Literary Societies
Sponsor Semi-Formal Freshmen Reception

The literary societies of the University of Indiana Central College entertained in a semi-formal reception in honor of Freshman Day on September 30, for the benefit of the University Library.

Central Begins 40th Year

Dr. Harry Devries
Heads History Dept.

Enrollment Over Last Year's Total

Central begins its fortieth year with an enrollment of one hundred forty-three students, almost an exact duplicate of last year's total enrollment including that of the second semester. Of this number, one hundred six women and eighty-seven men are present. The present freshman class is larger than that of 1943, and the total enrollment is almost the same as that of the upperclassmen who have returned and an increase of thirty percent seen in the freshman enrollment.

To facilitate the accelerated program, a period of freshmen orientation has been arranged. In keeping with this program, a faculty reception was held.

The officers of the Student Council, discussed "The Field of History," in a meeting with the freshmen, September 30. Dr. W. P. Morgan, head of the department, stressed that all branches of study should be thoroughly pursued.

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S. C. A. SPONSORS SOCIAL

The Faculty Reception for the freshmen was held in the reception room of New Hall on Monday, September 21. The officers of the S.C.A. are Richard Smith, Helen Ruffner, and Pauline Lassiter. A dinner was served under the sponsorship of the Student Council, and a dance given.

MOVIE AND SKATE

A movie entitled "The Courageous Dr. Christian" is scheduled for this Friday night. On Saturday night the monthly skate will be held in the gymnasium.
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**It Is Our Problem**

With the new semester has come another opportunity to give more and in turn to receive more. This semester, therefore, one has and will give our initiative and the ability to make our own decisions. This possibility has come with the organization of student councils governing campus activities.

The dormitory council has arranged so that our hours have been extended but students are still to be seen on the campus long after the hour set for the closing of New Hall doors. In view of this, the council should not pursue the idea that any type of jurisdiction be levied upon those who are guilty of breaking this rule. There are exceptions to all rules—but when there is no definite reason for the girls to be out, then a penalty should be imposed.

During the summer the boys labored in landscaping our campus. Shrubbery was arranged artistically but more than that new walks were built on the campus surrounding the Administration building. In spite of these improvements, students are still using the lawns as highways and public dumps. There are many other privileges that each of us are guilty of abusing. Is student government strong enough to make the system of student government gain in authority. It depends upon the student body as a whole. It is our problem. What are we going to do about it?

**An Appreciated Innovation**

The experiment of opening the college library two evenings during the week was begun early in September and even casual observation indicates the popularity of the evening hours with the students. Some forty of them were counted by a Reflector representative during the first week that the plan was in operation. The library committee has made arrangements. So the students are reported as of that of any similar day period; in addition, a considerable number of students appear to utilize the new hours for open evenings. But one night is sufficient. The sooner the system of student government will gain in authority. It depends upon the student body as a whole. It is our problem. What are we going to do about it?

**A Mighty Snazzy Layout**

The new spirit at Central, evidenced in so many ways is already making itself felt. The books and newspapers are nowhere better reflected than in the new post-office book case.

For the benefit of the alumni who haven't been here recently, perhaps it should be said that during the summer the book store and the post office were removed from their somewhat dingy quarters under the library to the former drab building, the basement of the old college. This better lighted room has been redecorated and modern lighting installed for evening hours. Adequate storage space has been made available in book cases, and a tasteful arrangement of books has been made. The shelves are filled with books, and there are also available for those who wish to read, a number of periodicals, both newspapers and magazines, and a number of periodicals, both newspapers and magazines, and a magazine for the benefit of the alumni.

**Factual Statement**

A Leo club is reported as adopting the old western naming-conceal of "Dad's" about the place - "such a great place to get a good education."

**Ghosts**

There are ghosts in these halls; the shadows of men who have gone from Central go with us to the classrooms, the dormitories, the library, and to our rooms. The names of these ghosts are written just outside the library doors.

When you sit in your chapel chair there is a ghost there also. He watches you. He knows that you worship in spirit and in truth. He follows you; to the library and reads over your shoulder. He listens to your conversations in the book store. He attends your classes and listens to the lectures and to your responses.

Many of us remember the boy whose ghost is this. - John or Paul or Bill. Some of us do not remember them personally by you or The five of them very much. They are with us here in spirit. These thoughts and dreams are a part of our college—we must not overlook them. For if we see them and listen to their prayers, we will be indulged and the college year will be a better year.

Rupert Brooke expresses in his poem: "The Soldier" his thoughts of home. The poem might have been written by one of our own college men. If I should die, think only of me:

That there's some corner of a foreign field That is forever England. There shall be In that rich earth a richer dust concealed;

A dust whom England bore, shaped, made aware,

Gave, once, her flowers to love, her ways to roam.

A body of England's, breathing English air,

Washed by the river, blest by suns of home.

And think this heart, all evil shed away,

Pulse in the spring, a laugh, a smile, a song,

Gives somewhere but the thoughts by England
given;

Her sights and sounds; dreams happy as her day;

And laughter, learned of friend and gentleness;

In hearts at peace, under an English heaven.

**Administrative Notes**

On September 4 Indiana Central College, for the fortieth consecutive year, welcomed students to its halls and classrooms. At the beginning of the semester, the administration made an effort to evaluate the past, to take stock of the present and to set a course confidently toward the future.

During the years since 1905, when students first entered these halls, there has been growth. This has not been without sacrifices. Some of us have seen too many of our friends pass away without a word of farewell. Others have been forced to leave their homes and move into crowded dormitories. But we have contributed generously of their substance and energies that this institution might be established and might increase in effective. Teachers and administrators have faithfully served the college because they had faith in its purpose and its ultimate success. Students, too, have made their contributions to campus society and college tradition as the years have passed.

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Although this year begins with the world still darkened by the shadow of war, there is every reason for optimism. For the first time in the history of this institution, we have the opportunity to work under the leadership of a new administration. For the first time in the history of this institution, we have the opportunity to work under the leadership of a new administration.

The college is well organized. In most cases, faculty teaching loads are such that members of the faculty are able to undertake a teaching load and still have time for professional advancement. For administrative purposes, the faculty is organized in committees as in the past; however, this year provision is made for the establishment of a number of new committees. The function of the Educational Policies Committee is to make a continuous study of the educational policies and practices of the college. The function of the Educational Policies Committee is to make a continuous study of the educational policies and practices of the college.

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Recently there has been much discussion of ways and means of raising the average American, to take more seriously the responsibilities of citizenship. President Willman of DePauw University, raised the question as to whether the whole process of college education was not really a part of the whole process of college education. The question was raised as to whether the whole process of college education was not really a part of the whole process of college education. The question was raised as to whether the whole process of college education was not really a part of the whole process of college education.

Although the total enrollment is only a little larger than last year, it is encouraging to observe that there has been nearly a 50 percent increase in the number of freshman students. As a trend, this augurs well for next year and the following years. When this growth will be joined by high school graduates so longed for by the college, the college will have an opportunity to make greater contributions to the nation's welfare. The college is looking forward to the time in the not too distant future when the college will have an opportunity to make greater contributions to the nation's welfare. The college is looking forward to the time in the not too distant future when the college will have an opportunity to make greater contributions to the nation's welfare.
WITH THE ALUMNI OF CENTRAL

28 Harry Davidson recently accepted the appointment as supervisor of the schools at New Albany, Indiana.

He received his master's degree in English from Indiana University for several years he was superintendent of schools at Camellion, Indiana. For the last three years he has been principal of the Indiana University High School at Indianapolis.

29 The Rev. A. Glenn O'Donnell has been appointed as president of the Indianapolis Board of Directors of United Brethren Churches.

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GRACE NOTES

"In keeping with the new type of chapel service, a choir of fourteen voices has been organized under the direction of Mr. Mogle of the department of music. The choir members are a representative cross-section of the student body, and the music of the service will be a significant and dignified religious and secular value. The committee stated that it is their intention to present, at least once a month a series of addresses during the course of the semester which will make it necessary to lengthen the service period to a full hour on these occasions."


THE CHAPEL CHOIR

A BOOKSTORE BY ANY OTHER NAME IS-

"It needs a name! This new creation of upholstered blue booths, dusty blue walls, appropriate wall paintings, fluorescent lights, sparkling new counters and postoffice boxes which is located in a comfortable and cozy corner of our administration building, is to be open for business by the 1st of October. Do you think it fair that such a fancy place have such a plain name?"

The Reflector is sponsoring a contest to remedy this situation by asking suggestions from the student body for an appropriate name. The award for the lucky winner will be your favorite book not exceeding five dollars in cost. Judges will be Professor Davis, faculty representative; Blanche Wertz, Wilma Harner and Glenn Callin, literary society presidents. Please your suggestions in an envelope with your name on the outside and give to Professor Davis no later than Friday, October 6.

Aileen Brazeal in English Service

Alene M. Brazeal, daughter of Carl B. Brazeal, Fontana Dam, Welch Cove, North Carolina, has arrived in England to serve with the armed forces as an American Red Cross, hospital reservation worker. Under her Red Cross appointment, Miss Brazeal taught in Indianapolis Public Schools, and previously had taught in Greensboro, Ind. She is graduate of Indiana University, majoring in English. She is a member of Kappa Delta of Indianapolis College, and Indiana Central College Chapel, and of the class of 1931.

Enrollment (Continued from Page 1)

Admission to the English Department is now open. Any alumnus desiring to make reservations should do so immediately.

"What's wrong with that patient?" the inquisitive nurse asked the psychiatrist.

"He claims to have a split personality."

"Well, what did you recommend?"

"I told him to go chase himself."