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# Fall Dance Scheduled For Cedarbrook, November 24

# Membership Topped 450 In Current 1950-51 Drive

With the membership of our Association now over 450 and still climbing in the current drive which opened August 16, the campaign committee announced last week that an all-time high has been attained and the unannounced goal of 400 surpassed, more than dcubling last year's total.

Seven classes from 1901 to 1918 are represented and every class since 1922 is included in the membership. The '35 class leads with 41 members.

Response has disclosed that the "Alumni News" has brought the personal contact to members that it was meant to, and has helped renew interest with full information on the activities, purpose and accomplishments of the Association. Every paid member will receive a copy quarterly.

Special life membership cards for paid \$10 life members are being distributed.

#### **SORRY FOLKS**

The Editor and Club officers wish to apologize to readers of the "Alumni News" for the lack of news in this issue with the use of two pages for publication of new members' names as promised.

### **Alumni Sponsors Court Squad**

Your Association will sponsor its 2nd annual Abington basketball squad in the nine-team Main Line league as decided Wed., Oct. 18, at its monthly meeting.

Under the veteran management of Michael Penecale, '39, the local team will play every Monday night as part of a doubleheader, alternating between Abington High and Cheltenham High gymnasiums. The Alumni will pay the \$20 registration fee, provide suits and officials for home games.

### Plans Include Don Reilly's Band, Many Prizes, Myriads of Balloons

Bedecked with colorful balloons and packed with bodacious prizes, the Abington Alumni Association will present its fourth annual fall dance at the newly redecorated Cedarbrook Country Club on Friday, November 24, the day after Thanksgiving. The Association's own Don Reilly, '44, and his orchestra will provide the smooth and hot refrains.

Dancing will proceed from 9 to 1. At 11 p. m. a drawing for door prizes will take place and at midnight several hundred balloons will be released from the ceiling. Some of the balloons will contain tickets entitling the lucky holders to more prizes.

#### Finest Facilities at Cedarbrook

The Cedarbrook Country Club has been recently modernized and now affords the finest and largest dancing facilities in this area, accommodating 225 couples on the dance floor. The price per couple has been reduced to three dollars this year, including tax. Two tickets are being sent to every paid member.

Class pennants for each class represented in the membership will be gayly displayed in the ballroom. Don Reilly, of Elkins Park, and his band perform weekly at the Willow Grove Naval Air Station.

The annual dance offers a prime opportunity to renew old class and school friendships. It'll be bully if we all turn out and make this the greatest dance in four years. Agree?

#### '44 Reunion

Members of the class of 1944 will hold their first reunion on December 29, 1950, beginning at 6 P. M. at the Casa Conti Hotel, Glenside. Class members contact Richard S. Gernert, 214 Abington Ave., Glenside, for tickets.

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# • From Our Mail Baa

Miss Jacqueline Preister. '49, a recent Alumni Association scholarship winner, dropped us a note with her membership dues:

" . . . Being the recipient of the Alumni Association Scholarship last year. I experienced first hand the encouragement that can be realized with financial aid to increase incentive.

"My first year at Ursinus is now a memory. I feel that I have completed a happy and successful freshman year.

"I have been fortunate in having been chosen to give laboratory tests for other students this coming year, which is considered a singular honor and awarded for meritorious work in chemistry. This is also a financial aid.

"The Alumni Association's policy of awarding a collegiate scholarship to a deserving graduate each year is, in my opinion, a most worthy project. I do hope that the Association will receive the necessary cooperation to continue this practice . . ."

President Esper Dix. '34, visited Dr. O. H. English, new Superintendent of Abington Schools, and exchanged greetings. Dr. English commented:

"It is indeed a distinct privilege to extend greetings to the Abington Senior High School Alumni.

"You are most fortunate to have graduated from an excellent high school and to have enjoyed living in this lovely community. I am certain that you are proud to be an Alumnus of Abington and you have always endeavored to be an outstanding credit to your Alma Mater.

"To each one, I wish much success and happiness. Please remember your high school and call upon us whenever we can be of service to you."

# -: Ghost Gossip :-

. . . Louise B. McClure, '41, received an M. S. at the U. of P. in June and was elected to Pi Lambda Theta. national education honor society . . . Herman Benninghoff, '51, has entered Penn State College and made the track team . . . the former Kathryn Zitzer, '45, and Theodore Abel were married Aug. 26 in Abington and now live in Willow Grove . . . Robert Dunlap, '44, just won a \$2,000 voice scholarship to Columbia U. opera workshop after singing at the Tanglewood Music Festival in New England . . .

. . . Resident surgeon at the Henry Ford hospital, Detroit, Dr. Henry Burlington, '37, and wife Charlotte have a new son . . . wed in Oct. were the former Jean Hemmerly, '45, and Eugene J. Fridey who reside in Roslyn . . . Victor Koenig, '37, was married in Sept., lives in Pineville . . . a new baby girl arrived for Mike Penecale. '39, and wife last month . . . Leonard Clark, '40, and the former Clarise Kull took vows Oct. 7, now reside in Rockledge . . . Marian Brogan, '44, former grad, nurse at Abington hospital, has joined the Navy Nurse Corps . . . class of 1940 held its 10-year reunion (second) in June with 60 turning out from everywhere at the 107th Field Artillery Armony, Phila., for a dinnerdance: Pres. Roy Zackey, Dave Wood, Bob Hesse, W. Griffith Knorr, Jr., Bea Kingsbury, Jim Chatterton, and Betty Patersen helped run things . . .

. . . Fred Trescott, '47, has written and is acting and singing in Swarthmore College's major play production of the year . . . Ronald is the new son for Evelyn Engle Rhoads, '44. and husband Bob . . . former June Meinel, ex-'46, and Edward Gubb were united in Sept. . . . just engaged are John Gourley, '44, and Willetta King . . . another knot was tied as the former Josephine Spitzer, '46, graduated from Bryn Mawr C. and married Brian Mead, Jr. . . .

. . . Richard Protis, '44, and wife Ruth (Dantzer), '46, anticipate the stork . . . Gloria Lugar, '44, has rejoined the Navy Nurse Corps . . .

## **ADDITIONAL PAID MEMBERS 1950-51**

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