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ew Atom Lab Open Here Two Years

\$100,000 nuclear physics ratory will be opened at College by 1961.

e Physics Department will est the funds from the Atomic gy Commission before the of the month.

owever, Prof. Henry Semat airman, Physics) said vesterthat the project will proceed cheduled even if the AEC dethe request. "We have some ey in our regular budget, and cessary, we'll go out with our in our hand," he said.

evertheless a denial by the will hamper the project to extent that equipment will be modest than hoped.

e laboratory will be located orings in the northeast end of Lincoln Philipridor in Shepard Hall. The old lty mail room, and the room cent to it will be renovated ccommodate the project.

> e laboratory would be used narily by advanced physics lents, but would be available to School of Technology for the luate and undergraduate cur-

> he facility also would be availfor limited research. Profes-Semat said that even modest ipment would not diminish the earch value of the laboratory. Even at a small institution, ny things can be done that are ul, particularly in developing techniques, and assisting largaboratories," Professor Semat

> he laboratory would be a much (Continued on Page 2)

'Next Stop: Ma-mar-oneck'

Student Commutes 44 Miles A Day

By Fred Martin

Freshman Jack Laur emerged from Goethals Hall last Thursday afternoon and hurriedly jay-walked across Amsterdam Avenue. He was just in time to catch an ap-

It was 3:50. He had exactly fifteen minutes to board the 4:05 New York, New Haven & Hartford local that would take him to his home in Mamaroneck, in Westchester County.

If we don't catch that train the commuters will mow us under on the next one," he said as he stepped into the bus, making sure it was one that would pass by the 125th Street railroad station.

"From now on it all depends on the traffic," he said and kept glancing nervously at his watch.

But the traffic was heavy, and the bus moved slowly. As the station came into view, Jack looked out of the window just as a train pulled to a stop on the elevated track.

"Well, there's the train we're not going to make," he said. "Now we wait for the 4:40," he added with an air of indifference that comes with accepting an inconvenience experienced more than once.

Jack Laur is one of the twelve out-of-town students accepted by the College under the provisions of the state aid bill passed last-March in Albany.

Every morning he travels the 22 miles from Mamaroneck by train, arriving here in time for his first class at 10. And every afternoon he rushes from his last class, which ends at 3:50, to try and catch the 4:05 home.

"I usually make it too," he said, "But I guess that rain slowed up the traffic." He was referring to the downpour a half-hour earlier caused by the dying Hurricane "Gracie."

Jack made himself comfortable in the waiting room which, as he had predicted, rapidly was becoming crowded with commuters on their way to suburbia. He didn't have to wait on the long ticket line, he explained, because the railroad issues a special "Student (Continued on Page 5)



COMMUTER Jack Laur looks back at track while he waits for stalled train to resume trip.

Maximum Bookstore Pay Reduced to \$1 per Hour

By Bob Jacobson

The maximum salary for student employees in the College's Book Store has been reduced from \$1.25 to \$1.00 per hour, according to Mr. Ronald Garretson, manager.

Two years ago the Board of Higher Education set the maximum wage for student aides at \$1.00 per hour, Mr. Garretson said. However, the book store continued to pay a maximum of \$1.25 from its own profits, he said.

Dean Leslie Engler (Admin'sstration) said that the decision to reduce salaries was in keeping with the general policy that "all student aides should receive the same rates regardless of whether the money came from private organizations or from public funds.'

However, he said that he did not recall a BHE ruling that limited student salaries.

In June, Mr. Garretson was requested by Mr. Aaron Zweifach (Business Manager) to reduce the maximum salary of student aides. Because of prior commitments with some students, the store continued to pay wages in excess of \$1.00 per hour until September 1.

The present starting salary for students working in the book store is eighty cents per hour. A starting wage of \$1.00 per hour was paid prior to September.

"I'm certainly not encouraging

the reduction in wages. I'd like to get it back to \$1.25. I lost some good students because of the decrease," Mr. Garretson said.

Several of the students who work in the book store said they were "disgusted" with both the salary cut and the reasons that were given for it.

One student, who asked not to be identified, said, "What business is it of the BHE to tell the book store what to pay us?"

Another, who also asked that his name be withheld, remarked, "I tnink they should let Mr. Garretson worry about running the book store. If it hadn't been showing a profit they wouldn't have waited two years to cut our pay."

Friday Tea

The term's first Student-Faculty Tea, sponsored by Gamma Sigma Sigma, will be held Friday from 3 to 5 in Lewisohn Lounge, 131 Finley. All students and faculty members are invited. Boys must wear jackets and ties to be admitted.

League Game **Starts 3:30**

By Mike Katz

With a little pomp and ceremony, and a lot of hope, the College's soccer team will open its season today against Queens at Lewisohn Stadium.

President Gallagher will start the festivities at 3:20 when he kicks out the first ball. The ROTC honor guard will parade the flag and cheerleaders will lead cries of "Allagaroo" through Lavender

At approximately 3:30, the booters will begin their quest of a seventh straight Metropolitan Conference championship.

Other things will be on the line for the Beavers, too. The team has a 42-game undefeated streak in Met Conference play and a 22game undefeated streak overall.

Slippery Rock Site of Playoffs

But these are just remnants of a glorious past. It is the future the team is looking forward to, and particularly to a little-known hamlet in Pennsylvania named Slippery Rock, the site of the NCAA championships in late November.

"Slippery Rock is our destination, and our incentive," co-captain Heinz Minnerop said.

A ten-game schedule stands in the road to Pennsylvania, with Queens the first hurdle. Coach Harry Karlin has no fears of the Beavers being unable to clear Queens, but he wants them to do it in an impressive fashion.

Constant Pressure Expected

"It isn't so much the score that we beat a team," Karlin explained, "but the way we look doing it. When the officials vote for the state champion, they consider the way a team looks.

"In other words, every game has to be our best."

Thus, starting with today's game, the booters will be under constant pressure, no matter what the calibre of their opposition.

And Queens' calibre isn't too high. Last season the Knights finished third in the Met Conference, behind the co-champions, Pratt and the College. But the Beavers had no trouble with them in 1958, winning 10-1.

(Continued on Page 8)

Jazz Session Here To Star Sam Most

Jazz flutist Sam Most is scheduled to participate with a group of students in a "Jam Session" sponsored by the Modern Jazz Society tomorrow at 12:30 in 428

According to the Society's president, Al Gotthelf '60, Most is registered in the evening session here and and has agreed to perform at several of the Society's programs this term.

"We are planning an informal jazz concert for later in the term and if it receives a favorable student response, we'll have a big jazz concert after that," Gotthelf said. Most, who also plays tenor and alto saxophone, and clarinet, would appear at both, he added.

Gotthelf said that the students who will perform with Most at tomorrow's jam session all have had professional experience.

\$69.95 SPCA Learns It's Better To Let Sleeping Dogs Lie

The ASPCA came to College® nday and learned a lesson: let eping dogs lie.

t was a rather embarrassing son, too, becaue the ASPCA n flunked. He couldn't catch a dium-sized brown dog.

The dog in question often has en noticed sleeping in front of epard Hall.

On Monday a student, after tting the mongrel lying on the ps of the Cohen Library, called **ASPCA**

The ASPCA dispatched a truck ich arrived at 12:40.

At this time the dog was still

Not for long, though, for the in from the ASPCA walked er to it and snapped his fingers. dog awoke. Having reached first objective, the ASPCA n attempted to lead the little

While the ASPCA man walked to his truck, fingers still snapg, Brownie got up and walked other way. After a little while deg-catcher got tired of chas-



Card Deadline

tion cards for the spring term

is tomorrow. Cards must be

filed in 115 Shepard.

The deadline for filling elec-

Photo by Martin DOGGED by ASPCA man. brown mongrel just walked away.

ing Brownie and went back to the ASPCA.

Brownie? Last seen, the little brown dog was sleeping in the gutter in front of the Finley Center.

Club Notes

All clubs meet tomorrow at 12:30 unless otherwise noted.

AIChE

Presents George Kachajian of Dow-Corn-ng speaking in 103 Harris on silicones. American Meteorological Society Presents Capt. Metz, USAF, who will speak on "Careers for Meteorologists in the Air Force" at 1 in 308 Shepherd.

American Rocket Society

Presents the charter by officers of the national body and Mr. R.P. Fraze of the Thiokol Chemical Corp., in 200 Shepherd. ASME

Holds a summer job symposium in 106 Harris. Panel discussion by seniors who have worked in engineering.

Astronomical Society

Discusses eclipses and methods of ob-serving and photography in 16 Shepherd Several members will discuss their trip to Boston to see the solar eclipse.

Baskerville Chemical Society Presents Dr. Louis Meites of Brooklyn Polytech speaking on "Some Applications of Contro ed Potential Coulometric Analysis" in Doremus Hall. **Caduceus**

Presents Oxford geneticist Dr. Kettlewell who will show films on genetics in 315

CCNY Students for a Sane **Nuclear Policy**

Will hold an organizational meeting in 105 Mott. Everyone invited. Chess Club

Sanford Greene, U.S. Intercollegiate Rapid Transit Champion, will take on all corners in a simultaneous chess match on the South Campus lawn at 12 or in 212 Finley in case of rain. New members

Christian Association

Will hold a discussion of Atheism and Agnosticism in 424 Finley. **Economics Society**

Presents Mr. G. Tylor, Director for 1.L.G.W.U., speaking one "Future Labor Leadership In America" in 107 Wagner. Gilbert and Sullivan Society

Casting "Ruddigore" in 417 Finley from 12:30 to 2:00 and 6:00 to 8:30. Government and Law Society

Dr. Koten will discuss his personal interviews with Nikita Khrushchev and the Russian people in "Khrushchev, the Man and Youth in Russia" at 12:25 in 212 Wagner.

Will show three new films of Israel at anoon at Hillel House, 475 W. 140 Street. Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship

Musical Comedy Society Meets in 440 Finley to discuss forth-coming production of "Damn Yankees."

Newman Club Holds a Question Box at 1 at the Center, 469 W. 142 Street.

Opera Workshop Will hold auditions in Aronow Auditorium for singers, stagehands, costumes, etc.

Party of Liberal Students Meets in 211 Mott at 12:15

Philosophy Society Presents Prof. Philip Wiener (Chairman Philosophy) on "Charles S. Pierce and American Pragmatism" in 013 Wagner. The Emil Post Logic Society

Meets in 223 Wagner to attempt some brain teasers Friday at 4:00. New mem-bers invited.

Promethean Workshop

Holds an organizational meeting and a reading of an original story at 4:00 on Friday in 424 Finley. Pythagorean Mathematics Society

Will present Mrs. Linda Keen who will attempt to prove "Two Plus Two Equals Four" in 309 Harris, New members wel-

Society of Orthodox Jewish **Scientists**

Presents Dr. Martin Schechter of NYU and the Atomic Energy Commission speaking on "The Jewish Attitude Toward Secular Learning" at 12:15 in 205 Harris. Sociology Society

Presents Prof. Ernest van den Haag speaking on "Slums" in 105 Wagner. Speech 21-25

Meets with Prof. Frank Davidson in 220 Shepherd at 12 to hold auditions for a play to be done this term. New faces wel-

Ukrainian Student Society

Meets in 110 Mott at 12:15 to determine the fate of the organization. Attendance of all members mandatory. Vector

Presents Prof. Egan Brenner (Electrical Engineering) in 307 Finley and will plan the November issue and ECMA Convention.

Atomic

(Continued from Page 1) more valuable facility than the College's sub-critcial atomic reactor, Professor Semat said.

The reactor is merely a source of neutrons (uncharged particles from the nucleus of an atom), and can be used only to irradiate a material. The new laboratory would have facilities for a wide variety of measurements. The reactor merely would be the starting point of a project, producing the materials that would be used by the laboratory.

The Third Week

By Don Langer <u>-</u>

The President's in his office; all's right with the school Everybody is attending meetings of committees, sub-committees, boarus, agencies, bureaus, advisors, and panels.

Now things extra-curricular aren't bad. But merely holding meetings with other people strikes me as fairly useless. Why not expose them all to measles? That's an experience.

A little palaver isn't an unhealthy thing for an organization. It's nice if everybody knows what's going on (or even coming off). But some organizations never get out of the windy stage. The only thing they ever produce is a hurricane.

While brings up an interesting question. Is it necessary to produce? Should the organization contribute to the College or only vice

The answer calls for consideration of fundamentals. Inasmuch as the student is here to learn, it seems that the College must contribute to the student. So, instructors are hired, classrooms are built, study nalls are opened, and even a library is constructed. All for the student.

But even the student knows he must do something in return-if only staying awake in class. Well then, education, it seems, is a two way street designed to promote a collision between the student and the instructor, classroom, study hall and library. The good drivers become me uneducated. Now just as the student is expected to contribute to his class, so should the organization be expected to contribute to the College.

Now here is one more problem to be considered. What constitutes a product? Is it something material? Is it an emotion, an attitude?

The concept of something material is an easy one and I think a proper one. When an instructor wants to know how much you've brought down your end of the two-way street, he gives a quiz. He doesn't notice the philosophical, contemplative look on your face. He doesn't note the inner light illuminating your seat of understanding. Your attitude and personality are important, of course, but insufficient. One verse of a song goes:

> When Salome danced, She had the boys entranced. It must have been easy to see

She had . . . personality.

Salome might have been an ace in freshman orientation, but she'd have to show more than personality to get by in math. Maybe she did. Developing the personality seems to have become the overwhelm-

ng aim of extra-curricular activities. But organizations, particularly shose that are concerned in some respect with the academic program, should return to the Gollege not an attitude, but something concrete. Thus a few persons concerned with literature produce Promethean and/ or Mercury. Others produce the Journal of Social Studies, or the Biological Journal or bring prominent personalities here as speakers.

You might say it's a little narrow-minded of me to suggest that organizations justify their existence by producing. You might be right. But on the other hand, there is no reason why organizations should continue to go their merry rhetorical way. There is no reason why organizations should continue to think and do things in a petty manner. Organizations constantly come to The Campus seeking publicity and recognition. Let them begin to deserve it.

A final note. The division between product and personality is not as tangible as I have pretended for the purposes of argument. It would seem apparent that if a group is to produce, it must have a leadership or collective personality of the type supposedly developed by extracurricular activities. What I propose is, that personality be channeled into something productive.

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6 P.N By Francine Pike

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Gerdes, 53 years old, went ool in Germany, but stopped the eighth grade. "In Gerwe had to pay for a high education. This was imposfor me to do," he explained. Came to the United States. 6 when he was twenty. For inley Irs, Mr. Gerdes had very little e. Bke time. However, after retwo years ago, he decided to ete his education. He went and during summers in orreceive his diploma. He ated last June, when Joan

> September, both registered College.

gistration went pretty well," said, "The only bad part t., Bk aiting while the classes kept

mokf n and her father are not in Sweate asses together, but they take of the same courses. "He me in math and German," said. "She helps me in Engher father said.

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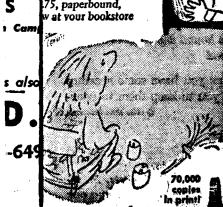
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FAMILY BUSINESS: Otto Gerdes and daughter Joan study together for freshman classes at the College.

When asked if they planned to register for the same classes in th school for two years at the future, Mr. Gerdes answered: "Joan, would feel self-consciousas if someone were watching her all the time. It might be as if two teachers were in the classroom instead of one."

Joan said "it wouldn't really bother me. Of course there would probably be a spirit of rivalry between us.'

However, even now, Joan can keep tabs on her father's progress. "Some of my girlfriends are in my father's classes, and I get reports from them on how he is doing practically every day. It's almost like being right there," she said.

Joan's initial problems were typical of those encountered by very small and a little unsure of she's threatening to."

myself," she said, adding, "the College is so big.

Mr. Gerdes found it a little harder to adjust than the usual freshman. "The first day, as I walked into some of my classrooms, students looked at me as if I were the teacher," he said. "I had to grope in the beginning to become familiar with the technical parts of class activity. I am not used to being in a classroom situation with teenagers," he added.

Mr. Gerdes plans to major in German, and after graduating from the College, to teach the subject in high school.

Joan, also would like to teach. but at the elementary school level.

The remaining member of the family, Mrs. Gerdes, "doesn't go most entering freshmen. "I felt to school now," Joan said. "But

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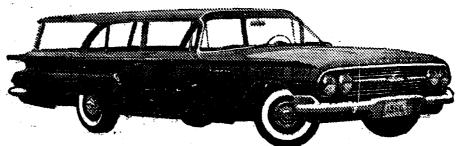
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Atomic Laboratory

We are happy to learn that the Physics Department soon will acquire a nuclear physics laboratory. The new facility certainly will add much weight to the College's already established reputation in the field of science education.

Nuclear physics laboratories cannot be had for nothing, and the proposed project will cost about \$100,000. The Physics Department will ask the Atomic Energy Commission for funds by the end of the month.

The chairman of the department, Prof. Henry Semat, says that, if necessary, the money can be obtained from the Physics Department budget and a fund raising campaign. In this case, however, the laboratory would not be as well equipped as hoped.

It is to the AEC's advantage to provide the funds requested. For the laboratory certainly will spur education and research here in the field of nuclear physics, a field that the AEC is in business to promote.

Studying the Future

The announcement last week that a faculty committee is already at work evaluating the graduate and research programs here is exceptionally welcome. Even among students here the feeling persists that the College is entirely under-while a youth awaits trial, and graduate institution. Most are unaware that rapid strides in more guidance from youth workgraduate education have been made here. But more import- ers during this period. ant, is the expansion of these programs, which certainly should take place at the college, one of the largest institutions in the nation. Concurrent with the graduate study, the faculty committee will investigate research facilities here.

Both problems have been around for a long time, and wisely, the committee is being given a long time to study the situation and suggest possibilities for expanding the existing programs. Officials are confident that the committee will recommend this expansion. But the problem lies in implementing the recommendations. It will require a great deal of imaginative thinking by the committee members. We are confident that they will measure up to the job ahead of them.

Slippery Rock

For many years the soccer team has been to the College what the Yankees have been to the Bronx. Here we hope the analogy stops.

The Yankees didn't do too well this year, but the latest reports from Lewisohn Stadium have indicated that such will not be the case with the booters.

The team has a "tremendous incentive" this year, according to one of the co-captains. It is a town named Slippery Rock which is somewhere in Pennsylvania. More important than its location is the fact that the NCAA will hold a soccer tournament there in November for the national title.

There's a good chance the Beavers will be there too. But first they have a ten-game regular season schedule to go

through, starting today. There will be a big crowd in Lewisohn Stadium today to see the team. We hope the fans will be able to see the York City's fight against juvenile booters in Slippery Rock.

Unique Project Studies City's Youth Agencies

By Barry Mallin

From his office on the top floor of Shepard Hall, higher than the elevators run, a world - renowned sociologist can see a panoramic view of slums.

It is a striking backdrop to his current work — juvenile delin-

The sociologist is Dr. Robert M MacIver. From his sixth floor of fice, the slender, grey-haired professor directs a project unique in

Wagner Ordered Study

Four years ago, Mayor Wagner decided that a full scale survey was needed to find out how New York City's youth agencies were fighting juvenile delinquency. He called in Dr. MacIver to head the five-year project.

Since January 1956, Dr. Mac-Iver and his staff have studied the problems of youth agencies ranging from the police department to the Board of Education.

A typical study runs about nine months. Two members of the staff, one part-time, spend months observing, asking questions, and finally reporting.

"Nobody likes to be investigated, and we occasionally run into minor difficulties," Dr. MacIver said. Most agencies, however, have co-operated with the investiga-

But, it is a different story when it comes to accepting recommendations. The agencies are not bound by the findings and this has become for the project a source of frustration.

"The effect of the project is not nearly as great as we would like,' Dr. MacIver said.

Some Proposals Not Accepted

Recommendations which have been made, but not carried outeither because of money or differences of opinion-include:

 additional training for policemen working with youth.

- an improved probation system which would in effect send fewer youths to penal institutions, thus easing the problems of the institutions.
- shorter detention periods
- to make the 600 schools for troublesome students more experimental in order to study youth problems and vocational training for older students.

But, the picture is not all negative. Some of the project's recommendations have been utilized. The most important was that the police department establish the youth board now in existence.

Lack of money, a problem which plagued most ctiy institutions, also is a difficulty for Dr. MacIver's project. The city provides an annual budget of \$100,000, but this isn't enough, the Professor said. He said his staff should receive higher salaries.

Because Dr. MacIver is prominent in the field, he has been able to attract to the project a number of people with doctorate degrees. The staff of eleven people occupies three offices on the top floor.

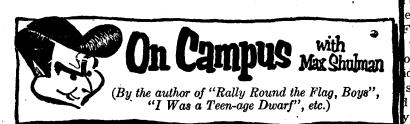
Currently, they are preparing reports on the gang problem and the courts. Before the project ends next year, Dr. MacIver hopes to release an overall analysis of New delinquency.

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PSYCHOLOGY LAB-Tilt the mazes downhill. The white mice will run much faster.

ENGINEERING-Make slide rules half as long.

MUSIC - Change all tempos to allegro. (An added benefit to be gained from this suggestion is that once you speed up waltz time, campus proms will all be over by ten p.m. With students going home so early, romance will languish and marriage counsellors can be transferred to the Buildings and Grounds Department. Also, houses now used for married students can be returned to the School of Animal Husbandry.)

ALGEBRA-If X always equals twenty-four, much timeconsuming computation can be eliminated.

DENTISTRY-Skip baby teeth-they fall out anyhow. POETRY—Amalgamate the classics. Like this:

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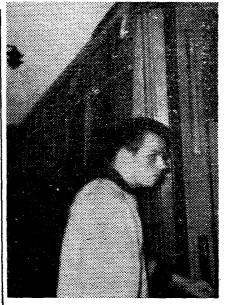
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HOMEWARD BOUND: Jack Laur takes bus (left) and then train (right) to go home to Mamaroneck after classes are over.

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'I took all of those aptitude tests and they said 'be an engineer' so I'm majoring in engineering," he explained.

The railroad, like the subway, has its rush hour too, and while Jack kept a careful check on the time, trains were pulling in and out of the station every few minutes. Finally, at 4:35, he got up and made his way toward the platform.

"There may be some seats in the first car," he said as he walked to the front of the crowded platform. "Nobody likes to sit up there because they'll get killed if there's an accident," he explained in a calm voice.

As the train left the station Jack explained that, barring unforseen incidents, the trip usually takes half an hour.

The passing view was not scenic. It looked as if most of the track bed had been cut through rocky hills.

Suddenly, only ten minutes after | ride home.

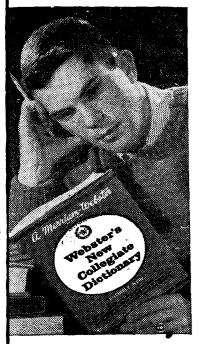
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Jack left his seat and went to the door to look outside. There wasn't a station in sight. "This has never happened before," he said, "If this train is going to get stuck here, I'll just get off and hitch-like home."

After examining all the wheels, the conductors, who were too busy to answer inquiries about the trouble, climbed back aboard, and the train resumed its journey twenty minutes behind schedule.

The rest of the trip was uneventful and at 5:30 a conductor called out: "Ma-mar-oneck! Next stop!" As he got up to leave, Jack spotted a friend who had a cas at the station, and hurried over to say hello.

"After all this, who wants to walk a mile to get home," he explained and hastened after him



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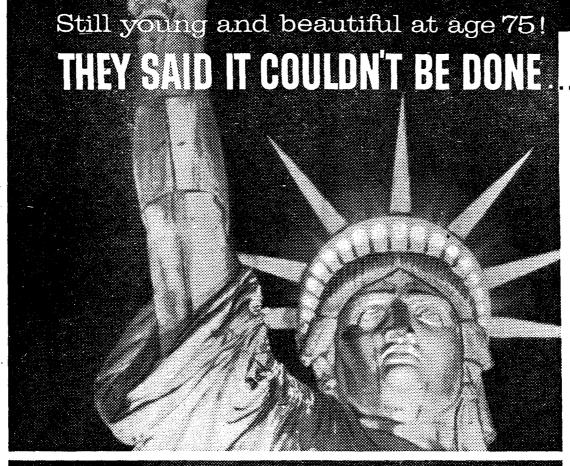
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Tale of A Night Writer

By Vic Ziegel

My friend Eli Saddie, the raggedy-ann beat poet, dropped up to my home the other night and found me typing away. "Like did you miss me, comrade?" asked Eli flopping on my davenport.

"Truthfully, Eli . . . " I began, but my erstwhile friend wasn't paying any more attention to me than he was to the Norman Rockwell cower I had framed and hung in my living room. (It's a lovely scene showing a little leaguer on second base with a spike wound and his mether chasing across the infield with a bat in her hand ready to clobber the second baseman.) Eli was up and into my small kitchen, feeding his large appetite. "For a raggedy-ann beat poet, Eli," continued, "you have one heck of a square longing for food."

"Food, Hah. What is food but what I called it in my last poem? Food; I said, is like to eat. That's all food is and that's all I treat it as. But what, pray, are you doing hacking away at your Olivettiso late this morning?"

I was afraid Eli would ask and I told him the bad news. "It's a cross-country column."

Eli exploded with laughter. "You're joking. Oh, that's wonderful. A cross-country column at 2 AM. There's hope for you yet." And the paper was grabbed from my typewriter. "Great Ginsberg," Eli cried, "you are, you are writing a cross-country column."

I, head bowed, eyes down, nodded in the affirmative. "But Eli, they rate a column what with all this space being devoted to the soger team. It's a fine sport and the team has got a wonderful coach. They deserve some recognition."

"Cross-country," snorted Eli, "cross-country. Tell me something, what is cross-country anyhow?"

-"You mean you don't know what cross-country is?" I started. "Take away my autographed picture of William Carlos Williams, clean my pad, cut off my supply of pot, return my razor . . . so I don't know what cross-country is."

"Well, it's no crime Eli but I thought you knew about cross-country. Maybe if I told you about the cross-country team you'd understand a little better."

"Try me," said Eli.

"All the cross-country meets are held on a five-mile course up in Van Cortlandt Park."

"Van Cortlandt Park? You mean Van Cortlandt Park in the

"Why yes Eli, Van Cortlandt Park in the Bronx."

"That's all man, I'm leaving. Wow. The Bronx. You must be kidding."

"Shut up, Eli. And they run over a five-mile course." "Wait a minute. I just lost ya' somewhere up in the Bronx. This

team runs five miles? Why? Where to?" "They run five miles against another team . . ."

"Against another team? You mean somebody else is engaged in this madness at the same time?"

"Sure. And they finish the five miles in less than thirty minutes

"They finish the five miles in thirty minutes. Well, that's the first real accomplishment you've told me so far. Are they still in the Bronx when they finish?"

"Sure Eli. Fact is they end right back at the starting line."

"Stop, this is a scream. You mean these guys run five miles up in the Bronx and with a chance to get away, they end up right where they began?"

"That's cross-country Eli," I explained, "that's cross-country."

"And now you're sitting here writing a column about this sport in the middle of the morning?"

"That's right."

"Old buddy," said Eli sadly, "I came in here twenty minutes ago and you told me you were writing a cross-country column. I laughed. Why? Because it was funny. But now I see it's the truth. You're writing a cross-country column and you really care about it. No, no don't stop me. Let me say what I have to say and I'll leave. I find you here writing a cross-country column at two in the morning. You explain the sport to me. It is an insane sport. You are an insane person to write about it. The whole world is insane. Here," said Eli hurling his sandals at me. "They're yours. I've stood still. You've advanced. But someday who knows, when all the world is right again, who knows . . . "

And Eli ran out screaming.

Last I heard of Eli he was seen around Van Cortlandt Park in his undies screaming "There must be a way out. There must be a way out. As soon as I find it, I can head home to McDougal Street. Back to the Gaslight, the Seven Arts, back. . . ."

Harriers May Lose Delgado for Season | }



JOSUE DELGADO

An already weakened cross country squad will have to do without the services of its most promising prospect, Josue Delgado, when it faces Fairleigh Dickinson Saturday.

Delgado has not worked out with the team this semester, according to coach Harry deGirolamo, and is out of shape. "We can't count on him helping us this season," the coach said.

Delgado is forced to work after school, the coach explained.

As a sophomore on last spring's track team, Delgado was undefeated in mile and two-mile competition.

DeGirolamo lost last year's top five trackmen and now is jolted by the loss of his remaining standout. The team finished last season with a 4-4 record.

Basketball

Coach Nat Holman has set these dates for the first meetings of the varsity basketball team: October 13 new candidates will be met at 4 in the Wingate gym; October 14 returning players will meet there; and October 15, the entire squad will hold its first practice at 4 in the gym.

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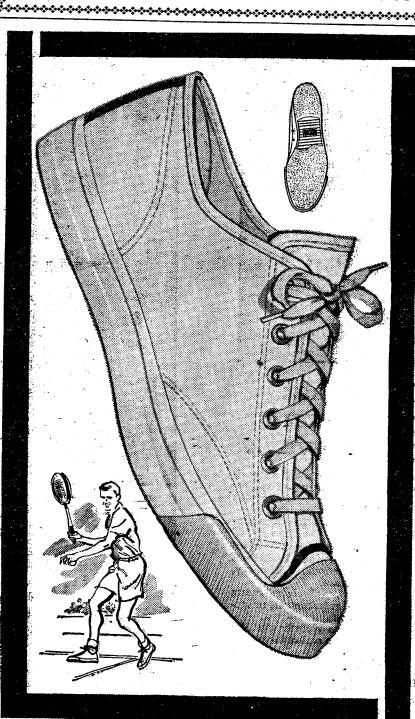
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Today They Play for Keeps (Continued from Page 8)

guad he joined as a sophomore in 1955. The team won the et title that year.

And Minnerop remembers his first team (1957), one rith only six returnees. They tied for the national title. Practically speaking though, it shouldn't make too much

ifference whether the booters of 1959 rout the Long Island aggies 15-0, as the 1958 team did, or merely smash them

HEINZ MINNEROP

Varsity Club

first meeting tonight in 428 Fin-

ley at 6:30.

The Varsity Club will hold its

2-0. "But winning games," says? arlin, "won't indicate a good or bad team. The indication will e how they handle the ball. And nan for man in comparison to ast year, we've got a terrific deense." Minnerop thinks the front ne is equal in strength to last ear's. "We don't have too weak spot," Karlin sums it up.

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"The team, by playing together, improving simply because they're laying together," Karlin reasoned n his best Stengelese.

"I think they're all anxious to how what they can do," Minerop said. "Our one incentive is win and get the nationals for he College."

Starting today it's for keeps. he team is excited. The coach pleased. The season begins.

Newcomers

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pain I became a 'bug' on the game," Eloy explained.

"I know that he can play bothorward and halfback well," the oach said. However he'll probbly play forward since we need him there more.

"In the game against Columia he certainly surprised me by coring two goals. I didn't think ne would do that well since it was is first time playing on that: ine." he added.

Eloy attended Stuyvesant High school where he played varsity soccer for three years. In his final year there he was elected the eam's co-captain.

Bilous is the third newcomer lestined for stardom. "Just wait "till we get our signal system down, then watch him really go," Karlin said.

He was born in the Ukraine and went to Germany before immigrating to the United States in 1949. In Germany, shortly after World War II, he was blinded for nearly a month when he "was playing around near a bomb when exploded."

In the United States, too, he has been plagued by misfortune. T've had pleurisy for the past two years and I haven't been able, to play any soccer," he said.

"This season I am anxious to play no matter where they put me," Orest said.

"He will probably play an inside forward position," Karlin said, since he seems to fit in well with Heinz's (Minnerop's) type of game t center forward," the coach exlained.

With the addition of these newcomers, the squad's morale has een uplifted. One player said, "We probably won't have any really oig stars, except for Heinz, but we'll play every game like a real

"We're ready for the nationals ight now."

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Cheerleaders

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the doings of the varsity soccer team, the jv-freshman squad is quietly priming itself for the season opener in two weeks.

This Saturday, the team will take a break from its weekly scrimmage session. Coach Saul Fein is getting married.

According to the coach, the team "looks good enough to compete on the varsity level." Two weeks ago, the Beavers upended the Fordham varsity by a 4-0 count.

The shutout against the Rams supported Fein's contention that he had an outstanding defensive unit. The four goal output, however, surprised the coach.

"They showed me much more than I expected," he said. Two freshman, Werner Sallani and Mike Stea, supplied the power against Fordham by scoring two goals apiece.

JV Coach to Wed; Intramurals Start Tomorrow; Practice Postponed Largest Program in 26 Years

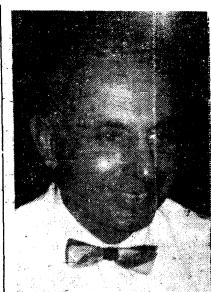
In the twenty-sixth year of in @ tramural athletics at the College, the Physical Education Depart ment is offering the most extensive program to date.

Twenty-seven different activities are scheduled, beginning tomorrow at 12. Applications for all activities may be obtained in 107 Wingate.

A basketball field day will inaugurate the program. Pre-tournament competition in basketball skills, including free throw, layup and set shooting, will be held.

Tennis, table tennis, handball, and shuffleboard tournaments also are scheduled.

An added feature this year will be the award of a plague for the team scoring the most points in the tournament. The annual "Alton Richards Memorial Trophy" individual athlete who compiles tennis and table tennis. the most points.



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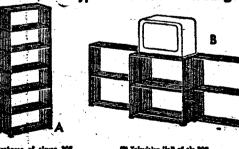
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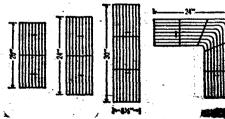
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It Took Hard Work and Baskets and

By Bob Jacobson

From now on it's for keeps.

The two weeks of crucial soccer practice were an exciting prelude: Co-captain Heinz Minnerop stood in the center of the huddle as the booters began their last pre-season workout Monday. But he wasn't giving the boys a pep talk. The Beavers were just overflowing with pep. "We want to go to Slippery Rock, don't we?" Minnerop shouted. "Yay," was the unanimous reply.

And just for the record, Charley Dooley isn't the only one who uses litter baskets: Clustered behind the main gate at Lèwisohn Stadium are more than a score of what the booters term "barrels." Coach Harry Karlin explained their presence: "We utilize anything we can get our hands on. Ours is the only soccer team I know of that improvises for workouts the

With co-captain Les Solney leading the long line of varsity and JV men, the Beavers practiced cutting and weaving among the baskets at a brisk pace in a drill last week. "Move it," Solney kept urging, "let's move it."

Then down went the baskets. And the booters jumped and straddled the "big sweep" receptacles as if they were acrobats on the Ed Sullivan show.

But the basket ceremony was only one of several phases in the gruelling practice schedule the squad undertook. Forming a large circle in the center of the field, they proceeded to walk around on the insides of their feet, on the outsides of their feet and, in a squatting position, on the bottom of their feet.

It's not only gruelling; it's lots of hours: They started to show up for Monday's final drill at 2 and it wasn't until after 5 that they all left the stadium. And they were "working hard," as Minnerop put it.

"All right," Solney began. "Ten push-ups. Let's go." The sand was marking up their tee-shirts but Solney, who was getting the worst of it-he must have some laundry bill-urged them on sympathetically. "Dont be bashful about the dirt," he told the eager Beavers. "Come on. This is for the championship. On your backs . . . lift those legs . . . sit up now . . . right hand touch your toes .. . this is for RPI . . . let's go."

Kârlin observed: "The men who come out late for the drills-you can see their tongues hanging out. The others who've been there since the beginning have no trouble at all."

Alumni of the varsity were present at many the practice sessions. Aside from "getting ready play us," as Karlin likes to think, the former Bea stars helped coach some of the booters on the points of the game.

Karlin has such confidence in his team that suggested to ex-soccer and track star, Stan Dawl that the alumni treat the varsity to dinner "if beat you by two goals." "What if we beat you six?" Dawkins wanted to know.

"The calibre of play," Karlin said, "will be as good this year as last. Compare this team to year . . . look at the spots . . . but that isn't important thing. The thing that made the team year is that they played together for four years. T were a very experienced team.

"Now we're going to take an inexperienced to They never played together-not all of themthey can't pass without calling. And they won't h the same spots every game. Last year they k where each man was going to be and they di have to call their shots."

But JV coach Saul Fein recalls the "inexperiency und (Continued on Page 7)

Soccer Team to Open Season Toda seed to Against Queens in Lewisohn Stadiun less to les

42-Game Undefeated Streak To Go on Line at 3:30

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This season, though, Queens figures to be weaker. The Knights have already played a game, losing to Hofstra, 2-1. "We lost our best players from last year," a Queens spokesman said, "and the ones we have this year don't have too much experience. In fact, we even have some boys who never played soccer before."

Still, the Beavers are taking nothing for granted. "We're

only worried about Queens insofar as it is our first game," Minnerop explained, "and first games are Bilous and Eloy Periera, will start season will go."

Any indications from the practice sessions two weeks ago have changed for the better.

At first it was believed that the booters would not be as strong as in the past. Only seven letter-



ANDY SOUKAS

men returned from last year, and up until last week, there were only fourteen players on the squad in all.

But the newcomers to the team showed extremely well in a 5-0 scrimmage victory over Columbia. Six of them are tentatively listed by Karlin in today's starting line-

One of these, Leonird Fydorow, is a last minute substitution at fuilback for letterman Nik Wohlgemuth, who has a sprained thigh muscle. Outside of Wohlgemuth, the booters are in good shape physically.

on the line. Minnerop, the center forward, says that they are "just as good as (Billy) Sund and (Gabe) Schlisser," the number one and two scorers last year, respectively.

bia, Bilous and Periera each scored shape. two goals. If they live up to Minnerop's expectations in regular skis and John Costalos, have alseason play, the booters' offense, ready won much praise from both believed to be weak in the first Karlin and their teammates. The showed me some excellent defendays of practice, may be its usual ccach, in fact, compares them

nis teammates to be the squad's an All-American. best scorer. Now in his third year, he figures to break Sund's career in the goal. Andre Houtkruyer, record until Sund scored 22 last the team last year with eleven.

The two other line positions will be held by lettermen Les Solney and Marco Wachter. Solney, the co-captain, is primarily a defenseman, but Karlin wants more punch on the line.

Wachter is in his third year with the booters. Last season he scored five goals.

Of the six defensive positions, including the goalie, newcomers will open at four. The two returnees will be fullback Claude Spinsoa and halfback Andy Souk-

Spinosa, in his third year on the team, was selected to the Allstate second team last season. Soukas, probably the most versatile player on the team, goes back to his normal haalfback post after some ventures into the line.

recently came out for the team ers aim to be there.



HARRY KARLIN

In the scrimmage against Colum- and consequently is still not in

The other halfbacks, Karl Racevfavorably with last year's half-Minnerop himself is believed by backs, who included John Paranos,

The booters appear well-covered scoring mark of 33 goals. Heinz, last season's JV goalie, is the probable starter today, but the season), was third in scoring on be just as good. They are Bob team has three others who may Berkson, Larry Simon, and Tony Papa.

The bench, especially with Wohlgemuth injured, w.ll be of very little support to the team, not because the players there are incapable but because there are so few of them.

Unless Karlin brings up some players from the JV, only Hugh Bobb, a forward, and Berkson, who can play halfback, will be on the bench to keep the coach com-

But despite the weakness of the bench, and the fact that the team hasn't played together too often, there is a high feeling of optimism on the squad.

"It's going to be almost like a world series," Minerop said of today's game. But the fact is, to-Fydorow, who is playing along- day's game alone won't decide ance against Columbia he wrapped side Spinosa at fullback, is ac- any championships. The ones in up the job as starting halfback," tually a halfback. But he only Slippery Rock will and the Beav- Karlin said.

Bilous, Periera, and Racevsk Lead Crop of Newcomers

By Vic Grossfeld

It took exactly 88 minutes of soccer in the booters' fided to pre-season game to make coach Harry Karlin a happy maiberal

Three newcomers suddenly burst® into prominence with fine per- when it comes to playing a l formances in that game against level of soccer. He has been plile tech Columbia on September 26. They are Orest Bilous, Eloy Periera, and Karl Racevskis.

The mention of these three names brings a smile to Karlin's face. "I was sure that they all knew their soccer," he said, "but you just can't be sure how good they'll be until you see them in a

Bilous and Periera are forwards and Racevskis is a halfback. "They certainly came through," Karlin said. "Bilous and Periera each sive work," he added.

"We also have a new center halfback, John Costalos, who is just rounding into shape. All he as to do is lose a little weight and he'll be ready," he continued.

Karlin has two other newcomers who should help the bench. 'I've got Hugh Bobb, who learned i's soccer in Trinidad, and Leonird Fvdorow — the first fulllledged Russian I've had on my eam."

"Bobb can play any position ery nicely," the coach went on, even though he's a halfback by profession.'

"Fvdorow is a relative newcomer to the squad," Karlin said. "But from what I've seen so far, he !ooks very good." Racevskis is a tall, blond,

rugged halfback who seems marked for stardom in his first year with the booters.

Karlin is unrestrained in his praise of the big halfback. "When I saw him play I began to feel as though we had last year's halfbacks.'

"He plays a very smart defen-

Karl is no johnny-come-lately

ing with the New York Latvi ir sup in the German-American Lea for the past few years.

"I played for the Latvians her ted year because the College three terrific halfbacks," he safting s "I thought I could get more ex a slide rience by playing with the Hined. vians than in sitting on the bentally ha

Racevskis was born in Lat becau and spent six years in France fore arriving in the United Sta



Photo by Marting sen ELOY PERIERA

"Despite the fact that I born in Europe I learned most my soccer in the United State

Periera is one of only two tive-born players on the squithe nex (the other is goalie Bob Berksots are i Karlin says that he "can't und ounting stand how Periera ever learned busines play that well."

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