

Prexy Ridicules 'Color' Alteration Of 'Youth Fete'

President Buell G. Gallagher labeled as "pure eyewash" yesterday allegations that the "complexion" of the World Youth Festivals had changed.

He said at his press conference, "The complexion is what it always had been — only the face in front may change."

The Seventh World Youth Festival, to take place in Vienna, will be held this summer. The last Festival took place in Moscow two years ago.

The President was asked to comment on the allegation that the Festival, which has been purportedly Communist-dominated in the past, had "change its complexion."

He said, "The people behind this (Festival) are past masters of manipulation. They may change the face but everything else remains the same."

Outside Festival

President Gallagher cited the fact that the Festival was being presented "outside the Iron Curtain" as evidence of "the failure of past Festivals."

Commenting on the possibility of Student Council authorizing an official delegation to the Festival, President Gallagher said "free and open debate" would serve to quell this idea.

The President sent a letter to the Student Governments of the College's two branches Friday, in which he stated his opinions on the Festival — that students would not take advantage of the opportunity to attend a Festival which he asserts is Communist-dominated. This is a copy of a letter sent to *The Campus* several weeks ago.

Explanatory Note

Enclosed with the statement to the Student Governments was an explanatory message in which the President stated that the people behind the Festival were seeking to "dupe" students into attending.

Commenting on the recently-formed "CCNY Vienna Youth Festival Club" which has been formed here, President Gallagher said, while the group was entirely in order as far as its charter was concerned, its end could not fail to meet with the disapproval of student newspapers, "a majority of the faculty and students" and himself.

Speech Dep't Holds Tryout

Professor Frank C. Davidson (Speech) is now casting for the department's spring production.

Auditions are being held for parts in *Death of a Salesman* and *View From the Bridge*. Both plays were written by Arthur Miller.

Would-be thespians may try out today in Room 108 Wagner from 3 to 5 P.M.

Those who can not be present at this audition may contact Professor Davidson in the Speech Department office and make an appointment for a private try-out.

Analyst . . .

Noted political analyst I. F. Stone will speak tomorrow at 3:30 PM in Room 217 Finley on "How to Prevent War in the Nuclear Age." Stone is the editor and publisher of a weekly newsletter emanating from the nation's capitol. His talk is sponsored by the Students Committee for a Sane Nuclear Policy.

GF Assembles Today; Will Review Fee Plan

The General Faculty meets today at the Baruch School to reconsider the fee-lists ruling which it passed last month.

Renee Roth, Student Council President, has asked the Faculty to place the matter on the agenda for reconsideration.



President Buell G. Gallagher Scores Roth Letter

In letters sent to GF members she states that the Faculty ruling is "illegal." Under Section 6202 of the New York State Education Law, the Board of Higher Education (BHE) is empowered to re-

quire municipal college students to pay library, locker and breakage fees, and to meet the cost of books and consumable supplies.

According to Miss Roth, the BHE has "no statutory authority to impose any other charge." She said, "These fees can be collected only with student support; and therefore, must necessarily be disbursed only with student consent."

President Buell G. Gallagher termed Miss Roth's contention "an interesting opinion." "I believe it to be an unfounded allegation," he continued.

"There are no other grounds at the present time for contesting the Faculty regulation," said President Gallagher. "I have expressed my opinion to Miss Roth directly."

Also on the agenda is a request from the Student Faculty Committee on Student Activities (SFCSA) that the issues of lists and students fees be separated. SFCSA has called the General Faculty's compromise plan "unfair to student organizations."

Lunch Tables Sealed:

Lobsters And Garbage Posed Threat to Health

The "grave threat" to health posed by dissected cats and lobsters in North Campus Cafeteria tables has caused the management to board up the shelves beneath the tables.

Garry Reichelt, cafeteria manager, said, "The shelves were meant for books. Instead, we would find garbage, half-eaten sandwiches, waste paper, and dissected animals from bio labs."

"While we had cleaned the tables out every day some stuff always got stuck in a corner. After a while it began to smell and attract bugs."

According to Mr. Reichelt, one hundred chairs a year are ruined

by students hooking their heels into the shelves and tilting their chairs back. He hopes that the boarding up of the shelves will save the cafeteria \$1,000; the amount usually spent on replacing ruined chairs.

"Despite the fact that the shelves had to be boarded up, the cafeteria is cleaner now than it has been in the past year and one-half," said Mr. Reichelt. "When I first came to the cafeteria there was a serious roach problem. We have no such difficulties now."

The South Campus cafeteria management does not allow students to study in the cafeteria from 11 AM to 2 PM. "It would be unfair," said Mr. Reichelt, "for the North Campus cafeteria to follow this policy."

"The South Campus has many lounges and study halls where students may study. The North Campus doesn't have these facilities and students must study in the cafeteria."

Pajamas . . .

Tickets are on sale for the Musical Comedy Society production of "Pajama Game," to be held Friday and Saturday evenings, March 6 and 7. The Taft High School Auditorium at 240 East 172 Street, Bronx, will provide the stage. Tickets are \$1.25 and \$1.50, and can be purchased at the ticket booth opposite the check room in the Finley Center.

Ex-Ambassador to USSR Blames WW1 for Revolution

By CARL GEWIRTZ

George F. Kennan, former United States Ambassador to the Soviet Union, said yesterday that "the Russian Revolution was a product and a reflection of World War I."

Speaking before a packed audience in Aronow Auditorium in Finley Center, Professor Kennan gave the first of three lectures on "Events in Soviet-Western Relations, 1917-1919."

Kennan further voiced his opinion that "the Russian political and social structure, as it came into the present century, was not adequate to the strains which would be placed upon it by a prolonged modern war."

"Only a mistaken belief," he said, "that the war would be a short and a successful one, to be won without great effort or sacrifice, could have explained the lightheartedness with which the Tsar's government involved itself in this fateful conflict."

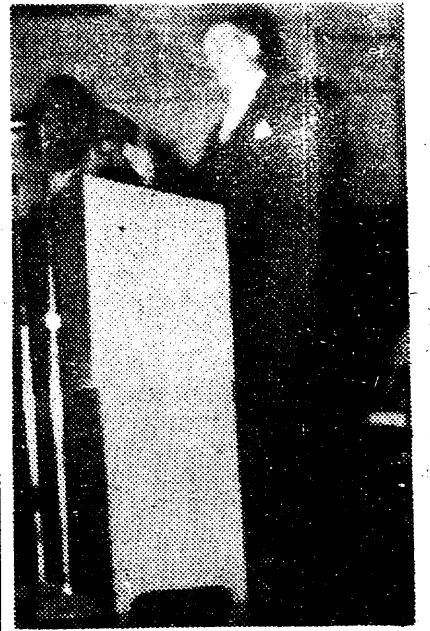
"Not only did the war place great moral and physical strain upon the common people of Russia," he said, "but it exposed in a most painful way the underlying inadequacy of the Tsar's regime itself for the tasks of government in the modern industrial age. What had been tolerable in time of peace," he continued, "became now intolerable in time of war."

"The emergence of Bolshevism in Russia," the Prof. said, "was only one of the by-products of the terrible, embittered contest of arms in which the great European powers, and now the United States as well, had involved themselves."

Prof. Kennan then proceeded to discuss in detail the significant political events during the war and what the end of the war meant to Russia and the West.

"The end of the World War," he said, "found the Soviet government on the worst possible terms with all those who had been the major warring powers in the West. This situation was not without its logic," he added.

"Lenin had stressed again and again to his followers that both of what he called the imperialist warring camps were equally obnoxious in his eyes," Prof. Kennan said.



George F. Kennan Discusses Revolution

"Since there was no partiality in the loathing which Lenin and his associates bore to the western powers, it was perhaps just and right that relations with all of them should have been almost equally atrocious and impossible at the end of the first year of Soviet power," he explained.

"But there was something more serious and fateful involved here than just ideological hostility and wartime confusion. There was also a total lack of mutual understanding."

"Mutual understanding," he said, "is something that can exist among enemies as well as among friends. It is often said today that we and the Russians do not understand each other; I doubt this. I think we understand each other in many respects very well indeed. And it is helpful that we do, even though our purposes are contradictory," Prof. Kennan observed.

What transpired in the post-armistice period will be the subject of Prof. Kennan's second lecture next Wednesday, at 5 P.M.

Debate: Segregation



Professor Kenneth Clark (Psychology) will debate with Dr. Ernest van den Haag on "The Effect of the Supreme Court on Segregation," at 12:30 PM today in Room 105 Wagner.

Dr. van den Haag, author of "The Fabric of Society," holds the view that segregation is not

inherently discriminatory, but may benefit both groups involved.

Dr. Clark is an active integrationist, who holds the view that segregation has a psychological effect, conscious or unconscious, on all individuals.

The debate is sponsored by the Government and Law Society.

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A Question of Justice

Last week the Student Faculty Committee on Student Activities (SCFSA) requested the General Faculty to separate the issues of student fees and membership lists. Thus, the voice of the administrative body of the GF is added to those of religious organizations, student leaders and several faculty members.

It has been amply demonstrated that, under Dean Brophy's interpretation, the new ruling has merely restated an old policy. Student fees have never been used for political or religious purposes. The General Faculty merely added another piece to the crazy patchwork quilt they have been sewing since the inception of lists.

The General Faculty has the power at today's meeting to sever the connection between lists and student fees—with one snip of the scissors—a link which should never have been forged in the first place.

If the General Faculty wishes to deny fee funds to certain student organizations, that is one matter. The lists question is something else entirely. It would appear that the Faculty was seeking to confuse the already muddled lists controversy by arbitrarily tossing in an abominable fees regulation.

Religious, political and "social-action" groups (whatever the last may be) have never received fee funds for their religious, political or "social-actions." It is indeed reassuring to see the General Faculty going on record as upholding already existent regulations—but what has this to do with membership lists?

The withholding of fee funds was not made contingent upon whether groups submitted lists or not.

The only acceptable section of the General Faculty's entire edict was the fact that the clubs which supposedly are most affected by lists were exempted from submission. Of lists.

We urge the General Faculty to separate these two unrelated matters today and deal justly with each. As in the past, we feel that a system of completely voluntary lists—or, as the President of the College has recommended, of "optional lists"—should be put into effect.

The stand the Faculty has taken in regard to fee funds is entirely correct, as interpreted by Dean Brophy. All groups should receive fee funds for their activities other than religious, political and "social-action" (once again, what ever that term means).

All we ask for is justice.

Letters

DISPLEASED

Dear Editor:

As a native Salonician, I was not particularly pleased with the inaccuracies and the ironic tone which one can detect in Professor Yohannan's letter published in the *Observation Post* last Friday, February the 20th.

I have been born, raised and educated in Salonica, which I left in 1959 to come to the States. I think that this qualifies me to clear up some of the superficial remarks of Professor Yohannan whose five-month stay in that city is hardly enough to enable him to form any opinion worth publishing, about the university, and the life there in general.

Professor Yohannan says: "... the school year began only in the second week of November," and he adds that several days were spent for the celebration of "OXI." There is an obvious mix up of dates here since the "OXI" celebration is at the end of October, i.e. before the beginning of the school year. By the way, the "OXI" is a three-day celebration. There is no Mardi Gras in March and the Independence Day is a two day celebration only. As far as I know, the most difficult period of the school life in Salonica is the months from the Easter vacations to the end of June when the final examinations begin. Therefore I should say that "any student who is worth his salt" does not cut classes this period, as Professor Yohannan is going to realize very soon. I wonder why Dr. Yohannan forgets to mention that the weekly program of a student in the University of Salonica consists of an average of forty hours of lectures, recitations and labs? Why is there no mention of the fact that classes are held on Saturdays and also that the school year is extended up to the beginning of July?

I suggest that somebody writes to Professor Yohannan and tells him that one can have fun in Salonica if one takes off his mind this little bottle of coca-cola and tries to get used to the swing of the life of the city.

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HUSBANDS, ANYONE?

It has been alleged that coeds go to college for the sole purpose of finding husbands. This is, of course, an infamous canard, and I give fair warning that, small and spongy as I am, anybody who says such a dastardly thing when I am around had better be prepared for a sound thrashing!

Girls go to college for precisely the same reasons as men do: to broaden their horizons, to lengthen their vistas, to drink at the fount of wisdom. But if, by pure chance, while a girl is engaged in these meritorious pursuits, a likely looking husband should pop into view, why, what's wrong with that? Eh? What's wrong with that?

The question now arises, what should a girl look for in a husband? A great deal has been written on this subject. Some say character is most important, some say background, some say appearance, some say education. All are wrong.

The most important thing—bar none—in a husband is health. Though he be handsome as Apollo and rich as Croesus, what good is he if he just lies around all day accumulating bedsores?



The very first thing to do upon meeting a man is to make sure he is sound of wind and limb. Before he has a chance to sweet-talk you, slap a thermometer in his mouth, roll back his eyelids, yank out his tongue, rap his patella, palpate his thorax, ask him to straighten out a horseshoe with his teeth. If he fails these simple tests, phone for an ambulance and go on to the next prospect.

If, however, he turns out to be physically fit, proceed to the second most important requirement in a husband. I refer to a sense of humor.

A man who can't take a joke is a man to be avoided. There are several simple tests to find out whether your prospect can take a joke or not. You can, for example, slash his tires. Or burn his "Mad" comics. Or steal his switchblade. Or turn loose his pet raccoon. Or shave his head.

After each of these good-natured pranks, laugh gaily and shout "April Fool!" If he replies, "But this is February nineteenth," or something equally churlish, cross him off your list and give thanks you found out in time.

But if he laughs silverly and calls you "Little minx!" put him to the next test. Find out whether he is kindly.

The quickest way to ascertain his kindness is, of course, to look at the cigarette he smokes. Is it mild? Is it clement? Is it humane? Does it minister tenderly to the psyche? Does it cuddle the synapses? Is it a good companion? Is it genial? Is it bright and friendly and full of dulcet pleasure from cockcrow till the heart of darkness?

Is it, in short, Philip Morris?

If Philip Morris it be, then clasp the man to your bosom with hoops of steel, for you may be sure that he is kindly as a summer breeze, kindly as a mother's kiss, kindly to his very marrow.

And now, having found a man who is kindly and healthy and blessed with a sense of humor, the only thing that remains is to make sure he will always earn a handsome living. That, fortunately, is easy. Just enroll him in engineering.

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CLUB NOTES

AICHE
Holds an organizational and programming meeting today at 12:45 PM in Room 103.

AIMS
Meets today at 12 Noon in Room 305 to prepare to make plans for the Ultra-Violet play for Lincoln Corridor.

AIFE-IRE
Presents Glenn L. Richards of Stromberg Carlson today at 12:30 PM in Room 306. Mr. Richards will offer a "Pictorial Explanation of Transistor Physics."

ASCE
Invites all new members to a meeting today at 12:30 PM in Room 301 Cohen.

ASME
Conducts ME 247 project symposium today at 12:30 PM in Room 126 Shepard. Present projects and current ideas will be discussed by members of the Mechanical Engineering department.

ASKERVILLE CHEMISTRY SOCIETY
Presents lecture on "Flavors and Enzymes" by Dr. Scharf of the chemistry department today at 12:30 PM in Doremus H.

BIOLOGICAL REVIEW
Holds business meeting today at 12 Noon in Room 317 Shepard.

CADUCEUS SOCIETY
Meets today at 12:30 PM in Room 315 to prepare to introduce new probationers. A business meeting will follow.

CAMERA CLUB
Elects officers today at 12:30 PM in Room 105 Steiglitz. Organizational matters will be discussed.

CLASS OF '62
Meets today at 12:30 PM in Room 332 Finley. Class Council members must attend.

DRAMSOC
Shows films of its productions. "Girl Crazy" and "Faust." All crew members must attend.

ECONOMICS SOCIETY
Presents Professor Henry Villard, chairman of the Economics department, today at 12:30 PM in Room 107 Wagner. Prof. Villard will speak on "Economic Influences on Population on Underdeveloped Areas."

EL CLUB IBEROAMERICANO
Shows film "Que Pasa?" today from 1:30-2 PM in Room 303 Cohen.

FRIENDS OF MUSIC
Meets today at 12 Noon in Room 228 to mark for a short discussion and a live music performance. Bring lunches.

GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY
Presents three speakers on "Engineering Geology in Alaska" today at 12:30 PM in Room 307 Shepard. In addition color slides will be shown.

THE GILBERT & SULLIVAN SOCIETY
Meets today at 6 PM to elect officers. Plans will be made for the next operetta and production dates will be chosen. All interested members must attend.

IL CIRCOLO DANTE ALIGHIERI
Invites all members and friends to first meeting of the term today at 12:30 PM in Room 348 Finley. Refreshments will be served.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS CLUB
Meets today at 12:30 PM in Room 08 Shepper.

JOURNAL OF SOCIAL STUDIES
Holds general meeting today at 12 Noon in Room 331 Finley.

LE CERCLE FRANCAIS DU JOUR
Invites all to attend a songfest today at 8:30 PM in Room 03 Downer. Dancing and refreshments.

MERCURY
Conducts workshop today at 12:30 PM in Room 331 Finley. All copy will be read and discussed.

MUSICAL COMEDY SOCIETY
Meets today at 12:30 PM in Room 417 Finley. Everyone connected with "Pajama Game" must attend.

NEWMAN CLUB
Holds Lenten masses daily at 12:05 PM at Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Presents coffee hour tomorrow at 3:30 PM at the club. Reverend Malloy will speak on "Sacramental Theology."

OUTDOOR CLUB
Meets today at 12 Noon in Room 312 Shepard to plan the February 28 ski trip. All interested in going on this trip should bring three dollars to the meeting.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION SOCIETY
Meets today at 11 AM in Room 104 Wingate.

PHYSICS SOCIETY
Presents Professor H. Lustig today at 12:30 PM in Room 105 Shepard. Prof. Lustig will speak on "The Nuclear Two Body Problem."

PROMETHEAN WORKSHOP
Meets tomorrow at 4 PM in Room 472 Finley for a reading and group criticism of student fiction.

PSYCHOLOGY SOCIETY
Meets today at 12:30 PM in Room 210 Harris for continuation of program discussion. Assignments for publication will be given out.

SCIENCE EDUCATION SOCIETY
Holds first meeting of this semester today at 12:30 in Room 208 Klapper. All members and interested students are requested to attend.

SOCIOLOGY SOCIETY
Presents the chairman of the Sociology-Anthropology department who will speak on "Race Relations" today at 12:30 PM in Room 202 Wagner.

STUDENTS FOR A SANE NUCLEAR POLICY
Presents I. F. Stone speaking on "How to Prevent War in Nuclear Age" tomorrow at 3:30 PM in Room 217 Finley.

THE UKRAINIAN STUDENT SOCIETY
Meets today at 12:15 PM in Room 110 Mott to elect officers.

WEIGHT-LIFTING CLUB
Invites new members to attend today's meeting at 1 PM in Room 13 Lewisohn.

Yawn...

Jean Shepherd, ubiquitous leader of the "Night People," will appear in broad daylight at 12:30 PM in the Finley Center Grand Ballroom. Owls must present ID cards.

Hillel Studies Jewish Role

Jewish student leaders at the College should be more "integrated" with Hillel, asserted Bernice Lowenthal, Evening Session Hillel President, yesterday afternoon.

The statement was made at a discussion group at Hillel House when various student leaders met to debate "The Role of the Jewish Community on Campus."

Although invited, Student Government President Renee Roth, did not attend. "How can responsible student leaders, who admit they have no image of these groups, political, religious, and social-action decide on issues which involve them — such as membership lists and fees," queried Avish Dworkin, Assistant Director of Hillel.

Nels Grumer denied that a conflict of interests would arise if a SG leader was also an active member of Hillel. "I consider myself a Jewish student leader," he said, "and I find no difference in the basic values of the areas in which I work."

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Sign of 'Times': Copy Editor Here

It's a sign of The Times that Myron Kandell teaches a Copy Editing course at the College.

Myron (Mike) Kandell (English), one of *The New York Times'* youngest Copy Editors, joined the staff of the English Department this semester.

A graduate of Brooklyn College, Mr. Kandell recalls his previous encounters with the College. These occurred "at Brooklyn-City basketball games where I rooted for Brooklyn."



Myron Kandell
Flooded in Class

The former Kingsman notes that "there is little difference between the undergraduates I went to school with and the students sitting in my class."

"However," he continued, "the size of the Copy Editing class completely flooded me. I had been led to believe that there would be between eight and ten students registering for it. Instead I found more than twenty."

"I was dismayed because I had intended to teach the course the way it was taught to me at the Columbia School of Journalism. That is," Mr. Kandell explained, "I wanted the students to sit around a desk to create the at-

mosphere that exists on a newspaper. Unfortunately, this is impossible in so large a class."

He said that he had never contemplated teaching. "As far back as high school I wanted to be a newspaperman," he said. "I started working for *The Times* as a copy boy while an undergraduate. A few years later I was promoted to their Copy Editor Trainee Program."

He wasn't there long when he was drafted. After basic training he was sent to Washington as correspondent for the Armed Forces Press Service "disproving the popular theory that the Army places you in a position least suited to your abilities."

"When I finished my hitch I toured Europe with my wife for a few months and then returned to the Trainee Program. It wasn't long afterwards that I became Copy Editor on the City Desk."

Mr. Kandell recalls that as copy boy he submitted a good many editorials which were published. "When I met my friends they would ask me if, as a copy boy, I had an opportunity to do any writing. When I told them that I had written a *Times* editorial they refused to believe me."

"I suppose they imagined that editorials were written by a group of men sitting on some Olympian height, contemplating the problems of the day," he noted. "When I found I couldn't convince my friends, I gave up telling them about it."

Mr. Kandell is "confident that at the conclusion of the semester students in his class will be able to go out and get jobs (not necessarily with *The Times* as Copy Editors."

—Gewirtz

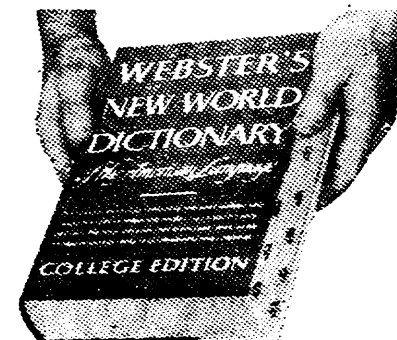
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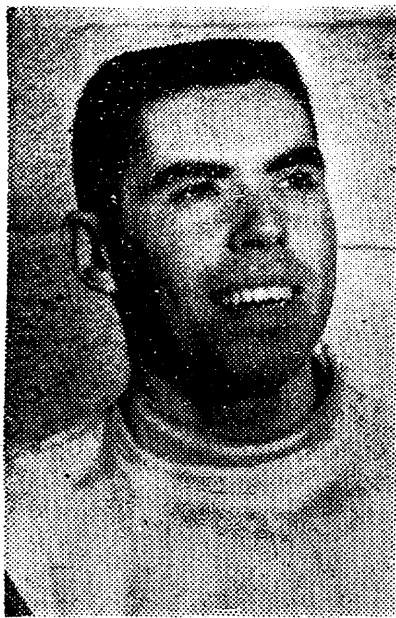


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Third Week...and Then Lucia Made Decision

Coach Edward Lucia almost let the brightest constellation of his fencing squad slip through his fingers like so much stardust.

A young man approached Professor Lucia two years ago for a tryout, but it was three weeks before the coach finally allowed star-crossed Harold Mayer to join



Harold Mayer
Almost Fenced Out

the team. It usually takes only ten minutes for the coach to reach a verdict on a prospective member.

"The reason for the delay," Lucia explains, "was that Harold was a lower junior and I felt he didn't have enough time to learn."

"However, after I found out he had three years of eligibility left, I permitted him to join the squad." Mayer had not previously competed in varsity athletics and therefore had not used any of his three

years of varsity eligibility. Fencing did not come quickly to the lithe fencer. "I was very discouraged after the first two weeks," he admits. "I like things to come fast and this didn't."

Working with Coach Lucia, Harold developed his latent and later, very apparent, talent. He credits all his success to Lucia. "I became interested in fencing because I heard he was a great coach, and I haven't been disappointed," he declared.

Last year Harold was instrumental in the second place showing of the saber team in the Eastern Intercollegiate Championships. This year he has won 16 out of his 21 bouts.

Athletics have always played a big part in Harold's life. A natural athlete, he was a varsity swimmer for three years at George Washington High School.

He divides his time between studies as a mechanical engineering student, a part-time job, and fencing. He doesn't feel that athletics interferes with his rough academic schedule.

"My interest in studies has picked up since I joined the fencing team. I feel that I'm now well rounded, socially, physically, and culturally."

Fencing is, however, the limit he allows extra-curricular activities to cut into his study schedule. While admitting that he does go out with a few girls, he says, that he believes going steady might interfere with his college career.

Coach Lucia is one of Harold's greatest boosters. "I have always been impressed with his timing, speed, and most of all his obvious sincerity."

Tutors...

The freshman baseball and track teams have gained new leadership by the appointment of two new coaches. James Odenkirk, Ohio State grad, will instruct the frosh baseball team, while James Bell, of Penn University, will tutor the freshman tracksters.

Tennis Squad Loses Steiner

The star of last year's tennis team will be ineligible for competition this spring. Net coach Harry Karlin revealed this loss to *Observation Post* yesterday during the first practice session of the term.

Bernie Steiner, a senior in the school of Engineering and an ROTC captain, is now on probation and is unable to compete in varsity athletics due to a school ruling. The former Washington University star felt that "this was inevitable since my outside activities were cutting in on my studies."

Last spring, the crew-cut athlete lost only two varsity matches and would have placed high in the Metropolitan championships if a conflict with ROTC summer camp didn't turn up.

Coach Karlin was at a loss for words as he felt that this would be "a blow to the team. Bernie was one of the greatest tennis players I have ever coached," he said, "and his sudden loss leaves the team's chances for the season up in the air."

Merc...

Mercury will hold its first workshop meeting of the term today at 12:30 PM in Room 331 Finley. All copy will be read and discussed. New members with new material are welcome.

Wrestling 'Rarity' Is Star Grapppler

Milt Gittleman, the holder of five school wrestling awards and the wrestling team's co-captain, is a rarity among wrestlers go; he had no urge to be a grappler.

Until late in his freshman year, the Talmudic Academy graduate knew nothing about wrestling, and cared less. It remained for Jack Izower, now Milt's co-captain, to convince him to try out for the wrestling team.

"Jack thought I could become a good wrestler; probably because I was big and fat," said Milt.

Outstanding Grapppler

When Coach Joe Sapora saw the tall red-head, he knew he had to find, and immediately entered him in the wrestling intramurals. Milt emerged victorious, and was named "Outstanding Freshman Wrestler" of the tournament.

In his sophomore year Milt received a trophy for achieving the fastest pin in the intramurals. Last year he added two more feathers to his cap by scoring the quickest pin in the varsity competition and by winning the coveted "Little Joe" award. This award is given to the most improved member of the squad.

Milt has come a long way from the time when he didn't know the difference between a half-nelson and a toe-hold.

Inspiration and Aid

Coach Sapora rates Milt "a fine collegiate wrestler whose value as a participant is rivaled closely by his value as an inspiration and aid to the team, especially to the younger members."

While Milt's lack of experience was a serious handicap, most members of the College's team come on



Milt Gittleman
Rare Wrestler

with a relative lack of experience New York State, unlike most other states, prohibits high school wrestling teams.

Milt, who plans to enter Columbia Law School in the fall, compiled a 7-4-3 record during his Lavender career. Even more commendable, he has never missed a meet.

His appearance against NYU this Friday will mark the end of his under-graduate wrestling career and his following match will see him in the role of a lion, not a beaver.

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