

# WHARTON SENIORS BUSY ON RESEARCH

Less Industrious Students May  
Have to Work Through Holi-  
days to Catch Up

## PARTY BY HOBOHEMIANS

Seniors in the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania have other things to worry them besides swinging dumbbells in the gymnasium twice a week. They have research papers that will be due early in the spring. These papers require hours and hours of painstaking study and accurate investigation.

The more efficient and methodical members of the class chose their subject for research early in the term and started out in quest of statistics and charts around with a portable card-index filing system. They now have their material all gathered, and they merely have to present it in acceptable form. Last year one senior turned in 105 pages of manuscript, and another secured his in eight pages.

Some seniors, however, are just beginning to realize that the holidays are almost here, and they have not yet started on their research. Some of them haven't even consulted the card-index in the University Library. These seniors are planning to do their research during the Christmas holidays. Critical observers are inclined to believe that the same men will postpone their research until the Easter holidays.

Here are some of the subjects for research: "Farm Loans in Iowa," "Building and Loan Associations," "Americanization in West Philadelphia."

As a prelude to their annual Christmas party, the Hobohemian Knights of the Phi Kappa Phi Literary Society will give the Italian tablanche tomorrow night in quest of spaghetti and "atmosphere." Twenty-five members have dignified their intention of accompanying the officially conducted tour of inspection.

The Hobohemians will then return to their headquarters in the garret of College Hall, where they will present, partly for their own amusement, a burlesque of Eugene O'Neill's "Bound East for Cardiff," entitled "Bound East for the Philippines," or "General Wood Declared Indelible." They will also give a parody called "The Czardina."

Dr. Edward Chiera, assistant professor of Assyriology at the University of Pennsylvania, gives a public lecture this afternoon in Houston Hall on "The Fall of Man in Babylonian Literature." This discussion will be based upon original research. Dr. Chiera recently deciphered a Sumerian tablet from the library collections of the University Museum, which contained the Babylonian account of the garden of Eden, dated at least 1000 years before the biblical version of it.

## "COLONEL" TO AID SEALS

Cortelyou's Police Dog on Program at Headquarters Today

"Colonel," Director Cortelyou's police dog, is again on the program to "stun" and help seal Christmas seals at Red Cross seal headquarters, 10 South Eighth street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

"Colonel" is a veteran of the World War and saw active service in Belgium. He was to have made his premier performance in the aid of Christmas seal sales yesterday, but arrived too late.

The war spirit was not entirely allayed in him by the signing of the armistice and while on his way to headquarters yesterday he met a canine enemy. By this time he had fully regained his natural instinct for battle, it was too late to appear on the program.

## Political Writers Dined

W. Harry Baker, chairman of the Republican State Committee, last night entertained at dinner at the Bellevue-Stratford political writers who toured the State with candidates in the last State campaign.

## NEW RECORD FOR RIVER

Freighter Made Run From Breakwater in 5 Hours, 45 Minutes

The Luckenbach Steamship Company claims a record passage of a freighter between Boston and this city. The Paul Luckenbach, now at Pier 78, South Wharves, made the voyage in thirty-three hours.

The trip up the river from the Delaware Breakwater to her berth was made in five hours and forty-five minutes, or an average of more than fifteen miles an hour, which is also asserted to be a record for the river.

## SYMPHONY SEASON ON

Leps Will Be Guest Conductor for Frankford Organization

The Symphony Society of Frankford, under Hedda van den Beemt, will give

concert this evening in the Frankford High School. This is the fifteenth season of the symphony.

Charlotte Loeben, soprano, will be the soloist, and Wassili Leps guest conductor.

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# STRAWBRIDGE & CLOTHIER'S—FROM BASEMENT TO ROOF—A CHRISTMAS STORE IN MERCHANDISE, SERVICE AND SPIRIT

**HANDKERCHIEFS**

Always a welcome remembrance. Handkerchiefs are as varied as one's taste, and the selection here is so varied that one may choose the plainest of fine linen Handkerchiefs or the gayest of sports styles. These are unusually attractive:

**Women's Handkerchiefs**  
Of mull, hand-printed colored centres with colored hems; white centres with colored borders—15c.  
Of Irish linen, with embroidered initial—25c.  
Of fine Irish linen, hand-embroidered corners or plain—6 for \$2.00.  
Of French linen, plain colors and white, with novelty colored hems—50c.  
Of solid-color linen, hand-embroidered, with drawn cords in colors—50c.  
Of Irish linen, with colored hems and hand-embroidered corners—75c.  
Of fine linen, with spoke-stitched corners, hand-embroidered—75c.  
Very fine linen Handkerchiefs, Appenzell embroidered and scalloped—\$1.00.

**Men's Handkerchiefs**  
Of fine cambric, hemstitched, and with an embroidered perforated initial in corner—6 for 75c.  
Of linen, plain or initial—6 for \$1.50.  
Of fine cambric, with colored hem and colored woven cord border—3 for \$1.00.  
Of Irish linen, initial or plain—6 for \$2.00.  
Lurgan linen, with hem in blue, brown or French gray—6 for \$3.00.  
Of fine Ballymena linen, hand-drawn, hemstitched, spoke-stitched or initial—4 for \$3.00.  
Of silk pongee, spoke-stitched, and with drawn colored threads—\$1.00.  
BOYS' Cambric Handkerchiefs, with colored hems—6 for 75c.  
CHILDREN'S colored Handkerchiefs, embroidered with novel figures—6 for 75c.  
CHILDREN'S Linen Handkerchiefs, in fascinating designs—25c each.

Stawbridge & Clothier—Aisle 5, Centre and Aisle 12, Market Street

**Christmas Music**  
Concert by the Chorus  
9.30 To-morrow Morning  
SECOND FLOOR—MARKET STREET

**Program for To-morrow**

NAZARETH.....Gounod. Arr by W. W. Gilchrist  
THE FIRST CHRISTMAS.....Gerrit Smith  
THE NEW-BORN KING.....Percy E. Fletcher  
SAY, WHERE IS HE BORN.....Mendelssohn  
GLORIA, FROM MASS NO. 12.....Mozart

ELSIE LYONS COOK.....Soprano  
MARGUERITE CROWELL BARR.....Co. Soloist  
ISAAC H. CLOTHIER, JR.....Reader  
HERBERT J. TILLY.....Conductor

at the Schomer Grand Piano  
Incidental Tableaux by members of the Store family  
(The above program will be broadcasted through W.F.I. Radio Station)

**Ship Models**

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A distinctive gift.

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WHEN they are correctly made like these to hold their shape and conform to the pretty instep line.

WITH high heels for dress or medium Spanish heel for the afternoon, in satin and suede and every beautiful combination—Or with straight walking heels in Black Calf and Patent Leather for shopping.

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In beautiful assortments, moderately priced, attractively boxed and ready for the giving.

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**The Gift That Almost Everybody Will Welcome Nowadays!**  
The devotees of outdoor sports are numberless these days. Almost everybody—young or old, masculine or feminine—has his or her favorite pastime, and a gift of some accessory thereto will be sure to please:

**Give Ranger Bicycles**

"Motorbike", with electric light, stand, horn, carrier, tank and set of tools—\$49.50.  
"Scout" model, with horn, carrier, tool bag and tools—\$44.50.  
"Superb" model, equipped with electric light, horn, tool bag and tools—\$44.00.  
"Arch Frame", with tool bag and tools—\$42.  
Model for women and girls—\$45.00.  
"Ranger, Junior", for small boys and girls. Fully equipped—\$35.00.

"Pathfinder Motorbike", with stand, tools and carrier—\$39.00.  
"Pathfinder Camel-back", popular model—\$37.  
"Pathfinder Racer", very light—\$37.00.  
"Pathfinder" for women and girls—\$39.00.

All models except the "Racer" are equipped with coaster-brake and thoroughly well constructed. May be purchased on the Deferred Payment Plan, if desired.

**For the Strenuous Life**

Rugby Foot Balls of tough cowhide, in regulation size—\$9.50; pebble-grain sheepskin—\$1.50.  
Boys' Boxing Gloves—\$3.00, \$4.50, \$5.50 up to \$15.00 a pair.  
Rowing Machines, friction type—\$25.00.  
Equipment for home gymnasium, consisting of rings, trapeze, stirrups and swing—\$12.00.

Adjustable Trapeze, of sturdy quality—\$7.50.  
Adjustable Swinging Rings—\$7.50.  
"Biff", an excellent game for groups taking physical exercises—\$15.00.  
Punching Bags, of many sorts, range from \$3.50 to \$15.00.

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**GIFTS**

**L inens for Gifts**  
Four giftlike groups from the Linen Store, every one an exceptional value:  
Hemstitched Linen Damask Dinner Cloths, figured in circular design, 66x66—\$5.00.  
Round Linen Centrepieces, 18-inch; embroidered and scalloped—\$1.00.  
Bleached Turkish Towels, of two-ply yarn, colored medallion border—50c.  
Six yards of Linen Kitchen Toweling, neatly boxed—\$2.  
Aisle 11 and 12, Centre

**Gloves—Special**  
Women's Gloves, including mocha, and white and black kid; other good shades in the lot—greatly under price—\$1.65.  
Children's Gloves—cape, French kid and chamoi; about one thousand pairs—special at \$1.00.  
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**Fitted Suit Cases**  
SPECIAL! Women's Suit Cases with removable tray for carrying toilet articles. Of cobra-grained cowhide, silk lining, anchor handle, 20 and 22-inch sizes, fitted with handsome toilet articles in shell effect—special at \$27.50.  
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**Imported Bags**  
Imported Velvet and Silk Hand Bags—many highly artistic, individual pieces. This is our own importation—every Bag selected abroad by our own representative. Unusual frames, ornamental catches, distinctive shapes and patterns—beautiful variety—\$4.50 to \$50.00.  
Aisle 5, Centre

**New Gift Counters**  
On the Second Floor, West Store, an excellent assortment of Hand Bags.  
Hand Bags of leather, velvet, silk and duvetine, in a great variety of styles and shapes, and in all desirable shades—\$2.95.  
Party Boxes in black and colors, attractively fitted—many different kinds for selection—\$2.95.  
Children's Bags—little girls adore these. An assortment of styles and colors, and many have vanity mirror just like mother's—35c to \$1.00.  
Second Floor, West

**Fine Brassieres**  
A variety of these intimate gifts for women—some in a holly box. Plain and striped effects, bandeau type, also the longer kind to wear with topless corsets. Jeanette, Fanny, De Bevoise, and the Nemo Claret Brassieres—75c to \$15.00.  
Third Floor, Market Street, West

**Down Quilts, \$12.50**  
Soft Down Quilts, fine satine covering in Oriental designs and colorings, with solid-color satine border. An excellent gift item.  
Aisle 12, Fifth Floor, West

**Pencils—Special**  
Imported Enameled Sterling Silver Pencils with silk cord, special at 75c. Blue, purple, lavender, gray, jade and Nile green, some decorated. More than one thousand in the lot, but at 85c they'll go in a trice.  
Aisle 19, Centre

**Pine Toilet Articles**  
Dainty gift articles in attractive boxes—the boxes are gifts in themselves.  
Three-Flowers Two-piece Sets—Toilet Water and Face Powder—\$2.50.  
Three-piece Rose Sets, Toilet Water, Perfume and Talcum—\$3.00.  
Five-piece Violet Set Sets, in Colonial box, Perfume, Sachet, Soap, Face Powder and Toilet Water—\$1.50.  
Five-piece Three Flowers Sets, Toilet Water, Perfume, Compact Talcum and Powder—\$7.50.  
Five-piece DuBarry Sets, very handsome; Large Toilet Water, Small Toilet Water, Perfume, Sachet and Face Powder—\$15.00.  
Aisle 5, Centre

**Christmas Candy**  
Now is the time to order Candy for the Christmas treat.  
Candy Canes, 5c, 10c each, and small Canes, 80c a pound.  
Clear Candy Toys—35c lb.  
Satin finish Candy, 50c and 60c a pound.  
S. & C. Chocolates and Bonbons—\$1.00.  
Novelty Candy Boxes—10c to \$10.55.  
Novelties and Favors—35c to \$3.25.  
HOLIDAY SPECIALS  
Bonbons, Fruits and Chocolates, assorted—1-pound boxes, 50c; 2 pounds, \$1.00; 5 pounds, \$2.00.  
Five-pound Boxes of Chocolates—\$2.50.  
Five-pound Boxes of Christmas Mixtures—\$2.00.  
Basement

**Silk Umbrellas**  
S Handsome Umbrellas of taffeta with satin border; blue, green, purple, brown and black, finished with amber ferrule and tips, some full-length, amber-color bakelite handles, others trimmed with bakelite; finished with rings, leather straps or cords—a wonderful value at \$5.00.  
Aisle 1, Market Street

**Children's Sweaters**  
Wool Sweaters, \$3.50 to \$8.50.  
Sweater Suits of Brushed Wool at \$12.50.  
Jersey Cloth Drawer Leggings, part-wool, at \$2.00 and \$2.50.  
Jersey Cloth Drawer Leggings, all-wool, at \$3.25 to \$5.50, according to size.  
Leather Leggings at \$3.50, \$5.00 and \$9.00.  
Corduroy Leggings at \$2.50.  
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**TOYS, DOLLS, GAMES**

**Santa Claus, Too, with a Book for Each Boy and Girl**  
The happiest place in town for boys and girls is the Christmas Toy Store, where the Games and Dolls and Toys of one's heart's desire are waiting to go to their new owners Christmas morning. These are the Toys youngsters like, and the kinds that parents like to see Santa Claus bring them, well-made Toys of superior quality, and a great stock from which to choose.

Walking and Talking Dolls, undressed, unusual value—\$3.90.  
Sewing Machines little girls can really use—\$1.00 to \$3.50.  
Large-size Doll Coaches, worth one-half more—\$10.00.  
China Tea Sets, prettily decorated, 18 pieces—special, \$1.85.  
Electric Light Outfits for Trees—\$1.85 to \$5.00.

Desks, half price. Chiefly roll-top style, for boys and girls of 4 to 12 years—\$6.00 to \$18.00.  
Bowling Alleys—\$1.75.  
Priscilla Doll Cradles—\$1.50 and \$2.00.  
Lionel Electric Trains, special. Outfits at \$6.25, \$10.75, \$14.50, \$20.75 and \$39.50.  
Christmas Tree Ornaments, 5c each, 50c a dozen; \$1.00 each, \$1.00 a dozen.

**Every Hobby Horse Reduced—now \$6.90 to \$45.00**  
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All perfect, and wonderful at this low price. Of gold, silver, gunmetal, bronze and black.  
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**Envelope Chemises** 2.95, Special  
Of heavy crepe de chine and radium. Plain tailored and trimmed—some with real lace motifs.  
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**Corduroy Robes** Special, 5.95  
New breakfast coat and robe effects. Good quality. In cherry, rose, purple, Copen.  
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**We Specialize in Apparel That Slenderizes the Larger Woman**

**PIANOS—THE FAMILY GIFT**

**Sohmer Pianos**  
Pianos—\$650.00 and \$700.00.  
Player-Pianos—\$1000.00.  
Grands—\$1150 and \$1250.  
Reproducing Uprights—\$1500.  
Reproducing Grands—\$3000.

**Hazleton Bros. Pianos**  
Upright Pianos—at \$500.00.  
Upright Player-Pianos—\$750.  
Reproducing Uprights, \$1200.  
Reproducing Grands—\$2000.

**Francis Bacon Pianos**  
Pianos—\$350, \$375 and \$400.  
Player-Pianos—\$550 to \$600.  
Baby Grand Pianos—\$700.00.  
Reproducing Uprights—\$900.  
Reproducing Grands—\$1600.

Easy terms of gradual payments can be arranged for the purchase of any of these Pianos, if desired.

Stawbridge & Clothier—Fifth Floor, West

**Apparel for the Boy's Gift**  
That new Suit, a Mackinaw, a Raincoat—there's many a boy hoping that Santa Claus can read his thoughts and that he'll find clothing among his gifts.

**All-wool Two-Trousers Suits, Special—\$10.75**  
Another shipment in time for gift selection. Fabrics, colorings and styles are smart and to the boy's liking. Of all-wool cheviot, with mohair-lined coat and two pairs of lined knickerbockers. Sizes 7 to 17 years—\$10.75.

**All-wool Mackinaw Coats, Special—\$9.75**  
Blanket Cloth Mackinaws in good-looking patterns, with the kind of deep convertible collar that turns right up to the edge of the cap, and with muff pockets. Sizes 8 to 17 years—\$9.75.

**Small Boys' Tub Suits, Special—\$1.95**  
Sturdy Tub Suits in tan, green, blue or gray, in styles most becoming to little boys. Sizes 3 to 8 years—\$1.95.  
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