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Additions Voted To Constitution

S.A. Favors Adoption of "Beautiful Upon the Hill"

Several additions and changes in Wagner's Student Association Constitution were voted and suggested at a meeting of the S. A. last Wednesday in the auditorium.

A resolution that the S.A. is on record as favoring the adoption of "Beautiful Upon the Hill" as the official Alma Mater of Wagner College in preference to the present "We Stand United" was approved and will be brought to the attention of the Wagner College Council for "proper consideration."

An addition to Article VII, Student Association Constitution By-Laws, was made. It states: "In the 1949 Student Association elections the Women's Athletic Representative shall be elected for a two year term of office, and the Men's Athletic Representative elected for a one year term."

"Hereafter the representative elected for a one year term shall be replaced by one elected for a two year tenure of office, thus making necessary the election of one candidate per year in place of the former election of two."

Amendments, to be voted on at the group's next meeting March 2, were proposed.

Included were proposals that the Vice-President shall perform all duties of the President when the latter is absent or otherwise incapacitated, that the officers of the association, together with one representative of each of the four classes, shall constitute the Student Council, and a by-laws revision.

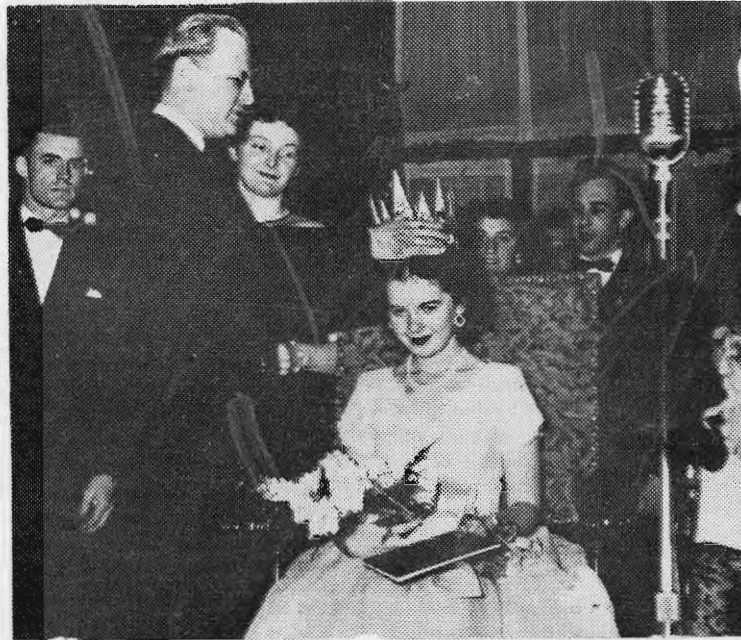
Also to be voted on at the next meeting was the proposal that \$50 be allocated to the Chess Club from the general fund.

Nimbus Contest Offers Cash Prizes To Winners

The Nimbus Editorial Staff has announced the opening of a literary contest for cash prizes to attract the writing talent of Wagner College students. It is open to all students, day or evening sessions, and shall be judged for literary skill, originality, and over-all reader interest by the Nimbus Editorial Staff, Dr. Everson, and the Reverend Paul Dieckman. The final date for the contest is April 12. Manuscripts must be typewritten and double-spaced on one side of the paper only.

The \$10 prize for the short story contest will be given to the writer of the most readable and convincing short story of not more than 5000, or less than 300 words. Ten dollars shall also be given to the writer of an interesting and skillful essay of the same length, while the finest contribution in a less extensive category, such as poems, anecdotes, and similar articles, will receive the \$5 prize.

Coronation Of Prom Queen



President Walter C. Langsam is shown as he crowns Elinor Rosenfeld, who was chosen as Queen of the 1949 Junior Prom.

Elinor Rosenfeld Crowned Queen; Prom Financial and Social Success

by Fred Hurst

Elinor Rosenfeld was crowned Queen of the Junior Prom during an impressive ceremony conducted before a throng of Wagner Students in the crowded Crystal Room of the Hotel McAlpin last Saturday night. Miss Rosenfeld was crowned "Elinor I" by Dr. Langsam, president of the College, and she was presented with a scroll denoting her appointment.

The Traditions Committee, represented by Ellen Meyer and William Thomson, presented the queen with an inscribed silver cup on behalf of the students of Wagner College. A miniature replica of the cup was also presented to the 'runner-up,' Alice Patterson. Each of the other nominees, Madeline Reimers, Florence Kaldin, Dorothy Styles, and Trudy Deuschle, received a pin shaped in the form of a crown.

The presentation of the crown climaxed a week of suspense following the recent election for the Prom Queen. At that time, it was announced that the results of this popular election would not be revealed until the night of the dance. The intense interest evident among the Prom-goers testified to the strictness with which the secret was kept. Dean Sloan was in charge of the ceremonies.

Dance a Success

So successful was the dance that the initiative and ingenuity of the late-comers were taxed to the extreme to find chairs and tables.

Lou Gianvito, president of the class of '50 and chairman of the Prom, has reported that the dance was a financial and social success. A sizable profit for the class is anticipated when the final report is compiled.

Other members of the committee for planning the Junior Prom were Edward Blauw and Elsie Schatz, managers of ticket distribution, Robert Hinz, compiler of the journal, and John Reed and Martha Fitzgerald, publicity chairman.

Saturday's prom brought to a successful conclusion months of planning and work by the Junior Class.

Graduate Record Exam Scheduled

Dr. Crawford announced on Tuesday that the graduating class of June 1949 will be required to take the Graduate Record Examination.

The examination will be given on April 7 & 8 in the college auditorium.

The first part of the examination to be given on April 7 will cover all phases of college work, while the second day of the two-day exam period will deal with the specific area of the individual student's major field.

Normally a fee of ten dollars is charged for the Graduate Record Examination, but school authorities have made arrangements for a special charge of three dollars per student.

Dr. Crawford stressed that this fee must be paid to Mrs. Booth in the Bursars office between March 1 & 10 at which time the student will be given the two preliminary application forms.

Further stressed by Dr. Crawford, was the fact that the results of the examination will have absolutely no effect upon the academic standing of the student.

During the two days required for the examination the students taking it will not be required to attend classes and cuts will not be recorded.

The main purpose of the graduate record examination is to give the students taking it a fair idea of the scope and extent of the knowledge they have gained and retained throughout their college careers.

Dinner Dance Scheduled By Frosh, Soph Classes At Atlantic Inn Feb. 25

The Frosh-Soph Dinner Dance will be held at the Atlantic Inn, Grant City, on Friday, February 25, at 7:30 P. M. The co-directors for the affair, Phil Brittain, president of the Freshman Class, and Walter Barth, president of the Sophomore class, have announced that tickets at \$2.25 per person are on sale now throughout the college.

Unbeaten Debate Team Visits Three Virginia Colleges

Wagner's undefeated but once-tied debating Team is in the midst of a southern jaunt in which three top-flight clubs will be met on successive nights. Wagner's stellar duo, Vincent Baxter and Omar Gjerness, who debated against the William and Mary team last night, will clash with the University of Virginia's representatives tonight, and will meet the team of Randolph-Macon College tomorrow.

Up to the time of this southern trip, Wagner remained undefeated in intercollegiate debate for the 1948-1949 season, but was held to a draw by the Hofstra team on Feb. 3.

James Kelly and Omar Gjerness, debating against the Hofstra "Dutchmen" contended that "Federal Aid to Education" is not necessary since the states are able to meet the financial needs of educational improvements themselves. The Hofstra team stated that annual monetary subsidies from the Federal Government is the only solution to the problem of depleted educational facilities.

The chairman of the debate, Frank Jordan, announced the "even" decision of the judges who were Jan Morrison, Rev. Griffith, and Dan Harper.

At a meeting held last week by the Wagner Debating Society it was announced that Omar Gjerness would be Captain of the Debating Team, and Jacqueline Holt, new secretary, succeeding Claire St. Leger who has transferred to night school.

College to Offer Two Scholarships For Voice and Instrumental Music

Professor J. L. Bainbridge, chairman of the Music Department, announced on February 1 that two scholarships will be offered by the Wagner College Department of Music.

These scholarships will be available to the winners of a contest which will be open to all members of the high school graduating classes of June 1949. The first of the scholarships will be for vocal music and the second for instrumental music. Each is valued at \$200.

The selection of finalists will be made at a preliminary contest at the Wagner College Auditorium on Saturday, March 26, at 7:30 P. M. The

In the wake of the after-dinner welcoming address, Bill Thompson will present to Phil Brittain the trophy won by the Freshman class in Freshman Week activities.

A student floor show will follow the presentation of the trophy. Ed Megerian and Warren Brandkamp, last year's masters of ceremonies, will again emcee the show.

Tommy Capps and his orchestra, one of the "best bands" on Staten Island, will provide the musical offerings for the dancing which will be held after the show.

Evening's Hostesses

Lois Vasoll, Pat Weidknecht, Margo Selman, Christine Thing, Lenore Brody, and Joan Wyant will serve as hostesses in the evening's ceremonies. Al Schmidt will play pre-dinner selections on the piano.

The decorations committee consists of Kay Bucher, Lois Vasoll, Grace Behling, Robert Melding, Jane Merrick, Emmilene Midget, and Howard Jorgenson. Charles Bie is chairman of the entertainment committee.

Faculty advisers for the dinner-dance are Dr. Adolph Stern of the Chemistry Department and Mr. Nicholas Moss of the English Department.

This year's dinner-dance is the second affair of this type to be jointly sponsored by the Freshman and Sophomore classes.

Walter Barth, one of the co-directors, expressed his thanks to all members of the two classes who worked on various committees. "The wonderful spirit of cooperation shown by all the workers has helped to make this affair the success that we think it will be," he said.

finalists will be chosen to represent each high school in vocal and instrumental music.

Every finalist will receive a cash prize and take part in a Spring Concert at the Curtis High School Auditorium on Sunday, April 10, at 4 P. M. The concert will be given by the Wagner College A. Cappella Choir and Band.

Rules and entry blanks may be obtained from any high school teacher of music or by writing to the Wagner College Dept. of Music. Entries must be received at Wagner by March 15, 1949.

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Editorial

Mercy — Please!

Last Saturday night, Promgoers witnessed the coronation of the Prom Queen. The identity of the Queen was an "iron curtain" secret from the time the ballots were counted until the Queen was crowned by President Langsam. This strict secrecy undoubtedly heightened the suspense connected with the coronation ceremonies but, in our opinion, it also lowered the dignity of these very same ceremonies. The candidates could hardly be poised and dignified when they did not know, until the last possible minute, which of them had been chosen Queen. It is difficult to maintain poise *et al* in the face of defeat, especially when the factors involved in the defeat are such highly personal things as beauty, charm, and personality. The whole procedure seems to be a very unmerciful one to us.

Several alternate procedures suggest themselves to us. Each of them is designed to keep the secret of the Queen's identity from everybody but the candidates. It would be fruitless to mention these alternates; certainly, the people in charge of the ceremonies should be perfectly capable of envisioning changes in the procedure.

The tradition of crowning the Queen at the Prom is a nice one. Next year, we would like to see the ceremonies which would be commensurate with the niceness of the tradition.

Beg Pardon

The Editorial staff of the Wagnerian wishes to apologize profusely to the promoters of the "Get-Together" Dance sponsored by the Evening Student Association, for the inaccurate story published in the last issue of the Wagnerian. The correct information regarding the dance will be found on page 4 of this issue.

SOCIAL CALENDAR—Feb.-June '49

Date	Event
Friday, Feb. 18	E.S.A. Dance (Informal)
Friday, Feb. 25	Frosh-Soph Banquet
Saturday, March 12	Choir Concert
Saturday, March 26	Preliminaries of Music Contest
Sunday, April 10	Spring Concert (Curtis Hi)
Saturday, April 23	Sigma Delta Phi Dance
Saturday, April 30	Delta Nu Dance
Sunday, May 1	Beta Gamma Chi Concert
Wednesday, May 4	May Day Festivities
Saturday, May 7	Alpha Sigma Phi Dance
May 12, 13, and 14	"The Taming of the Shrew"
Saturday, May 14	Pre-Freshman Day
Friday, May 20	Student Body Banquet
Sunday, May 29	Bacca Laureate
Friday, June 3	Inter-Fraternity-Alumni-Dance
Saturday, June 4	Commencement

JUST ASKING

Question: What questions would you like to see answered in this column?

Ed Marshon, Freshman—What do you think can be done to improve the transportation system to and from the campus, especially for the people who walk up and down the hill every day?

Len Brady, Junior—Do you think better texts could have been selected for various courses than those now in use? Why?

Augie Alholm, Sophomore—Spring will soon be here. In my opinion, classes should be held on the lawn on pleasant days. How do you feel about it?

Len Spalluto, Junior—Do you think a vote in favor of the big stare would be practical at Wagner, since we have so many beautiful co-eds?

Mimi Barden, Sophomore—What do you think of the idea of freezing over the tennis court in Winter for ice-skating?

Dave Ryffel, Freshman—What is your opinion in reference to college fraternities? Do you approve of such organizations? If not, Why?

Ray Doody, Sophomore—How about a king for next year's Prom, selected on the basis of personality, looks, scholastic rating, hidden talents, disposition, personal appearance, good conduct, and S.A.?

Ellen Meyer, Junior—Why can't the whole student body back the Prom for the Seniors instead of just the Junior class? Then they could get a bigger place and a name band.

Jim Gilmartin, Junior—Is Macintyre here to stay?

Formal Fashion

by Flo Kalldin

The family-heirlooms made their "much-awaited-for" appearance at the Junior Prom. Diamonds, emeralds, rubys, and brass were "shorn." Chokers, did! A sparkle, a flash, and they're off. Bracelets, rings, beads, and rope made *la femme* really "dawling." Velvets, satins, and laces danced by.

For those of you who were there in spirit(s),? the ballroom was of the 18th century type, with crystal chandeliers, large stately windows, and a long imposing dance floor. Squared, mirrored pillars divided the tables from the dancing arena.

The "refreshment" stand, although artistically archaic, added to the atmosphere.

"Gorgeous" gowns of every conceivable color were cleverly displayed.

Every store in New York City (and 14 St.) was represented, from the Bootery to the Bowery.

The hair-styles at formals are always worth mentioning. Some Belles had the "upsweep," while others let their hair down . . . hm.

As an extra added attraction, we had the opportunity of seeing the Wagner boys in their tuxes. It's amazing what soap 'n water, a clean shirt, and a tuxedo will do. No plaid shirts, wollen sweaters, or sloppy jackets . . . hang out the flag! The tuxes this season are the same as last, for one exception—they were pressed. Take no offence, Fella's "you look better in plaid shirts anyway."* *S.W.

THE HILLTOPPER

By Omar Kelly

The Guilden's atmosphere was lightened considerably that day. I inferred this much to my bosom drinking companion, (coffee, that is) Robby O'Faro, as we sipped Mr. Viohl's "Kic-apoo Juice."

"And why not, Omar?" Robby replied. "Don't you recall what tomorrow is?"

"Tomorrow? Hmm! Tomorrow—Ah, now I remember. The great American Father's birthday is tomorrow. No wonder all the students look as if they had each discovered the mythical fountain of everlasting life—There is a holiday tomorrow which means all can bring themselves up to date in their courses."

"Omar, sometimes I wonder at thy naivete," spoke my illustrious friend and cohort. "Students are well-known for their inactivity over holidays and tomorrow will be no exception."

"By my great-grandfather's toupee, I have never been called naive before, and my ancestors were renounced many a time for their shrewdness. To illustrate this, I feel the urge to relate a story, concerning the cunning of my great-great-great grandfather who outwitted the "king of foxes," the wily Benjamin Franklin. Go fill our cups, Robby, and then I will commence."

After another sip of the scintillating brew, I started thusly:

"Picture yourself in a small house in Pennsylvania, my friend. The year is 1779; there is a conference pending between the American General Washington and the British Commander. On George's right sat his most trusty adviser, Omar Kelly, Captain in the Virginia Light-Infantry. The discussion was pertaining to a British offer of armistice with several strings attached, one of which was the surrender of Gen. Washington and his staff to British military authorities.

Capt. Kelly was in earnest conversation with his distinguished commander.

"But, General, this letter from our emissary in Paris, the toast of the Parisian elite, Benjamin Franklin, contradicts the General's statements. The French Lafayette is proof enough that France is sincere in it's aid to our cause."

"I am well aware of this, Captain," replied the General, "but the fact remains that we need more from the French than brilliant officers—we must have men and material to give the British a fight. And there's only one way to get it. Ben must intrigue with Louie's mistress who is well known to all the influential ministers. And Ben writes that it cannot be done for the simple reason that the lady in question is not available for intrigue. She is too busy in her affaires de coeur to notice our humble minister."

"According to the reports this patriotic servant has received, our "humble minister" could intrigue with The Venus de Milo herself. There is reason to believe, begging your most humble pardon, General, that with the proper applied technique, Mr. Franklin could be induced to stir himself enough to win this beauty to our side. Therefore, my advice is to tell the British to go chase a Hessian; we will fight to the very end."

"Noble thoughts, my captain, but how would you convince Ben of the necessity of wooing and winning our prospective benefactor?"

"My methods are devious, and subject to the will of the ancient prophets. There is a certain follower of mine who could be entrusted with the proper credentials to convince the wily Ben. Leave it to me, General, and be assured that within three months French aid will be forthcoming."

"Very well, Omar, I put my hopes in you. Kindly show the British officer in. I will—how do you express it—tell him off."

"This, my dear Robby, was the 'coup d'etat' of the Revolution," I said, as my listener gulped his last drop of the black beverage known, rather optimistically, as coffee.

"But, Omar, how did your ancestor convince the shrewd Ben to complete his conquest of Paris?"

"That, my fellow-drinker, is a trade secret, known only to the direct descendants. But it is, to be sure, the same method used by his most undeserving great-great-great grandsons, who, by virtue of his cunning, manage to sustain the state of the union and the Wagnerian. Only by this miracle, could these two institutions serve. Let us pray, in memory of the American Father, that tomorrow will be better, and miracles or cunning not needed."

Board Recognition Sought For Tennismen

Hawks Win Two, Lose To Fordham In 3 Road Games

by Art Woodstone

The Wagner College Seahawks took to the road last week, the beginning and end of which was paved with gold, for the Islanders downed Pratt College last Friday, 51-42, and this past Wednesday ploughed through the basketeers of Drew University, 67-50. Toward the middle of the road, the Wagner basketmobile ran into a stretch of rough road and their vehicle was upset by the Fordham Rams, 57-50.

Drew looked sharper against Wagner in this encounter than in the last, but they were still not strong enough to turn the tables on the classy Seahawks. Chet Sellitto, with 22 markers, took top scoring honors for Wagner.

Poor From Foul Line

The Suttermen were the hapless victims of poor foul shooting in the first half of their encounter against Fordham; their bad marksmanship from the fifteen foot stripe was the probable cause of their downfall. The men in green were on the short end of a 28-19 count at the finish of the second quarter.

When the whistle blew announcing the start of the last half, there was a sudden upsurge of spirit in the ranks of the visitors, and with the vigorous efforts of Gilmartin and Doremus under the boards, Wagner slowly edged closer, coming within a few points of the Ram score. The tenacity of the Seahawks eventually unnerved the University team so that the Hawks were able to tighten the score, and, with only a few minutes left to play, they brought themselves to within three points of a tie.

Lose By 7 Points

The suddenness with which the Wagner outfit started on their spurt marked their eventual downfall, for after a phenomenal Ram basket, the Seahawks faded, finally losing by seven tallies.

Wagner just coasted along against Pratt. Mr. Sutter made frequent substitutions in the second half, giving his regulars a substantial rest; hence, the relative narrowness of the nine point margin of victory is slightly deceiving.

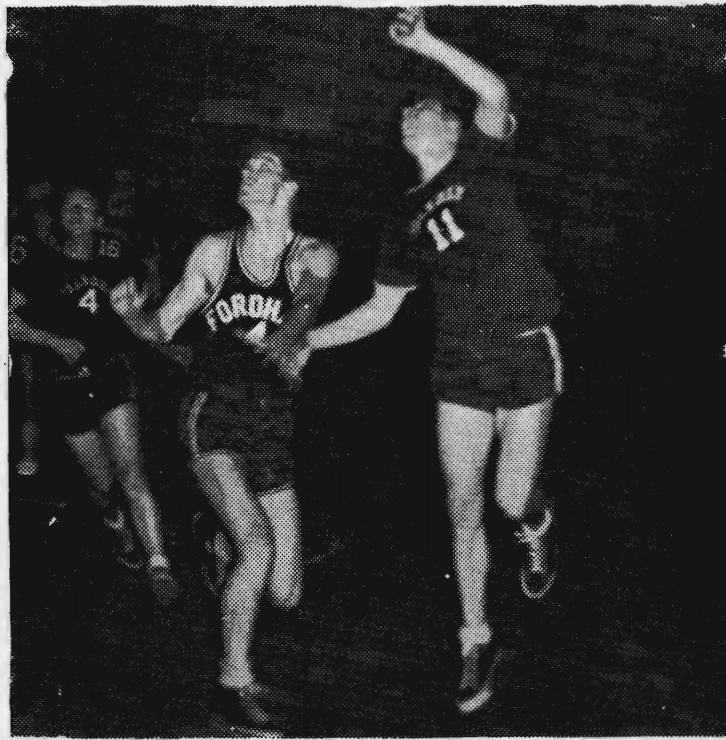
The scoring was equally dispersed among the Seahawks with Doremus and Doody splitting twenty-two points equally between them; they were followed by Gilmartin and Sellitto who sliced twenty markers between them in a like manner.

Mr. Sutter Requests Transportation Help

Mr. Herbert Sutter, director of athletics at Wagner College, has requested that all students who own cars and who are willing to make them available for transportation of Wagner teams to games played away from home should register their names at the athletic office. Mr. Sutter made it clear that this service is definitely needed.

Students who volunteer their services in this manner will be paid liberally to cover all expenses which they may incur in making trips away from home.

Two Points For the Hawks



Wagner's Ray Doody feints Hammill of Fordham out of position and cages a left-hander in last Monday's Hawk-Ram clash. The Suttermen bowed in a hard fought contest, 57-50.

SPORTS CORNER

by "Red" Duskin

In effect, this essay is meant to be a tribute to our fair little institution, here, high upon The Hill.

Recently—specifically, at the close of last semester—four talented athletes were declared temporarily ineligible for further Wagner sports activities because of poor grades. This quartet, two members of which were on the varsity basketball team—one a starter—and the other two, participants on the JV, had the misfortune of fouling up final exams, so that the boys could not meet with the school's standards for taking part in extracurricular events.

It is an unfortunate situation all around—unfortunate for the fellows in question, unfortunate for Coach Herb Sutter, unfortunate for the teams' adherents, unfortunate for the college!

But we admire the procedure of the school, the integrity of all concerned. For when a ballplayer, particularly a stellar performer, is declared null and void for further participation on a sports crew in any "big" college, or even in a comparatively small one (similar to Wagner), he is usually so bad off that he is either asked or is on the verge of being asked to retire from school. In plain and simple lingo, most of the better players in most institutes are "fixed up" by the coaches when a scholastic difficulty arises. The entire process is definitely no secret!

After all, common sense shows that sports comprises the major amount of most schools' publicity and is the top money-maker, so anyone in his right mind knows that the better the team, the better and more regularly comes the publicity and l'argent.

Therefore, it was certainly commendable on the part of the Seahawks' authorities, definitely upping the prestige of the college, when they gave themselves a stiff rap in the sports section by following through and banning the aforementioned unlucky students.

This wasn't intended to be a soap opera, a sermon, or anything like it. It does hope to display the facts and indicate the truth, that, Wagner, in this case, is above commercialism. For a change, and wholeheartedly, we are in complete accord with the Wagner administration. SMORGASBORD—

In addition to the above, a former Curtis High School star athlete and ex-serviceman, who entered these parts on probation, is still scholastically unfit for sports purposes, much to the chagrin of Coach Sutter . . . The one remaining BIG game for the successful cage contingent is set for Feb. 28, away, when the Hawks visit the Manhattan College Jaspers, who have aspiration of being invited to one of the post-season tournaments at Madison Square Garden. . . .

A la Winchell: Orchids to the Wagner girls' basketballers, who just go right long without fanfare, trying their darndest . . . Ditto to the cute cheerleaders, for the super-revue they put on regularly . . .

Seems that ping-pong is making a tremendous hit here. However, it is evident that some still snarl and say that it will never replace the ex-super sports of bridge and pinochle . . . A nod to Mike Chiapperino and Walt Stiering, co-managers of the basketball teams, for jobs well done. . . .

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Athletic Control Group to Decide As 35 Candidates Attend Meeting

Last Tuesday, Feb. 15, a meeting was held in the Wagner College Auditorium of all students interested in starting a Varsity tennis team. A turnout of thirty-five students made their appearance in support of the proposed team. This goodly number of interested parties justified the consensus of opinion that the Seahawks should be represented tennis-wise on an intercollegiate basis with other Metropolitan area teams.

Wags Score 55-24 'Startling' Upset Over Wagnerians

With the intra-mural league passing the half-way mark and rolling down the home stretch the Wags are once again out in front.

Driving hard for their third season-win in the intra-mural loop, the Wags came up with a startling upset over a highly touted Wagnerian quintet last Monday.

The determined Wag team managed a last minute drive that barely edged out the overconfident Wagnerians by a final total of 55-24. Neil Macintyre led the victors with 14 points.

The Wags have won six with no losses. Closely trailing are the Comets, runnerups last year, with five wins and one loss. The Expendables are third with 4 wins and 1 loss.

In games played Friday, Feb. 11, the 3:30 game saw the Wagnerians victors over the Harriers by a 30-20 count. Al Forman was high for the Wagnerians with 13 points.

The second game found the league leading Wags winning over the Boom-Boom Bombers 51-43. The ancient Neil Macintyre went on a 21 point scoring spree to spark the Wags. Dick "Angel" Schoenlank ripped off 19 for the Bombers.

The second place Comets rebounded from their loss to the Once-in-a-Whiles with an easy win over the Commandoes, 31-21. George Neiderhouser had 14 points for the winners.

In other Monday games, the Expendables won by an 11 point margin over the Once-in-a-Whiles, 38-27. Gwyn Reese had 15 for Expendables and Herb Schumann 13 for the losers.

The high spot of the day came when Don Brockman broke the all-time scoring record as he tallied 33 points to help the Canadian Club win over the Harriers by a 73-44 count.

Kappa Defeats Alpha to Maintain Two Game Lead in Inter-frat Cage Tourney

Kappa Sigma Alpha strengthened its grip on first place in the inter-fraternity basketball loop when the Purple and White recorded a 56 to 39 victory over Alpha Sigma Phi last Wednesday evening. In the after-piece, Delta Nu scored early and often to up-end Sigma Delta Phi, 58 to 35.

The Kapp-Alpha tilt was a tight contest until midway in the second half when Jackie Kane and Rube Valles waxed hot to blow the game wide open. Kane tallied 18 points while Valles chipped in with 16 to more than offset the great play of George Neiderhouser, Alpha's and

the game's high scorer with 25 points.

The nightcap between Delta and Sigma saw the former start hitting with regularity in the second half, turning a close ball game into a rout. Billy Thompson and Neil Macintyre split 31 points to pace the victors, while Henry Reentsjerna with 14 and Marty Godgart with nine led the losers. The win by Delta and Alpha's loss result in a tie between the two teams for second place, each with a record of two wins and two defeats.

The fraternity teams return to action next Wednesday, Feb. 23, with Kappa facing Sigma at 7 and Delta matching baskets with Alpha at 8.

Get-Together Dance Tonight

The Evening Session School starts its social season tonight with an informal "Get-Together" dance in the college auditorium.

Music by the Modernaires will begin at eight-thirty and continue until twelve-thirty.

A committee of twenty-three students, headed by Bill Errington, president of the Evening School Association, and assisted by Kay Patterson, will decorate the auditorium with cardboard imitations of Al Capp's Shmoo family and create a wooden island which will be situated directly in front of the stage and which will be inhabited by additional imitations of the Capp creations.

About two hundred and fifty couples from both day and evening sessions are expected to attend the affair, as well as a number of faculty members, including President Langsam.

By way of introducing a note of innovation to the dance at about ten forty-five, 144 Shmoo balloons will be dropped from the ceiling onto the dancers below.

Bill Bird, Treasurer of the Evening Session's Student Association, will be at the door, along with hosts and hostesses, to collect tickets.

Admission to the dance has been set at \$1.20 per couple and \$.75 per stag.

European Colleges Offer Fellowships

European colleges and universities, after virtual obscurity from 1940 until this year, have once more put in their bids for American students.

Fellowships for graduate students and courses creditable for transfer for undergraduate students are being offered directly by schools on the Continent and also through the Foreign Study Department of the University of Maryland.

The Universities of Basel and Zurich have announced a Junior year program for 1949-50, beginning on Sept. 15 with tuition placed at \$550.

Admission is granted only to those who have completed their sophomore year and have two years of college German or the equivalent.

The University of Maryland offers graduate study in various liberal art majors at Foreign Study Centers in Paris, Basel, and Zurich.

Travelling fellowships are being sponsored by The American-Scandinavian Foundation for graduate study in Denmark, Iceland, Norway, and Sweden.

SPORTS CORNER

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Never one to be a pessimist, we welcome the baseball season. But it is highly problematical whether this campaign's diamond-dusters will even approach the fine record that last years' sensational squad ran up . . . Next season's netmen will be without the services of Lefty Gearhart and Kenny Laucella, both of whom will have been graduated. Incidentally, li'l Lefty wants it to be known that he is 5'7 1/2" high, and not 5'6". . . .

A question many persons have posed which appears to be unanswerable is the query: who is the captain of the hoop aggregation? Izzere one? . . . Lefty Don "Hooks" Gromisch, a freshman, has really been hotter than the Florida sun with the jayvees.

It did many hearts good to see 35 ambitious students turn out last Tuesday in support of a proposed tennis tandem. In cooperation with the Wagner Board of Athletic Control, Athletic Director Herb Sutter, and hard-working Milt Grosz, the club, which is presently in the process stage, should get the "full-steam ahead" signal. It's also nice to know that genial "Bunny" Barbes will act as advisor if and when the ultimate CK comes through.

We are likewise enthused over the news that Wagner will be represented in swimming competition. A good number of candidates put in an appearance yesterday, and although facilities are lacking and no formal schedule will be drawn up, it is evident that the interest is present. We hope that in the not too distant future swimming will in reality become an important part of the Wagner sporting scene.

Advise Seniors to Order Rings, Pins in February

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