## COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER CHOSEN

Chaplain Kirsch has announced that the Rev. Ralph W. Loew of Trinity Church, Buffalo, is to be the speaker at the Baccalaureate program. The commencement address will be delivered by Clifford C. Furnes, Chanceulor of the University of Buffalo.

This year the Baccalaureate for the graduating class will take place on May 31 and the commencement exercises on June 1. Both events are scheduled for three o'clock in the Sutter Gymnasium.

The graduation exercises include the academic procession, followed by the processional hymn and the national anthem. After the invocation, a piano solo will be played by Prof. George Martin. The address will be followed by the presentation of candidates for degrees by Dean Stern and conferred by President Heindel
The rest of the program includes commissioning of U. S. Marine Corps Officers, solo by Margery Mayer accompanied by Thelma Chorlian. The presentation of candidates for the Distinguished Citizenship Award and for Honorary Degrees will follow. The Alma Mater, followed by the benediction and recessional hymn, will complete the exercises.

## TWO FULBRIGHTS AWARDED

Two members of the class of 1959 have been awarded fellowships to study abroad next year. Under the Fulbright Act of the U. S. Government, Anne Marie Swensen and Diane Borst will continue their studies in Germany and France respectively.

Anna Marrie Swensen, a music major from Ridgefield, New Jersey, has been in the Wagner Choir for the past four years. For the past two years she has been choir soloist and has studied under Marjorie Mayor Steen. Anna Marie's grant authorizes her to study voice at the State Institute of Hamburg for one year. stitute of Hamburg for one year.
She plans to leave in September on the M. S. Berlin.

Diane Borst, a French major from Rochester, New York, has won her award to study French literature at the University of Grenoble in France. Her activities at Wagner include president of Alpha Omicron Pi Sorority, president of Alethea, the Senior Women's Honor Society, Who's Who in American Colleges and Universiies, and Junior Prom Queen A.ttendant. Diane will leave about the 20 th of September for one year's study.

About 900 such awards are made yearly to college seniors who want to continue their education in a foreign country. The terms of the award include full payment of transportation from the awardee's home to his place of study, tuition and books at the university of his choice, room and board, and a maintenance allowance.

## From The President's Room

To the Student Body:
You will be pleased to know that the accreditation of Wagner College by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools has been reaffirmed.

## Two Attend Meeting At Eisenhower's Request

The President's Committee on Rehabilitation, headed by General Maas, invited Peter DeRuiter and Gunther Bishoff to Washington, D. C., on Thursday and Friday, May 7 and 8, for a conference concerning the rehabilitation of crippled people, and the problem of showing industry that these people can work as well if not better than the physically fit.
Gunther and Pete came to the conclusion that the main purpose of this meeting was the problem of supplying jobs to the incapacitated. They also informed me that they were the only college students at the meeting and therefore were the center of attraction on more than one occasion when they made comments.
The first morning consisted of a large meeting with many top speakers. President Eisenhower could not be there because of a previous engagement with Winston Churchill, but Vice-President Nixon ably filled his position. The main feeling of this meeting, with the various speakers from Rehabilitation, Inc., all of whom are handicapped themselves, was a tremendous sense of humor that these people displayed, and in no way could it be detected that they were pitying themselves or were angry at the world. As Gunther said to me. "I didn't even know that he was blind." This was in reference to the head of the President's Committee, General Maas. Another speaker was Under Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare Department. They also saw the movie "Employees Only" which was about the Hughes Aircraft Company which employs over 2,000 handicapped. The Head of the Selective Service stressed the idea that people were turned down for their disabilities and not accepted for
(Continued on page 3)

## Belles Lettres <br> Winner Announced

The winner of this year's Belles Lettres Citation is Suzan Mocko. This annual award for Wagner College is sponsored by the Belles Lettres Society of Staten Island. The poem submitted by Miss Mocko was "The Brave One."
An English major, Sue is VicePresident of the Wagner College Panhellenic, and Senior Representative to Panhellenic for her sorority, Delta Zeta. A junior, she has already published several of her poems and short stories in Nimbus.

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## Kenneth Johnson Assumes New Post

Kenneth Johnson arrived from San Francisco this last April to take up his duties as Director of Student Personnel Services.
Mr. Johnson will be responsible for organizing a guidance and counseling center at the College, something we have been in dire need of for many years, and will have control over the office of the Student Deans. He has also been placed in the temporary position of Director of the Placement Office until Professor Coles, Chairman of the Socioligy Department will be able to take over in September.
Pastor Johnson graduated from Carthage College, Carthage, Ill., in 1949. He then entered Seminary and received his Bachelor of Divinity from the Chicago Lutheran Theological Seminary in 1950. . He has also just completed work on a thesis and submitted it for the degree of Master of Sacred Theology, in the field of the New Testament.
During the years 1956 and 1957, Mr. Johnson studied full time in the Department of Psychology at George Washington University and received a degree of Master of Arts. He is currently studying for his Ph.D. in the area of Counseling Psychology. He has had clinical training experience at the George Washington University Hospital, the District of Coversity Hospital, the Department of Vocational Rehabilitation, and at numerous public agencies and hospitals in the Washington, D. C. area.

In addition to these many pursuits he has also served pastorates in Detroit, South Haven, Michigan, and San Francisco.

On the basis of leadership in several fields of college activities and a high standard of scholarship, three men were inducted into the Wagner College Men's Honor Society at the Student Association Banquet on April 30, 1959. Congratulations are in order for new members Tony Atwell, Mel Hammer, and Richard Schneider.

The newly elected officers of the Men's Honor Society are: Roger Hassel, President; Dave Martin, VicePresident; W. Scott Andrus, Secretary; and Ulrich Keemes, Treasurer. The society is now planning next year's program of service to the college and looks forward to an active year with eight members returning.
Another new tradition was started this year at the Student Association Banquet where seven women were tapped for Alethea, the Women's Honor Society. The founding members are Joan Becker, Diane Borst, Joan Corell, Ellen Derr, Ruth Heil, Carla Heubing, Hope Machina, Carol Marschhaus, Barbara Moore, and Kathy Wahlers were presented with white roses and certificates by faculty advisers Miss Kershaw and Dean Manship. The members then tapped Deanna Becker, Mary Chichester, Dagny Jensen, Louise Magnusson, Barbara Ogden, and Carolyn Webb with long stem white roses and brought them to the front to receive their certificates.

Members of Alethea are chosen by the Senior members from the Junior class and must have a cumulative scholastic index of at least 1.8 , have held office in at least three different activities, and receive favorable recommendations from the faculty.

## PHI ALPHA THETA ELECTS ELEVEN

The Wagner College chapter (Epsilon Iota) of Phi Alpha Theta, national honor society in history, inducted eleven new members on Saturday afternoon, April 25, in ceremonies at the College. Paul Hartung, President of the Chapter, was in charge of the initiation.

The initiates included five undergraduates, five alumni, and the President of the College, Dr. Richard H. Heindel, historian and political scientist. The undergraduates, all juniors, were Charlotte Furman and Richard Schneider, both of Staten Island; Betty-Jean Thompson and Charles Biegner, both of Brooklyn; and Patricia Hiller of Rockville, Conn.
The alumni initiates, the first four of whom are now residents of Staten Island, were Mrs. Donald L. Burry

Lilian Beneforti); Mrs. Robert Mims (nee Doris Larsen), a teacher at P.S. 16, Tompkinsville; Thomas B. O'Donnell, now a graduate stùdent at the Fordham University School of Social Service; Norman E. Schaefer, an M.A. of Columbia University and an M.D. of the Cornell University Medical School; and Bernard F. Engelhardt, a graduate of the Lutheran Theological Seminary in Philadelphia and now pastor at Berwick, Pennsylvania.

A dinner at the Embassy Restaurant, Stapleton, followed the initiation ceremony. The speaker at this affair was Professor George Hackman of Wagner, who described the problems encountered in his decipherment of the ancient Sumerian and Akkadian administrative texts.

The Student Association Annual Awards Banquet held on Thursday evening, April 30, was opened with the National Anthem and invocation by Chaplain Paul J. Kirsch. The main item on the agenda was the installation of the new S.A. Officers by Dr. Heindel. Installed were: President, Mary Chichester; Vice-President, Ulrich Keems; Secretary, Lydia Haas; Treasurer, Alma Costic; Executive Secretary, Sue Johnson; Councilmen, Rosie Bade and Fred Ufferfilge.

Dramatic Trophies were presented by Professor John Hruby to Carl Westerdahl, Phyllis Lewis, Ann Thomas, and Bob Bauer. Herb Sutter and Bunny Barbes followed with the athletic awards.

Dr. Sutter was installed as an honorary member of the Student Association.
Dean Rebecca Manship awarded the many Who's Who awards and senior keys. Dean Stern followed with the Honors and Prizes, which are: Alpha Delta Pi Prize in Mathematics, Cornelius Monshan; Alpha Omicron Pi Prize for Economics, Marie Pohls; Alpha Sigma Phi Prize in Chemistry, Erika Knierim; The Bacteriology Society Award, Karla Huebing; The Biology Society Award, Marvin Bloshinsky; The Thomas Cawley Memorial Prize, Claire Lallier; The Clauson Prize, Harald Dale; Delta Nu History Prize, Robert Anderson; Delta Zeta Prize in Music, Richard Nielsen; Dreyfus Prize in Chemistry, Lonnie Knight; The Fetter Creative Writing Prize, Adalbert Koetter; Phillip Freilich Memorial Award, Roy Horst; Herman Freidal Memorial Prize, George
dELTA NU, ALPHA DELTA PI TAKE SONG FEST HONORS

After a rather late start, Spring Song Fest got under way about 9 p. m., on Saturday, May 2, in the Sutter Gym.
The Queen's attendants, Joan Baldassano, Mary Chichester, and Joan Reigi formed the court for the ruling sovereign, Sally Croll.
After the ten competing groups sang their selections, the wait for the judges' decisions was filled in by Walt Baumhoff's witty ad-libbing. The winners of the 1959 Song Fest are as follows:
Sororities: 2nd place, Zeta Tau Alpha, singing It Might as Well Be Spring and Suliram; 1st place, Alpha Delta Pi, singing It Might as Well Be Spring and Heather on the Hill.
Fraternities: 2nd place, Alpha Sigma Alpha Phi, singing Oh! What a Beautiful Morning and All Through the Night; 1st place, Delta Nu, singing O! What A Beautiful Morning and the Whiffenpoof Song.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Students:
May we take the liberty to remind you that, as in prior years, and in order to reserve a place for you, a deposit of $\$ 50.00$ must be made not later than May 15, 1959, by all students planning to return to Wagner College next Winter Semester.

The comprehensive fee must be paid, as you know, on or before August 31, 1959, for the Winter Semester, and on or before January 15, 1960, for the Spring Semester. This is also true for fees for room and board for residence students, which must be paid at the specified times. Please note that laboratory fees and special fees for education, music courses, etc., are not included in the comprehensive fee. These extra fees must be paid not later than registration day if a student has not already indicated these extra courses on his preliminary program.

We are confident that you will understand the difficulties concerning finances and dormitory space with which colleges must deal at the present time, and we appreciate your cooperation and support.

Sincerely,
E. G. Brown

Business Manager

## TRAFFIC COURT

There comes a time in every person's life when he must say farewell to a duty and to those he has delt with in relation to this duty. I have enjoyed working as Traffic Representative during the past year and hope that you are satisfied with the changes and additions that have been made as I am.
As a last report, I would like to give you a preview on what is "in store" for next year. The following are not definite as of the present but will most likely go into effect. Some of them you will be very glad to hear of and others, possibly not as glad. The latter is the result of a lack of consideration on the part of the students.
Parking has presented a major problem and many changes will be made next year.

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2. The west campus C lot will be for commuting students only. They


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4. There will be no evening parking during the week. This is the re(Continued on page 4)

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## Final Exams Schedule

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## Senior, Group Recitals Given

Final examination will be held on
the week of May 20-26, in the gymnasium. Different arrangements may be made, of course, by individual professors. No classes will be held on May 19, the day before final examinations. This is planned to allow the students time to prepare for examinations.
This year, final examinations for the Biology 2 and 6 and Chemistry 2 class will be held at the same time.

Students must obey these rules for final examinations:

1. Students will be admitted to the examination room only five minutes before the test begins.
2. No books, notebooks, or paper will be allowed in the examination room unless the individual instructor has required it.
3. No bottles of ink will be allowed in the examination room. The College will supply the ink.
4. Students leaving the examination room without permission after the question papers have been distributed will not be permitted to return.
5. At the end of the allotted time, students must hand in their papers promptly and leave immediately.

Dear Editor:
We in the admissions office wish to express our grateful thanks to the many students and members of our faculty and staff who participated in our recent College Day program.
Our guests were impressed with the interesting departmental displays, the choir concert, and the enthusiasm of the campus tour guides.
Through your cooperation our 375 guests were able to feel the spirit which makes Wagner an outstanding college.

Sincerely,
Fred Holmes
Wag Editor Named
At a Board of Publications meeting on Thursday, May 7, James B. Hammond was elected Editor-in-Chief of the 1959-60 Wagnerian by unanimus consent. Mr. Hammond has had extensive experience in the field of campus publication. He served as Editor of the 1958 Kallista, and set a new standard for the book. At present he is business manager of the 1959 Kallista and Special Features Editor of the Wagnerian.
Other positions now open for next year's Wag include Business Manager and Feature Editor. Persons interested in working on the staff next year are urged to speak to Jim before the present semester ends.

## REUNION QHOIR TO PERFORM

Featured in this year's annual commencement concert of the Wagner College Choir will be the return of former members who have graduated within the past ten years. These former members have been invited to return to campus to join the present choir in their final five numbers of the program on May 31 at $7: 00$. The reunion choir appeared last year in connection with the celebration of the 75th anniversary of the college and performs this year in its own interest for their 10th anniversary under the direction of Dr. Steen. The annual commencement concert is prepared especially in honor of the seniors and their parents.
The reunion choir will practice immediately following Baccalaurate Services.

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This year five senior music majors have presented their individual recitals at various times between May 5 and May 12.

Mr. William Frost, of Halworth, N. J., is an organ student under the tutelage of Prof. John Bainbridge.

Miss Sunny Finseth presented her piano recital on May 6. She is a student of Professor George Martin and a resident of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. Wilhelm Goetze, of Newark, N. J., appeared on May 11. Mr. Goetze is also a student of piano with Professor George Martin

Mr. Richard Nielsen, of Valley Stream, N. Y., performed on May 5 Mr. Nielsen is a student of piano with Professor George Martin.

Miss Anna Marie Swensen, a voice student of Margery Mayer Steen, presented her recital on Mal 10. Miss Swensen will leave September 7 on the M.S. Berlin for a year of study at the State Institute of Music in Hamburg, Germany, on a Fulbright Hamburg, Gcrmany, on a Fulbright
Grant, provided by the Federal Government. Miss Swensen resides in Ridgefield, N. J.

## Group Recitals

On the evenings of May 13 and 14 the following voice students of Margery Mayer Steen, Fred Bohrer, and Mary Louise Hansen participated in the group recitals.

The following appeared: Frank Arfmann, Deanna Beckmann, Sandford Branner, Irene Carroll, Harold Crater, Sally Lou Croll, Margaret Dykes, Lorraine Endresen, Sunny Finseth, William Frost, Marian Frudden, Wilhelm Goetze, Lydia Haas, Matthew Hyland, Janet Janssen, Barbara Johnson, Dorothea Jungblut, Paul Kachler, Marcus Knutsen, Carol Magnusson, Bruce Minor, Marjorie Minor, John Monahan, Nancy Montgomery, Elaine Morhard, Carol Nesland, George Niedermayer, Richard Nielsen, John Pfisterer, Lawrence Pierce, Judith Rank, Priscilla Rylance, Gary Santmire, Elizabeth Sellar, Carol Sullivan, Joanne Thomas, Gale Tollefsen, Edward Tuttle, Paul Wall, Carol Walter, Jack Weaver, and Carl Wirth.

The following were accompanists: Richard Bertucco, Sunny Finseth, William Frost, Charlatte Grimm, Lydia Haas, Mary Louise Hansen, Susan Johnson, Anna McCarthy, Audrey Meisner, Richard Nielsen, Anne Pfatteicher, Carin Reinhold, Patricia Russ, Heike Schander and Shotero

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# VARSITY PLAYERS 'BUS STOP' 

Reviewed by Dr. John R. Bacher

The Varsity Players have done it again. Their version of William Inge's "Bus Stop" presented Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings of last week, was very nearly professional in quality.

The play itself makes no pretense to social significance.' A young Montana rancher, without experience in the ways of women, but accustomed to getting what he wants, falls in love with a chanteuse (pronounced "tchantoozee") in a third-rate Kansas City night club. His offer of marriage rejected, he abducts her. A violent storm halts the bus on which they are traveling and forces the passengers to spend the night in a smali-town restaurant, where the local sheriff protects the young woman from her too-ardent lover. By the time the road is cleared, the young rancher nas learned humility and has won the girl. Curtain.

Melodrama quickly becomes something very close to farce. There is some attempt to present noble sentiments on the nature of true love, but they are uttered mainly by various characters who have failed conspicuously to live up to their own principles.

Whatever value the play has does not depend on the sentiments expressed, but on the fact that the characters, the situations, and the lines are entertaining.

One would expect the performance of such a play to be a failure except in the hands of a cast of experienced comedians. In fact, it waa a real success, because the actors behaved like professionals. They were excellently cast, and each one adapted himself to the character he portrayed with real insight and consistency.

This was to be expected of such old hands as Carl Westerdahl, as the ranch hand, Mildred Hill as the owner of the restaurant, and Charles Hackemeister, whose portrait of Dr. Lyman, an alcoholic Rhodes Scholar, Harvard Ph.D., and ex-college professor was particularly appreciated by a college audience. John Ziebarth surpassed himself as the sheriff, Arlene Thomas was convincing and charming as a high school girl earning her keep as a waitress, and Robert Rebollo was adequate as the bus driver. Ken Snyder, a man of many talents, caused much fluttering of feminine hearts as Bo Decker, the handsome but much spoiled young rancher - and won the respect of elderly playgoers by his masterly transition to the young man who has learned his lesson.

But the revelation of the week was Joan Buturuga as "Cherie," the chanteuse. Her performance of that masterpiece of song, "Black Magic," brought down the house, and her portrayal of a combination of experience, naivete, and youthful charm held the audience captive from her first breathless entrance to the final curtain.

One slight flaw marred - or perhaps, failed to mar - an excellent performance. The action takes place in Kansas, and the characters (except for the ex-professor) are all mid-westerners. Cherie is from the Ozarks and Bo from Montana. The accents, however, varied from Brooklynese to Texan and a synthetic Southern drawl which sounded a bit like Mississippi.

The stage setting was, as usual, in Varsity Players' productions, very good. It was particularly impressive at the last moment before the final curtain, when the restaurant lights went out and the light from the street shown through the window into the darkened and deserted room.

## BOOK REVIEW

## The Academic Mind

by Paul Flazarsteld Wagner Thelilens
Publisher: Free Press of Indiana Reviewer: Peter Molnar

The Academic Mind is a sociological study of the motivatons and other phenominia that make the college professor the man that he is, underpaid, underrated and dedicated. A survey was taken by interviewing professors in different sections of the country. National Opinion Research Center and the firm of Elmo Roper and Associated did the actual interviewing. "What characterises the college? Naturally its size is important. Small colleges come under the scrutiny of the local community."

It gives note that most colleges in the United States have started as Protestant institutions, but most of them are now basically secular.
The other topics covered would probably have no interest for the Wagner students. They include: the measure, nature and social context of apprehension, permissive and conservative professors, and the role of permissiveness. I recommend this book highly for students studying Sociology 32 or Philosophy of Education.

Ed. Note: The complimentary copy of The Academic Mind which was received by the Wagnerian staff will be placed in the College Library and will probably be ready for use in the near future.

## Sophs Spnosor <br> Bear Mountain Trip

Here is your chance to relax and let off steam after finals. On May 27, 1959, the sophomore class is sponsoring a boat ride to Bear Mountain. There will be opportunity for swimming, boating, horseback riding, and hiking. The entire Student Body is invited to attend. It will be a group affair; coupling is not necessary. The price of tickets is $\$ 1.85$. They are now on sale in the Hawk's Nest.

## CONFIAENTIAL

by
Deana Becker and James Hammond

To follow in the footsteps of Jan Henderson in writing this column is a tremendous job. I hope I will be able to continue her wonderful job in bringing to you the sorority news. The Junior Prom, held on April 24, at the Tavern-on-the-Green, was one of the biggest and best attended in comparison to previous years. The highlight of the evening was the crowning of Queen Jacqueline D'Antonio by Dean Stern. He rAttendants were Diane Borst, Marilyn Harper, Marilyn Lusson and Carol Trachto.
Delta Zeta was very pleased with the turnout for their beauty demonstration held on April 23. On the following Sunday, the sisters and their families renewed acquaintences at a Parents Day Tea. In return, they were honored with a visit from their Executive Secretary, Mrs. George C. Havens. The D Z cake sale on May 11. was well supported as usual.

On the week-nd of April 25, Zeta Tau Alpha sisters Judy Knierim and Carol Leck went to Boston College to help install a new chapter. Mrs. Jane Shotwell Kerr, Zeta's first Vice-President, visited Wagner on April 28 and and 29. A coffee hour was held in her honor.
The President and Vice-President of ADPi will attend a Founders Day Luncheon on May 16 in Tarrytown, N. Y. Representatives from active and alumnae chapters will be present. Mrs. Heit. province president, visited the chapter and attended Song Fest. The Alpha Delta Pi National Convention, held in Quebec, June 24-30, will once again be attended by the chapter President and VicePresident.
The AOPi closes dance, honoring graduating sisters, was held on May 1, at Harmony Park. The senior sisters were presented with recognition pins and red and white graduation caps. Last Thursday night the pledges honored the senior sisters again with a surprise party and character skit. On May 9, the AOPi's will hold their annual collegiatealumnae picnic at Barbara Moore's home. A group of the sisters will also attend National Convention, June 25-July 1, in Vancouver, B. C.

This year's Spring Song Fest was more artistic and beautiful than ever before. Congratulatons to Alpha Delta Pi for first place and Zeta Tau Alpha for placing second. Dr. Steen crowned Sally Croll Queen of the Song Fest. Her attendents were Joan Baldassano, Mary Chichester and Joan Reigi.

Seniors, do not forget to pick
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## Election Results

## Announced

As a result of the elections held on May 4 and 5, for class officers, the following people have been elected, to serve the term of 1959-60.

For next year's Sophomore class; President, Bart Hose, Vice-President, Robert Herman; Secretary, Sue Johnson; Treasurer, Linda Van Nortwick. Junior Class: President, Allan Fer rie; Vice-President, Charles Jopp; Secretary, Marian Frudden; Treasurer, Lucia Meyer. Senior Class; President, Kenn Kerr; Vice-President, Tony Atwell; Secretary, Frances Ricciardi; Treasurer, Brian O'Connor; Off-Hill Councilman, Joan Frediani.
In all three class elections, the results for the office of councilmen were tied. Re-elections were held on Monday. Keep posted for the final slate of the 59-60 class officers.

## F \& L WEEK

The officers of Faith and Life Week 1960, were recently announced. Serving as co-chairmen will be Margareta Steingass and Harry Hall. Secretary, Kathy Klimacek and Treasurer Chas. Biegner were also chosen.

ICHTHUS ELECTS
The results of the Ichthus elections were as follows:
President
Alton Roberts
Vice-Presiden Jack Beaver Secretary … $\quad$ Catherine Heller Treasurer

Carl Wirth

## DORM COUNCIL

The officers of next year's Dormitory council shall be as follows; President, Catherine Heller; VicePresident, Marian Frudden; Secretary, Marjorie Minor; Treasurer, Judith Rank. The election was held at the final dorm meeting of the year Monday, May 11, and the installation will be held this evening at the regular Council meeting.


## NIMBUS Staff Announces Changes

This year's issue of Nimbus, in an attempt to change it from last year's publication, will be the largest Nimbus ever, with almost seventy pages.
There will be a new cover design, and it will include much art work, most of which has been created by Professor Young of the Art Department.
The leading article, which has caused much commotion, is a symposium on "Beat" poetry. Thirty leading writers of today were asked their opinions concerning this type of poetry. Some twenty answered. Their
replies will be published in the Nimbus; among these are Marianne Moore, Sir Herbert Read, William C. Williams, Paul Tillich, and others.

Included in the symposium are also comments by leading "Beat" poets: Allan Ginsberg, Gregory Corso and Peter Orlovsky.
The 1959 Nimbus wll also consist of short stories, a short play, an article on "Three Neglected Poets," a "Homage to Reinhold Niebuhr," some haikai Japanese forms of poetry, and an abstract of construction by James Harper.

## MOVIES

ST. GEORGE
May 14-19
William Faulkner's SOUND AND THE FURY - and -

ALASKA PASSAGE
May 20-21
LONELY HEARTS

- and -

ESCORT WEST
May 22 - June 2
Walt Disney's
THE SHAGGY DOG - and GUN BATTLE IN MONTEREY

## PARAMOUNT

May 14-16
GREEN MANSIONS
and - NO WHERE TO GO
May 17 - 19
THESE THOUSAND HILLS and - SHERIFF OF FRACTURED JAW

May $20-26$
RIO BRAVO
$i^{\text {and }}$ - ISLAND OF LOST WOMEN

## RIT Z

May 14-16
the remarkable mr. pennypacker
and - Night to remember
May 17-19
SUBMARINE SEAHAWK
and - PARATROOP COMMAND
DRIVE-IN
May 14 - 19
I WANT TO LVE
and - THE DEFIANT ONES


## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## LIBRARY

The Library wishes to notify all students that all books, pictures, and other material now out on loan should be returned to the Library by Wednesday, May 20, before this semester ends. Grades and/or transcripts will be withheld if this borrowed material is not returned.

## MAIL ROOM

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## New Dining Hall

 ProceduresThe Mathias Company has been employed to improve the new Dining Hall procedure. The manager has stated that the family style will begin very soon. The main difficulty is the lack of student labor. There are many students interested by not enough to suffice. The Mathias Company hopes to have a few meals family style before the end of the term. If any students are interested in working, con tact Miss Hagmann or Mr. Tant.

The Mathias Company has kept the original kitchen crew, and has begun to teach them their methods. Together with the crew and the students, every attempt will be made to please the student body.

Variety has been emphasized and this is the reason for the choice between milk or iced tea. The time and labor involved in making up the tea or juice more than compensates for the cost of the milk.

To sum up the new dining hall procedure the word "improvements" was quoted by the manager

Meetings will be held each month together with the student dining hall committee and representatives from the Mathias Company. At these meetings the problems of the students will be brought up for discussion.

## TRAFFIC COURT

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sult of the students persisting in parking on the roadway when given the priviledge to park in other than C zones.
5. There will possibly be an in crease in the car registration fee. This is not definite but the possibility exists.
6. The gymnasium lot will be repaired over the summer period and dividers of a type will be put into both the gymnasium and west cam pus lots.

Some of these plans may not meet with your approval but they have been made for the benefit of all.

So until we meest again, I say farewell and please let's be friends! George Hassinger Traffic Committee

## SENIORS NOTE

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Zucconi; The German Prize, Ulrich Keemss; The Herbert T. Holter Memorial Award, Ralph DiLullo; Kappa Sigma Alpha Prize in Education, Joan Corell; The Lutheran Brother hood Scholarships, Harry Hall and Ulrich Keemss; The Ministerial Prize, John Brndjar; The Nicum Prize, Doretta Steingass, Lonnie Knight, John Brndjar; Nursing Alumna Chapter Awards, Marilyn Faust, Margaret Glueck; Phi Sigma Kappa Prize in English, Virginia Lipinsky; Phi Sigma yǨappa Prize in German, Janet Jan sen; The Samuel and Dorothy Siegler Service Award Barbara Ogden; The Sociological Society of Wagner College Award, Mary Lou Heissenbuttel; The Spiro Nursing Award; Doretta Steingass; The AIma T. Stan ley Award, Mary Jane Danielson; The Staten Island Hospital Award for Excellence in Nursing Care, Mildred Nelson; The S. S. White Prize for Proficiency in Business Administration, Betty Johnson, Alexander Gray.

Carl Westerdahl and Harry Steeve brought the house down with a controversial Last Will and Testament of the Senior Class, followed by the presentation of the Senior Class Gift, an illustrated directory of campus buildings.

Both the Mens and Women's Honor Societies inducted nevg members.

The evening included musical selections by John Nicholas and Anna Marie Swenson.

## FRATERNITY

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Phi Sig threw a stag party last Saturday to honor their President, Bob MacGraw, who plans to marry in the near future
Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, national honorary music fraternity, has elected the following officers, who will serve next year: President, Ken neth Kerr; Vice-President, Carl Wirth; Secretary, John Beaver; Treas urer, Robert Swanborg; Pledgemaster, John Kirsch; Alumni Secretary Gary Santmire. They have also taken in the following pledges: Robert Rich, Robert Stranieri, and Richard Schneider.

Delta $N u$ held a Dog Week which began on Tuesday, May 5, during which they dogged seven pledges.

Eleven Alpha Sigma Phi pledges went through Dog Week, and were inducted into brotherhood. They are: James Bownes, Thomas Hussey, Donald MacKenzie, Lloyd Sherman, Niel Johnston, John Campi, Kenneth Tarsio, James Russo, Donald Cavalli, Herbert Vargas, and Bruce Wilson.

On Monday night, Alpha held chapter elections, and the following men will serve as next year's officers: President, Paul Nuzzolese; Vice-president, Kermit Rath; Secretary, Alvin Floen; Treasurer, Alfred Palladino; Corresponding Secretary, Frederick Ufferfilge; Marshal, Walter Pagan; Custodian, John Ottenheimer; Editor, Paul Bertholet; Pledge Captain Charles Jopp; Chaplain, Lloyd Sherman.


## THE WARMUP

by Scott Andrus

If it isn't one thing it's another, and if the weather holds I just may decide to wait another year before slashing my wrists. The track team has lost the winning combination, but its place in the sun has been taken by our diamond gladiators. After copping five straight contests, the Hawks lost to Fordham and then beat Manhattan. As a result, Wagner occupies the giddy height of second place - higher than it has ever finished in the tough Met Conference.
During their streak, by the way, the Hawks scored at least six runs in every game. The hottest batsman has been Cookie Powers, who had three homers, a triple, and a double, in the CCNY, Fordham, and Manhattan games. Another consistant hitter is Harry Orlando, with a .357 average in conference play.
On the mound, two freshmen have been shining. Dick Rice and Bruce Wilson, both playing for their first year at Wagner, have been the solid hurlers, and have gotten the nod when a win was needed. Rice has a fancy .92 ERA.
Looking back, it's been a pretty fair all-around year for sports. Wagner didn't produce an outstanding team to match last year's basketball outfit, but the Hawks looked better in more sports than in any year since I've been watching. Seven of the eight men's teams entered the win column, and two appear likely to win more than they lose.
The football squad looks better every year, and its $3-5$ slate gave promise of better things to come. All but one of the games - the Moravian nightmare - were lost by a margin of one touchdown and the extra points, or less - remember dying by slow stages in the Hamilton and Kings Point tilts? Two halfbacks and a quarterback graduate from the first string, but replacements are available, and this year's inexperienced man will be next year's veteran. Maybe we'll see a repeat of the dramatic win over Susquehanna - and some other wins to boot.

The basketball team ought to be better, too, with not one starter graduating. Herb Sutter has plenty of depth in the backcourt, and rumor has it that he may have a surprise or two for us under the boards. This season's team, which found itself in the final games and rolled to a fast
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# SEAHAWKS MOVE INTO SECOND PLACE 

 Ray Preston, by shooting a hot 76 . It was the second loss in 32 collegiate matches for Preston, who was Metropolitan runner-up and Long Island collegiate champion last year.

## HOFSTRA LOSS

In the Hofstra loss, Persicheety and Richie Granger with a 75 and a 76 respectively, swept three points each, but the remainder of the contest was tough sledding for the Hawks.
Outstanding individuals have been Persichetty and Jim Crowley, each with 7-2 records.
To climax the season, the Metropolitan Collegiate Golf Championships were scheduled Tuesday, and the Middle Atlantic Conference championships Monday. Two more dual meets against NYU and Adelphi are also on the schedule.

A REDMAN RUNNER beat the throw to first base in early season tilt with St. John's The Redmen, with a record of 8-1, are the only team now ahead of Wagner in the Met Conference standings. Hawk record is $6-3$ in conference play.

## Harriers Lose Three Meets

After getting off to a fine start, the Wagner track team has dropped its last three meets in succession, bowing here in triagular meets with Trenton and Brooklyn Poly on April 25, and Hofstra and Upsala on May 2, and then travelling to Long Island to lose a dual meet to Kings Point, May 6. The final meet of the year was scheduled for yesterday, against Fairleigh Dickenson.
The Trenton-Poly meet was close all the way, with the Hawks finally losing ${ }^{4}$ by a slim 75-661/2 margin to Trenton. Poly was a weak third with $121 / 2$ points.
The difference was Trenton's depth. In no fewer than three events a Seahawk took first place, but was followed by Trentonites in second, third, and fourth. Since the scoring for triangular meets allows five points for first place, three for second, two

## Hawks Defeat Three Foes

Suddenly spurting into prominence in the Metropolitan Conference, the Wagner nine defeated league rivals N.Y.U., C.C.N.Y. and Brooklyn College, in the course of a five game winning streak.
Behind Freshman Bruce Wilson, $\mid$ Wilson won his third game of the the Seahawks notched their fourth Conference victory and their fourth straight win. This time it was over the N.Y.U. Violets, by a $7-3$ score.
for third, and one for fourth, this meant that Wagner could win an event and still lose a point.
Three double winners for the Hawks kept the final outcome in doubt right up to the end. Bob Hecker sprinted to victories in two events, copping the 100 in 10.7 and the 220 in 23.0. This was the second straight week that Hecker won these two events. Don Cavalli took firsts in the shot put and discus, with efforts of $41^{\prime} 9^{\prime \prime}$, and $129^{\prime} 4^{\prime \prime}$. Mike Walker, running the 440 and coming back in the 880 , not only won both events but set Wagner records in both. The new marks are 51.7 for the quarter and 2:03.6 for the half. Another school record fell, as under the pressure of close competition, Neill Johnston threw the javelin $178^{\prime} 21 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ to annex another first place for Wagner. Al Ferrie took the high jump for the Hawks.


A GREAT TIME was had by' all after the Susquehanna game, which Wagner won on a last minute pass play. Next year's team should be strong.

Defeat Manhattan;<br>St. John's Is First Play Today, Saturday

The Wagner College Seahawks, on the strength of their sixth straight Met Conference victory, this time over the Manhattan College Jaspers, moved solidly into second place in the Conference. Their 6-3 record is behind that of St. John's 8-1. Bruce Wilson went all the way for the Seahawks, but he was far from his usual form. He had a nin run lead until the Jaspers scored five runs in the final two frames.

The Hawks scored five times in the second and then came back for five more in the fourth. The other single tally came in the seventh. Everyone except Brady and Lanza got into the hitting for Wagner. Outfielder Harp Junta got a double and a triple that hit the left field fence on one bounce. Jim "Cookie" Powers, who has had a hot bat of late, connected for another four-bagger to increase his lead as the Hawks' home run leader. The most interesting player shift seen atop Grymes Hill this year occurred with Wagner at bat in the fourth. First baseman Burkoski was moved to the mound for the first time in his collegiate career, replacing Pachinski, who had relieved the starter Connors. Pachinski moved to right field. The shortstop, Doyle, moved over to first, with the leftfielder, Lesser, taking short. Regazzi, the rightfielder, was moved into left. It might be added that Borkoski, pitching for the first time, gave up only one run on three hits, while striking out seven.
With scheduled tilts on tap against conference foes Hofstra and N.Y.U. today and Saturday, the Hawks are in a position to do better than ever before in the conference. The best previous finish was third, in 1955. Now in second place, two games behind St. John's, Wagner has another crack at the Redmen - the makeup of a rained-out tilt.

Should St. John's prove to be out of reach, the games against N.Y.U. and particularly Hofstra, will be the crucial ones, deciding whether the Hawks can hang onto second place.


WORKING HARD at it, Seahawk two miler Terry Monahan gets by a Kings Point runner moves into fourth place (behind two more Mariners, out of camera range).
The track team has lost its last three meets.

## TENNIS TEAM BEATEN

The girls' tennis team finished a winless season, dropping three out of four meets. The fourth ended indecisively, as darkness called a halt. The losses came at the hands of N.Y.U., Queens and Adelphi.

A meet against Hunter was just about knotted up when it got dark. Jonnie Le Mieux won her first singles match, but the other single tilts were copped by Hunter players. In the first doubles, the Wagner duet had won the first set $6-4$ and led 53 in the second when, the match had to be stopped.
N.Y.U. administered the Seahawks a drubbing, taking all of the singles matches. Wagner was in better shape in the doubles, however, as two teams won. Joan Frediane and Marilyn Dooley came out on top 6-1, 6-2. Dagny Jensen and Marge List had a tough fight to win 6-3, 8-6.

Queens College took the measure of Wagner, despite a $6-4,6-3$ singles victory by Marilyn Dooley. Jonnie Le Mieux lost a tough singles tilt 6-4, 6-4. The number one doubles team of Jonnie Le Mieux and Marilyn Dooley engaged in a three set battle, but lost $4-6,6-4$, $6-1$. Queens scored a 6-4 win in the other doubles match.

Adelphi swept all three matches against the Hawks. Marilyn Dooley lost 6-4, 7-5 and Joan Frediani was defeated 6-4, 6-4. Wagner also lost in the doubles.

## HARRIERS LOSE

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Hampered by key injuries, Wagner finished third in a meet here against Upsala and Hofstra. The score was $771 / 2-481 / 2-32$, with Upsala on top. With Mike Walker's pulled muscle stopping him from scoring, Bob Hecker's leg slowing him down in the sprints, and John Stewart unavailable, the Hawks were unable to make a meet of it against two tough foes.

Al Ferrie filled in beautifully for Walker in the 440, winning the event. He came back to win the high jump as well. Wagner also took both hurdle events, with Don Hoth first in the high hurdles and Bob Neissner in the low hurdles. This was all the first places the Hawks could muster.

Wagner was outclassed by Kings Point, the score being 90 _ 38 . The Mariners took several events by huge margins, and with Walker out altogether and Stewart handicapped by a bad heel, there was no contest.

Don Cavalli got off fine efforts of $43^{\prime} 101 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ and $137^{\prime}$ in the shot putt and discus, but even there dis tances.were not enough for a double win. Cavalli got first in the discus and second in the shot.

Hecker took the 100 in 10.4 , and was second in the 220 . Johnston won the javelin with a toss of $174^{\prime} 6^{\prime \prime}$. Neissner, Ferrie, and Stewart took seconds in the low hurdles, high jump, and pole vault, respectively.

Finishing with a $2-4$ record, the track team made tremendous strides in improving over the sickly performances of recent teams. The track team had not won since 1954, and last year mustered only six men for most of the meets. A renewal of interest in the sport accounted for the improvement. Most of this year's team - the notable exception being quarter miler, half miler Mike Walker - will be back next year.

## THE WARMUP

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finish, will be out to play that kind of ball from the start.

Oh yes . . . in case things don't turn out quite as we hope they will, Wagnerians have introduced one more sport - one in which they excel. It's only an intramural type thing now, but in case the football team doesn't pan out as advertised, we can all back Wagner in intercollegate frizby.

## DEFEAT THREE

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lyn couldt get only three hits and one run from the right-hander, who won his first game since 1957.
Behind Snyder's pitching was a Wagner hitting attack of 12 runs, 16 hits, 5 of which were for extra bases. Freshman Frank Mclos had his best day in a Wagner uniform as he went 4 for 4.
Fishman's homer tied it for BrookInn in the fifth, but in the sixth, Wagner moved ahead to stay. A single by Powers, a walk to Melos and a single by Orlando made it 7-6. Then in the seventh, DiLullo tripled, and scored on Junta's squeeze bunt. Powers then crashed his first homer of the season.

## PLAY NON - MET TILTS

While surging in the Met Confer ence, the Wagner baseball team won a game and lost three in non-lcague competition, and played one tie. The win was over the Mariners of Kings Point, and the losses were to Ford-ham, Seton Hall and Moravian. The tie was a nine inning 4-4 affair against Pratt halted by darkness.

The Moravian game Monday was a well played contest, against the Greyhounds, who had a record of $10-2$ before the game. Ken Snyder went all the way for Wagner, allowing eight hits. The Moravian runs came in the fifth on a single, a fielder's choice, a throwing error by Snyder, a sacrifice, a wild pitch, and a
long fly. The Hawks got a man as far as third in the last of the ninth, but couldn't score him.

Richie Rice was the starting and winning pitcher against Kings Point, with help for the last out from Jim Brady. Cookie Powers unloaded a home run over the right field fence.

The Fordham game was a massacre halted on account of darkness after six innings. At that time the score was $23-7$.

The Hawks fared no better against Seton Hall, bowing 18-2. Once again DeVita was the starting pitcher, and led a long parade of Wagner hurlers.


