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Mixer" To Be Held Oct. 3; Sponsored By Day Students



Co-chairmen Eleanor Spano '53 and Molly Kern '53.

Because of the tremendous success of their "mixer" last year, the day students are having another on Friday evening, October 3, in Beaver Hall and Jenkintown campus gym, from 8 to 12 p.m.

A "mixer," as the new students

A "mixer," as the new students nay not know, is an evening of lancing, ping-pong, cards, and many other interesting events.

Eleanor Spano '53 and Molly Kern '53 are co-chairmen of the mixer" this year and they have thosen a carnival theme. There will be square dancing, ballroom dancing, fortune telling, and kissing booths.

There will be an orchestra, and tickets are 50 cents. The "Chat" will be open and refreshments will be on sale.

Pennsylvania, Lehigh, Lafayette, Princeton, and Temple men as well as men from many other colleges will attend the "mixer." Dates are not necessary and without a date, there will be a greater chance of meeting new people.

Vogue' Sponsors Annual Contest Open To Seniors

A Paris job, a position on "Vogue"—these are the first and second prizes respectively in the eighteenth annual Prix de Paris contest sponsored by "Vogue" magazine. The contest is open to seniors working towards a bachelor's degree in colleges and universities throughout the United States.

The contest, made up of four quizzes, will be based on editorial problems with "Vogue" issues of August, September, October, and November being used as a basis for the quizzes. Entrants who satisfactorily answer the quizzes will become eligible to write a thesis on one of the topics appearing in the February issue of the magazine.

Entrants will be judged on subject matter, writing ability, general intelligence, originality, and demonstration of special talents. Judges will consist of a board of editors from Conde Nast Publications.

In addition to the first and second prizes there will be 10 honorable mentions of \$25.00 each.

Anyone interested in entering this contest may find additional material in forthcoming issues of "Vogue."

Students To Meet Ministers Oct. 1

Freshmen and new students will have an opportunity to meet the ministers of the churches in the nearby communities at dinner on Wednesday, October 1, at 6 p.m. in Beaver Hall dining room. Ministers of all denominations will be present at this event, which is sponsored by the Beaver Y.W.C.A.

Following the dinner and a devotional service in the chapel, small seminar groups will be held with each group led by a minister. "Christianity on the College Campus" will be the title of the discussion held in the seminars.

Faculty Club Holds Picnic On Oct. 1

The Faculty Club will begin the Centennial year with an informal meeting Saturday, October 4, at the Rothwell Farm, Valley Springs, Pa. A picnic at 1 p.m. will be followed by a short meeting to review plans for the year. A program of entertainment will climax the day's festivities.

All faculty and staff members are invited to attend.

President of the organization is Mr. Benton Spruance, professor of fine arts; vice-president, Dr. Angela W. Preu, associate professor of French; secretary, Dr. Margaret S. Hinton, associate professor of English; treasurer, Mr. Carl B. Hoffman, associate professor of history and government; program chairman, Mr. William Fisher, assistant professor of psychology; and hospitality chairman, Mrs. Elsie S. McGarvey, instructor in art.

"Y" Open House To Be Held During MembershipWeek

Y-Open House, a new feature on campus this year, will predominate during the YWCA Membership Week, October 2 through 9. Open to all interested students, particularly freshmen, the Open House will be held on Wednesday, October 8, at 7 p.m. in Green Parlors.

Because of the Y-Open House, current president of the Y, Marjorie Anderson '53, feels that students will be given the opportunity to familiarize themselves with the functions of the YWCA and will also become acquainted with the various activities on the program for the coming school year.

So that each member of the YWCA may have an opportunity to participate, committee chairmen will be at individual tables to explain the activities of their committees throughout the year so that new students may choose the branch they are most interested in.

Joyce Hoffman '54 will head the worship committee; Jean Nazzaro '54 will be in charge of the grace committee; Marilyn Neuberger '53 will be in charge of social service; and Ruth Wirth '54 will head the comparative religious interest group.

Alumnae Bazaar To Be At Towers All Day Tomorrow

This year will be the first that the Beaver College Alumnae Club of Montgomery-Bucks County will sponsor an outdoor bazaar on Grey Towers campus. Mrs. Palmyra Menna Geldi '33, president of the association, has also announced that the bazaar, to be held tomorrow from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., will be called the "Autumn Fair."

Students, alumnae, and local residents are invited to attend the yearly event. Luncheon will be served from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. at popular prices, and a Chinese auction will be one of the features of the day.

There will also be an auction of children's used books and records. Playtime for the children with pony rides and games will continue throughout the day. There will also be cake and handicraft tables.

Co-chairmen for the bazaar are Mrs. Barbara Scull Mawson '48 and Mrs. Dorothy Kistler Erskine '42.

BULLETIN!

Frosh will entertain upperclassmen in Frolics tomorrow night at 7 in Taylor Chapel. Everyone is invited to attend.

185 New Students Arrive To Open Centennial Year



S.G.A. President Beverly Gifford greeting new students

Centennial year saw the arrival of 151 freshmen and 34 transfer students to open the school year on Monday, September 15.

Besides students from many of the states, there are girls representing Korea, Puerto Rico, Hungary, France, Japan, and Venezuela.

Sue Young Choy of Seoul, Korea, attended Beaver summer school and is now working for the degree of bachelor of science. Puerto Rico is represented by Ethel Bessie Cardona of Isobela who is studying to be a medical technologist.

Eleonora Margit Hegedus from Hungary is enrolled in the bachelor of arts curriculum and is majoring in Latin. She plans to teach when she finishes her schooling. Another future teacher is Monique Novel of Grenoble, France. She is majoring in English.

Teruko Ohashi, a sociology major from Japan, plans to do social work in her native country when she obtains the degree of bachelor of arts. Secretarial work interests Luella Anne Wilson of Caracas, Venezuela. She is working for the degree of bachelor of science and is a commerce major.

Nine full tuition and 18 half tuition competitive scholarships were awarded to incoming freshmen. Recipients of the full tuition scholarships are Marion Davis, Margery Griffith, Catherine Gunsalus, Jean Jackson, Barbara Kymer, Louise Ordway, Jean Stull, Harriet Swoy-

er, and Barbara Tetlow.

Half tuition scholarships were awarded to Mary Lou Adams, Ruth Atwood, Ellen Baber, Jane Cranmer, Joan Cranmer, Dorothy Hill, Merle Kemp, Anne Keil, Joan Kindervatter, Mantana Kresge, Janet Magee, Marilyn Offerman, Mary Jane Radhe, Susan Rhodes, Alice Rongley, Ruth Teitelbaum, Eleanor Towell, and Althea Trutner.

Daughters of alumnae in the freshman class include Sandra Cohen, Anne Cornell, and Elizabeth Harkrader. Sisters of former Beaver students or of ones still attending are Patricia Christopher, Corinne DeVries, Catherine Gunsalus, Jean Jackson, Montana Kresge, Helen Macleod, Dorothy Pierce, Vera Pitcairn, and Norma Selman.

Five New Members Join Faculty For Coming Year

The 1952-1953 term at Beaver College opened with several new members on the faculty staff. The changes have taken place in several departments.

Miss Louisa G. Plummer is the new assistant professor in the chemistry department. Miss Plummer took her undergraduate work at Hanover College, received her master's degree at the University of Minnesota, and has also studied at the University of Colorado, Miami University, and Harvard University.

Mr. James Scott Hall will be teaching economics part-time, in the department of commerce and ecomonics. He did his undergraduate work at the University of Pennsylvania, and received his master's degree there also.

Miss Suzanne Gilliotte, a native

of France, will be the new instructor in French. She is taking the place of Mrs. Trean B. Matz, who will be in France for the next two years. Miss Gilliotte has taught for several years in the elementary education department at Beaver.

In the department of health and physical education, Miss Lucille Bretherick will serve as instructor. She completed her undergraduate work and received the degree of master of science in education at the University of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Mary Elizabeth Stewart will be the new lecturer in political science. Dr. Stewart completed her undergraduate work and work for her master's degree at the University of Pennsylvania. She has also received a master's degree in history from Smith College. Dr. Stewart completed the work for her doctorate at Clark University.

Miss Florence E. Oeters will be instruction in music. She is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, where she received the degree of bachelor of music.

Mrs. Mary Sturgeon has returned to Beaver this year as assistant professor in the English department, after a leave of absence for the past year.

'Homesick Blues' Not Played By Frosh

By now the freshmen should feel pretty much at home. They've had almost two whole weeks to familiarize themselves with new surroundings, new faces, and new rules.

Their first week was more or less a get-acquainted - with - everything week; the second was more of the get-acquainted-with-classes type.

Life really began for each new freshman the moment she hit the Beaver campus on Monday, September 15. There was so much for her to do: she had to get a look at her room, her roommate, attend Dr. and Mrs. Kistler's open house and then attend her first informal get-together in an assembly in Taylor Chapel.

A few tears may have been shed when she awoke the next morning and realized that mother was not downstairs preparing breakfast, but there was too much ahead of her to make her feel blue for long. Placement tests of all sorts were in order as were consultations with the faculty. The day was climaxed by a traditional rally led by Ida Hickman '53 and Nancy Norman '53, co-chairmen of Tradition. After learning all about Beaver songs the Frosh tramped outside to enjoy a huge bonfire and refreshments.

By now the freshmen know all about registration too. After officially signing their lives away on Wednesday morning, they went in the evening to what is commonly known as dormitory "hobnobs." Here all dreams of what faculty were like were shattered by various impersonations that caused many a laugh.

Both big and little sisters enjoyed the picnic given in their honor on Thursday evening. We don't know who took care of whom, but it was fun. A different form of entertainment took place Friday night when freshmen gathered together in Taylor Chapel to see an amusing movie, "You Can't Take It With You."

A sight-seeing tour was arranged on Saturday for those who wanted to view the "Friendly Quaker city." Equipped with a guide and wearing the most comfortable pair of shoes they owned, the out-of-state girls got their first glimpse of Philadelphia's historical landmarks.

At long last the busy week was climaxed with an informal party at the Castle on Saturday evening.

A magician provided the entertainment and succeeded in baffling many a frosh.

Yes, college life has begun for the freshmen, and we hope it is a happy one too—for classes, homework, friends, and dates are all essential factors in the well balanced life of a happy Beaverite.

New Plan Adopted For Dining Room

Eleanor Murphy '54, dining room hostess, has announced that in the short time the new hostessing plan has been in effect, it has proved successful.

The plan, used by other schools, was initiated at the end of last semester without success. This year the girl at the head of each table serves the main dish while the girl at her left serves the vegetables

Call To Order In Student Government

This editorial is not meant to be directed toward new students in order to acquaint them with the functions of our Student Government Association. It is written rather in the hope that every member of the student body will give some thought to her part as a member of the community in which we are living.

Student government is an agency on the student level which, like the faculty and administration, aids in the progress toward the ends of the educational community—that is, in the development of the intellectual, moral, physical, and spiritual welfare of the student. Student government is, in one sense, a matter of student rights and privileges, but even more, it is a matter of student responsibility.

We students are a funny lot. We will become aroused at the most trivial things—be it sunbathing restrictions or wearing Bermuda shorts in the dining room-and the most serious events and problems are often sadly neglected.

Student Government can sense the needs of the students better than the administration can. We should, for this reason, direct our activities toward long range objectives. We should get away from losing ourselves in the trivial things.

If honest and sincere efforts to represent the interest of the students and the total community are not worthwhile, neither is student government.

On the other hand, Student Government should not be used for arbitration between students and administration. It should not take action with a belligerent or antagonistic attitude. We should treat those who have given us the privilege of an S.G.A. with courtesy and respect.

No matter how long students handle their own affairs, they, like administrators, will continue to make mistakes. But these mistakes can become an asset if we allow ourselves to profit by experience rather than "gripe" about things that are past.

Also, there is the matter of individual interest and participation in our government. We students are always spectators—whether we sit in the bleachers at Franklin Field, or raptly gaze at Stewart Granger in his latest picture.

The same holds true for many of us in our Student Government. We carry that spectatoritis into the S.G.A. meetings and absorb the thoughts of others without challenging the contents. In the realm of action we forfeit control of our organizations to a small minority of students.

Out of all this comes the question, "What can we do to improve our S.G.A. and make it a working organization?" The answer is an obvious one and seems to be very nicely summed up by the philosopher, Montesquieu, who said, "Every people have that type of government which they deserve." Let's make our S.G.A. the type of government we deserve and one that Beaver can be proud of at the same time.

> BEVERLY GIFFORD, President of S. G. A.

On Your Honor . . .

In the constitution of the Honor Council we find that the council "was formed by the students to encourage the highest ideals of honor." Most of us have been here so long that such a statement is accepted without question. You new students, still trying to fathom the mysteries of hazing and schedules and room-mates, may not yet have spent a great deal of thought upon your Honor System. To take this statement apart is to find something more than is seen in the quick glance.

"Formed by the students " There we have it. We may have grown so accustomed to Honor System that we unconsciously adopt the idea that it is given to us. It isn't-we make it. It is not an easy thing to report a fellow student for a breach of honor, Yet it is a decision which some of us may some day have to make. It is your own decision—the future of Beaver's Honor System is in your trust. As the system stands now it is strong-something of which you may be well proud. This does not mean that it cannot be stronger-nor does it mean that the student body can afford to relax and let honor take care of itself. An Honor System is a stubborn child—it cannot survive without the constant faith of those whom it serves.

"To encourage the highest ideals of honor." You may ask why was this so important to the students who organized our Honor System? Why should it be important to us now? Perhaps because it is an obligation which we as human beings must fulfill to prove to ourselves that mankind, if only this one small portion of it, can live and abide by its own sense of honor. Our Honor System, in order to be effective, involves much more than a sense of duty-it involves our own self-respect and our pride in our college—two things without which our four years at Beaver are worth, or will be worth, nothing. Why not instead make them the richest and the fullest four years of our lives?

PATRICIA MARTIN, **President of Honor Council**

Wandering Beaver Tourists Held Spellbound By Europe

By CONNIE SHAFFER

This is the first of a series of articles on Europe. The trip, which lasted for 10 weeks, will be divided in half, with subsequent articles dealing with particular phases of European life as witnessed by the group.

The bills were paid . . . nylons were purchased . . . shots completed and there we were, the 34 members of the Beaver College European Field Trip in economic geography (known in Europe as pulling out of Hoboken, New Jersey, for 10 weeks abroad. We sailed on the S.S. Groote-Beer under the leadership of Miss Evelyn Giangiulio, assistant professor of economics.

Passing Miss Liberty, we settled down to the bridge-dramamine-Heinekin's routine which was the order of the day till land ho! Yes, after nine days we docked in Rotterdam, much to the relief and disbelief of many of us. There we were in the land of wooden shoes and windmills. With Amsterdam as our center, we traveled to the fishing ports of Volendam and Marken, where the people still live as their ancestors did for three centuries before them. Our first evenings spent at side-walk cafes-we had to acquire the "continental air"-a few shyly spoken "tufil" and "tank u vels," and we were off in our bus for Brussels.

Austerlitz-Waterloo-Antwerp. What had previously been names in history books were becoming significant measures of the metres we had yet to travel. A tour of Parliament, a glimpse of the Mannikin Pis, and we were off in a blaze of lace, Paris or bust!

PARIS-hard to believe, but we were actually walking down the Champs-Elysees. Paris is Paris . . . the Eiffel Tower; the Louvre; Notre-Dame; the lights in the Place de la Concorde; maddening trips on the Metro; faux pas with our francais; and of course, the Folies Bergere.

A bullfight and a visit to the Spanish village, plus a day at Montserrat, the monastery above the clouds, were the highlights of our visit to Spain. Then, across the Pyrenees and back to France. Carcassone, the 11th century walled city resembles a movie set, with its medieval castle.

A 13-hour bus ride high above the amazingly blue Mediterranean and there stretched the Riviera in the sunlight. High in the mountains we visited a perfume factory where the essences for the Parisian houses are prepared. A glimpse at the Matisse Chapel, swimming in the Mediterranean at night, swaying in the Leaning Tower at Pisa .

Fascinating, enchanting, wonderful Rome, where the ancient and modern rise side by side. One of the most impressive experiences was the visit to the Roman Baths of Caracalla where we saw "Aida" under the stars. The Catacombs of the Christian martyrs, an audience with the Pope, a visit to St. Peter's and the Vatican, and oh, so much more were packed into our three days in Rome.

It is easy to understand why Capri has been immortalized in song and verse. This tiny island sits like a jewel at the tip of Italy. The storybook town abounds in interesting people, including Farouk whose yacht was anchored in the bay, and the charming natives of the island who sat outside their shops making sandals and straw articles.

Greetings From Dr. Kistler:

I am always happy to have the opportunity to welcome new students to the Beaver campus and to assure returning students of our happiness in having them with us. This year it gives me an unusual thrill. This is the year in which Beaver College will celebrate its CENTENNIAL.

For 100 years girls have been coming to Beaver College for preparation for life and they have been going out from college ready to take their places in the world. We have not yet been able to secure an exact total of the number of girls who have enjoyed this educational experience, but we know that there are many thousands who think back fondly with happy memories either to the "Old Beaver" in the western part of the state, or to the "New Beaver" in Jenkintown.

This is a personal welcome to each one of you and it carries my best wishes that you find this centennial year particularly happy and helpful. Many special programs and projects are being planned, about which you will hear in the days to come. We will enjoy special academic convocations, centennial projects by the music and dramatics departments, and a great centennial May Day Historical Pageant. Every event during the year will have added interest because of our consciousness that we are completing a century of history.

Was it not Napoleon who before one of his battles in Egypt pointed to the pyramids and told his soldiers of the centuries of history that would be looking down upon them as they entered the conflict? I hope you will share with me the feeling that a century of past history has made possible the opportunity and privileges of this college year. Beaver College has had its ups and downs, its cloudy days and its periods of sunshine. You will hear more of the details of that history a little later. It is our duty and our opportunity to make sure that we add to the glory of that history and prepare for a better Beaver in the century to come.

May the words of our Alma Mater have increased meaning to each of us, as together we pass through the portals of Beaver's cenetnnial year.

by E. S. GAYLEY

"Gold is where you find it" and although the fall theatre season has not yet opened officially, a look here and there will bring interesting results.

Movies in the Philadelphia area at the moment are rather usual. However, there are two, "Outcast of the Islands" from a novel by Joseph Conrad, and "Encore," three stories by Somerset Maugham, which are well worth seeing. They are both in the process of shifting from one theatre to another, but will presumably land somewhere nearby soon. The Conrad film is primarily by an extremely competent British cast. Its theme is roughly the disintegration of the white man in the tropics, and more especially, the time, trouble, and lives harmed and wasted by a misguided benefactor's attempts to aid a worthless wreck with the gift of appearing pathetic to reach his ends.

"Encore" is again the dramatization of Maugham short stories. The excellent acting, atmosphere, and interesting stories will be appreciated by those who saw and enjoyed "Trio" and "Quartet." Perhaps the most notable story in "Encore" is "Gigolo and Gigolette," for up to its (unfortunately) happy ending, it approaches very near to being great theatre. The new film of the great French surrealist, Jean Cocteau, while not in Philadelphia at the moment, may be coming, and it is most definitely something to watch out for. Its original title was "Les Enfants Terribles" but it is now called "The Strange Ones."

Many of you know of the Hedgerow Theatre in Moylan. It has tackled the most amazing task for a repertory company in presenting this fall George Bernard Shaw's lengthy if not monumental drama "Man and Superman." As is most unusual, Hedgerow will include the "Don Juan in Hell" scene which was given across the nation last year as a reading by Moorehead, Laughton, Hardwick, and Boyer. This will obviously be a long evening of theatre, but, with a light supper served by Hedgerow, should be most rewarding.

New students may be interested in the organization called the Philadelphia Forum. The Forum presents about twelve events each winter most of which would normally not come here and would be sold out in New York. Emlyn Williams will present a reading of works of Dickens with the same desk and makeup as he had last winter in New York. For those who saw him then, it will still be worthwhile as he has reportedly greatly enlarged his selections and may also do something from "Bleak House." Raymond Massey who will be remembered for his work in "Abe Lincoln in IIlinois" will dramatize in simple form Stephen Vincent Benet's great poetic work, "John Brown's Body."

First of the season's offerings will be Ted Shawn (and possibly Ruth St. Denis) and the Jacob's Pillow Company in an evening of dance. They will lean heavily on ballet and comedy. If Mr. Shawn does not dance, it will be an excellent evening. The Jacob's Pillow Company is also justly famous for its program of ethnic dance, especially Hindu, Hawaiian, and Haitian. Madame Le Meri will probably do most of the Indian dancing, and she rivals Uday Shankar whom many of you saw last year. Another Forum offering which few of you will miss is expected to come around January—The Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo. They were some of the dancers in the movie "Red Shoes" and their maitre de ballet, the great Massine, played the shoemaker. Forum tickets for all 12 events can be bought for as little as \$8.00 for the entire season by writing Philadelphia Forum, Inquirer Building. The organizers realize that most of the subscribers work at something, so the majority of events will be on reasonable evenings such as Friday. Twelve events for \$8.00 seems rediculously low considering the quality of the events. The tickets are still easy to get but are

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Beverly Gifford

All Beaver students live under a system of self-government directed by the Student Government Association. The function of this group is to see that the wishes and best interests of the students are fulfilled. The organization also serves as a link between the student body and the administration in carrying out rules made by and for the students.

President of Y.W.C.A.



Marjorie Anderson

The Young Women's Christian Association is a campus organization which sponsors and is active in the religious life of the campus. The is a service group in that it is responsible for many social welfare and community services at

Beaver.
The Y.W.C.A. also sponsors the Big Sister-Little Sister program in an effort to help freshmen get better acquainted with upperclassmen.

Editors of "Beaver Log"



Megan Helffrich

The yearbook is published by the student body under the leadership of the senior class. The publication includes an account of campus activities of the year as well as photographs of the students and organizations. Also in the book are pictures of various spots on campus and photographs of the fac**President of Nominating Council**



Hannah Weiner

The task of supervising all Beaver student elections is under the jurisdiction of Nominating Council, which is headed by the vice-president of the Student Government Association. The council prepares the ballots and checks on the eligibility of the candidates.

Point Committee is also incorporated in Nominating Council, and it is their purpose to check the number of extracurricular points which each student is carrying.

President of Forum



Elise Melnick

The Beaver College Forum of Arts and Sciences is the college's link with the world of music, world affairs, fine art, literature, drama and science. This organization sponsors outside speakers of renown in their individual fields, and also outstanding representatives from the world of music and the theatre. The student audience often participates in the program by asking questions.



Betty Ann Lyle

ulty. It is complete with a dedication in the front pages. This year's centennial "Log," as in previous years, will be distributed at the end of the academic year. Advisers for the "Log" are Dr. Doris Fenton, professor of English, and Mr. Benton Spruance, professor of fine

President of Honor Council



Patricia Martin

To uphold the standards of academic honesty as maintained by the honor system here at Beaver is the purpose of the Honor Council. It encourages the highest ideals of honor in the students, and also deals with any infringement of honor system regulations.

It is the duty of each individual to make the honor system successful, as it is an integral part of col-

President of Athletic Association



Mary Margaret Hill

Sports are an essential part of the program at Beaver, and they are under the supervision of the Athletic Association, whose main purpose is to create an interest in sports and to develop good sportsmanship.

A.A. sponsors an annual show, and also tries to create an interest in intramural activities and varsity

Editors of "Beaver News"



Constance Shaffer

The students are responsible for the publication of the bi-monthly newspaper, containing news around campus, features, sports stories and other forms of news which interest almost every member of the student body and faculty. Girls interested in newspaper work make up the staff and Dr. Belle Matheson, professor of English, is faculty adviser.

President of Dormitory Council



Marion Boise

Quiet hour, social regulations, maintenance of certain parts of the dormitory, and freshman hob-nobs -all of this comes under the jurisdiction of Dormitory Council. The council is composed of the first and second house presidents of each dorm and the corridor representa-

The council is also in charge of any infractions of the rules concerning dormitory life.

Editor of "Beaver Review"



Shirley Gubb

The "Beaver Review" is the students' literary magazine in which are published the short stories, poems, and art works which have been chosen by a board of editors. Each year, the faculty members of the English department select the best short story and poem, and the faculty members of the art department select the best illustration for Orchid Awards, Dr. Margaret Hinton, associate professor of English, is the faculty adviser.



Rosemary Steunenberg

In order that the paper can be of even more interest to its readers the editors ask that anyone wishing to submit ideas concerning campus news or opinions of current national affairs, do so in letters to the editors, which they will print. All letters must be signed. Only by taking an active interest in the college newspaper, can it become for and by the students.

Founders' Day Service Opens Beaver Centennial

Beaver College opened its Centennial year on Sunday afternoon, September 21, with the annual celebration of Founders' Day. Dr. Raymon Kistler, president of Beaver, the exercises and awarded honorary degrees to the Reverend Mr. Ernest Nelson Feind, moderator of the Presbytery of Philadelphia, who received the degree of doctor of divinity, and Dr. Hermann Nelson Morse, moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of United States of America, who was presented with the degree of doctor of

Six students, who completed their work in August, received bachelors' degrees. They are Edith Yu-Shih Hsi and Judith Schnee, who received bachelor of arts degrees; and Joyce Beverly Brennan, Gwendolyn Demarest Crane, Marion Johnson, and Iwanna Stefania Natalia Sira, who received bachelor of science degrees.

Barbara Fleck '38, president of the Beaver College Alumnae Association, brought greetings from the Alumnae.

In his address on "Education In Today's World," the speaker, Dr. Morse, stressed the fact that moral and spiritual issues are essential factors in education.

Dr. Morse stated that illumination will appear at the end of education only when the highest function of education is the emphasis of understanding against knowledge and of motivation against skill.

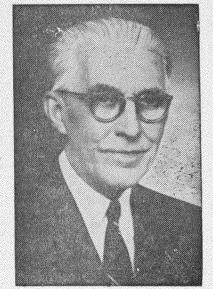
The speaker said that modern man is faced with a great cultural dilemma primarily caused by man,

19 Students On Dean's Honor List

Nine students named to last year's distinguished honor list for maintaining more than a 2.5 ratio for both semesters include four seniors, three juniors, and two sophomores.

They are Betty Ann Lyle, Priscilla Miller, Eleanor Spano, and Margaret St. John of the senior class; Elizabeth McCann, Mary Jane Slade, and Miriam Stybel of the class of '54; and from the sophomore class, Janet Murray and Bolyn Ramos.

On last semester's dean's list are, from the senior class, Jane Perry, Betsey Schneider, and Jacqueline Strohauer; from the junior class, Myrna Golden, Jane Smalley, Ruth Weber, and Ruth Wirth; and from the sophomore class, Evelyn Havir, Shirley Kiefer, and Marilyn Moore.



Dr. Hermann Morse

in general, neglecting the spiritual goal in life. The struggle between earth and spirit has been evident throughout the centuries, but it is nevertheless increasing, Dr. Morse feels, for man is constantly striving to satisfy new wants.

Although political organization, scientific research, material production, and techniques of government and social living are all important issues in education, Dr. Morse considers them only secondary as their results, he feels, depend on the moral and spiritual issues.

As man continues to climb higher and grasp more, Dr. Morse believes he becomes less impressed with moral requirements. As a result Dr. Morse feels that man's moral progress is slow in contrast to his progress in science.

According to Dr. Morse, man will have a sense of ultimate victory only when he approaches the "whether" and "why," as well as the "what" and "how." In unifying his views, Dr. Morse used the familiar quotation of George Russell, "The light is the real person in the world."

Members of the Board of Trustees, the administration, and faculty marched in the academic procession at the exercises.

ATTENTION

At a meeting on May 8, 1952, the Beaver faculty approved a new ruling in regard to the time limit for voluntary withdrawal from any class.

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The motion reads: "Voluntary withdrawal from any course must occur within the first four weeks of the semester in question."

Hockey Team Has Intensive Training At Camp This Year

Both old and new members of the hockey team returned to Beaver College on September 10 for there and a half days of intensive hockey practice. This hockey camp, which is held every year, is of great value in giving the hockey team a chance to limber up those unused muscles before school officially opens.

Daily morning and afternoon practice included the fundamental drills, exercises, hockey skills, and plenty of scrimmage,

Proceeds from the annual Athletic Association show finance the hockey camp. Last year the show was produced by the modern dance club, in which "Barbara Beaver" was elected the first woman president of the United States.

This year four freshmen were invited to attend the camp. They were Theresa Bizzarri, Barbara Daugherty, Joan Haly, and Jean Wilde.

The seven returning varsity members are Target Hill '53, Norm Golder '54, Betty King '53, Marlene Lochner '55, Gracie McGee '54, Wheezie Ogden '53, and Betty Pfautz '55.

NOTE

"Mademoiselle" is again sponsoring its College Board Contest. All students interested in participating should see Miss Marjorie Eisenberger, dean of students.

Tradition Plans Many Activities For Coming Year

Tradition, a long-standing campus organization, is open to all Beaver students. Freshmen and new students are urged to join and help create the good times that Tradition has planned for this year.

Students who like to plan dances, arrange blind dates, and make posters will find Tradition the organization to work in. There will be several meetings during the year, and there are no requirements for membership.

During the coming year, Tradition is planning to offer bridge tournaments with men's colleges, bonfires, a hayride, a barn dance, blind date dances, and sandwich sales. It also plans events to fill in the vacant periods between social events on the campus.

Nancy Norman '53 and Ida Hickman '53 are co-chairmen of Tradition. They are looking forward to many exciting affairs on the Beaver campus and urge all new students to join the organization.

Sports Round-Up

by LAURIE

Hi, sports fans, old and new! A hearty welcome to all the new students at Beaver. This column is written as a brief preview and review of athletic events around campus. Everyone is invited to try out for a varsity team, and there are six major teams from which to choose.

Hockey, the first of the seasonal sports, is coached by Mrs. Mary Conklin, assistant professor of health and physical education, familiarly known on campus as Mrs. "C." When the colder weather sets in, the interest centers on the basketball team which is coached by Mrs. Emily P. Mackinnon, professor of health and physical education, and better known as Mrs. "Mac."

Miss Lucille Bretherick, the new physical education instructor at Beaver, will coach the swimming team during the winter season. Mr. Linford Schober will coach the modern Annie Oakleys on the riflery team.

In the spring Mrs. "C" coaches the lacrosse team, and Mrs. "Mac" directs the softball players. That seems to cover all the varsity sports. There are also intramurals in which competition is keen among the four classes and also among the three dorms and the day students.

Just in case you're wondering what nearby colleges are Beaver's rivals, the opposing hockey teams this fall are Bryn Mawr, Drexel, I enn, Temple, and Ursinus.

This reporter would also like to take this opportunity to welcome Miss Lucille Bretherick.

At Beaver our new instructor will teach both swimming and modern dance. In addition to this her extracurricular activities will include advising the modern dance and swim clubs, and coaching the swimming team.

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The first hockey game of the season will be against the alumnae next Saturday afternoon, October 4. Margaret Bonesteel, Cynie McKelvy, Jane Oswald, Phyl Saxton, and Reds Shaffer will return from last year's class. Caryl Ulmer will represent the class of '51, and Edna Scott the class of '50. Duffy Moffet, Elenore Pepper, Dotty Germain Porter, and Jane Scott Triol will all be back to show the spirit of '46. Mary Lauffer '41 will be back to show her usual vim and vigor.

That's all for now, but I'll be looking around for you out on the Jenk hockey field. Remember your team needs strong rooters.

Give yourself this

Beginning-of-the-Term Quiz

...to help you get better grades on your end-of-the-term quizzes

Sharpen your pencil and scratch your head for a few moments. This "quickie" quiz will save you a lot of head-scratching, hair-pulling and sleepless nights when those all-important finals come up at the end of the term.

	True	False
I. The New York Times brings you more news than any other newspaper.		
2. The New York Times has the biggest staff of reporters and correspondents of any newspaper.		
3. The New York Times has 100 correspondents overseas in all important world capitals.		
The New York Times has the biggest Washington staff of any newspaper.		
5. The New York Times has the biggest staff of sports writers of any newspaper.		
6. The New York Times prints more of the news you need to help you in your courses.		
7. Faculty members in colleges all over the U.S. read The New York Times and recommend it to their students.		
8. Reading The New York Times every day can help you get better grades, and keep you interestingly informed.		

Answers: If you answered "true" to all the questions, you get 100%. And you'll get a lot closer to 100% on the exams that really count, if you read The New York Times every day to keep up with the news that will help you in your class work. You'll enjoy reading The Times, too... its colorful sports pages, the movie, stage and book reviews, the food and fashion page, the daily crossword puzzle. To get The Times delivered right to your room every day, get in touch with your Times campus representative:

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