, and to enter it was a sight for sore eyes. It was so different from any other room. He is one of the favorite sons of Lancaster, whose pleasing personality has won for him a high place in the esteem of his friends. His keenness of thought, his soundness of judgment, coupled with his winning smile are calculated to bring him success in life. Steady and consistent in his work, he is bound to come out on top.

LOUIS E. PALERMO, B. S.

Forty Fort, Pa.

"Lou"

"St. Bona Venture," 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball, 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball, 1, 2; Annual.

Freddy Lindstrom of Bonaventure. That is the name we have adopted for "Lou," who has held down the hot corner of the diamond for the last four years. He is small in size, but, oh how he can capture those red hot ones. "Lou," has a smile. What a smile. One of those that Browning wrote about so poignantly. He captivates all he smiles on. Then he has done well in his studies, especially in Spanish, and some day he will be, we hope, a rival for Fitzgerald in the translating of the Castilian. The D. O. W., that old and ancient society, did honor to itself and "Lou," when they elected him as their president for the ensuing year.



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VINCENT J. PISCITELLI, B. S.

Schenectady, N. Y.

"VINC"

A. K. M., 2, 4, Treasurer, 2; Capital District Club, 4.

"Vinc" is a lover of anything scientific, and in his classes and as laboratory assistant he has shown that he is able and efficient along his chosen line. He has done considerable research that gives us an inkling as to what he is endeavoring to do for his life's work, and we feel with the utmost confidence that he will be able to convey to the world that same assurance which we find in his work. Not only is he eminently capable in his chosen field but he has displayed an organizing ability in his assisting in the bringing together of the latest arrival in clubs on the campus. With these qualities "Vinc" is bound to go far in the future in his field of medicine. Best of luck.

ANDREW J. POYDOCK, B. A.

De Lancey, Pa.

"ANDY"

J. D. L. A., 2, 3, 4; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball Manager, 4.

"Quid dicit etc" is the favorite expression of "Andy" when he is bringing back to mind his study of Horace. That was a long time ago, "Andy," but, indeed interesting. "Andy" has no reserve when he is sitting in on a bridge hand, for he has been plumed the champion, with several contenders in the field for his title, but it can only be gained over his dead corpse. He has that carefree attitude in spite of his aptitude toward study. He is a jolly companion making fun when Clune has run out of it, and putting a whimsical tinge to the various things of life. During this warm weather he may be seen gathering the Freshmen together for a little exercise on the diamond, over which he presides as manager of the nine this year.

STEPHEN F. PROPEACK, B. A.

Simpson, Pa.

"STEVE"

"Steve" came to us in his Sophomore year from St. Procopius. He strides along in his singular gait, with head erect, displaying the perfect poise of a West Pointer. He has been a soldier following the Greek verbs, and the history of Tacitus. "Steve" is possessor of a radiant smile, and one of those everyone loves to have, being a perfect mirror, they say, of the soul. No one here has been able to equal "Steve" in strength. He has downed all comers, and they have been not a few. He speaks only on very rare occasions, being one that keeps to himself. Although seldom seen at our social functions he is deserving of the warm friendships which he has acquired.



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DANIEL J. QUINLAN, B. A.

Stamford, Conn.

"DANNY"

The Nimrod of the Senior class. "Danny" knows the woods and streams about Bonaventure only as a true sportsman would, being able to tell you when game can be found, and especially where. He has tracked up and down the Allegany and found pleasure in it. To speak of "Dan's" disposition is to speak of his endearing quality, one that has made him a host of friends in every class in the school, not friends of the moment but those that are lasting, and in turn he returns this same feeling toward friendships. As a student we are unable to find any that are more conscientiously given to learning the paths leading through the wilderness of education out unto the chosen goal.

STEPHEN L. REED, B. A.

Providence, R. I.

"STEVE" "SPIDER"

J. D. L. A., 2, 3, 4, President, 3; "Laurel," 2, 3, 4, Editor-in-Chief, 4; LAUREL ANNUAL, Editor-in-Chief; "St. Bona Venture," City Editor, 1; Junior Prom, Patron Committee.

Tolerance is the motto that "Steve" has chalked down for himself. He is only intolerant of intolerance. He has attempted to learn the spirit which has animated the various philosophies of the world, and how well he has done this will only be known by the success he attains in his future endeavors. Literature has been a particular interest to him, and he enjoys searching for the qualities of style, although he knows literature is but a means to an end. His favorites are Newman and Burke. With Newman we can say of him, "He may be right or wrong in his opinion, but he is too clear-headed to be unjust; he is as simple as he is forcible, and as brief as he is decisive."

HENRY J. ROCK, B. A.

Winthrop, Mass.

"RED"

Football, 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball, 1, 3; Boxing, 1, 2; Junior Prom, Patron Committee, 3.

Mr. Henry Rock from Winthrop. "Red" came to us from Massachusetts famed as a football player. He lived up to his reputation, being a spectacular full-back in his first year, and the next three a mainstay on the aggressive line of Coach Ostergren's battling Varsity. For a number of years he has been the music master, setting the vogue for the latest phonographic recordings, and his choice has always been extremely fine to judge by the host of auditors that gathers in his room. When "Red" lets out a shout, and that is often, he may be heard all over the campus. While with us he has a spirit of play which is animating to us all. "Red," best of luck for everything up in the old Bay State.


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NICHOLAS ROGERS, B. A.

Olean, N. Y.

"Nick"

"Nick" hails from Olean, a quiet, enduring type of young man. His genuine interest in the social problems of the day is borne out by his numerous questions in the social science classes on his program of studies. Although not what one would call a mixer of the high pressure type, with the slap on the back and a hail greeting and a hailing farewell, he has his associates within his own circle, who are indeed dear to him. In his coming and going every day we have come to know him better by his aptitude to grasp the integral parts of nearly all intellectual endeavors. What his pursuits in the future will be we are not aware of, but he may be assured, from our observation, that he will meet success on even ground.

ALBERT K. SAUERAKER, B. S.

Hazleton, Pa.

"AL" "SOUR"

Junior Prom, Decoration Committee, 3; ANNUAL.

When we try to describe "Al" words fail us. He's rare. He's different. He is so different that he has a personality all his own; there's none other like it—there couldn't be, for he is beyond classification. When he smiles the world smiles with him, but when he frowns,—well, he has missed a check-in; nothing less serious would irritate him. When he is around, the corners of all mouths point upward. He is a past master in the gentle art of wise cracking. Never caught in serious contemplation, he is always up in his matter. With "Al" gone Bona loses one of her old standbys, without whom things will not be the same. "Al" is cut out to be a man of affairs—a suave lad and we all like him.

J. RUPERT SCHACK, B. A.

Erie, Pa.

"RUPERT"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2, 4; Band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee, Fresh Frolic.

Here we have a chap of deep sentiment and winning smiles. An erst-while student of the ancient languages (but he isn't dead), who aims at the goal of pedagogy. His home is in Erie, and he goes home every week-end. We have stopped wondering why. Rupert is known for his keen delight when eating chocolate pie, and porterhouse steaks. These are two of his three failings, the other being mentioned elsewhere. He is a musician of note, one of the original old guard of the orchestra and band. We'll always remember his dry wit and his love for good food. We are assured of his success because of the fidelity of purpose with which he has set himself.





ERIC A. SCHAFF, B. A.

Buffalo, N. Y.

"ERIC"

The man with a willing disposition is the one that always wins. This is the disposition of "Eric," one of our boys from the upper shores of Lake Erie, the city of winds, Buffalo. During his short stay with us he has unconsciously impressed this fact upon the minds of all his associates. Quiet, unassuming, yet forceful and energetic, will serve to delineate his character. Always ready to help the other fellow, he has endeared himself to all of us. It will be with feelings of deep heartfelt regret that we see him leave us, for he has been a hard, conscientious worker in both school and class activities.

RUDOLPH F. SCHROT, B. S.

Clearfield, Pa.

"RUDY"

A. K. M., 2, 3, 4; R. B. M. C., 4, President, 4; Junior Committee.

"Rudy," that red cheeked lad from Clearfield, is loaded with enthusiasm. He first came to fame in the role of a magician, and how well we remember his first performance in Alumni Hall, when his apparatus failed to work. A Houdini gone wrong. This is not his only accomplishment or the greatest impression he made, but merely a thought that comes to mind concerning him. He was one of the organizers and the first president of the Roger Bacon Mathematical Club, and this is no little feat, worthy of a truly fine Merlin. He is a keen student in the mathematical field and a capable organizer. He has shown creditable ability in the other sciences in which he has studied.

HERBERT J. SCHWETER, B. S.

Berlin, Germany

"HERB"

"Herb" is one of the most thorough students that we have. His interests are entirely medical, having come to us from the Robert Zelle College, Berlin, Germany. In this country he expects to learn the finer points, stopping here along enough to make preparation for entrance to the medical profession. He has an amiable disposition, and is a most congenial companion, especially when he tells of the student life in his Fatherland, narrating stories interflowing with the amber color liquid that James Huncker spoke so eloquently of. "Herb," think of us when you are sitting at a table and the band strikes up one of those old waltzes of Gluck or Strauss.



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HAROLD W. SHEEHAN, B. A.

Winsted, Conn.

"HARRY"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2, 3, 4, *Secretary*, 3; *Dramatics*, 1, 2; *Class President*, 3, 4; "*St. Bona Venture*," 2, 3, 4, *City Editor*, 3, *Editor-in-Chief*, 4; "*Laurel*," 3, 4.

"For even though vanquished, he could argue still," says Goldsmith, and just to prove that "Harry's" powers are not all in the forensic art, Byron adds, "On with the dance; let joy be unconfined." Harold is truly versatile. Graced with an eloquent flow of words and a "gift of gab" together with a keen brain and courageous ambition he has found few obstacles insurmountable. He was twice elected president of his class, won scholarship medals, and was chosen editor-in-chief of the *St. Bona Venture*. His nocturnal roamings have gained him recognition far and wide. He is destined for law.

DANIEL J. SULLIVAN, B. A.

South Amboy, N. J.

"DAN"

The picture of perfect health, and one that would delight the eye of any person who wished to look upon an honest-to-goodness fellow. Life seems to bubble right out of him without any effort; "Dan" is the personification of everything that is jovial in life. South Amboy is lucky enough to call "Dan" its own. He came to Bonaventure after two years at Seton Hall. A good student and a straightforward, true friend, earnest in all his undertakings, determined in his work. The best of friends must part, but "Dan's" friendship can never be lost or forgotten. Farewell, old friend, and don't learn to forget Horner's method and Decartes rule of signs.

LEO T. SULLIVAN, B. A.

Rochester, N. Y.

"SULLY"

J. D. L. A., 1; *Rochester Club*, 1, 2, 3, 4, *President*, 3, 4; *Class President*, 1, 2; *Basketball*, 1, 2, 3, 4.

"Swish, swish." Sullivan scoring another two points for Bonaventure. It is as regular as clockwork, this scoring of this little husky from Rochester. A terror to all opponent guards. Agile, subtle and skillful in his caging the works for his Alma Mater on the basketball floor. "Sully" is one of the best and brainiest basketball players ever to grace the portals of our institution, and one of the finest mid-floor shots we have ever seen. This is just one of the many things that could be said of "Sully" for he has proceeded to demonstrate to us that he is not only a brilliant court performer, but also a student of no meager ability. "Sully" has shown that he possesses those qualities of life which make success easily attainable. His radiant smile and good nature are bound to be instrumental in his success.



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HOWARD J. SCHWARTZ, B. A.

Lancaster, N. Y.

"How"

J. D. L. A., 1, 2; Orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics, 2, 3.

Dignity, calm and poise—"Howie" commands the love and respect of every Senior and anyone he meets. He carries his dignity, calm and poise, not for its own sake, but only because it is an innate part of him, a part which can not be separated from him. Diligence is his watchword and it is personified in his work. Genial, affable, ever ready to aid a worthy cause; he has carved for himself a well deserved niche in the memory of his fellows. He is one of the members of the Lancaster club, and with him they should be well proud of the accomplishments that he has undertaken, most of which he has seen to a successful end. He is also an accomplished musician having taken a leading part in the various musical activities of the college. Joy and success.

J. LA MONTE TAYLOR, B. S.

Hornell, N. Y.

"MONTE"

A. K. M., 2, 3, 4; R. B. M. C., 4.

Mathematical infinity. This is "Monte's" favorite subject, and what we will always remember him by. Nonchalant does him an injustice, but for lack of a better word we'll have to call him nonchalance personified. Behind the mask of indifference, which our good friend "Monte" wears, is an intellect perhaps equalled by none in our class and which he has demonstrated particularly well in the field of mathematics. Those of the fairer sex were not slow in perceiving his finer points and no social affair would be complete without him. As a master of the intricacies of the ballroom he is without an equal. One accomplished in the various lines of mathematics such as "Monte" is, and with a most pleasing disposition should find no difficulty in making his mark on the goal he attempts to attain.

GEORGE B. WHELEHAN, B. S.

Rochester, N. Y.

"STRETCH"

A. K. M., 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President, 3, 4; R. B. M. C., 4, Treasurer, 4; Rochester Club, 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary, 3.

For four years "Stretch" has graced the campus with his unique gait and beaming countenance. A good mixer and forceful of word. His admirers are by no means confined to the male element of humanity. During his last year he was manager of the football team, during its most successful season, arranging the schedule and planning the trips. He was selected for two consecutive years to serve as vice president of the Alpha Kappa Mu. Both of these facts point to his outstanding ability of management, and leadership. He possesses such enviable confidence in himself that studies become subservient to him, merely a means to an end. As a lawyer he should gain national fame.


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ALEXANDER J. WYSOCKI, B. S. Utica, N. Y.
"ALEC"

A. K. M., 3, 4; *"St. Bona Venture,"* 2, 3, 4.

A sunny disposition and a ready smile, that's "Al." If the world stopped, "Al" in his modesty would continue unassumingly on. But don't for a moment think he would realize his unique position. He's subtle, and no doubt would return to earth with the problems of why the world stopped, solved. As a business man he will be, we aver, a big success. This is based on his fine accomplishments on the advertising staff of the *St. Bona Venture*. He will make you believe it and then make you think it was your own and then make you like it. Wish you lots of luck, "Al."

GEORGE F. YENKOSKI, B. S. Sugar Notch, Pa.
"YAN"

A. K. M., 3, 4; *D. O. W.*, 1, 2, 3, 4.

Here we have the elongated edition of our class, and another boy from down where the coal mines grow. "Yan," during the last year or two, has developed a taste for licorice. It is a poor imitation for "Five Brothers," but is able to satisfy him. Every once in a while "YAN" does a disappearing act, being away for several days at a time, and no one seems to know where his hiding place is. Then added to all of this is his scholarship, in chemistry he reigned with "Jim" Meisel in the organic class, and one of the prides and joys for Lucco. Every afternoon he assists the teachers at Allegany High in the scientific demonstrations. Good bye and good luck.

THOMAS RILEY, B. S. Rochester, N. Y.
"TOM"

The last on our list, but, as the old adage goes, not the least. "Tom" left us last year for the University of Detroit, but in September he was back and sheepled among his many comrades of the years before his exodus. Although he is not famed for his cake making at Bonaventure, it is claimed, that he was pretty good with the batter in Detroit. "Tom" has a personality that aims to please, one that is agreeable on all occasions, from the first bell in the morning until the lights are out. He is a good student, and he has done much to organize the boys from the Flower City.



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Junior Class

WHEN the class of 1931 returned to their Alma Mater in September they entered the choir of the philosophers, dividing their time among classes in Ethics, Logic, Epistemology, Cosmology and History of Philosophy. It is truly a year for brain storms with the intricacies of the various forms, and despite it all, the good ship of the class of '31 seems to be weathering the gales, cyclones and typhoons they are encountering in the philosophical seas.

Soon after the influx of the members of the class a hectic meeting was held at which the following officers were elected: President, T. Earl Wilson, Sharon, Pa.; Vice-President, Thomas W. O'Connor, Medford, Mass.; Treasurer, Louis R. Gallo, Jr., Albany, N. Y.; Secretary, Spencer J. Lynady, Carbondale, Pa., and Moderator, Rev. Arthur Brophy, O.F.M.

The preparation was then begun for the Junior Promenade. Committees were appointed by President Wilson to work under the general direction of Thomas W. O'Connor, chairman, with Louis R. Gallo, Jr., in charge of the financial end of the affair.

The Prom, which is an act of homage to the Senior class, their social farewell, was held on February 7th at the Knights of Columbus Ballroom, with Howard Thomas' Recording Orchestra furnishing the music. It was a gala affair for more than 150 couples that attended. It is another landmark made on the shore of time at Bonaventure.

With the coming of the Commencement for the Class of 1930 the Juniors will shed the garb of the ordinary collegiate and be invested with the academic gowns of a Senior. It is not long now, and the hearts of all are yearning for the day.

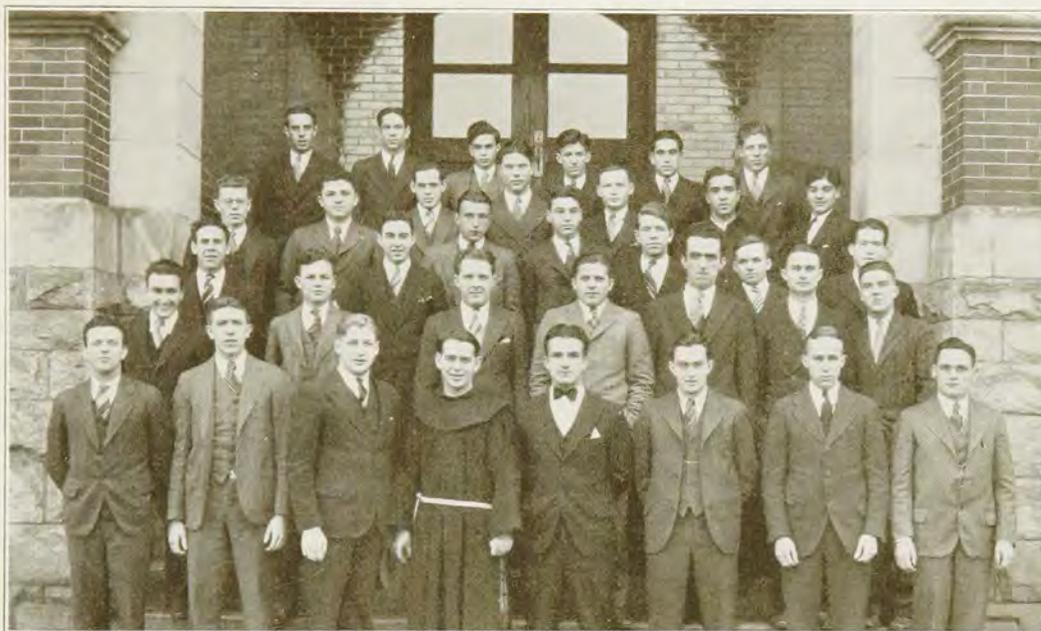


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Junior Roll Call

J. S. BRONCATO	A. J. HOBAN	T. W. O'CONNOR
F. J. BRUNO	G. M. HOCK	J. J. O'CONNOR
E. J. CAPUTO	E. P. HUMPHREY	C. F. O'GRADY
T. C. CARROLL	J. P. KENNEDY	E. J. O'LEARY
C. F. CASEY	A. A. KNOPP	M. P. POWER
J. G. CAVANAUGH	F. L. KOCH	I. A. PSYCK
E. F. CHMIELINSKI	R. J. KOHLER	E. E. RADIGAN
M. A. CLANCY	A. J. LABELLA	J. J. RILEY
F. J. CLAREY	L. B. LANE	N. J. SCHUMACHER
E. P. COLLINS	R. C. LAWLESS	E. J. SCULLY
T. M. CONNELLY	S. J. LYNADY	J. E. SKIERKOWSKI
J. F. CONNERS	J. L. LYONS	W. M. SLAVIN
G. M. CROWLEY	T. H. McMAHON	B. SLEPOWRONSKI
W. S. CUCCI	J. J. MAHER	E. F. STANKIEWICZ
F. P. CUMMINGS	D. J. MALONEY	T. J. STETS
F. P. DEAN	A. A. MASTRELLA	F. J. STOCK
P. J. DiTUCCI	F. X. MEACHAM	D. J. SULLIVAN
M. J. FARAGHER	E. M. MENKE	J. A. SULLIVAN
J. W. FLICK	J. J. MISH	J. J. TYNAN
J. FRANKS	L. J. MURPHY	N. R. UTECHT
A. D. GENTILE	C. G. NEWELL	W. J. VOELKER
R. J. HAELY	C. E. NOONAN	E. D. WALKER
E. M. HARRIS	J. F. NOONAN	E. T. WILSON

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Sophomore Class

THE second mark has been reached. No longer are we wearers of the green cap. As Sophomores our career has been marked by the spirit that was so characteristic of our Freshman days. Our treatment of the Class of '33 has followed the same lines as that administered to us, the usual initiations and the enforcement of the rules and traditions, all with the purpose of passing along the spirit that these things imbued in us. How we have succeeded Time alone will make known.

The Frosh Welcome Dance was our first social venture as Sophomores. It was well attended being both a social and financial success. As an innovation the Sophomore class this year were the sponsors for the Tea Dance on May 11th, the afternoon following the Senior Ball. It was given at the Eagles' Ballroom, Olean, and the fine acceptance it received justified its establishment.

The Sophomore class, with the termination of this year, passes the halfway mark in its college career. It is not boasting to say that the Sophomores have done their best and have made a name for themselves, and that so far they have set a lofty mark at which succeeding classes may aim. Let us hope that they may continue as they have begun and that when in June 1932 they reach the end of their college days, they may look back upon the four years of their lives with us as their finest.

The officers of the class are: President, Nicholas J. Colao, Peekskill, N. Y.; Vice-President, Edward J. Sullivan, Binghamton, N. Y.; Secretary, J. Francis O'Malley, Emperium, Pa.; Treasurer, J. Thomas Kelsey, Red Bank, N. J., and Moderator, Rev. Benedict Ballou, O.F.M.



Sophomore Roll Call

J. M. ADAMS	S. J. GALBO	E. J. MURPHY
J. T. AGAN	J. W. GATTI	A. M. MUSCENTE
J. E. ALGER	J. T. GILDEA	G. P. O'CONNOR
A. A. ALIBERTI	J. M. GILLOEGLY	J. F. O'MALLEY
E. F. ALLEN	F. M. GREEN	W. S. PASTRICK
J. M. BALDWIN	W. B. HANNON	H. J. POLLMAN
M. J. BATTAGLIA	F. D. HARRIGAN	W. T. POSEY
J. M. BERRY	J. P. HUGHES	J. F. POWERS
J. E. BISCHOF	P. H. IACOBELLI	A. J. RECHSTEINER
L. F. BOURKE	T. V. KEADY	F. E. RITCHIE
J. E. BOYLE	M. L. KELLER	T. G. RITCHIE
D. M. BREED	W. A. KELLER	H. F. ROCK
J. J. BROWN	W. A. KELLEY	R. L. RODGERS
H. F. BURKE	J. T. KELSEY	P. G. RONCONE
S. P. BUTLER	J. J. LAWLER	J. J. ROURKE
T. F. CANNON	T. F. LAWLOR	H. A. ROY
J. L. CAROZZA	J. F. LUX	F. E. RYAN
W. D. CASEY	E. J. LYNCH	J. P. SIEBER
C. F. CHARLES	F. M. LYNCH	R. L. SOMERS
R. J. CHESNEY	J. A. McCAFFERY	E. C. SULLIVAN
N. J. COLAO	W. K. McCARTHY	E. J. SULLIVAN
J. C. CONNERS	C. F. McCARTHY	W. J. TEBEAU
C. A. CORA	W. L. McDERMOTT	C. M. VISGITIS
J. J. COYNE	J. J. MCGINNIS	E. J. WELCH
J. B. DALY	T. J. McMAHON	T. J. WELCH
J. F. DEGNAN	J. E. McMILLAN	G. B. WOODS
J. S. FIORELLA	R. O. MEIER	C. X. YOUNGBLOOD
J. J. FRAIL	F. J. MORRISON	A. J. ZUKOSKI

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Freshman Class

ON a bright but chilly September 18th the class of '33 began its college life at Bonaventure. The "greenies" stood in lines, hours it seemed, waiting to be registered as college men. Memories of high school days crowded from their minds by the mysteries of the new life ahead.

In due time the Freshmen were banded together, and the omnipotent and all-seeing Leo Dorsey, Chieftain of the Student Senate, explained the Bonaventure Spirit, and collected the nominal sum for initiation purposes. The general initiation followed on October 18th in the Butler Gym. It was a sporting event for the Sophomore Class, but not so sporty for the maltreated. Words are inadequate for the happening of that Friday of Torture.

This was the beginning of two days of fun and pain. The traditional Pajamas Parade to Olean was held on Saturday, October 19th. On the march the Freshmen were beset by the avenging Sophomores, who were hidden behind an embankment at the bend in the road. It was the bombardment of the Rotten Vegetable Artillery. In Olean the humiliation was continued for two hours.

The Freshman Dance, the first social function of the Class of '33, was held on November 13th, in K. of C. Ballroom, Olean. The affair was a brilliant success. On December 7th the annual Flag Rush was held, and as usual the attack of the Freshman was futile.

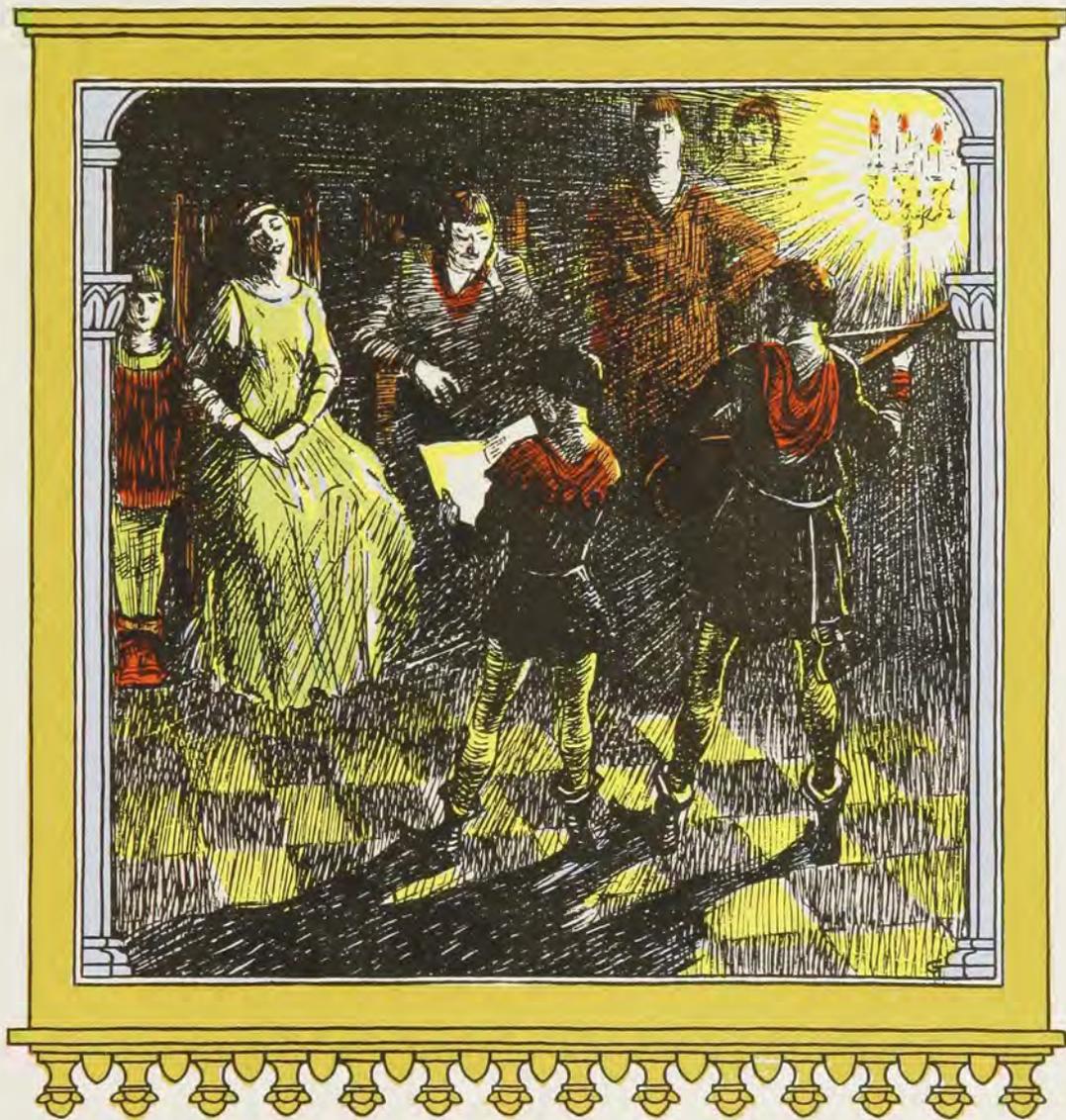
The officers of the class are as follows: President, John Hart, Salamanca, N. Y.; Vice-President, William Maxian, Binghamton, N. Y.; Secretary, Leonard Hahn, Rochester; Treasurer, Charles Hayward, Toledo, O., and Moderator, Rev. J. Capistran Petrie, O.F.M.



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Freshman Roll Call

W. A. BARAN	S. F. GOTTRY	R. E. O'CONNOR
S. F. BELLARDO	L. E. HAHN	E. H. O'DONNELL
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James Dolan Literary Association

THE James Dolan Literary Association has this year enjoyed the culmination of a policy of successful venture that began with the institution of the society in the latter portion of the nineteenth century. The Arts students seeking a vehicle that might better transport their literary activities formed a society in honor of the late Rev. James Dolan, O.F.M., former head of the college English department. For years it was the leading campus society and then a period of decadence set in. It was reorganized by Rev. Conrad O'Leary, O.F.M. in 1928, who gave it a new lease of life by placing all the activities in charge of the members.

That this year has been one of the most successful can be seen by hastily surveying its more prominent occasions and accomplishments. Early in the year a radio was purchased, and this with the addition of many new volumes to the library has served to bring an additional pleasantness and utility into the clubrooms in Devereux Hall. Programs, varying from recitations to debates to addresses, have been a big factor in attracting interest and building up the value of the organization. The collegiate functions that have been conducted under the auspices of the J. D. L. A. have been handled commendably and have met with no little success, especially the Frosh Welcome Dance, held after the St. Francis game in the K. of C. Ballroom in Olean. The Tea Dance held in honor of the departing Seniors was likewise conducted in such a manner as to shed credit on the literary society.

The officers of the society are as follows: James Curry, President; Edward W. McCarthy, Vice-President; Dennis Abele, Secretary and Thomas Boyle, Treasurer. Rev. Cornelius Madden, O.F.M. is moderator.

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Alpha Kappa Mu

THE Alpha Kappa Mu, founded just prior to the hectic days of the World War, continues to bear the name of its scholarly founder, Fr. Anthony Collins, and to maintain and further the aims of its Constitution. Originally a mathematical society the A. K. M. became associated with the Societas Prae-Medica in 1924 and has since been known as the Alpha Kappa Mu Pre-Medical and Science Society.

The purpose of the society is to foster among the pre-medical and science students a love of scientific pursuits in their studies, to bring about a closer relation between science and philosophy, to create a fraternal spirit and to inculcate wholesome loyalty to their Alma Mater.

During the scholastic year papers have been read on various topics of science and medicine, treating the subject from the philosophical and professional standpoint. Eminent doctors and professors have supplemented the interpretation of papers by giving lectures on present day topics.

The rooms of the society in Devereux have been completely redecorated and refurnished, many new books added to the library, and a home-like atmosphere created.

The Open House Night, on Oct. 29, was a success, over 100 guests being present. From observation at this social and further investigation, 16 new members were inducted into the society. The shining light of the year, the annual banquet, was held at the close of the second semester, and was indeed a festive affair. It brought to a close in a fitting manner one of the most successful years enjoyed by the society.

The officers of the society are as follows: President, Paul W. Gildea, Archbald, Pa.; Vice-President, George B. Whelehan, Rochester, N. Y.; Treasurer, Robert W. O'Donnell, Genesee, Pa.; Secretary Thomas J. Harkins, Oil City, Pa., and Moderator, Rev. Albert O'Brien, O.F.M.

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Bonaventure-Bradford Club

THE Bonaventure-Bradford Club, organized in November of last year, is composed of the St. Bonaventure's College students coming from the neighboring city of Bradford. The club was brought into existence in order to serve a purpose that has been needed for a long time among the students from that city.

The principal incentive for the organization of the club was to strengthen the fellowship existing among the students attending the college from Bradford, and between St. Bonaventure's and the oil city. Its aim, also, is to perpetuate a greater feeling of loyalty among the members of the association for their Alma Mater, and to increase the number of students from Bradford. Plans have been made in that direction, with a committee in charge, working under the personal direction of Mr. John A. Sullivan, president, and Mr. John B. Daley. According to the reports available at the present time progress is being made through their endeavors.

Due to the recent origin of the club the social activities of the association have been limited. Plans are being made to hold a social and dance during Commencement week in the Pennsylvania city. As the personnel increases an annual dance will be arranged for, to be held during the Christmas vacation under the direct auspices of the organization.

The officers of the club are as follows: President, John A. Sullivan, '31; Vice-President, Charles F. McCarthy, '32, and Secretary-Treasurer, John B. Daley, '31.

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Buffalo Club

THE Buffalo Club, which is composed of students who reside in Buffalo and the vicinity, was formed late in the fall of 1929. The primary purpose of the organization is that of bringing the students and the alumni into closer contact, so that both may work harmoniously in the interest of Saint Bonaventure in that section.

The first social function of the club was a semi-formal dance held during Christmas week in the Chinese Room of the Hotel Statler. This initial venture proved so successful, both socially and financially, that it has been voted an annual affair. During Easter week a closed dinner dance was given in the Grill Room of the Lafayette Hotel. It was undoubtedly one of the most exclusive collegiate affairs held in the Queen City during the Easter recess. Preparations are now under way for the annual banquet to be held in June, at which the election of officers for next year will take place.

The Club members desire in the near future to do something toward establishing a scholarship fund, which will enable more Buffalo boys to have the opportunity of gaining a Bonaventure education. The question is still at issue as to whether or not the scholarship will be given for academic or athletic proficiency.

We may safely state that within a short time the Buffalo Club will be one of the leading campus organizations, because of the dauntless spirit and hearty co-operation of the members shown in all of the club's undertakings.

The officers of the Buffalo Club are: President, Edward W. McCarthy; Vice-President, Joseph F. Lux; Secretary, William J. Voelker; Treasurer, Joseph Belec, and Moderator, Fr. Capistran Petrie, O.F.M.

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Capital District Club

THE winter of 1929 witnessed the origin of a new fraternal organization on St. Bonaventure's campus. The number of students from Albany and vicinity increased sufficiently to form an association representing that district.

The club became a reality. During the first days of its history many difficulties were encountered, but this did not discourage the ardent organizers who earnestly and faithfully performed their work, laying a foundation on which the future members would be able to continue their labors. To those who performed their duties nobly, and who were the early founders of the club, great credit is due.

The Capital District Club has for its aims: to promote the interests of St. Bonaventure's College in the Capital District; to establish bonds of friendship and loyalty among the members of the club, and to be of service and help to future students coming to St. Bonaventure's College from that locality.

Since the first meeting the members have shown much interest and have zealously cooperated in all the club's undertakings, the one of note, the June Formal Dance at the De Witt Clinton Hotel, on Friday, June 28, 1929. Another is planned for this month.

The society always bears forward its motto, "In unity there is success." This motto clearly shows the ideal for which the club was organized, for it is one of its principal aims to help each other in work, which later in life will bring success to each individual and the club at large, and also to their most cherished, their Alma Mater.

The officers of the club are, President, Joseph A. McCaffrey; Vice-President, James J. Rourke; Secretary, John J. Mish, and Treasurer, William C. Casey.

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Connecticut-Bonaventure Club

DURING the Christmas holidays of last year the students and alumni of St. Bonaventure's from Connecticut awakened to the fact that the nutmeg should be actively represented on the campus as well as in Connecticut. The formation of a club was the happy result.

The purpose of the club is to promote a more intimate and congenial spirit of co-operation between the graduates and undergraduates of the college and to perpetuate that democratic feeling amongst the alumni as well as between the students themselves.

The initial social function took the form of a dinner-dance held at Lift-The-Latch Inn, Middlebury, Conn., during the Christmas vacation. At this dinner dance an election of officers was held and the following men were chosen to pilot the club through the first year of its existence: President, James O'Neill; Vice-President, Joseph Baldwin; Secretary, Edward Conlan and Treasurer, Joseph Sullivan. Fr. Benedict Ballou, O. F. M. was selected Moderator. The executive Board elected to supplement the work of the officers are, Francis Barnes, Frank Gallo, Harold Sheehan, and Thomas Lawlor.

The members of the club are already planning to hold a semi-formal dance at the Mattitock Country Club, Waterbury, following the commencement of the summer recess in June. This will be the first ambitious social function which this club will attempt and hopes of success are high and well founded.

The possibilities of the club are great, despite its period of infancy, and all the members are co-operating in a manner worthy of the state. The club is handicapped to a certain extent by the distance from Connecticut, and the infrequency of vacations spent at home. The alumni are shouldering their share of the burden of the responsibilities. If beginnings foreshadow what is to follow then this club is bound to become one of the strongest and most popular active clubs on the campus.

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D. O. W. Club

THE Down Our Way Club, which is one of the oldest organizations on the campus, is an organized unit of St. Bonaventure's College students residing in Luzerne and Lackawanna counties, the anthracite region.

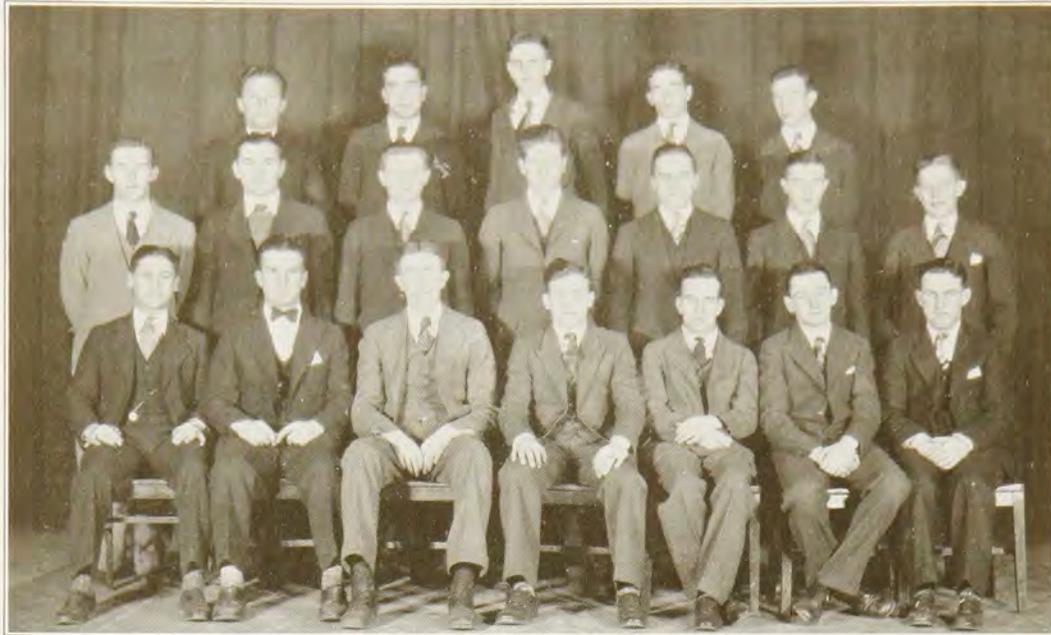
The main purpose and aim of the club is to attract more men from that locality to the college, and also to perpetuate Bonaventure tradition in the hearts of former students. The club has been an immense factor in bringing this about among the potential college students from this section. During the years of the existence of the organization it has been a contributing factor to the intellectual and athletic progress of the college.

The social end has not been neglected by the club. An annual social function, in the form of a Christmas dance, the most brilliant college social event held in the anthracite district, is sponsored by the club. The affair this year, which was the ninth annual dance, was held at the Century Club Ballroom, Scranton, Pa., on December 29th. Music was furnished by Jerry McCale's Rhythm Kings. This dance proved to be one of the most enjoyable and successful of all the college sponsored holiday attractions since its organization.

Plans are being made by a committee, which was recently appointed, to arrange for an annual outing to be held following commencement in June, and another affair is also being arranged to be held during the summer vacation.

The officers of the club are as follows: President, Louis E. Palermo; Vice-President, Gerald G. McCabe; Secretary, James Gilloegly, and Treasurer, Louis Bourke.

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Metropolitan Club

THE Metropolitan Club, which is composed of students who reside in the metropolitan district, was organized in the fall of 1929. A young organization, it is the most promising of its kind on the campus. It was formed for the purpose of fostering friendship and advancing the "Spirit of St. Bonaventure" on and off the campus.

The officers of the club are as follows: President, Dante Catullo; Vice-President, James Frail; Secretary, Felix Calbi; Treasurer, Frank Meacham, and Moderator, Fr. Hubert Vecchierello, O.F.M.

Meetings are held at regular intervals and matters of paramount interest to the members are discussed, also events and current news occurring in the metropolitan district. Plans are under way for a formal dance which will be held in one of the well-known hotels of New York City, following Commencement at the end of the college year. The Club has the firm support of the many alumni in that district, who will attend the affair and mingle with the members.

The Metropolitan Club has a good membership and has the backing of each individual member. It has a promising future for the coming years of college life.

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Rho Beta Chi

THE Rochester-Bonaventure Club, more prominently known on the campus and in Rochester fraternal circles as the Rho-Beta-Chi fraternity, is an organization composed of students from the Flower City and its suburbs.

The purpose of the Society is to strengthen the bonds of friendship among its members and to stimulate and promote a strong spirit of co-operation between the undergraduates and the alumni.

Aside from the fact that some of the most actively engaged and most popular students at the college are members of the Rochester group, it has also contributed generously to varsity sports at Bonaventure, having placed letter men on football, basketball and baseball.

The outstanding social function of the year sponsored by the society was the Annual Christmas Dance. This season's affair was held at the Hotel Seneca, Rochester, with Frank Skultety's Odenbach Orchestra furnishing the music. It proved to be the high light of the holiday activities. The wonderful success of the occasion may be justly attributed to the splendid spirit of co operation on the part of the personnel of the fraternity.

The brothers of the Rho-Beta-Chi who will graduate in June are; Leo Sullivan, Bernard Clinton, Thomas Riley, George Whelehan, John McNally, Thomas Byrnes, Joseph Kennedy, Leo Gunn, John Noonan and George Hock. To these men who leave via commencement, The Rochester Club extends its heartiest congratulations, and a toast to their health, happiness and success.

The concluding function of the year will be a banquet and smoker, a testimonial to its graduating members. At this gathering the officers for next year will be elected.

The officers are: President, Leo T. Sullivan; Vice-President, Bernard F. Clinton; Secretary, Thomas F. Riley, and Treasurer, William S. Cucci.

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Roger Bacon Mathematical Club

THE Roger Bacon Mathematical Club was founded October 18, 1929, with sixteen members, by Prof. James A. McLaughlin, M. S., Dean of Mathematics. The name of Roger Bacon was adopted at the suggestion of Rev. Maurice Scheier, O.F.M., in honor of this Franciscan Friar who did extensive work in the field of science, and to whom very little credit is attributed.

The purpose of this organization is to foster among the students of St. Bonaventure's College, a love for mathematics, and a knowledge of the theory and practice of the related interests, by associating together persons of like tendencies. The means toward attaining this end has been the banding together of those of the student body and only those, who by their spirit and intellectual development have been capable of carrying out the purpose of the organization. Club meetings were held regularly throughout the year every fortnight.

The club sponsored several social functions. The society has made valuable donations to the library. Among the collections of mathematical books, the most valuable is the Rhind Mathematical Papyrus containing two volumes of the earliest forms of mathematics.

The work of the society is helping to carry the name of its Alma Mater throughout the country. In the March issue of the *American Mathematical Monthly*, which is the official journal of the Mathematical Association of America, St. Bonaventure's College has joined the ranks with other colleges and universities, and is listed as an Institutional Member in the Mathematical Association of America.

The officers are: President, Rudolph Schrot; Vice-President, John Brenneman; Treasurer, George W. Whelehan, and Secretary, Anthony R. Caruso.

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Student Senate

THE Student Senate plays an important role in the shifting scene of everyday campus life. The duties of the body are many; it acts not only as a preceptor for the neophyte, but also as an intermediary between the collegians and the faculty. The responsibility for the management of all affairs participated in by members of the student-body rests solely upon the shoulders of the members of this group; its influence can be traced in the success of every worthwhile campus project.

The Senate for the year 1929-30 was elected by the combined upper classmen last October, and has functioned unostentatiously ever since, regulating the trend of campus movements with an experienced hand. The present group of legislators have made notable advances on the fine work done in previous years; their able work has cast an added luster on the fame of that body.

Among the most prominent achievements of the present Senate were the conducting of the annual Olean initiation on a higher plane than ever before; the abolition of the cruder methods of punishment resorted to in past years; the sponsorship of amateur nights in Alumni Hall; the successful management of student trips to both the Niagara and Canisius football games, and the securing of innumerable special privileges for the students from the faculty.

Leo Dorsey fulfilled the arduous duties of president in a most capable fashion, proving a fit successor to the many illustrious sons of the school who have preceded him in the highest office within the power of the students to bestow. He was assisted by Clarence O'Donnell as Vice-President, Joseph Lux as Secretary, James Cavanaugh as Treasurer, and Alfred Knopf as Business Manager. Arthur O'Keefe, James Dugan, Harold Rock, and James Frail composed the Advisory Council. Rev. Bertrand Campbell, O.F.M., was Moderator.

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Sodality of The Immaculate Conception

DURING the month of November, 1929, the Sodality of Our Blessed Mother was reorganized in the College under the direction of Father Capistran Petrie, O.F.M. The title of the organization is "The Sodality of the Immaculate Conception, and of St. Joseph." Officers were elected and through their activity, 150 new members were enrolled on the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, bringing the membership to approximately 230 members. They were received by Very Rev. Thomas Plassmann, O.F.M., president of the college; a sermon of instruction and exhortation was delivered by Father Albert O'Brien, O.F.M.

From that time on meetings were held weekly, during the course of which part of the Office of the Blessed Virgin was recited. Classes were held in the use of the Missal and the manner of serving at Mass. One Sunday each month was reserved as the Sodality Communion.

At the Convention of the Western New York Sodality conference, St. Bonaventure's was well represented. At a meeting of the officers which followed the general meeting, St. Bonaventure's was elected to choose one of their number as secretary of the conference. Edward M. Harris was selected by the Sodality to fill this office.

The Sodality has advanced steadily, continually becoming stronger and more influential among the students of the college, and consistently carrying out the ideals for which it was established. These ideals are necessarily more spiritual than social, tending more towards the personal sanctification of its members than to outside activities. The Sodality is a force working quite unostentatiously, yet it is exerting a powerful influence for the betterment of the entire student body. May its influence and activities carry on throughout the coming years.

The officers are: Prefect, Dennis F. Abele; First Assistant Prefect, Anthony R. Caruso; Second Assistant Prefect, J. Francis O'Malley; Consultors, Rudolph Schrot, James Cavanaugh, Timothy Keady, Thomas Lynch, James McGuire, and Joseph Diss.


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St. Bonaventure Players

ST. BONAVENTURE'S COLLEGE has always had plays and players. In the old days the players were known as the Dramatic Association but in the last ten years they have been re-organized and formed into a group called The St. Bonaventure Players. The Players have produced an average of four plays a year, varying from musical comedy to Shakespeare. Many of the plays have been taken to surrounding cities in New York and Pennsylvania and even as far as New Jersey. Each year in Lent they revive their own version of Msgr. Robert Hugh Benson's beautiful little Passion play, "The Upper Room," and to this is now added an annual production of the old morality, "Everyman." Practically every week-end in Lent has been booked for trips for these two plays. Before Christmas a program of three one-act plays was produced, "The Purloined Letter," "The Substitute," and "The Ghost of Jerry Bundler." A production of "Richelieu" is in preparation for presentation later in the year.

The Players is composed of a group of men interested in the various departments of the drama. They organize each year at the beginning of the school year and tryouts are held for parts in the plays selected. Those who have made the grade this year and have appeared in parts to date are, George Hock, Ambrose Lapp, Frank Gallo, Charles Cora, Bertrand Walton, William Lorenzo, John Bischof, Henry Gilleron, Thomas Lawler, James Hughes, Franklin Bills, Fred Koch, Clarence Hettel, William Voelker, John Young, Thomas Lynch, Dante Catullo, Leo P. Dorsey, Harry Kenney, Edwin Welch, James McGuire, Harold Rock, Charles McCarthy, Ernest Caputo, Francis Johnston, Thomas Garin, Salvatore Vitelli.

The staff for the 1929-30 Players is, Executive, Rev. Albert O'Brien, O.F.M.; Dramatic Director, Joseph Yanner, M.A.; Director of Choral Music, Paul Eberz; Director of Orchestra, Joseph H. Fromme, M. A.; Stage and Business Manager, Maurice Clancy; Assistant Stage Managers, Timothy Connelly, Bertrand Walton; Properties, William Voelker, Salvatore Vitelli.

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Glee Club

THE reorganization of the Glee Club at the beginning of this past school year was a gradual development. It was first undertaken by Father Celestine Bittenbender, O.F.M., moderator of the Musical Association, with a Club of ten men. Two appearances were made around this time, one at the Mission Crusade Banquet at the Hotel Statler in Buffalo, the other at Cuba, N. Y., at a joint concert with the Symphony Orchestra.

Paul Eberz took charge of directing the Glee Club in November. Two weeks later a call was sent out for more singers and the number was increased to 24.

Weeks of hard practice followed and the work was no easy task, for some of the men had never sung in public before and very few could read music. However, a presentable program was prepared and the Glee Club really made its first appearance at the Musical Association's Concert in Alumni Hall, just after the Christmas vacation. The Glee Club, with the Symphony Orchestra, put on a program in St. Mary's Hall, Olean. In February on Father Thomas' Feast Day, the Club again sang. Plans are being made for concerts of the club in Erie, Buffalo, and Rochester.

A Quartet, selected from the Glee Club, has also had its success. It made its first appearance as the chorus in the production of the "Upper Room," later filling in the choral parts for "Everyman." The quartet traveled to Binghamton and Norwich with the Dramatic Association and delighted their audiences with their singing. James Hughes, Clarence Hettel, Frederick Koch, Franklin Bills alternating with Thomas Lawlor, constitute the quartet. On various programs solos were sung by James Hughes, Franklin Bills and Thomas Lawlor.

During the Christmas vacation several faculty changes were made and the Musical Association lost its moderator, Fr. Celestine. It was he who enkindled the first fires of the Glee Club, and his departure was moreover felt by all branches of the Association. However as Fr. Thomas saw the need of a faculty advisor, he himself took charge.

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Nicholas Devereux Band

THE radio carries to the eager ears of thousands of listeners not only the play by play description of college gridiron contests, but also the inspiring music produced by the representative bands of the contending schools. The band has come into its own in the American collegiate sphere, and has assumed a new position in the light of undergraduate activity. St. Bonaventure has hearkened to the call; the Nicholas Devereux Band, campus musicians, will bring to a close the most successful year in its history on Commencement Day, when its melodies will form a chapter in the last memories of the graduates.

The band was included in the general reorganization effected this year in the Music Department. Through long hours of practice, the band soon gained the polish desired by its director, Professor Fromme, and commenced its heavy schedule of participation in the different events throughout the year.

Garbed in distinctive uniforms consisting of white sweaters with a large "B" emblazoned on the breast, and white trousers, the band officiated at all home football games, and accompanied the team on the Niagara and Canisius trips. Its inspiring tones also predominated at campus celebrations and festivals, while its muffled drum-beats on occasions preceded the funeral processions of former professors. It played at basketball games, and at the home baseball contests, ever striving loyally to do the utmost in its power for the glory of Alma Mater.

The progress made by the band has delighted all concerned. Its performances attested to the sacrifices made by the members, and to the skillful direction of Professor Joseph Fromme, its guiding genius. A wonderful spirit among the members and a united current of student support made the year a most pleasant one for the members of the organization.

The officers of the Nicholas Devereux Band are: President, Gerald G. McCabe; Vice-President, Francis Clune; Secretary, Dante H. Catullo; Business Manager, George Hock; Librarian, Edward O'Leary; Moderator, Very Rev. Thomas Plassmann, O.F.M.; Director, Professor Joseph Fromme, M.A.

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St. Cecelia's Symphonic Orchestra

PLAYING 'midst sustained applause in Alumni Hall, earning the plaudits of outside audiences by its skillful rendition of musical gems, St. Cecelia's Symphonic Orchestra perpetuated the old traditions of Bonaventure musical history with its exceptionally fine record in 1929-30. Included in the newly reorganized Music Department, the Symphonic Orchestra became an integral part of the whole group, and contributed no little bit towards the success of the new scheme.

The melodious strains of the orchestra issued forth afternoon after afternoon from Alumni Hall, interrupted now and then by the vibrant tones of its director, Professor Fromme, pointing out errors here and there. Long rehearsals culminated in extremely successful public performances at Buffalo, Cuba, and Olean, as well as many appearances at campus functions in Alumni Hall.

The orchestra has improved greatly during the year, and has succeeded in creating a greater interest for the fine points of music not only among the immediate members, but also among the entire student-body. Praise for this success must be given to the individuals comprising the group, and to Professor Fromme, whose ability as director was an important factor in the results attained. Very Rev. Thomas Plassmann, O.F.M., Moderator, also contributed greatly to the success by his sagacious counsel and undiminishing interest.

The student officers of the orchestra are: President, Gerald G. McCabe; Vice-President, Francis Clune; Secretary, Dante Catullo; Business Manager, George Hock; Librarian, Edward O'Leary.



St. Bona's Collegiates

UPON the reorganization of the Musical Association it was found that the College should be better represented in the field of Jazz music.

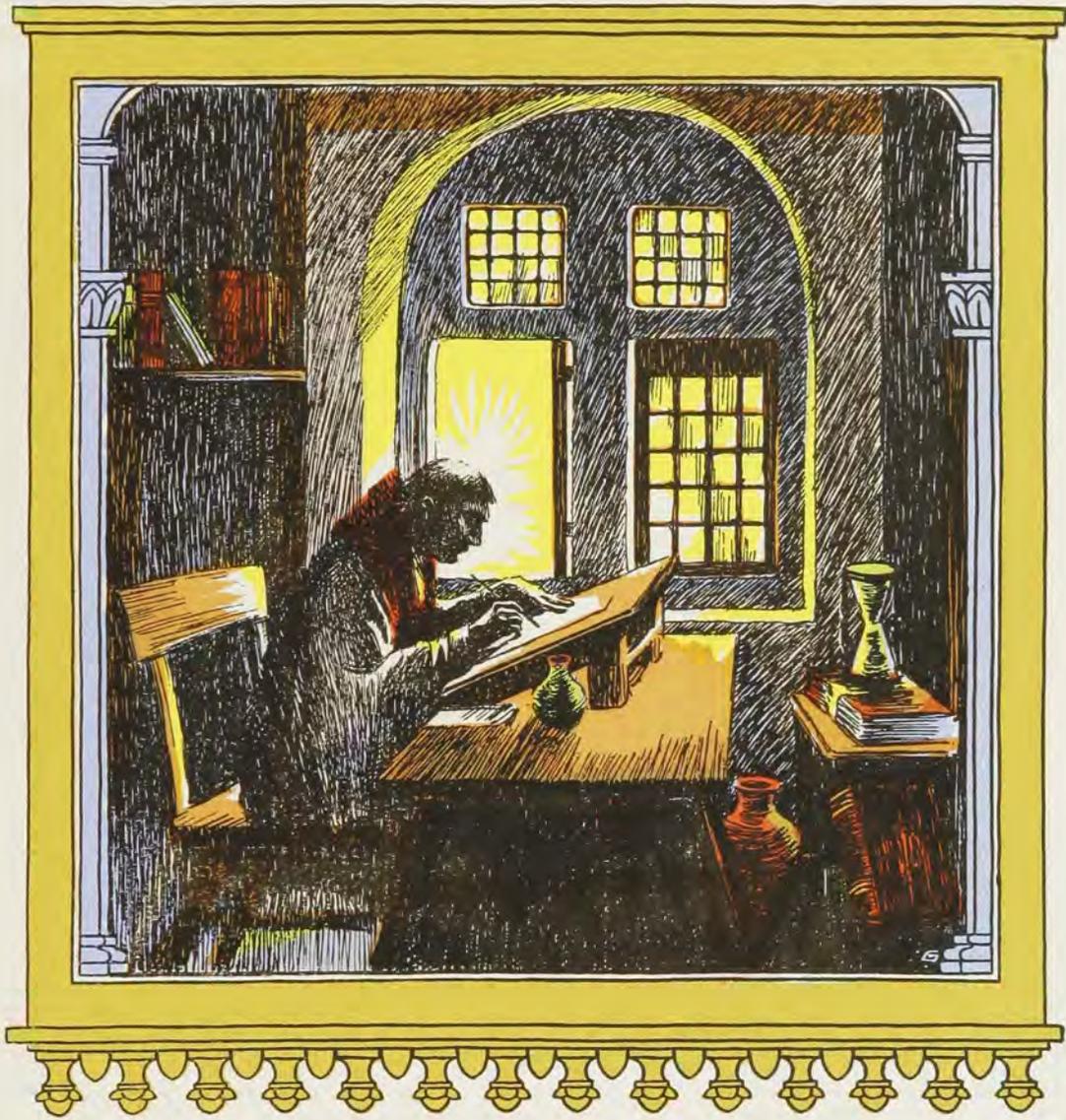
To this end an organization, representing the best talent along those lines was formed and named the "St. Bona's Collegiates" and placed under the leadership of C. J. Hettel, a newcomer to the student ranks, and experienced in this field.

Within a short time after the formation of the Collegiates they made their initial appearance in Alumni Hall for an amateur performance. So well did they perform, displaying the finesse of professional jazz artists that they received the student body's wholehearted applause and praise for their excellent work.

Since then they have played for numerous functions of the campus social life, including the James Dolan Literary Association Open House meeting, the Alpha Kappa Mu Social, the Christmas celebration, previous to the vacation at that time, and numerous Amateur Night entertainments.

Contributing to making Junior Week the epitome of success they entertained at a Tea Dance in the Eagles' Ballroom, on the day following the Junior Promenade. They have also played at St. Mary's, Pa., under the auspices of the St. Mary's Bonaventure Alumni Association, as well as many other dances and entertainments in the neighboring cities and towns.

Everywhere they have met with acclaim and have received the unstinted praise of everyone as a rising young entertaining group of artists.



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THE LAUREL ANNUAL is the direct outgrowth of the *Laurel*, the monthly publication of the college. Three years ago the Class of '28 realized that the rapidly growing institution needed some means of recording the happenings and events which constitute the essence of a college education. The Seniors of that year accordingly took upon their shoulders the task of publishing the LAUREL ANNUAL, in order to perpetuate the history of the class during its college days. William J. Le Strange, Jr. was the first editor.

The LAUREL ANNUAL was assured of a permanent existence when the members of the Class of 1929 carried on the labors of their predecessors and added another chapter to the history of their Alma Mater with Irving J. McDonald as Editor-in-Chief.

Many apologies could be offered for the current annual, as its deficiencies are recognizable to none better than its editors. There are many things contained herein, however, of which we are justly proud. To record all the events of note occurring during the past year, would be impossible, yet we have endeavored to summarize those things of the greatest importance to the student body. Several innovations have been incorporated into the 1930 LAUREL ANNUAL, and the goal toward which we have striven, and which seemed so distant, has finally been gained. We wish to thank the various classes and organizations for their co-operation and to show our appreciation toward all those who have in any way aided in the publication of this book.

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THE *Laurel*, official monthly publication of St. Bonaventure's College, has enjoyed a most successful year, rising to heights of literary excellence that merited high praise from both campus and outside critics. The staff, under the capable leadership of Stephen L. Reed, Editor-in-Chief, has consistently displayed a spirit of co-operation and good-will that was productive of superior work.

Throughout the year the magazine has attempted to continue the policies outlined thirty years ago by its founder, the Most Rev. Dr. Paschal Robinson, O.F.M., now Papal Legate to the Irish Free State—"the cultivation of a love for writing among the students, and the development of a sincere, abiding interest in literary pursuits."

Its format has remained the same as heretofore. Several new features have enhanced the publication, in particular the introduction of illustrations and cartoons depicting sidelights of campus life. A wide variety of articles dealing on assorted topics have been neatly balanced with poetry and essays of a high type. The departments have been handled faithfully and well, all phases of campus and academic life receiving full recognition.

The staff for 1929-30 has been: Editor-in-Chief, Stephen L. Reed; Business Manager, Thomas Harkins; Contributing Editors, Anthony Caruso, Paul Gildea, Dennis Abele, Michael Fufferd, Gilbert Hubert, Harold Sheehan; Assistant Editors, Frank Boylan, Timothy Keady, Earl Wilson, John Sullivan, Frank Cleary, Joseph Baldwin, James Rice, J. Clifford Connors, Harry Donohue, Frank Cummings and Thomas Kelsey; Assistant Business Manager, Maurice Clancy, Francis Lynch.

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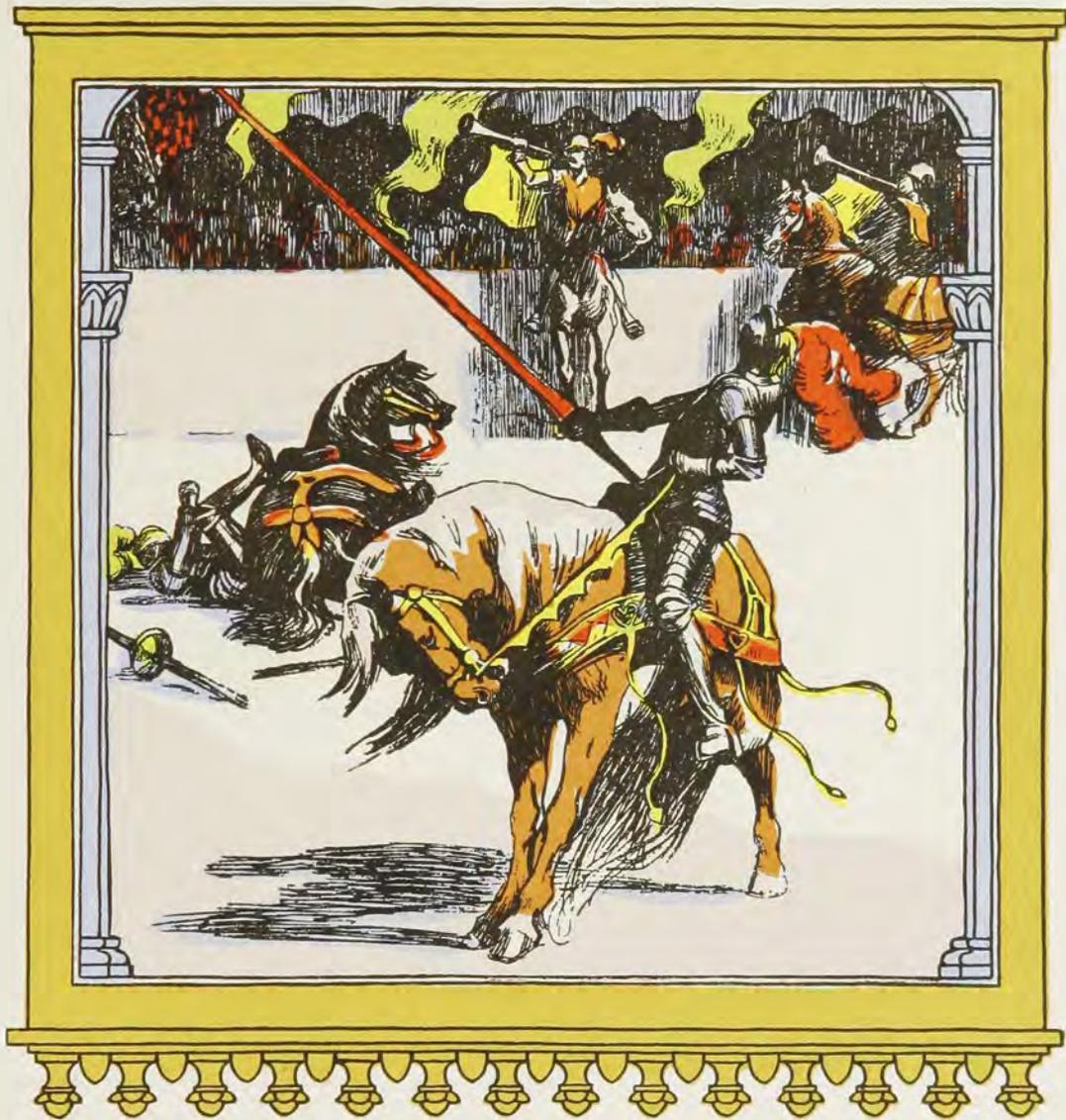
The St. Bona Venture

THE *St. Bona Venture* entered upon the fourth year of its existence entirely as a student production, being completely reorganized and placed in the hands of an undergraduate staff. John B. Ledden who succeeded Prof. Irving R. Bacon, founder of the paper, in the capacity of editor, was followed as head of the college organ by Harold W. Sheehan, '30. John Keenan, '30 retained his position as Business Manager.

The general policy of previous years was maintained, although a few changes were made in the makeup of the paper. The editorial page, for the first time in its history, has been entirely free of news or advertising matter, being confined entirely to editorials and feature articles. Three feature columns, two on miscellaneous topics and the other on sports, are weekly features of the publication.

The *St. Bona Venture* has pursued a vigorous editorial policy throughout the year, endeavoring to arouse and sustain student interest in campus events and projects. Its columns have proven a favorite spot for criticism and argument concerning the various phases of life at the college, as the many communications produced therein attest. The paper has continually attempted to serve as an effective undergraduate medium, chronicling the happenings around the campus accurately and faithfully. It has also served to keep the alumni well informed of the progress of their Alma Mater.

The staff follows: Editor-in-chief, Harold W. Sheehan, '30; Sports Editor, Ray Sommers, '32; Alumni Editor, Maurice Clancy, '31; News Staff, Francis O'Malley, '32, Timothy V. Keady, '32, Joseph Baldwin, '32, George Whelehan, '30; John J. Brown, '32, and Thomas McMahon; Business Manager, John Keenan, '30; Business Staff, John Mish, '31, Thomas Harkins, '30, Daniel Rice, '32, Alfred Knopf, '31, Alexander Wysocki, '30, William Casey, '32, and Louis Palermo, '30.



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Father Owen Leary, O.F.M.
GRADUATE MANAGER

FATHER OWEN LEARY, O.F.M., a former St. Bonaventure football star, was named Graduate Manager of Athletics in September, 1929, succeeding Father Capistran Petrie, O.F.M., who had served in that position since September 1927. In his short term of occupancy, Father Owen has already displayed the same qualities of clear thinking and expert management that so characterized his quarterback play as a member of "Shine" McLaughlin's fighting elevens.

The entire department has felt the force of Father Owen's executive ability, and is now functioning flawlessly. He has proven capable of handling the many details of the department with exactitude and foresight, and has succeeded in placing the finances of the department upon the firmest basis that they have ever enjoyed.

Father Owen, a member of those doughty, indomitable elevens that battled desperately against overwhelming odds in the early days of this decade, knows athletics from the ground up, and has ever cherished an ardent interest in college sports. His past experiences have been of the utmost value to him in understanding all the problems that face the college player. Through his campus life at St. Bona's, Father Owen became familiar with the old traditions of the institution, and with the spirit of youth. His sympathetic and impartial attitude, coupled with his administrative ability, stamp him as one of the most outstanding priests ever to preside over the athletic destinies of the institution. New fields of competition have been entered under his sponsorship, and it is but reasonable to assume that succeeding years will find Bonaventure teams ever rising higher on the ladder of collegiate sport prowess.



Carroll M. Reilly

TO Carroll "Mike" Reilly, former Brown and White grid and diamond captain, goes the honor of being the first St. Bonaventure graduate ever to occupy the position of Head Coach and Director of Athletics in his Alma Mater. Reilly was elected to succeed Fred V. Ostergren, retiring mentor, early this year. His election proved highly popular with both undergraduates and alumni, who look upon the youthful leader as the Moses who will lead Bonaventure athletic teams into that promised land towards which they have long aspired.

Aware of campus sentiment, through his years as a student here, Reilly is expected to prove highly successful in his new position. One of the most gifted athletes ever to represent St. Bonaventure, his name graces the honor roll of the institution not only as a former football and baseball captain of exceptional ability, but also of the highest type of a Catholic gentleman. His power of leadership and proficiency in instruction are expected to prove invaluable assets in his career at the helm of Bona athletics.

After leaving St. Bonaventure's Reilly accepted the position of coach at St. Mary's High School in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., his native city. Before long his powerful, well-coached combinations were making history in the Anthracite Region. He remained there until the spring of 1928, when he accepted the call of his Alma Mater to assume the position of basketball coach, and assistant to Fred Ostergren in baseball and football.

His record here needs no explanation. The feats of his courtmen have won the school much publicity throughout the country; their fine record over a space of two seasons point out his ability as a director. In football and baseball also has his touch been felt, firm yet understanding. His knowledge of athletics, combined with his love for the games and his deep-rooted devotion to his Alma Mater, will assist his genial personality and inspirational qualities in producing representative athletic teams for St. Bonaventure.

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Football

THE 1929 football season was signalized by the most decisive victory ever gained over Canisius College, when Fred V. Ostergren's Brown Indians went on a scoring rampage in the Villa, Election Day, and emerged on the long end of a 26 to 7 score. The season ended practically the same as that of the preceding year, with the total average three victories, four defeats, and one tie contest.

Pre-season practice found about 45 candidates practicing twice daily on McGraw-Jennings Field under the personal supervision of Ostergren and Line Coach Reilly. About twelve lettermen, headed by Rock, O'Keefe, Devers and Dorsey, all seniors, comprised the nucleus of the squad, which also included much promising material among the newcomers.

The conditioning period ended on Saturday, September 28, when a light and shifty St. Vincent College eleven from Latrobe, Pa., outplayed their heavier Franciscan opponents in a game marked by the effective aerial attack thrown by the visiting club. The Bonnies were lucky to knot the count by means of a twilight half rally, when their superior weight and staying power found ever-lessening resistance from the weakening Benedictines. "Cocky" Connors, substitute quarterback, placed the team in scoring position for the tying count with a long toss to Norm Utecht. Earl Wilson plunged over for the remaining eight yards in a single thrust.

The following Saturday, October 5, saw the Bonnies desperately battling against the attack of the undefeated Fordham eleven in New York City. The Metropolitan Jesuits made little headway against the veteran Bonnie line, but tossed their way to victory with a baffling over-head game. Due to the effective punting of Johnny Gildea, lanky sophomore ace, the Maroon was held to but a brace of counters throughout the first period. In the last quarter, however, the Fordham backs crossed the Franciscan goal-line three times, which with two successful kicks for point, raised the total of 33-0.



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Temple University, a newcomer to the schedule larruped the Brown and White soundly in a Columbus Day tilt in Philadelphia the next week. Wearshing and Hanson, famed Owl backs, tore through the heretofore impregnable Bona forward wall for consistent gains, carrying on perfectly behind splendid interference. As in the game with Fordham, a sensational display of punting ability by Gildea, aided in keeping the total down. The final count was 28-0.

The dropping of two first string backs from the squad and a succession of injuries to prominent players hampered the team at this point of the season. Ostergren made good use of the two-week layoff afforded by the schedule makers, putting the team through a stiff training period, when the mistakes apparent in the preceding games were ironed out.

October 26, witnessed the return of the team to the win column, when St. Francis College of Loretto, Pa., returned home smarting under the 13-6 defeat handed them in the Bradner Stadium. Skierkowski, Devers, Wilson and Dougan, a quartet of veteran backs, showed wonderful form, with O'Keefe, Rock and Schumacher excelling on the line. Several scoring opportunities were neglected by the Bonnies, who fumbled several times within the shadow of the goal post. Wilson's line plunging and Skierkowski's all-round ability featured the contest.

The Canisius Villa was filled with a holiday crowd on November 5, when the Brown Indians stole forth from their lair to thoroughly sack their Buffalo arch-enemies. The first half ended with the score deadlocked at 7 all, but the opening of the final half witnessed another story, as the Allegany team ran roughshod over the Urbanites to run up a total of 26 points. "Butch" Skierkowski rose to the heights of his career in this contest, dwarfing by his sensational play the almost superhuman efforts of the other backs. A hard-running series of bucks and plunges teamed with the effectiveness of the Bona aerial offense kept the Blue and Gold battlers in a constant daze.

St. Thomas College humbled the Bonnies in Scranton six days later, duplicating their 7-0 triumph of the previous year. A pass spelled the downfall of the Bonnies in the first half. Inability to advance the ball within the five yard line in the last quarter dashed the lone real threat possessed by the Franciscans.

Playing their third game within 11 days, the St. Bonaventure team bowed to Niagara University at the Falls on November 16 by a 19-7 score. Two touchdowns in the first five minutes gave Niagara a tremendous advantage, which the Bonnies were unable to overcome. Dougan scintillated for the Bonnies, tallying their lone counter on a forward in the third period. Sneider and Clark led the Purple Eagles to their decisive win.

Playing without the services of Wilson, star fullback, the Bonnies closed their season with a 13-6 victory over Loyola (Baltimore) here on November 23, after a hard, drawn out battle. Jim Dougan again rose to the heights, ably assisted by Maxian and Art O'Keefe, who played his final game for the college in impressive style. The tilt also completed the careers of Devers and Dorsey. The St. Thomas game, had spelt finis to "Red" Rock's playing days, as injuries sustained there prohibited further competition.

The season was characterized by an in-and-out form displayed by the team. Injuries, the bane of the small college eleven, again took their toll. The playing of three major games within eleven days also had an important bearing on the season. The outstanding achievement was the first win from Canisius in four years; the most surprising upset was the tie with St. Vincent in the season's opener.



Basketball

COACH Carroll "Mike" Reilly completed his second year as coach of basketball with another remarkable record. His combination of hardwood performers passed through a twenty-three games schedule with but five defeats, annexing 17 triumphs for themselves. Two winning streaks, one of seven and the other five straight games, opened and closed the list of contests.

Kennedy, Sullivan and McNally, lettermen for the past three seasons, together with Riley, Urecht and Connors, two-year veterans, gave the Bona mentor a strong nucleus to work upon. Battaglia, Welch, Youngblood, Cannon and Scully, all possessing at least one year's experience also saw service.

The season opened in Butler Gym on December 6, against the Ithaca School of Physical Education. The Bonnies showed signs of future power in this one sided tilt, all members of the squad performing in sensational style.

Following the inaugural game on the local court, the team swept through to three straight victories on the annual northern trip, defeating Clarkson, St. Lawrence and Colgate on successive nights. The victory over the last named compensated for the defeat suffered there the preceding year, when the Maroon handed the Reillymen their sole defeat on that excursion.

Two home contests with Thiel and Ashland marked two more victories for the local aggregation, although Ashland fought stubbornly throughout the entire tilt, and was but a solitary point in the rear at the final whistle. A classical exhibition of dribbling by "Rip" Riley staved off all Ashland attempts in the final minutes of the game.

Niagara University entertained the Bonnies on January 12 in their Fallsclair. The Brown and White rushed ahead to a comfortable lead in the first half, when interference with the lighting system by a snow storm precluded the finishing of the game.



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Duquesne University, possessing a neat string of victories, fell before the Reillymen on January 19, mainly through the brilliant play of "Cocky" Connors, who alone was responsible for half of the local total. The game marked the completion of the first half of the schedule.

The following week the team entrained for the annual metropolitan invasion. Three successive defeats administered at the hands of three strong collegiate fives cast a dark shadow on the previously pure slate of the Franciscans. St. John's of Brooklyn, collegiate champions of the year, Temple University, and St. Thomas College all notched decisive wins over the Bona five.

Once back in the home territory, the Franciscans resumed their winning ways, defeating Canisius, Buffalo State, and St. Thomas, the latter in a return engagement. Canisius was met in Buffalo on February 1, in a game undecided until the last nine minutes, when the Bonnies eked out a ten point margin. State Teachers furnished little opposition, bowing easily before the superior play of the local quintet. The St. Thomas game, the major athletic attraction of Junior Week, was the greatest struggle of the year. Rogan, St. Thomas forward, vied with Sullivan and McNally of Bona's in individual brilliancy, tossing accurately from all angles. Again a last minute rally saved the day for the Bonaventure netmen.

Taking to the road again, the Franciscans humbled the strong Crescent A. C. for the second consecutive year in Brooklyn on February 12. An unexpected defeat at the hands of St. Francis College of Brooklyn in a game featured by rough playing, a victory over Brown at Providence, and a last minute defeat at the hands of Holy Cross were the results of the remainder of the trip. The Holy Cross game marked the third straight season that the Crusaders have beaten a St. Bonaventure team on the last few seconds of play.

Four straight wins, on the home court, and one in Buffalo, completed the season's schedule, Clarkson, St. Francis, Canisius, State Teachers and Niagara bowing in that order. The Niagara victory rang down the curtain on the season, and was one of the most decisive ever chalked up against a Purple varsity.

The senior trio, Sullivan, McNally and Kennedy, played brilliant ball throughout the campaign, forming the backbone of the club. McNally was high scorer for the third successive year, amassing a total of 152 points. Sullivan, with 138 points, was runnerup. Kennedy, who directed the team's play from a guard position during most of the season, was fifth in the race with 95 counters.

The loss of these three regulars through graduation is the toughest blow that Coach Reilly will ever sustain, is the opinion of experienced observers. Born to the game, the Rochester trio made scholastic history at Aquinas Institute in their home town, and established themselves firmly in the college firmament with brilliant demonstrations throughout four consecutive seasons. They were three of the greatest court men ever to represent an institution famed for the quality of its basketball fives.

The season record follows: St. Bonaventure's 51, Ithaca School of Physical Education 22; St. Bonaventure's 53, Clarkson 15; St. Bonaventure's 21, St. Lawrence 17; St. Bonaventure's 29, Colgate 26; St. Bonaventure's 40, Thiel 27; St. Bonaventure's 34, Ashland 33; St. Bonaventure's 18, Niagara 12 (Game called, not counted); St. Bonaventure's 22, Duquesne 15; St. Bonaventure's 24, St. John's 49; St. Bonaventure's 26, Temple 55; St. Bonaventure's 16, St. Thomas 26; St. Bonaventure's 26, Canisius 16; St. Bonaventure's 58, Buffalo Teachers 16; St. Bonaventure's 35, St. Thomas 32; St. Bonaventure's 27, Crescent A. C. 22; St. Bonaventure's 16, St. Francis 25; St. Bonaventure's 37, Brown 35; St. Bonaventure's 36, Holy Cross 42; St. Bonaventure's 43, Clarkson 11; St. Bonaventure's 45, St. Francis 21; St. Bonaventure's 22, Canisius 17; St. Bonaventure's 59, Buffalo Teachers 23, and St. Bonaventure's 51, Niagara, 33.

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Baseball

NINE lettermen reported to Coach Fred V. Ostergren in response to his initial call for diamond candidates. Two experienced twirlers, a seasoned catcher, a veteran infield, and a pair of outfield brilliants with three years of service to their credit has caused the season's chances to be called more rosy than ever. An abbreviated schedule, much shorter than usual, lists 14 games.

The team is strong in all departments, although several pitchers must be developed to aid Rouke and Riley, both holdovers from 1929. Several promising candidates have shown promising form, with Dean, Carroll and Layden showing to the best advantage. Another outfielder must be found to patrol the right-field berth left vacant by the graduation of "JoJo" Conlon. Wood, Youngblood, Utecht and Palermo seem to have their old inner defense positions well nailed down.

Tom O'Connor will handle the bulk of the receiving, with Jerry O'Connor, squad member in '29, and Don Carlos, frosh backstop, vying for the substitute berth. Devers and Skierkowski, fixtures for three consecutive years in left and center fields, are gathering in all balls hit in their direction with all their accustomed grace and accuracy.

The schedule given below does not include the usual series of practice contests staged with the semi-professional teams of the vicinity. It follows: April 19 and 20-Binghamton NYP at Binghamton, N. Y.; April 21 and 22-Wilkes-Barre NYP at Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; April 23-Cornell University at Ithaca, N. Y.; April 24 and 25-Quantico Marines at Quantico, Va.; April 26-Fordham University at New York City; May 11-St. Francis College of Loretto, Pa., at home; May 18-Niagara University at home (Pending); May 24-St. Vincent's College at Latrobe, Pa.; May 25, St. Francis College at Loretto, Pa.; June 1, St. Vincent's College at home; June 7, Colgate University at Hamilton, N. Y.







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