

# The Campus

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"Is there any difference between me and any other salaried man?" — Al Smith in a radio address.

"This administration has been soaking the poor twice as hard as anyone ever did before"—  
Colonel Frank Knox.

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PRICE TWO CENTS

### Eleven Tops Brooklyn For Initial Win, 6-0

#### Rockwell Scores Touchdown In Poorly Played Game; Beaver Attack Weak

By Henry J. Foner

Along about the middle of the third quarter of last Saturday's game with Brooklyn College, a late-comer entered the stadium, seated himself, and inquired of nobody in particular, "Who's winning?" Whereupon three nearby spectators replied, almost in unison, "The Yankees, 2-1."

The above is a more or less round-about way of saying that the Beavers' 6-0 victory over the Kingsmen in the season's opener was about as exciting as an Economics lecture, and three times as long. For fifty-nine minutes and forty-five seconds, Benny Friedman's charges, aided and abetted by the gentlemen from across the river, gave as uninspiring an exhibition of offensive and defensive football as has been seen in these parts. The remaining fifteen seconds was the time it took Bill Rockwell to run wide around his left end for nineteen yards and the only score of the game.

**Kingsmen Even Worse**

For the rest, the lavender-shirted performers tackled sloppily, blocked even more so, and in general merited the deprecatory tone of this article. In this light, the most accurate commentary on the abilities of the Brooklyn squad is that they were even worse than the Beavers. The Maroon and Gold brought with them an offensive

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#### ROEDDER TO SPEAK ON HEIDELBERG FEST

Professor Edwin C. Roedder, chairman of the German Department will address the Deutscher Verein on his experiences in Germany, Oct. 8 at 12:30 p.m. in room 308.

Professor Roedder recently returned from the Heidelberg Festival, which he attended personally, not as a representative of the College. In previous talks to the Deutscher Verein the professor has vigorously condemned the Nazi regime.

An article recounting his full experiences at the festival will appear probably in the November issue of the *Monatshfte fur deutschen Unterricht*, a magazine published by the University of Wisconsin Press.

### Free Tickets To Susquehanna Game For Best Guess of Albright Score

Here you are, you Monday morning quarterbacks, a chance to win yourself a free ticket to the College-Susquehanna football game in Lewisohn Stadium, Saturday, October 17!

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### Campus Plans Student Ballot

An intensive drive to improve *The Campus* as to appearance and reader-interest has been planned by the Managing Board. A comprehensive questionnaire will be distributed to all readers of the paper to gauge student opinion on its present contents and to permit suggestions for changes in make-up, and addition of new features. The poll will also attempt to measure the relative popularity of the present features and departments of the paper.

### Council Tables Anti-Robinson Ouster Demand

#### Proposed Resolution Calls President "Incompetent" And "Hearst-Inspired"

A resolution calling upon the Board of Higher Education to remove President Frederick B. Robinson from office as "an incompetent administrator, a Hearst-inspired opponent of academic freedom and a dangerous enemy of higher education" was proposed at a meeting of the Student Council last Friday.

The motion was tabled until the following week, because of the fact that all of the members of the Council had not yet been seated or elected. The text of the resolution is identical with the one passed by the American Federation of Teachers.

The Council voted to instruct all College organizations that room assignments will have to be obtained from Professor Joseph Babor previous to the date of meeting.

**Accepts Report**

It also accepted, by a unanimous vote, the report of the Faculty-Student Discipline Committee advising that no students be elected to that body who had no disciplinary difficulties or who had not maintained an adequate scholastic standing.

The Council decided to hold future meetings at 3 p.m. on Thursdays.

### 1937 Budget Grants Colleges Raise in Funds

#### Board's Request for Raise Of Two Million Dollars Cut to Half-Million

The tentative 1937 budget for New York City, submitted to the Board of Estimate last Friday by Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia, provides for an appropriation of \$7,698,793 for the three city colleges. This figure represents an increase of approximately a half-million dollars over the 1936 allotment.

Previously, in hearings before the director of the budget, the Board of Higher Education had requested an increase of nearly two-million dollars over the 1936 appropriation. Mayor LaGuardia reduced this increase to a half-million dollars in the executive budget made public Friday.

In his message to the Board of Estimate, the mayor expressed dissatisfaction with New York State regulations which, he said, make appropriations for the colleges mandatory on the city, but give the city no power to eliminate particular items in the college budgets, except in minor points.

**Dissatisfied with Board**

He further expressed dissatisfaction with the policy of the Board of Higher Education in "leaving budget preparation to employees of the system who benefit therefrom. With a changed complexion due to new appointments," he said, "I shall expect it in the future to make the budget itself, exercising discretion and judgment."

The Board of Estimate will hold public hearings on the budget on October 22 and 23. It will then be submitted to the Board of Aldermen for final action, not later than November 6. The aldermen have the power to make reductions, but not increases, in the budget.

The Citizens Budget Commission, which early in the summer advocated a \$75 fee for all students in the city colleges, has not yet submitted its report on the proposed budget, but it is expected to be ready later this week.

### New Board of Higher Education Appointee Acquired Experience in One Room School

#### Devastated Spuyten Duyvil Resembles Battlefield And College Campus

By Chester Rapkin

Thomas Wolfe thinks *Only the Dead Know Brooklyn* because he's never been to Spuyten Duyvil. This neck-of-the-woods is difficult, geographically speaking, in normal times and at present it is in a state of upheaval that might be a cross between Spain and the College campus. After looking for a 238 Street that does not fall between 237 and 239, for a half hour, I began to wonder just why the duyvil the mayor came here to find a woman to succeed Mrs. McKee on the Board of Higher Education. I soon found out.

Mrs. Ruth Smeddon Shoup not only has a fine educational background and an active interest in civic affairs, but also that prime requisite, a sympathetic understanding of the student and his problems. Her family has been associated with the field of education. Dr. David Smeddon, her father, was a Professor at Teachers College and State

### Burke Sues for Readmission; Addresses College Audience

#### Declares Need For Nationwide Student Union

"Only by a country-wide student union and by country-wide action of students can my expulsion, a flagrant violation of academic freedom, be wiped out," Bob Burke, expelled Columbia student, declared in a speech outside the College last Friday. Burke was refused permission by Dean Turner to speak under the auspices of the ASU in the College buildings.

Speaking to 400 listeners on the corner of Convent Avenue and 140 Street, Burke described conditions of student suppression on the Columbia campus prior to his expulsion for leading an anti-Nazi demonstration before the home of President Butler of Columbia.

"Instructors and undergraduates at Columbia have always been afraid to state any opinions that the administration wouldn't like," stated Burke, "because they might lose their jobs or their scholarships if they did."

#### Afraid to State Opinions

"Before I started the protest against Butler's sending representatives for the university to Hitler's Heidelberg celebration, conservative friends of mine told me that I'd better shut up about the way I feel or I'd probably have to get out."

In reference to President Nicholas Murray Butler, Burke pointed out that although the president condemned the "unbridled terrorism in Seattle" and radical activity, he could not be gotten to come out in a definite stand against Fascism or Nazism.

The necessity of a strong student union which would take up the question of jobs, scholarships, and disciplinary action was stressed by the speaker, who is also treasurer of the ASU chapter at Columbia University. "Without such a strong union," said Burke, "academic freedom for students and instructors is impossible."

### Professor's Book Popular in China

*Modern and Contemporary European History*, a text book written by Professor J. Salwyn Shapiro of the History Department and now used in the History 3 course at the College, has been translated into Chinese. The work was translated under the direction of Dr. Hu Shih, noted Chinese educator, and is already in use as a text in a number of Chinese colleges.

### Alumni of 1910 To Present Room To House Center

The formal opening of the 1910 room of the House Plan, which has been completely furnished by an alumni committee from the class of that year will take place on Thursday at 1 p.m., according to Mr. Mortimer Karpp '30, executive director of the Plan.

The room, which is on the second floor facing Convent Avenue, has a wood burning fireplace and will be used by members for parties, study and meetings. The leather covered and plain wood furnishings, English Club style, were selected to match the decorative scheme of the Plan's other ten rooms. They include several leather chairs and two leather couches, a radio, an odd and a regular table and several lamps.

An informal tea was held at the House Plan Center last Saturday, after the football game in Lewisohn Stadium. Among the alumni, faculty and undergraduates present were: Daniel Fuchs '30—author of "Summer Over Williamsburg" and George Sklar—co-author of "Stevadore." A similar gathering is planned after the next football game at home.

### Butler Refuses To Discuss Case With Committee

Arthur Garfield Hayes, attorney for Robert Burke, has filed suit in the State Supreme Court, in an effort to force Columbia University to reinstate Burke. Hayes declared that Burke was arbitrarily and without cause refused permission to continue in Columbia College.

Last night, marchers from every metropolitan chapter of the American Student Union held a torchlight parade on the Columbia campus. A small delegation from the College participated in the parade. The marchers called for the reinstatement of Burke.

#### Butler Silent

President Butler of Columbia, in a letter to Ben Brown, chairman of the Burke Defense Committee, refused to discuss the case and declared that it was entirely within the jurisdiction of Dean Herbert E. Hawkes.

The Defense Committee is hampered by the fact that the Student Board at Columbia has refused to take any action on the case and has, in the opinion of the committee, been stalling, in appointing a committee to investigate the merits of Burke's case. At a meeting of the Defense Committee yesterday afternoon, it was decided that a poll of student opinion on the case would be held if the cooperation of the *Spectator* could be secured.

#### Plan Mock Trial

The script for a mock trial has already been written and arrangements have been made to hold the trial at Community Church, but final announcement of the date of the trial has been held in abeyance until the services of several prominent people to act as judges, can be secured. John Haynes Holmes and Jeremiah T. Mahoney are among those who have been contacted by members of the committee.

In a radio address over Station W2XR Friday night, Burke declared that he was expelled not as an individual student but as a member of the American Student Union. "When students are organized into an independent union with which the administration deals on matters of academic freedom, scholarship awards and jobs, then and only then, will academic freedom be an actuality," he stated.

### BROOKLYN COLLEGE BUILDINGS READY

The new Brooklyn College in Flatbush, started last year and now setting a world record for the latest thing in colleges, will be ready January 1.

To the five buildings now complete will be added four more units of the most scientific design including an auditorium and an administration building. Among the scientific constructions will be a completely equipped astronomical observatory. The school will also boast of the largest eating hall in the city, accommodating 1,750 students. A library, having a back wall made of glass will insure proper, natural illumination for the seven-level stock room.

An unprecedented task will be accomplished when the entire student body, faculty and equipment are transferred from the old branch to the new without loss of a single day.

### Mrs. Ruth Shoup Especially Distressed by Absence Of Tennis Courts

Commissioner of Education in Massachusetts from 1908 to 1916.

Mrs. Shoup might be termed a nationwide commuter. Born in California, she came to New York when she was three years old. She was graduated from Horace Mann High School and then attended a teachers training course at Yale. After teaching in a one room country school for a year she went to Stanford University to study for her degree. There she met her husband, Carl Shoup, who is now professor of business administration and taxation at Columbia. They were married at the end of her sophomore year. She later attended Columbia and Stanford summer session receiving her A.B. from the latter in 1931.

Mrs. Shoup is an active civic worker. For the last six years she has been a member of the New York City League of Women Voters, having served as chairman of the Municipal Affairs Committee, and is at present chairman of the committee on civil service.

Mrs. Shoup, who incidentally is blond and attractive, has not as yet formulated the policy she will pursue as a member of the Board and consequently could not voice an opinion on any controversial subject.

She was particularly interested in the ASU, its status, membership, and popularity and accepted the results of the last college election as an indication of student sentiment. In view of the fact that New York has no free state university she thought the Citizen's Budget Committee's recommendation of a seventy-five dollar fee would deprive many students of an education. The House Plan's attempt to compensate for the lack of facilities on the campus and its attempt to foster faculty-student relationship and understanding, she thought commendable. She was rather distressed by the long hours and low pay of the instructional staff. But I think the deficiency that distressed her most was the absence of tennis courts. After a few meetings with the Board she should realize that tennis is not the only nor the most important thing we lack.



## Campus Crusaded in 1932 Against Co-op Store, ROTC

By Harold Faber

(The following is the second of a series of articles tracing the history of life on the campus. We herewith present a review of the spring term of 1932.—Editor's Note.)

The Spring term of 1932 found student opposition crystallizing against war. During the previous semester *The Campus* had been running a series of articles on peace by prominent authors. Now it began to publish stories by Harry Elmer Barnes, tracing the history of "The Struggle for International Organization."

The Student Council protested the ruling that clubs must have an advisor, to meet. Later it voted a probe of the *Faculty Bulletin* after *The Campus* had charged that the faculty publication was supplanting some functions of the student newspaper.

**Reed Harris Expulsion**  
Reed Harris was expelled from Columbia for "personal misconduct." He had attacked professionalism in college football. College groups supported him. He was reinstated, and immediately he resigned and wrote a book.

*The Campus* attacked the Co-op method of selling used books for the students. Professor Allen, of the store, defended

its system. Later in the term *The Campus* suggested that the ROTC parade on Charter Day be abolished, but to no avail. President Robinson had defended Military Science as a builder of the nation's reserves.

Joseph V. McKee, then President of the Board of Aldermen, said that money could be saved by closing the city colleges and sending the students to private institutions. *The Campus* refuted his arguments. Later Mayor Walker announced that tuition fees might be charged.

### Board Votes Fees

The Board of Higher Education took notice of these attacks and voted that juniors and seniors were to receive no more free textbooks; that all students must pay a two dollar diploma fee and a fifty cent library fee and finally, the board limited registration. Later in the term, a five dollar fee was voted for all students taking more than 128 points, excepting the Tech School, where 134 points were permitted.

The first anniversary of the Honors Courses was celebrated with general enthusiasm. Professor Nelson Mead called them successful in the social sciences.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor of *The Campus*:

In my humble opinion the point of view expressed by J. G. in his letter to *The Campus* on military training is fallacious both in its logic and its implications.

"A people cannot long have democracy unless it is willing and able to fight for it," is a noble sentiment and a true one, but it must be qualified. Do we citizens of the United States have a true democracy? Can we, in a land where twelve million men are unemployed, where starvation and misery are the lot of a large minority and insecurity that of the majority, where racial and religious animosities are systematically propagated for economic purposes, can we claim as our birthright the slogans of "liberty, equality and fraternity?"

And yet even though we realize that our democracy consists largely of glittering tinsel, we are willing and eager to defend it to the death against those reactionaries who would enslave us completely.

But how? By taking it upon ourselves independent of any organization to enter the ROTC? To bolster up the war machine of the reactionaries, the tool of the leading anti-democratic forces in the nation?

What then becomes of our campaign

to oust the ROTC from the College. *The Campus* prints an editorial urging all students to take ROTC to learn how to "fight for democracy." Eight thousand students dutifully march out to enlist. Registration soars and the war department chuckles in glee. No wonder Col. Robinson has seen fit to clip out J. G.'s letter and tack it prominently on the ROTC bulletin board.

M.C.

To the Editor of *The Campus*:

As a socially minded ROTC cadet, I was interested to read the letter signed, "J. G.," which appeared in a recent issue of *The Campus*. The writer of the letter said that the losing battle of democracy in Spain against the better armed fascists had disillusioned him in pacifism. Very good!

He then continues to say that therefore all lovers of democracy should join the ROTC in order to learn how to defend democracy. This conclusion implies that a powerful ROTC, and well armed forces generally, are the best defense of democracy.

But, I think there is a lesson to be learned from the events in Spain that J. G. missed. Far from being the defenders of democracy, the Spanish army

in the main became its formidable, and, to date, victorious opponent. Yet the army that once flew the republican flag and now assails it under the banners of fascism has remained perfectly consistent! The army never represented the military arm of the people's will. The standing army is always the supreme and ultimate sanction of the class in power—in this case, the capitalist class.

When an aroused majority of the Spaniards triumphed at the polls, the barons of Spanish capital, with their German and Italian allies, used their army to fight democracy, and so maintain their rule.

In our country the barons of Wall Street are still able to maintain power by juggling their two political parties. Consequently, their army still calls itself the "defender of the Constitution." But its inner organization (its rules, articles of war, regulations) makes the army one of the most undemocratic bodies. The distinctions between officers and men are common knowledge. The ROTC helps foster a semi-feudal system, which develops a corps of automatons who obey without thought.

The army, J.G., is still the organ of the reactionaries. The stronger and more faithful it is to their interests, the more

ruthless they become. You are in the ROTC now and if you want to serve the cause of democracy, which you love so much, then you must spread progressive, anti-militaristic thought among your fellow cadets.

I.E.

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## On the Campus

**Clubs Meeting Thursday, October 8**  
A.I.Ch.E. — Room 108, Tech Building, 12:30 p.m.; regular meeting.

A.I.E.E. — Room 105, Tech Building, 12:45 p.m.; regular meeting.

A.S.C.E. — Room 111, Tech Building, 12:15 p.m.; business meeting.

A.S.M.E. — Room 104, Tech Building, 12:30 p.m.; regular meeting.

Basterville Chemical Society — Room 204, Chemistry Building, 12:30 p.m.; regular meeting.

Biology Society—Room 319, 12:30 p.m.; regular meeting to introduce new members.

Cadet Club—Armory, 12:30 p.m.; important meeting.

Camera Club—Room 108, 12:30 p.m.; regular meeting. All faculty members interested in photography are invited.

Deutcher Verein — Room 308, 12:30 p.m.; Professor Roedder will address the club on his experiences in Germany.

Economics Society—Room 203, 12:30 p.m.; regular meeting.

Education Club — Room 302, 12:30 p.m.; advice on Education Courses will be given to freshmen and sophomores.

El Circulo Fuentes—Room 201, 12:30 p.m.; Mr. Rico y Fraga will address the society.

Geology Club—Room 318, 12:15 p.m.; regular meeting.

Le Cercle Jusserand—Room 211, 12:30 p.m.; regular meeting.

Mathematics Club—Room 123, 12:30 p.m.; business meeting.

Orchestra—T. H. H. Auditorium, 12 noon.

Physics Society—Room 109, 12:30 p.m.; Mr. Goldsmith to address society.

Social Research Seminar—Room 206, 12:30 p.m.; discussion of term's program.

### House Plan Activities

World Series broadcast daily in 1910 room.

Sim '39—Tuesday, 4 p.m., 1910 room; meeting, Morris U. Schappes, guest speaker.

Harris '40 — Tuesday, 5 p.m., music room; meeting.

Weir '37—Tuesday, 6 p.m., 1899 room; meeting and dinner, Professor Stevenson guest speaker.

Compton '40—Wednesday, 4 p.m., music room; tea for members only.

Sheppard '40—Wednesday, 6 p.m., 1910 room; social meeting.

Formal transfer of 1910 room—Thursday, 12 noon.

Harris '37—Thursday, 3 p.m.; meeting. Tea for Mercury Staff—Thursday, 4 p.m.

Seminar Series Committee—Thursday, 4 p.m.; office.

Abbe '37—Friday, 5 p.m., 1910 room; meeting.

Bowker '38 — Friday, 7 p.m., music room; social meeting.

Remson '38—Friday, 8 p.m.; social evening.

House group to visit Columbia Campus—Saturday, 10:30 a.m. Gather in front of House Plan.

Listener's Hour — Monday, 3 p.m.; Great Hall.

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# Luckies — a light smoke

OF RICH, RIPE-BODIED TOBACCO — "IT'S TOASTED"

# Gridmen Nose Out Brooklyn Team As Line Gives Bad Performance

## St. Nick Pass Attack Only Bright Feature Of Tedious Content

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that consisted of a "floating" wing-back who, on every other play, came around from his position on a fake reverse—that is, except once near the end of the game, when he was actually given the ball and was promptly dumped for a seven-yard loss. Oh, yes—and a passing attack that consistently found its mark—in a Beaver secondary's arms. The only completed Brooklyn College pass was one caught by the head-lineman in the last quarter. No gain was made.

Unfortunately, little more can be said for the College squad. The only item of their play that was above reproach was their aerial attack—and that because it was not put on display to any noticeable degree. Twice the attack bogged down within the Kingsmen's five-yard line, and each time the lack of a varied offensive cost the Beavers a score. The first scoring chance came toward the end of the second quarter, when 12 Weissbrod broke away for a nineteen-yard run through tackle which put the ball on the Brooklyn 10 yard line. Schimenty made 4 and Weissbrod 3, but two more fine plunges failed and the half ended one play later.

The scoring thrust came in the middle of the third quarter after the much-heralded Rockwell had just entered the game. Schimenty intercepted a pass on the Brooklyn 40. The two aforementioned backs combined to make two first downs and bring the ball to the 18. Then Bill ran around his left wing with good blocking, outraced the secondary and crossed standing up.

Again in the third quarter, the Beavers, aided by 15-yd. pass from Rockwell to Clancy, marched from mid-field to the Kingsmen's 5-yard line, only to lose the ball on downs.

### Schimenty Reliable

However, even under the circumstances, Coach Friedman may have gleaned a semblance of satisfaction from the backfield play of Weissbrod and Schimenty. The former, during the time that he was in, was the spearhead of the Beaver drive, ripping through the enemy line for sizeable gains. As for Schimenty, he was the same reliable line-bucker as of yore, hitting as hard as ever, and carrying three or four tacklers with him on every plunge. Rockwell, despite his touchdown-scoring run, is still a question-mark as a starter. In the line, Co-Captain Roy Howit was a shining light in an otherwise non-luminous lot.

On the whole, an infinite improvement is in order if the squad is to make any sort of a showing this Saturday—an improvement which, incidentally, will not be accomplished by drinking tea.

## ● Profiles

Meet Jeremiah Horne otherwise known as the "Big Bugle," "Wild Bull of the Campas," "Blows His Own" Horne, the "Boy Wonder" etc . . . possessor of a chubbish figure, a Palmolive complexion, a cherubic grin and an A-1 ego, Jerry has been a varsity pitcher for the past two years . . . decanted in New Jersey, moved to Massachusetts and flitted in quick succession from Brookline to Huntington to Boston Latin and thence to Clinton High . . . claims he was mascot of Boston Braves and Redskins . . . although he never played organized football Jerry blushing admits being the greatest drop kicker in America . . . says that Jack Manders educated toe is a mere Phi Beta Kappa . . . while his is a summa cum laude . . . hobby—song writing, ambition—baseball, prospects—shoe selling in Europe . . . at present, manager of a commercial basketball team called Doc Siegel's tooth-paste five . . . or the Five Molars.

Morton Paul

## ● Sports Mirror

What the *Daily News* can possibly have against the College, we cannot for the life of us fathom; but, at any rate, charges of professionalism emanate from that tabloid sheet with a distressing regularity, bobbing up almost every fall with the familiar grin of an old and exasperating acquaintance.

Last year, it was the ludicrously ridiculous Bill Rockwell—Ted Londos affair. Five years ago, the *News* rocked the campus with the accusation that Nat Holman had played professional basketball with members of the College team. Holman vehemently denied this and threatened a \$250,000 slander suit if a retraction were not forthcoming. *The News* apologized in a headline article . . . Reason and intelligence are attributes hardly to be expected in tabloid reporters, who have long made charges first and investigated after. *The Campus* commented editorially.

Remember 'way back in 1931 when three all-scholastic players and six others who had played varsity ball, came out for the jayvee eleven? Those were the days, ay, Mr. Hoover?

Just lucky seven years ago, the J.V. football squad smashed out a victory over powerful Stuyvesant High in the season's opener. For the crap-shooting gentry, at least, it provides a favorable augury for the '36 outfit of Messrs. Cooper and Berkowitz.

M. Jonah

## Ends Are Too Slow Backfields Is Futile, In Initial 6-0 Win

In their first game of the season on Saturday the College gridgers showed that the middle of the line is exceptionally weak, the ends don't get down fast enough, and that the backfield is far from a functioning unit. Why they insisted on futiley pounding the center of Brooklyn's line when end runs had proven so much more effective, is still a mystery.

Nat Gainen, last year's baseball co-captain and Les Rosenblum were with the prettiest girls . . . Aldo Scandura of the cross-country team was one of the candy vendors, and proved he was in form by climbing and re-climbing the stadium steps with typical leatherlung ease . . .

Most of the fans lost interest after the third quarter when the World Series score came through . . .

Ted Toles, former Beaver grid captain thought the team looked "pretty good" . . . he liked Chris Michel and Roy Howit in particular . . . a reporter from the *Journal* and a scribe from the *Daily Worker* were sitting next to each other in the press box . . . which looks good for a gag but isn't . . .

Philip

## Leatherlungs To Face R. P. I.

With only five men responding to his call for freshman candidates, Coach Tony Orlando's chances for a winning yearling cross country team have suffered a severe setback. Prospects in the Varsity ranks, however, appear considerably brighter. The varsity harriers, led by their new captain, Aldo Scandura, will meet R.P.I. in Troy on Saturday.

"There is still time to come out for the team," Coach Orlando announced. "Practice is held every day from 12 to 2. See me then, or in the A.A. Office at any time."

## Jayvees' Hopes Raised by Star

Time was when J.V. football served only to provide comic relief for the College gridiron picture. But as the cub outfit moves into its final practice sessions for the season's opener on Saturday, serious interest is running high in the new Cooper-Berkowitz regime.

The Jayvees first contact work of the season brought rugged Joe Marsiglia sharply into focus as one of the leading hopefuls of the Cooper backfield. So impressive was the 170-lb. sophomore in the scrimmages that he clinched a half-back berth a scant three days after he put in his initial appearance.

## ● SPORT SLANTS

Oscar "Love-In" Bloom, Cyranobeked Beaver end of yesteryear, paid a belated visit to alma mater Friday and gave the boys the lowdown on how football should be played . . . Oscar's studying law now and came in dressed like a first class shyster . . . claims he keeps in trim by chasing ambulances . . . another perennial visitor to the Beaver bench is Jose Gonzales who played halfback for the College three years running . . . and confided mournfully that he was never given a single chance to carry the ball . . . which is one for Bob Ripley . . . after two years of faithful blocking, Jose asked Parker for a chance to carry the mail

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