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G PRESIDENT Bob Saginaw (left) and Vice President Ronald Photo by Solomon turman discuss tuition proposals with Governor Rockefeller.

tudent Reps at Albany <u>lobby</u> Against Tuition By Bruce Solomon

Fourteen student leaders brought the problems of the ty colleges to the austere chambers of the State Capitol Albany last week.

em audiences, and from twenty thirty others "buttonholed" in e corridors of the Capitol, the udents—thirteen from the Cole and one from Hunter—were ccessful in pleading the case continued free higher educa-

As expected, upstate Repubans were generally unsympaetic, but the students received considerable boost from Demoats and downstate Republicans. Most of the lobbying was done

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Judging from reactions of about just before Governor Rockefeller rty legislators who granted announced his plan for giving the Board of Higher Education the option to decide its own tuition policy. However, many of the students were sure they had already reassured some of the legislators who had been hesitant in the rejection of the Heald Committee's tuition proposal. And some were certain they had swayed the minds of those who had been "on the fence."

The good that was accomplished for their cause in the two days they were in Albany, most students felt, came through a presentation to the legislators of several carefully prepared arguments. They said they felt they had made a "good impression" on legislators as mature and intelligent stu-

Some of the students managed to secure a 5-minute interview with Governor Rockefeller, Highlight of the trip for most, however, was an hour-long discussion with Assembly Speaker. Joseph Carlino.

An outspoken foe of the city colleges' free tuition policy, the Speaker proved himself among the most informed of the legislators on the issue. He pointed out that through the Governor's program of expansion of higher education facilities, more students

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Message by Rockefeller Checks Tuition Threat

Tuition Review

NOV. 15 — Heald Committee report suggests \$300 tuition charge at the College.

NOV. 29—Assembly Speaker Joseph F. Carlino backs the Heald Committee's proposed tuition charge.

DEC. 13 — Board of Higher Education proposes combining the city colleges into a City Uni-

DEC. 20—Zaretski-Brook bill pre-filed in the State Legislature, providing for a City University with free tuition.

DEC. 28—The New York State Board of Regents endorses both the City University and the tuition fee proposal.

JAN. 3—Anti-tuition petitions signed by 4409 students are sent to Governor Rockefeller.

JAN. 18 — State University Board of Trustees proposes that appropriation of state aid to the city colleges be dependent on the institution of a tuition charge.

JAN. 22-A New York Times sampling of opinion shows that a uniform tuition plan is "not likely to meet serious opposition among upstate Republicans."

JAN. 31—Governor Rockefeller comes out in support of an optional tuition charge.

By Vic Grossfeld

The threat of a 300 dollar tuition charge at the municipal colleges was apparently ended last week—at least for the time being-when Governor Rockefeller announced his support of freedom for the Board of Higher Education to set its own tuition policy.

education, presented to the state legislature last Tuesday, Mr. Rockefeller recommended that the BHE "be granted the power to determine . . . the tuition policy within its own area of responsibility."

Dr. Gustave G. Rosenberg, chairman of the BHE, said in a statement issued immediately afterwards, that he was "glad to see that the Governor is making if and when the BHE and the it possible for the Board to carry out its expressed policy that free is necessary it should be up to tuition be continued for qualified the BHE and the City of New undergraduates."

Although widespread upstate Republican support has been indicated for the Heald Committee's proposed tuition charge, it appears probable that they will go along with Governor Rockefeller's latest recommendation, at least for the present session of the Albany legislature.

State Assembly Speaker Joseph Carlino, who had previously found the imposition of a tuition charge "indefensible," indicated that he

In a special message on higher would not oppose the Governor's proposal.

Dr. John Everett, Chancellor of the municipal colleges, felt that the recommendation was "a sound policy for the state. I think Governor Rockefeller realized that there are differences between" the state and local systems. Under the circumstances, "I feel this was the only recommendation he could make," he said.

"The Governor also realized that City of New York feel that tuition York to petition for tuition," Chancellor Everett added.

President Gallagher, at his press conference last week, saw "no possibility of this legislature imposing a tuition fee" on the College. "The worst that can happen," he added, "is if they strike the word 'gratuitously' [from the College's charter] and leave it to the colleges to decide."

Dr. Gallagher would say only that he based this contention "on firm belief." He made the statement the day after Governor Rockefeller had issued his report.

Included in the Governor's report to the legislature was a provision for annual "scholarship incentive" grants of \$200 to all undergraduates in the state who are paying tuition of \$500 or more.

Under this plan, the BHE by charging \$500 tuition per year would thus receive an additional

(Continued on Page 4) Sarfaty Named

Asst. to Peace By Fran Pike

The new number two man in the Finley Center will assume two full-time jobs while his predecessor has stepped aside "to associate more with the students."

Mr. Edmond Sarfaty, fee advisor, has replaced Dr. David Newton as assistant to Dean James S. Peace, Finley Center Director. Dr. Newton will be the freshman coordinator and Prof. Richard Brotman, the former freshman coordinator, will be his assistant. Professor Brotman will continue as adviser to fraternities at the College.

In addition, Mr. Sarfaty will continue to act as financial advisor to student organizations.

According to Dean Peace, the administrative changes were discussed in full last October after Dr. Newton had "expressed the desire . . . to associate more with the students."

"In the light of Dr. Newton's request, I asked Mr. Sarfaty to assist me in the handling of the

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$The {\it Traffic Eased}$



By Alan Kravath .

The semi-annual lower-class registration woes were alleviated this semester by the new departmental system which eliminates the single registration bottleneck.

This term's flow of student traffic was eased because "students deal directly with the department now instead of with middlemen," Prof. Robert Taylor, Registrar, explained. "Students don't have to sit as captives now," he said.

Previously, students had to first prepare a complete program while waiting for their number to be called. Now they enroll for their courses by registering at individual department desks until their program is completed.

The new innovation, designed primarily to aid lower classmen, received compliments from seniors, as well.

Nancy Colombo '61 said she was "enthusiastic" about the procedure. "One of the instructors made a pass at me," she said, and registration was handled with less anxiety."

The attitudes of lower termers ranged from the serious to the sublime: "The atmosphere is free; we are no longer herded," said Eva Lee

Baird '63. "I registered for my essential courses and went to play ping-pong

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Saginaw Sees SC Harmony; Report on Reorganization Due

Student Government President Bob Saginaw '61 said last week he expects "little disagreement" over legislation among Student Council members this term.

Twelve of the nineteen members who will be seated at Council's first session Wednesday ran on Saginaw's Free Higher Education Ticket. Nine seats remain empty, and the new President hopes that "with liberal and able people filling them we can carry out the important issues facing SG this term."

Among the "important issues" is the old problem of SG reorganization. Three diverse views on the extent of governing power to be granted the Department of Student Life and Student Government, arose last spring in reports issued by President Gallagher, Mr. Stanley Feingold (Government) and Mr. Lawrence Podell (Sociology).

An SG committee is expected to recommend a modified combination of the three reports by the third meeting of Council. Šaginaw is confident that a referendum will be ready for a student vote by May's election.

Will Resign Tuition Post

On Wednesday, Saginaw will resign his chairmanship of the temporary anti-tuition committee organized in December. He said he will be too busy to head the committee, which plans to carry out a six-point program to prevent a proposed \$300 tuition fee at the municipal colleges. He expressed confidence, however, that the new chairman, to be selected by the SG Executive Committee, will do an able job.

Although the immediate threat of tuition appears to have been alleviated, the possibility of future action by the Albany legislature still remains.

Money will occupy Council in other issues this term. A still unorganized SG committee sold buttons during the first few days of registration to raise money for the College's graduate scholarships.

Sale of Buttons Disappointing

Brenda Dosik '63, chairman of the committee, reported that the 25-cent buttons had brought about fifty dollars on one day, but that subsequent sales were so poor that the project had to be discontinued.

The lavender-on-white buttons, which say "Support Graduate Scholarships" will be sold during the term in Finley Center.

More money is also being sought to add to the \$250,000 that is presently in the College's Camp Fund. Saginaw said that additional funds are needed to buy, and then maintain the camp site.

Still in the planning stage is an "intensive program" for an Academic Freedom Week to be held three major talks encompassing the question of Communist speak-(Continued on Page 3)

SE Vacancies

The following Student Council vacancies will be filled Wednesday, February 8, in 121 Finley at 4:

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• IN THE NEWS •

New President Takes Over; Strong Leadership Expected

By Bob Jacobson

When Forest Hills High School sent its Class of '57 out into the world one June morning, at least one of the graduates had only vague notions of what the future held for him. At 17, Robert Benjamin Saginaw had chosen to enroll at the College instead of at Queens College, only because he thought he might want to become an engineer.

'Now 21 and a senior here, Bob Saginaw has stopped "playing the field." A pre-law major, he is the new President of Student Government, a role which he has assumed with great confidence and vigor, and with the enthusiastic support



BOB SAGINAW

of both students and SG leaders. His election in December came after a term which witnessed a revival of responsible student government at the College. Having latched on to one of the most successful campaign slogans in the College's history, the former SG Treasurer swept his Free Higher Education Ticket into office by large majorities.

A firm supporter of the municipal college tuition-free tradition, SC more recommendations on im-Bob is less willing than most SG members to concede that the predecessors. Saginaw generally FHET landslide was due mostly was more outspoken than Linden to the emotional appeal of the at Council sessions last term, inticket's symbol — a dollar sign.

"Probably," he says, "people were very interested in free higher education and were willing to vote in late March or April. At least for the people who were willing to stress it."

Saginaw first decided to run for the Presidency in November—only two weeks before the deadline for filing candidates' petitions. The FHET was born a few days later when Bob told his fellow Student Council member and long-time friend, Ronald Sturman of his intention to seek office.

"Bob, that's great," Sturman is reported to have said. "I think I'll run for Vice President." Both were elected, along with ten of twelve other FHET candidates.

Sturman considers his former running mate "one of the most capable students" he knows, and the feeling is echoed by the majority of SG members.

Bernard Becker, defeated Presi-

dential candidate of the opposition Liberal Reform Slate, characterizes the new SG chief as "industrious, willing and a very hard worker."

Both Becker and his Vice Presidential running mate, Bruce Markèns, are among those who attribute Saginaw's election to the "emotional appeal" of the FHET platform. Becker, whose own platform also emphasized the tuition issue, estimates that possibly "fifty percent of the students didn't know who they were voting

But although Becker regrets that he "over-estimated" the voting discrimination of the student here, he has actively supported Saginaw's tuition policies during recent weeks and expects the new President to provide strong leadership on Student Council this term.

"I'm almost sure he'll take the initiative on many issues," Becker says. "And if he doesn't, there'll be a lot of capable people around to remind him.'

And many of these people - at east half of the Council - are former FHET candidates. Jack Mazelis '62 believes this will provide Saginaw with a "cooperative" Council, tending to be even more liberal than that of former President Al Linden. "Bob is very ambitious, very conscientious," Mazelis adds.

Saginaw's ambition is at least as certain as his tirelessness. "Practically all my time since my last final exam," he explains, "was devoted to planning the SG trip to Albany.'

Although Saginaw and most SG enthusiasts admit that the tuition issue will continue to dominate discussion around the Council table — at least until the state's policy toward the city college system is made clear, the President expects that both the Executive Committee and himself will offer portant matters than did their troducing several motions himself.

Saginaw first joined SC last spring. His other extra-curricular activities have included the debating team, the Government and Law Society - of which he was Vice President under Sturman last year, and House Plan.

He says he's not sure, but thinks he's still on the Jolson '61 roster. "I'm always so busy . . . "

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Board of Managers is also ng the Leonardo daVinci currently being shown in nd Ballroom. The exhibit, as loaned to the College BM company, will conil Friday.

centative film schedule fol-

15-16: OCTOBER (Ten Days That The World) (Russia, 1927-28), di-by Sergie M. Eisenstein. 23: THE LOVE PARADE (U.S., directed by Ernst Lubitsch, with Chevalier, Jeanette MacDonald, Lane, Lillian Roth and Ben Turpin. There will be an extra showing at 03 Cohen.

3 Cohen. ' 1-2: THE NIBELUNGEN SAGA 1-2: THE NIBELUNGEN SAGA an, 1923-24), directed by Fritz Lang.
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FUGHTIVE (The Taming of Luke pet U.S., 1915), directed by William it and Cliff Smith, supervised by the Hart.
8-9: THE NEBELUNGEN SAGA, II; KRIEMHILD'S REVENGE.
BITTER PILL (U.S., 1915), a Mack

Council

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institutions of higher educaand student responsibility to Community are definitely hed, according to Bruce Mark-61, the program's coordinator. e want to make this "Week" nnual occasion and it should good one this term," Sagpromised.

ile students are celebrating emic freedom, they may again alled upon to support the civil s of southern Negroes.

ginaw said he received a sperequest from the University exas to aid the Negroes there st discrimination in movie es. He added that he hopes ill endorse a picket of the New Paramount theater, affiliated the theatre involved in Texas. udents may be fortunate igh to hear Adlai E. Stevenspeak here this term. Saginaw two letters to the country's ambassador to the United Nalast term. Mr. Stevenson was le to accept the first invitabecause of campaign obliga-

le's still a busy man," Sagsaid, "and we would be very y if he does come."

ans concerning the College nunity's support of President nedy's Point Four Youth Corps also uncertain, according to new President. The Corps allow graduate students to ace their two-year military ice by working in under-deped countries. Saginaw said if plans are completed by nesday "they might be dised then."

hinted that some constructive. to improve the functioning e Cohen Library would defly come up early in the term. would have to be discussed with the librarian, Jerome x, he added.

Linden Elevated Placement Staff

e heavy-set, bespectacled stuwho until recently dominated Student Government office in inley has been elevated to the h floor and the College's ment Office.

mer SG.President Al Linden, was graduated last semester, serve as Assistant to Place-Director Ernest W. Schnae-

nden intends to begin gradu-work in September:

lm Schedule Set for

venteen films are scheduled Sennett Comedy, with Mack Swain.
Mar. 13-16: TELL ENGLAND (The Battle of Gallopoli) (England, 1930-31), directed by Anthony Asquith and Geoffrey YELLOW CAESAR (England, 1942), di-

Mar. 22-23: LONG PANTS (U.S., 1927), directed by Frank Capra, with Harry Lang-

Mar. 22-23: LONG PANTS (U.S., 1927), directed by Frank Capra, with Harry Langdon.

BARNEY OLDFIELD'S RACE FOR LIFE (U.S., 1914), a Mack Sennett Comedy, with Sennett, Ford Sterling and Mabel Normand.

Mar. 29-30: WESTFRONT 1918 (Comrades of 1918) (Germany, 1930), directed by G. W. Pabst.

RAIN (Holland, 1929), directed by Joris Ivens and Mannus Franken.

Apr. 12-13: THE OROWD (U.S., 1927-28), directed by King Vidor, with James Murray and Eleanor Boardman.

Apr. 19-20: THE MERRY WIDOW (U.S., 1925), directed by Erich von Stroheim, with Mae Murray and John Gilbert.

Apr. 26-27: CARTOONS AND PUP-PETOONS - a two hour program of animated films.

May 3-4: L'ATALANTE (France, 1934), directed by Jean Vigo.

THE MYSTERIES OF THE CASTLE OF THE DIE (France, 1929), directed by Man Ray.

Albany Trip

(Continued from Page 1) would receive a free or nearly free higher education, but that "somebody's got to shoulder the burden -either the city or the students" in addition to the state.

The group had been chosen by Student Government President Bob Saginaw, who is also outgoing Chairman of SG's Anti-Tuition Committee. It included SG Vice President Ronald Sturman and Treasurer Fred Bren, Bernard Becker, Chairman of the Student Board of Managers, Senior Class President Ted Sonde, Barry Brett, Government and Law Society President, and Hunter College student body President Blanche

Carefully briefed beforehand on what to expect by the College's Public Relations Department, and armed with copies of an Alumni Association bulletin which carefully answered some of the points raised by the Heald Committee, the students were divided into groups of three, and given lists of the legislators they were to

Microcosm

Clubs and organizations wishing to pose for group photographs for Microcosm may obtain applications in the Senior Office, 223 Finley. The organization's history, activities, and officers should also be submitted. Seniors who have not yet taken pictures are requested to come to the Senior Office for an appointment. Those who have not yet ordered Microcosm may also do so there.

Term Program Changes

Requests for program changes will be considered between 9 and 3 every day through February 15. Students wishing to make changes must make appointments outside 200 Shepard. A five dollar fee will be charged.



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Governor's Reprieve

The threat of a tuition charge seems to have been averted for at least this session of the state legislature, thanks to Governor Rockefeller's message on higher education last week. Appeal by students, faculty, and alumni and parents, as well as pressure applied by city education leaders deserve no small share of the credit, however. We can only hope, too, that state legislators have learned something of the importance of the free municipal colleges that will guide their attitudes towards the colleges' tuition policy in the future.

What the Heald Committee report has brought out, however, is the desire of many up-state legislators to see some sort of tuition fee imposed on the state universities in their area. While they may be willing to go along with Governor Rockefeller's plan for a while, particularly with a mayoralty election due in our city next November, the State's ever-increasing contribution to the city college system still leaves them with a talking point.

It is unlikely that the legislators will try to change the present formula under which the Board of Higher Education receives money from the State. The Governor has already asked in his budget message last week that the formula remain the same. Assuming a bill to create it is passed by the Albany legislature, the new City University will require state funds because of the nominal charge it is expected to levy on graduate students. No appropriation has yet been made for the university, since it has not yet been created.

In addition, the Governor's "scholar incentive" plan to give \$200 to each student paying \$500 or more tuition at a college in the state, while aimed primarily at aiding the private colleges, nevertheless, would remain a tempting reminder to the city that it is being deprived of \$200 or more per student in state aid by not charging tuition.

With the cost of higher education rising disproprotiontionately with the cost of living, the city now-more than ever-must depend on State aid to assume part of the burden for financing the municipal colleges. The State has already indicated its long overdue recognition of the increasing need for financing higher education in the state; it now must recognize that this need not end at the city line.

Pick a Card

Prof. Robert L. Taylor, the College's Registrar, probably was being cautious last term when he told us not to expect many benefits for the student from the new departmental registration system instituted here last month. The new process, he said, was designed primarily to quicken the mass of clerical work involved.

But if the advantages of the IBM machines are important to Professor Taylor's staff, the convenience of registering individually by department instead of all at once proved of much value to the student.

We are grateful to those who have given us a "freer atmosphere," as one coed put it, during our semi-annual ordeal in the Great Hall. But would someone please tell us how to get new IBM course cards. Ours have holes in them.

Stomach Rumblings

Needless to say, the snack bar's shorter hours will mean sleeping in early morning classes and going without a late snack for the denizens of the Finley Center. Of particular concern to us are the Campus people who will have to wait said, "I spoke to approximately until 10:30 for their morning stimulant and who will have sixty or seventy students and was to forego that after-9 chicken salad on rye on late issue able to return half of them to danses." classes."

Letters

NO 'MISGIVINGS' To the Editor:

Having spent many countless hours in the frustrating task of registration over the past four years, I would like to congratulate the Administration for bringing automation to City College.

I must confess that I had quite a negative attitude towards the new procedure, based mainly upon information obtained from friends at other colleges whose schools have adopted similar methods.

Any misgivings I had quickly vanished when confronted with the speed and efficiency of the new method. These procedures were sorely needed, and it is to the College's credit that an inroad has been made in our muddled registration procedure.

Joel Moses '61 Feb. 1

Sarfaty

Finley Center," the Dean said "His background and his experience make him a good person for the job."

Dr. Newton, who was Associate Director of the Center since 1955 said he had wanted such a change "for over a year."

"I found much satisfaction in



MR. EDMOND SARFATY

my administrative role," he said, "but I felt I was getting rusty. I'd like a little more direct contact with students."

Mr. Sarfaty said he considers his new job a "promotion in responsibility." Since the last day of the fall semester, when he moved into found it impossible to leave the he added.

Mr. Sarfaty said he considers his new position an "opportunity to grow professionally."

Dr. Newton's new duties will consist of organizing the freshman orientation program, teaching the majority of the sections, running the pre-registration freshman assembly and Parent's Day, and handling all freshman problems connected with drop-outs and leaves of absences.

"I hope that from now on freshman orientation will deal less with 'adjusting the freshman to life' and more with helping them to adjust to the College," Dr. Newton said.

His responsibility as consultant to students who want to drop out or request a leave-of-absence is not a new one. "Last year," he

Tuition

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\$200 per student in State aid. Although a state imposed tuition charge is now an improbability the question of the formula for the appropriation of state aid to the municipal colleges remains an

The State University Board of Trustee report, which was issued on January 18, proposed a state aid appropriation which would be rigid whether or not the BHE charges tuition at the municipal colleges. Thus if tuition is not charged, the loss of revenue would be absorbed by the city.

In his budget message to the legislature last Wednesday, Governor Rockefeller provided that state aid be appropriated to the municipal colleges on the same formula as was used this year.

Dr. Gallagher balked at the suggestion of a plan making the amount of state aid dependent upon a tuition charge. "It would be entirely unfair to make state aid dependent upon local" policy, he said.

"It would be contrary to any sound legislative policy," Dr. Gallagher continued, "and I cannot recall" any state legislative act which was ever made conditional upon local support.

Although he refused to confirm or deny approval, Dr. Gallagher thus implied his support of the Zaretski-Brook bill which has been filed before the state legislature. This bill would provide for students with early classes the formation of the City Univer- be able to use the cafeteria sity and undergraduate education their "cup of coffee." It is o "gratuitously" at the University. from 8 to 7.

Snack Bar **Opens Late**

By Norma Felsenthal

Students who spend most of day in the Finley Center sn bar will have to get there la and leave earlier.

The snack bar will be open of from 10:30 to 9 beginning to Former hours were 8:30 to 10

Mr. Edmund Sarfaty, Assist Director of Finley Center, plained that the change was m mainly because of a staffing pr lem. He said that it is difficul get people to work late night ho and early morning hours.

"The change will insure be service at peak periods," the rector said.

He added that the extra he the snack bar remained open w not profitable. "I don't know i much of a difference it will m in profit, but we'll find out."

The cashier said that she li the new hours. "I don't have get up so early. It will be a appointment for Evening Ses students though," she added. "T like to use the snack bar a lounge after classes."

She agreed, however, that the morning there was little b ness before the "first rush 9:30.

Mr. Sarfaty pointed out

The Traffic Eased

(Continued from Page 1) before finishing up," boasted Jeffrey Sunshine '63.

Many students were delighted by the speed of registration. Thomas Lynch '63 said he registered twice and it only took him an hour.

Lynch was mistakenly given the registration card of Beverly Lynton '63, and registered for six physics courses before the error was discovered at the Biology Department. So he just cancelled all the courses and repeated the

One professor from each department plus a "roving trouble-shooter" in the Great Hall were available to help students register. A lower-classman, however, said they could have used more

Dr. Newton's office in 123 Finley, going," June Cohen said. "I think "I have had so much work, I've the teachers have lots of time to reason cited by those preferement Chief advise because all the courses are | the system was that the dep College before seven," he said. closed. By the time I manage to mental method speeded and sim RAWING "But this is a transition period," walk around and see what is fied registration. Those opposed anical.

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| however, sections, didn't close plice to p fast as they might have.

"We have the obligation to cept as many students as we squeeze in," Professor Taylor s adding, "otherwise about third would be eliminated."

Shepard Hall now houses array of new IBM computers process the new course ca Judging from student react the machines have proven worth.

Students Like System In an independent poll of students who registered the weeks, approximately 75 perfavored the new system of en

The poll, which was conducted by Leonard Sponder '61, a che in the Great Hall, showed 1,13 "I don't know if I'm coming of favor, 211 against, and 122 neut

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On New Year's Eve, Nora berts '63 attended a party with e open diban Premier Fidel Castro. The ning todarty, held outdoors at the pentan of former Premier Batista, as dedicated to the forthcoming Year of Education." Ten thound voluntary teachers and one iffing pi difficul ousand foreign guests attended. "At midnight there was a beauful fireworks display," Nora resure be rted. "At 1, doves were res," the ased, but I don't think any und their way to the United extra ho

Nora, President of the College's V. Debs club, and Editor of the *pung Socialist* newspaper, joined Miami 340 other Americans ho planned to spend their hristmas vacation on a Cuban ur sponsored by the Fair Play r Cuba Committee. The group as guest of the Cuban Institute bar a r Friendship for All Peoples.

> Nora said she wanted to see uba for herself because she lidn't believe the American ess is prepared to understand e Cuban Revolution."

The Miami press announced em as "Red Beatniks." "We ced a lot of harrassment at the iami airport," Nora reported. Counter - revolutionary exiles om Cuba spat at us and chased out to the airplanes. It took me time to convince the Miami i't close blice to protect us."

During the tour in Cuba, the sitors saw three provinces: avana, Matanzas and Pinar del Taylor sejo. At East Havana, Nora reorted, thousands of homes have en built for the peasants as art of the urban reform promputers ram. Nursery schools, markets nd hospitals have also been conructed at the site.

> On January 2, the second anniersary of the Cuban Revolution nd a day before the break in S-Cuban diplomatic relations. ora watched a parade of teachrs and militia in Havana: It was fter this parade that Castro

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NORA ROBERTS, President of College's Eugene V. Debs Club, visited Cuba on New Year's Eve.

made the four hour speech, demanding the expulsion from Cuba of American diplomatic personnel, that led to the break in relations.

Nora told how Castor warned of a US attack while one million * Cubans shouted "Venceremos" (we shall win).

Castor's speeches are so long, Nora said, because he explains his programs in great detail. "He does not speak of 'New Frontiers'," she said, "but specifically states what is being done in each field."

"All of us felt that the Cuban people are friendly and showed real warmth extending beyond politeness." Nora said. "They said to us, 'We want to tell you the

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truth. Yanqui papers don't tell you the truth.'

"They would chant 'Cuba si, Yanqui no,' and then hug you,' Nora continued. "We like the English). American people," they said to her. "You don't own the monopo-

Although she considers herself "pro-Cuban," Nora admitted there is not much freedom for the counter-revolutionaries. But the role of Cuban counter-revolutionaries is different from that of political dissenters in the U.S., she said, distinguishing between an active and a passive political opposition. "It's as if someone here trained a militia and distributed guns," she said, pointing out that there is no freedom for armed opposition in the US,

Restrictions on the liberty of the Cuban citizen are self-imposed, Nora reported, in the desire to display a united front. Shesaid she was told that the people do not want elections yet, for that would crystallize the opposition and result in a legal civil war. With an election, the opposition could organize and raise money openly.

"Everybody in Cuba likes Fidel," she said. "The people have reason to trust him because he fulfilled his promises. The Cubans are for Castro as long as Castro is for the Revolution.'

Nora's return on January 3 coincided with the US announcement of the break in relations.

Proctors on Toes; **Cheating on Wane**

A new system of proctoring, used by the English Department during final exams last month proved effective in curbing cheating, according to Prof. Edgar Johnson (Chmn.

In recent months, President Gallagher and several department chairmen have expressed growing concern over cheating at the Col-

In a recent survey, conducted by two psychology students here 178.1 per cent of the students interviewed admitted to having cheated at one time or another.

The new plan was based on a plan drawn up by the Economics Department in 1954. It orders proctors:

- Never to sit down.
- Never to read a newspaper.
- To keep moving in a varying pattern.
- Not to congregate.

President Gallagher, at his press conference last week, called for exam proctors to make it as difficult as possible for students to cheat, and to make the penalties for cheating as severe as possible.

He further recommended that instructors, during the course of the term, refrain from the practice of giving the same exam to each of their classes.

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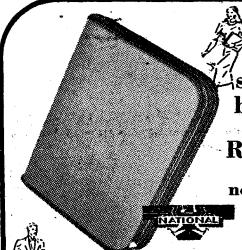


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Navy Tops Parriers, 14-13

COACH ED LUCIA praised

foilsman Vito Manino for his

three victories against Navy.

The Rutgers match proved a

hard-earned victory for the fen-

cers who usually have an easy

time with the New Jersey school.

Only the foil team's winning eight

of its nine bouts saved the Bea-

vers from defeat. Manino and

Muldovan swept all their bouts

The Parriers lost the two open-

ing matches of the season to the

University of Pennsylvania and

to insure the victory.

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But to say the least, Lucia was disappointed in the showing of his saber team which won only one of its nine bouts.

"It is no disgrace to lose to Navy's saber team," Lucia said, "but now is the time I wish I had my two All-Americas back from last year."

The coach was referring to All-American sabermen Andy Kemeny and Harry Mayer who played a big part in Navy's defeat last

This time the saber team could not stand the onslaught by the Middies' triple winners, Eddie Hurst and Dale Windham. The only victory was registered by Ray Fields.

Although the saber losses hurt, the decisive factors in the match were in epee. Five times in epee bouts the touches went to four for each man-five are needed to win -which shows how evenly the opponents were matched.

The epee squad won five of nine contests, with Mike Goldfine and Richard Blanquet registering double victories.

The Beavers' record is now 1-4. Beat Tigers, Lose to Rutgers Earlier, the fencers lost to a

strong Princeton team, 18-9, on January 28 and barely defeated a surprisingly adept Rutgers squad, 15-12, on January 7.

Princeton has been the team that has meant the most trouble for the College's fencers in the past and this year wasn't any different. The biggest setback in the Beavers' 9-3 record last season came at the hands of the Tigers, 16-11.

This year Princeton's strong point was in epee, and the deadly trio of Ed Carfangno, Frank Anger and Bob Chapman blanked the Beavers in nine bouts.

Abe Studnick won a double victory for the College in foil, but the Tigers won a majority of foil contests when Vito Manino and Gerry Muldovan took only one bout, each.

However, the college's sabermen provided the surprise of the match when they won five of their nine contests with Ray Fields, a triple winner.

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high scorer with ten points. He set a blistering pace in winning the 100-yard freestyle and came to within two-tenths of a second of the College's record of 2:27.4 in the 200-yard individual medley.

Barry Shay boosted his season's point total to 45 when he won the 440-yard freestyle. Mike Wohlober led the field in the 220yard freestyle and placed second in the mermen's weakest event, the backstroke.

Co-captain Danny Goldin won the breaststroke and swam the same stroke in the 400-yard medley relay. He almost had a double victory when he took the lead in the 200-yard butterfly with only stretch.

It was soon discovered, however that he had retired not because of fatigue but simply because he had lost his trunks. "Try suspenders next time" was the only advice coach Jack Rider could offer the embarassed swimmer.

In the Fordham meet, held on January 6, the mermen were true to form as they won six events and secured all nine second places to defeat the Rams, 65-30,

Morris Levine was the top scorer with nine points, finishing second in the individual medley, butterfly and breaststroke events.

Coed Breaks World's 880-yard Record Competing in Washington Indoor Mee

Sandra Pashkin '64_broke the unofficial Women's World Indoor Record for the 880-yard run in the Washington Star Games on Saturday, January 28 with a time of 2:25.3

The old record of 2:25.5 was held by Mrs. Grace Butcher of Cleveland, Ohio.

Sandra has been racing in competition since she entered high school, and has run every event from the 60-yard dash to the halfmile. On Saturday she competed against Olympic Gold Medal winfifty yards to go, but failed in the ner Wilma Rudolph in the 60yard dash at the Millrose Games in Madison Square Garden.



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CorKnights Top Cagers Or the First Time

By Jerry Posman

he last remnant of the Cole's one-time domination of metropolitan basketball ne passed quickly into the cord books last Wednesday, then the Beavers lost to seens College, 62-45, at ngate gym.

the victory was the Knights' t in the fourteen game series ich began when the College a ranking national power, in

the Beavers had been beating eens with ease over the past ven years and that's just how streak ended—with ease. Une to mount anything reseming a potent scoring attack, the vender scored the microscopical of four field goals in the ond half.

only a 27-25 halftime lead saved Beavers from complete demoon at the hands of Queens. In opening half the two teams to as close as a knight and his tor, with the lead changing ds seven times.

Why?

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long demonstration of futility concluded last Wednesday, en Michael Katz '61, former npus editor, witnessed his one dredth consecutive Beaver basball game. It was his last, aid the exhausted Katz, "I ulda stood in bed."

but it took Queens only 35 secs in the second half to gain ead that they never relinshed.

eddy Hurwitz, who had been spark behind the Beavers game winning streak earlier the year, started the game but taken out with five minutes go in the first period.

Vithout the 5-6 co-captain at helm the Lavender offensive suncoordinated and while the ghts were scoring thirty points m the floor in the second half, Beavers were missing shots, ow the ball away and occasion making one of their four field is

Queens' Al Hevesi was high rer with 17 points and Tor sen led the Beaver barrage h 15 points—eleven in the first

he cagers' record stands at while the Knights gained their th victory against only two de-

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All-State

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nes of the outstanding players the game to the All-State mittee. At the end of the sea, taking into consideration the mber of times a player's name ears on these lists, and the iber of the team he was playing h time it appeared, the contee whittles the total down to

The result is a first team of ven players—one for each poon—a second team of eleven, as a second team of eleven, as the vent team that went to the semiall round of the NCAA soccer yoffs were given All-State ths. They were Claude SpinLes Solney and Heinz Minne-



DAVE POLANSKY'S cagers, lost to Queens for the first time in seven years as coach.

faced a sirong Northeastern University team. The Beavers lost 74.53 to end their winning streak at four.

Behind 31-25 at the half, the cagers could not match the shooting talents of Pete Ducey who scored 20 points and backcourt star Jim Burke who tallied 12 points in the second period.

Shelly Bender was the College's high scorer with 16 points.

Wrestlers Beaten By Temple, 25-2

Wrestling coach Joe Sapora had no trouble finding the right words to describe his team's 25-2 loss to Temple on January 28.

My boys "were pretty shook up," was what the man said.

The Temple meet marked the third time in four that the wrestlers were "shook up" this season.

The scheduled match between the College's Wrestling team and East Stroudsberg State Teachers College on Saturday was cancelled because of the snowstorm.

After opening the campaign with a 24-6 loss to Columbia, the grapplers pinner a 33-5 loss on Brooklyn Poly.

But on January 7, they dropped another, 18-6, to Kings Point.

Against the Mariners, the Beavers' two victories were posted by captain Dave Borah (147) and Jerry Kaplan (123). Borah also accounted for the squad's two points against Temple when he wrestled to a draw.

Tryouts

Spring training for Campus sports candidates will begin Thursday at 12 in 338 Finley. All that is needed to make the team is two strong arms for typing and a good eye for news.

"Talent is not necessary," says our Sports Editor and he practices what he preaches.

Snow Cancels Hurwitz Finale

One of the city's severest snow-sterms brought an unexpected end to the Beaver basketball career of co-captain Teddy Hurwitz.

The 5-foot 6-inch playmaker, who was graduated in January, was to play his last game against American University on Saturday night. The snowstorm intervened, however, and Hurwitz had to be satisfied with a three-year progress record that saw-him rise from bench warmer to co-ordinator of the cagers offensive.

In his last game against Queens. Wednesday, Hurwitz played less than fifteen minutes and scored only three points. Asked why he was taken cut, coach Dave Polansky offered "no comment."

The spirited Hurwitz reached his personal peak in the Beavers' 4-game winning streak in late December after they had lost their first five games of the season. His best effort came against Farleigh Dickinson, December 23, when he scored a career high of 22 points.

Hurwitz also received a standing ovation from the Wingate Gym crowd that night for personally disintegrating a full court press

a great display of ballhandling and passing techniques.

Coach Polansky will have

TEDDY HURWITZ

set up by Farleigh Dickinson, with

Coach Polansky will have a tough time finding a man to replace Hurwitz' leadership, playmaking ability, and most important—his average of 8.8 points per game.



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The College's rifle team continued undefeated when it defeated the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1426-1424, at the Lewisohn Stadium range, Thursday.

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Next Season

By Barry Riff

Despite a dismal won-lost "small college," the College's basketball team will regain years. partial big-time status with the rescheduling of Fordham seasons.

Dr. Arthur DesGrey, faculty manager of athletics, made the announcement January 9 after the General Faculty Committee on Intercollegiate Athletics gave aponly one meeting.

The move to play at least one -NYU, St. John's, Manhattan and ning it for seven straight years. Fordham-was co-sponsored by Dr. DesGrey and basketball coach Dave Polansky.

"These schools had originally been dropped with the understanding that they would eventually be taken back," Dr. DesGrey said.



FACULTY MANAGER Arthur H. DesGrey announced basketball schedule for next season.

"We will probably play Fordham for the next two or three years after which we may take back a different met school in place of Fordham."

The Fordham series dates back to 1906 with the Beavers having won 29 of the 44 games played. The Lavender last defeated the Rams in 1957.

Buffalo State was dropped from the schedule by mutual consent. If this season's one year contract were renewed, the Beavers would have had to play at Buffalo next year which would entail great expense and inconvenience for the College. The cagers defeated the Orangemen 88-79 earlier in the season.

Polansky, who had been much in favor of retaining the traditional rivals last season, spoke more guardedly this year.

"Fordham will serve as an experiment to see if it will be possible to bring back the other teams in the near future," he said.

Most of his players, however, more outspokenly favored once again scheduling the local teams.

Tor Nilsen, the Beavers' high scorer, echoed the feelings of most of the players, saying, "I like the idea of playing Fordham again and I would also like the chance to play NYU and St .John's before I graduate." Nilsen is a junior.

Mike Winston thought the idea of taking Fordham back was "excellent," but said that "the college should wait at least three or four years before playing NYU and St. John's. As it stands now we're certainly not ready for them.

'5' to Revive | 4 Booters Named All-State; Ram Rivalry Gambardella on First Team

All-State honors came to four members of the College's soccer team two months after record in its first year as a the booters had completed their poorest season in seven

Aldo Gambardella, the 5-5 inside right, and co-captain John University for the next two Costalas, left fullback, were selected to the first and second team squads, respectively. Honorable mention was awarded to Beaver goalie Andre Houtkruyer and inside left Earle Scarlett.

The booters who finished with proval to next year's schedule. To a 7-3 record lost a post-season bid make room for Fordham the Col- to the NCAA playoffs when they lege dropped Buffalo State after were defeated by Brooklyn College 4-3 on November 5. This was also the second consecutive year of the four metropolitan rivals that the Beavers lost the Metrodropped from this year's schedule politan Conference title after win-

> "We never talked about making All-State after we lost to Brooklyn," Costalas said, "and besides that we didn't think we stood a chance.

"Nobody thought about it or expected it. I imagine everyone was very surprised," added Gambardella:

Coach Harry Karlin was 'thrilled" that four of his players were selected and he especially singled out Gambardella for praise.

"There is absolutely nothing about the game that Aldo doesn't know," Karlin said. "He was the only man to get my vote in every

Aldo Gambardella



John Costalas



Earl Scarlett

one of the nine games.'

Andre

Houtkruyer

Speaking of Costalas, Karlin said he was a very "spirited" ballplayer, besides being a "fine" fullback.

"Johnny was great in our best game of the season, against RPI (the Beavers won 1-0) and he also excelled in the Brooklyn game."

Houtkruyer is considered by Karlin the "best goalie in the country." But the coach explained that Andre did not gain true recognition because the booters' opposition was generally so poor that the versatile goaltender had little work to do.

"With a few more tough games

Houtkruyer would have been an All-America selection," declared.

Earle Scarlett, the only one of the four who will return next season, is considered by the coach and his teammates as a potential All-America choice.

The system used by the All-State Selection Committee to narrow down the thousand-odd names, submitted by the 49 colleges playing soccer in New York State, to 55 All-Star berths involves an intricate procedure.

Karlin

After each game the two coaches and a referee send the

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Fencers Edge ByMidshipmo In Final Bo

Everything was the sa as last year for the Colle fencing team when it trave to Navy Saturday, except one thing—the score.

The foilsmen had defeated Midshipmen, 14-13, the prev February to accomplish one of greatest upsets in their his This year they came with touch of repeating the imposs but while the score was the s the Beavers were on the lo

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The score was 13-13, with one bout remaining in epee tween the fencers' Val Lom and Navy's Ralph Beedle. man scored four touches. A do touch then made the score with a seldom-played sixth t needed for victory.

Beedle made the touch and Beavers' domination of the dies had ended at one match

Even in losing, the fencers on their finest exhibition of season against a team that is sistently ranked among the tion's best.

Vito Manino led the Bea with a triple victory in foil combined with Abe Studnick Gerry Muldovan to give the cers a 7-2 advantage in that v

-"Manino was terrific, great." said coach Edward L of his sophomore prodigy.

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Columbia Halts Merme With Win in Last Even

Swimming coach Jack Rider was too disheartened look last Friday as Columbia's anchor man in the last eve the 440-yard freestyle relay, slipped by Beaver Carl Ross win the meet, 53-42. This defeat at the Wingate pool en the mermen's winning streak at six.

Beaver co-captain Danny Goldin& supplied the most exciting moment of the meet when he won the breaststroke event by inches over the Lion's Bob Ozer to set a new College record.

Goldin knew he had to take the event to keep the Beavers in contention, and with a great effort he finished the 200 yards in 2:35, .8 of a second faster than his old mark, set in the Eastern Championships last winter.

The Lion's strongman was John Modell who won the 220 and 440yard freestyle events and anchored the decisive relay team. His teammate Bob Jacobs, the only other double winner, took the individual medley and butterfly events.

The Beayers started the meet with a victory in the 440-yard medley relay. It was one of the three events they won. The mermen gained most of their points by capturing six of nine second places.

Mike Balogovsky won the 50yard freestyle by a hair to keep the Beavers ahead 16-9. Later, Goldin and teammate Morris Levine placed second and third in the butterfly to hold the lead,

The score was 35-35 when the Lions took first and third in the backstroke and pulled ahead for the first time. Goldin's victory brought the mermen to within four points with only the last relay left in the meet.

The Beavers needed the final relay for victory but in the last on beneath the concrete stands | lap "ironman". Modell proved too strong for anchor man Ross.



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Coach Jack Rider, not too pleased with the team said, " really swam their heads off."

ing wins over Brooklyn Poly Fordham.

The Beavers trounced Brook Poly, 71-24, on January 27, ning eight events and captur eight second places. The pov less Engineers were victims of all-out effort in which fourt swimmers contributed to the h est team total of the season.

Co-captain Carl Ross was (Continued on Page 6)

The Rifle Story: Success

Nimrods Hit Peak Against Army

By Ken Koppel

Underneath the concrete stands of Lewisohn Stadium is a rifle range where one normally finds First Sergeant Bernard Kelley. In fact, there a few who refuse to believe that he ever leaves it.

In any case, staying in one spot must pay off because coach Kelley's marksmen are undefeated against a schedule comprising the best collegate competition in the country.

The team which had been winning steadily all season had to forget about all its previous victories when it faced West Point on January 7. The possibility of defeating Army seemed pretty remote, as the cadets hadn't been defeated in 35 meets and had not lost to the College in thirty years.

But the tide had turned this time, and the Beavers topped the Black Knighhts by one point, 1422-1421.

However, the riflers' strongest test is still to come. On February 24 they play St. John's. The Redmen have taken the league title from the Lavender for the past two seasons and defeated Army the season after the Beavers turned the task.

Sgt. Kelley attributes much of the team's success to the availability of the rifle range and to the support of the College's ROTC unit which has contributed five members to the present squad.

With equipment, including rifles and ammunition supplied by the ROTC, the only thing



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that Kelley needs are enough students who are willing to make a home of the range a few hours every week-with experience or without. Of the members on the present team, only captain Bernie Renois ever fired for a high school varsity.

Sgt. Kelley's plans for the future include the creation of a College pistol team, in addition to the riflemen. He has arranged for the College a post season pistol "postal match" against the University of California.

Each team in a postal match fires on its respective range and then the targets are exchanged by mail.

Meanwhile Kelley is not moving from the rifle range so you can be sure something is going of Lewisohn Stadium.

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