

OBSERVATION POST

DSL Forum . . .

The Class of '59, will present a forum on "The Department of Student Life vs. Student Life," Thursday at 12:30 PM in the Grand Ballroom of Finley Student Center. The student side will be represented by all students who attend. Mr. Irving Branman (Speech), will be chairman of the forum. Dean James S. Peace, Mr. Stamos O. Zades, Mr. David Newton and Dr. Jeanne Noble will present the Student Life side.

BHE Inaugurates Free Science Grad Program

By SANDRA HELFENSTEIN

The Board of Higher Education (BHE) passed a resolution last night setting up a tuition-free graduate program for students in the five municipal colleges planning careers in mathematics or science.

3-Point Program

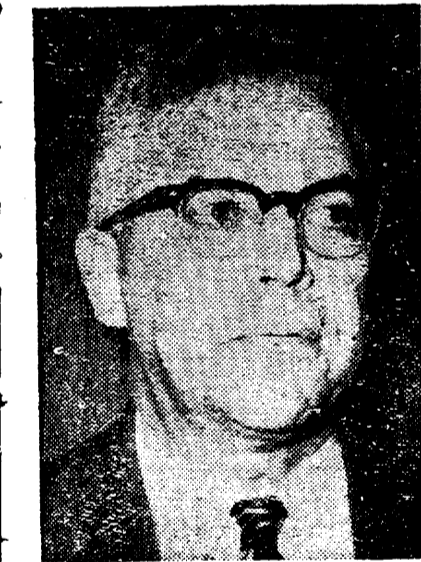
The program consists of three main points:

- It will permit those who already hold Masters degrees to matriculate towards a tuition-free second degree in either mathematics or science.

- Students who decide to teach in the mathematics or science fields and already possess a Bachelor of Arts degree will be able to take the extra courses necessary for the license tuition-free.

- It approves of the pilot-program now existing at the College which permits graduate students

program at the present time. Dean Harold H. Abelson (Education) (Continued on Page 2)



Dean Harold H. Abelson Program Effects His Dept.

interested in becoming mathematics teachers to avail themselves of tuition-free math courses. Twenty-two individuals are enrolled in the

Debate Soc. Takes Four

The College's Debating Society won four of their five matches at the annual tournament sponsored by Massachusetts Institute of Technology on Saturday and Sunday.

Speaking on "Union vs. Open Shop," the National Topic, the affirmative speakers placed fourth among the thirty-three colleges represented at the meet.

Fordham University won the trophy with Bates College ranking second.

Representing the College were Burt Bernstein, Carl Hammerschlag, Leonard Rubenstein and Joan Lorber.

Student Council:

Executive Committee Plans Representation by Schools

By ROSE MARIE DAVOLI

A plan to "increase representation" in Student Council was mapped out at a meeting of Student Government Executive Committee, Friday afternoon.

The program would revamp the present system of representation by providing representatives on the basis of the school in which they are enrolled (School of Education School of Liberal Arts and Sciences, School of Technology), rather than upon the existing class representation basis.

If the plan is approved by Council tomorrow evening it will be



SG Pres. Steve Nagler 'Plan Practicable'

submitted as a referendum to the College Community.

SG President Steve Nagler explained this reorganization would "increase and even out representation," and also would serve the increased enrollment of students at the College more effectively.

The change would increase the number of Council members from the present twenty-five to thirty-seven.

Under the new plan four representatives from the Engineering School and five representatives from the School of Liberal Arts

and Sciences would be elected from the Freshman Class to take office in the spring, for only that semester. The Sophomore class would similarly elect their representatives, but for one year.

The Junior and Senior classes would each elect four Engineering students, three Arts and Science delegates and two representatives from the School of Education. This should be practicable, said Nagler, since most Education majors are not qualified for entrance to the School until they are upper classmen.

The Senior class, like the Freshmen, would elect their representatives for only the spring semester.

The renovation of Council will not affect representatives to class councils or class officers. These positions will still be filled by semi-annual elections.

Book Store's Employees Blast Engler's Comments

A spokesman for the College "Bookstore's employees has charged that Dean Leslie W. Engler (Administration) made statements last week "without thinking."

Dean Engler supported the refusal of other College authorities to grant concessions to book store student employees. He also criticized their demand for creation of an impartial committee to view their grievances, claiming "the responsibility for running the book store rests with the Administration."

Manager Supports Employees

Mr. Ronald H. Garretson, book store manager, has declared himself in sympathy with the employees and is supporting their demands.

"Who," the employee spokesman queried, "is in a better posi-

tion to judge the justness of our claims than the book store manager?" The Dean is "backing people not as intimately associated with the situation" as Mr. Garretson, the spokesman said.

The employees are requesting "some sort of hospitalization insurance," over-time pay (they point up the fact that it would "cost the students nothing, because our wages are derived from the store's income and not any College fund) and pro-rated vacations, holidays, and sick-time for those who work throughout the year.

Lavender Five Freeze-Out Knights To Snatch Met Conference Crown

By BERNIE LEFKOWITZ

It was four degrees outside the Wingate gym last night, but when the Beavers got warmed up it was hotter than hell inside.

When the College's basketball team settled down to business they put the "icing" on the Met Conference championship by routing Queens, 88-65.

In fact with 10:11 left in the first half the Beavers trailed, 15-11.

But the Knights' prosperity ended abruptly, when Hector Lewis began clearing the boards with regularity; Julio Delatorre and Marty Groceman started driving and scoring. The Beavers led, 36-26, at the half.

The College was just starting. Mel Goldberg opened the last stanza with a jump shot for the Knights. In the next four minutes the Beavers retaliated in force. Lewis scored two taps, Joel Ascher hit a jumper and Marty Groceman drilled three one-headed. The Lavender was warming up.

Although the College's coach, Dave Polansky, advised "freezing practice," the deluge continued. Only midway through the half,

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JUMP SHOT: City's Julio Delatorre (22) goes up for a jump shot in contest against Queens last night at the Wingate Gym.

Trial Cabinet Found Useful To Ed. Dean

A cabinet of faculty members set up on a trial basis last year to alleviate the burden of the Dean of Education's office has now taken permanent form.

Dean Harold H. Abelson (Education) said yesterday the cabinet, consisting of ten persons, has been successful in assisting him in the planning and executive functions of his office.

In a report to President Buell G. Gallagher, Dean Abelson said the group, meeting monthly during the past academic year, has freed him from "various aspects of initiation, development, and extension of functions" of his office.

The cabinet has accelerated the accomplishment of particular goals and objectives in the School of Education, Dean Abelson said. These include, he asserted, curriculum revision, standards of admission to the graduate education program, and student guidance.

"The cabinet is a good sounding board for the ideas and opinions of its members," he said. "It provided a forum for bringing up the problems which occur in the administration of the school."

"With twenty or more teacher education programs in the school, many questions of policy have been clarified as a result of the group's monthly meetings," he said.

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HPPoll Seeks 1 AM Curfew

A written poll at a recent House Plan Convention revealed the desire of House Plan members to have the curfew on the Finley Student Center extended an hour to 1 AM.

Delegates to the Convention, which took place on Wednesday, suggested formation of a Party Improvements committee and a Community Service committee, establishment of a central information service concerning off-campus facilities, sponsoring of inter-house programs, and the addition of several facilities in the House Plan Lounge.

The purpose of the Convention was to bring members together to be informed about House Plan's history and to obtain the views of members about problem areas (vidual houses) and areas for expansion.

Tech Awards . . .

Applications for the David B. Steinman Awards to provide financial aid to needy and deserving students in the School of Technology are available in Room 208 Goethals. The awards are granted to undergraduates who need financial assistance to complete their engineering studies and to graduating seniors who need financial assistance to pursue full-time graduate engineering work.



THE PLEDGE YOU SAVE MAY BE YOUR OWN

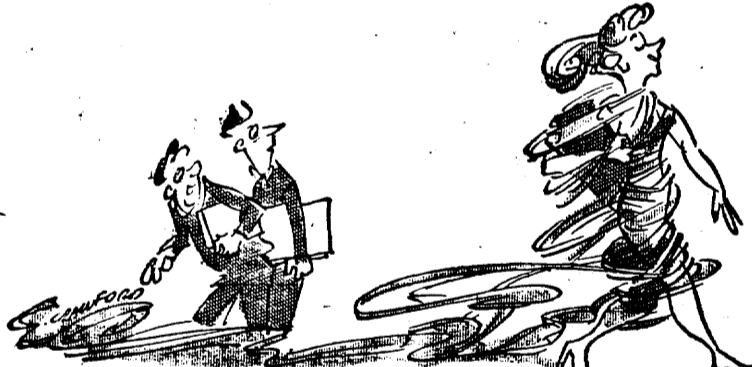
Today's column is directed at those young female undergraduates who have recently pledged sororities and are worried, poor lambs, that they won't make good. Following is a list of simple instructions which, if faithfully observed, will positively guarantee that you will be a mad success as a sorority girl.

First, let us take up the matter of housemothers. The housemother is your friend, your guide, your mentor. You must treat her with respect. When you wish to speak to her, address her as "Mother Sigafos" or "Ma'am." In no circumstances must you say, "Hey, fat lady."

Second, let us discuss laundry. Never hang your wash on the front porch of the sorority house. This is unsightly and shows a want of breeding. Use the Chapter Room.

Third, meals. Always remember that planning and preparing meals for a houseful of healthy girls is no simple task. Your cook goes to a great deal of trouble to make your menu varied and nourishing. The least you can do is show your appreciation. Don't just devour your food; praise it. Exclaim with delight, "What delicious pork jowls!" or "What a yummy soupbone!" or "What scrumptious fish heads!" or "What clear water!"

Fourth, clothing. Never forget that your appearance reflects not just on yourself but on the whole house. It was well enough before you joined a sorority to lounge around campus in your old-middy blouse and gym bloomers, but now you must take great pains to dress in a manner which excites admiring comments from all who observe you. A few years ago, for example, there was a Chi Omega named Camille Ataturk at the University of Iowa who brought gobs of glory to all her sorors.



Camille hit on the ingenious notion...

Camille hit on the ingenious notion of suiting her garb to the class she was attending. For instance, to English Lit she wore a buskin and jerkin. To German she wore lederhosen and carried a stein of pilsener. To Econ she wore 120 yards of ticker tape. Her shiningest hour came one day when she dressed as a white mouse for Psych Lab. Not only her Chi Omega sisters, but the entire student body went into deep mourning when she was killed by the janitor's cat.

Finally, let us take up the most important topic of all. I refer, of course, to dating.

As we have seen, the way you dress reflects on your sorority, but the men you date reflect even more. Be absolutely certain that your date is an acceptable fellow. Don't beat about the bush; ask him point-blank, "Are you an acceptable fellow?" Unless he replies, "Yeah, hey," send him packing.

But don't just take his word that he is acceptable. Inspect him closely. Are his fingernails clean? Is his black leather jacket freshly oiled? Is his ukulele in tune? Does he carry public liability insurance? And, most significant of all, does he smoke Marlboros?

If he's a Marlboro man, you know he's a lot of man. You know he has taste and discernment, wit and wisdom, character and sapience, decency and warmth, presence and poise, talent and grit, filter and flavor. You will be proud of him, your sorority will be proud of him, the makers of Marlboro will be proud of him, and I will be paid for this column.

The makers of Marlboro wish to announce that Mr. Shulman has been paid for this column and will continue to be paid for bringing you his homely philosophy throughout the school year.

BHE . . .

(Continued from page 1) tion) said that the program would "upgrade the teaching of science and mathematics in high school." The plan for the graduate program was worked out by the BHE Committee on Coordination of Teacher Education.

Since 1947 a program has been in existence at the College which permits students in the School of Education to receive their Masters degrees at no cost. This is the first time, though, that those individuals who already possess a Masters degree can continue towards a second one at no cost.

Hillel . . .

Hillel will hold its first Melavah Malkh this Saturday night at 8:30 PM. The evening's activities will consist of social dancing, songs by the Hillel chorus, and the Vavdalah service. Admission is fifty cents for members and \$1 for non-members.

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GOOD NEWS

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Matmen Lose to Kings Point — Wollin, Woods, Izower Tally

By STUART ALEXANDER BADEN

The College's Wrestling Team could not seem to snap out of its slump, Friday, as it lost to King's Point by a score of 15-13. It was the third consecutive loss for the matmen whose record is now 3-4.

The loss was a heartbreaker for the Grapplers who were the only team to beat the Mariners' last year.

Led by Four

After being four points ahead at the two-thirds mark, the Beavers lost their lead, as well as the meet, by being mauled in two of the last three matches and only tying the third.



Joe Sapore
Wrestling Coach

Going into the final bout the college was on the short end of a 13-11 score, where a win by heavyweight Milt Gittleman would have meant a Beaver victory. King's Point Matman Bill Seigel held Gittleman to a draw, however. Four other wrestlers scored for

Science Profs Of the Future Originate Club

The nucleus of a Science-Education Society for people planning to teach science, or interested in scientific education has been formed.

Professor Harold H. Spielman, Science Advisor for the College, originated the group.

Educational Reevaluation

According to Albert Kovetz, one of the organizers of the society, the recent technological advances of the Soviet Union have caused the free world to re-evaluate its educational system. Reports from Russia, said Kovetz, show that their scientists are also educators. This seems to get results in the training of young scientists", he said. "This system is practical to a limited extent here in the United States", Kovetz declared.

Although the program of the society has not yet been formulated, tentative plans have been made for visiting speakers, films, and field trips. One of the possibilities for the coming term is a visit to the Sloan Kettering Cancer Research Institute.

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Cagers...

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Beavers in the game in the first half, popped two foul shots to stretch the Beaver advantage to 59-51.

When Dave Budin converted two foul tries and Gaetani made a lay-up and a charity toss, the lead was shaved to one point, 59-58. Bob Silver added a foul try to make the score, 60-58.

Bennardo Sparks Drive

Then Bennardo went into action. He was fouled with two minutes left. In a one-and-one situation he hit both shots. Ten seconds later he drove the length of the court for the basket and was fouled in the process. His penalty throw increased the Beavers' lead to 65-58 and insured the triumph.

Three of Polansky's teams have won met championships. Clinching the title again this year allows them to retire the trophy permanently. The College's season record is 7-5.

the Lavender cause, Jerry Jacobs tied Bill Skinner in the 137-pound class, while Myron Wollin, Bernie Woods, and Jack Izower copped the 123, 147, and 157-pound categories. Woods, Beaver co-captain, turned in the outstanding performance of the day, defeating Mike Brooks, 10-0. Myron Wollin also shut out his opponent by 5-0. The score of Izower's bout was 4-1.

Munich Has Only Pin

The only pin of the meet was scored against the College's Ben Heller by George Munich in 4:22. Munich is a senior who has not lost a meet in his entire collegiate wrestling career.

Beaver Swimmers Swamped; NYU Freshmen Set Record

The College's Swimming Team completed its season in dual-meets last Friday by dropping a 78-8 decision to a strong NYU squad at the winner's gymnasium.

Guy Capel and Dave Altneu each placed third in two contests for the Lavender. Capel finished third in the 220 and 440 yard free-style while Altneu picked up his points in the 50 and 100 yard free-style events.

In a special event, the Violet Frosh Team established a new national freshman record in the medley relay by covering the required distance in 4:16.

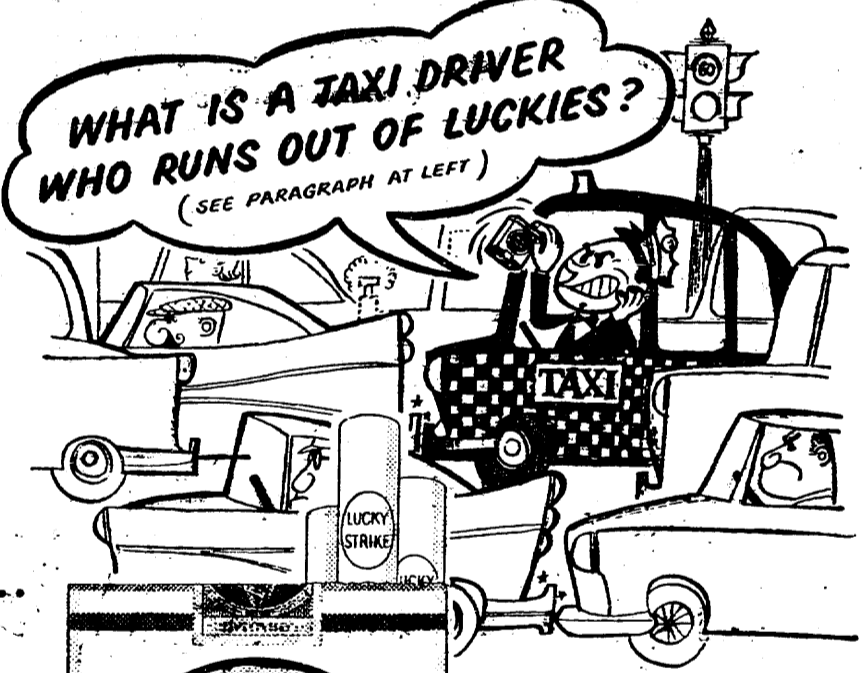
The Mermen who finished the season with a 2-5 record were previously scheduled to meet Lafayette next Saturday but the meet was cancelled. However, they will compete in the Metropolitan Inter-collegiate Championships on February 28, and March 1.



Jack Ryder
Swimming Team Coach

Sticklers!

TAXI DRIVING, at best, is a checkered career. Some days, nothing seems to click—including the meter! Traffic crawls, motor stalls, horns beat, bumpers meet. What a moment to reach for a Lucky—and discover (horrors!) you're fresh out. That's when the most genial driver turns into a *Crabby Cabby*. And why not? He's missing the best taste going... a cigarette that's light as they come. Luckies are all light tobacco—good-tasting tobacco, toasted to taste even better. Try 'em yourself. And step on it!



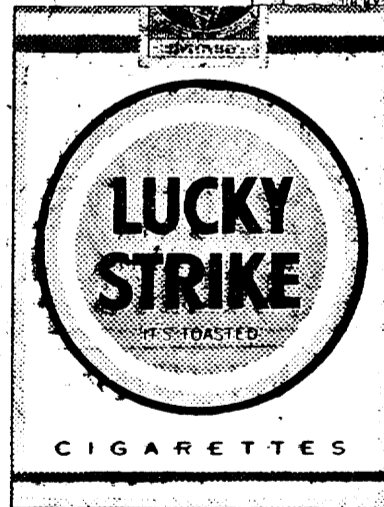
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Beavers Beat Brooklyn; 'Lewis' Best—Polansky

The College's basketball team clinched the Metropolitan Conference championship with a hard-fought, 67-60, victory over Brooklyn at the loser's gym Friday night, and learned a lesson in "discipline" besides.

As Beaver coach Dave Polansky observed, "We didn't make many mistakes in that second half. We controlled the ball and patiently worked it in and out of the bucket till we had the shot." Polansky added with a grin, "Did you see the way Hector Lewis passed off to the weak side? He played the best game of his life.

"And Bennardo shooting fouls at the end? He was tremendous. Everybody was just great."

What the coach failed to mention was that two of his strategic moves had turned the tide. With the Beavers ahead by two points, midway through the first half, Polansky substituted Len Walitt for Joel Ascher, who had been playing the pivot. A couple of plays later Julio Delatorre replaced Marty Groveman in the backcourt.

In the revamped lineup Lewis moved into the bucket. He played the position as if he owned it. The "sky-man," as NYU's Cal Ramsey calls him, fainted Brooklyn defender Bert Abramowitz out of position with apparent ease. He hit jump shots with murderous accuracy and cleared nine rebounds. All in all Lewis tallied 21 points, drilling 8 of 11 from the floor.

A 6' junior, Delatorre more than

held his own against the brilliant Brooklyn playmaker, Nick Gaetani. Scoring six points in the last three minutes, Gaetani finished with a respectable total of 18 (only four short of his 22 point average), but



Dave Polansky
Happy Man

for most of the contest the Lavender floorman stymied Gaetani's drives and clever passing.

Despite the College's fine play in the second half, the Kingsmen kept it close up to the final minutes. The Lavender led at the half, 27-26. With three and a half minutes to go, Joe Bennardo, whose set-shooting and feeding kept the

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Snow Job...

Chemistry classes were hampered yesterday when several windows were left open in a Baskerville Hall lab over the weekend. Students found the room covered with a blanket of snow, not quite as heavy as that outside, but enough to ice-up the bunsen burners nonetheless.

Riflers Seek 'Better Half'

The College's rifle team, with a mid-season record of 8 wins and 2 losses in league competition, is looking forward to the second half of the season with confidence.

3rd Place Chance

Coach Sergeant Bernard Kelley said, "It is quite possible that we can capture all the remaining meets in league competition." This would put the sharpshooters in third place in the Met Conference at the end of the season.

Lavender Five Captures Met Champion Crown...

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Groveman had already tallied nineteen.

The Queens men were left alone under the Beaver backboard with the rest of the ballplayers in the forecourt. With 6:50 left in the game the Beavers had a nice round twenty point bulge, 70-50.

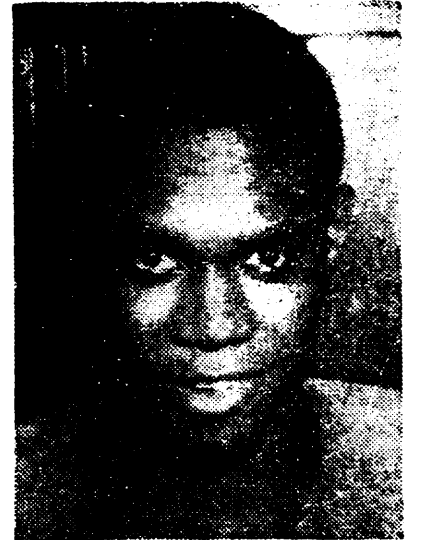
By this time the Lavender reserves were getting their chance. Sid Birnback, Ed Magreb, Stan Friedlander, and Glenn Parker saw action.

This was the scene at the end: Delatorre, Birnback, Parker, Friedlander and Magrab. Hector Lewis was sitting calmly in the stands.

Polansky, quietly enthused, said, "This is a significant win as we have four tough games ahead. This should be a great springboard for us."

The coach continued, "All of the new boys played well. It was a creditable performance."

With a final league mark 5-1, the



Hector Lewis
Scores Fifteen

Beavers can now permanently retire the championship trophy. The overall season's record is 8-5.

Groveman led the Lavender scoring with nineteen points. Lewis had fifteen and Delatorre twelve.

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