## 'Togas and Torchlight" To Open Prom Weekend

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#### President Invites Several Students

To Policy Meeting
Several students have been invited to attend the College Policy Committee meeting this Saturday morning in the office of President Raymon Kistler, who extended the

President Kistler stated that the students were invited "for an exchange of ideas as we are all interested in improving the academic atmosphere on campus.'

This committee meets the Saturday before every faculty meeting, which is held monthly. The topic of the faculty meeting, which will be held March 7, is the improvement of the intellectual atmosphere at Beaver.

President Kistler is chairman of this committee, composed of 5 members of the administration and 6 elected members of the faculty.

#### Russian-Born Nila Magidoff To Lecture Here March 5

Nila Magidoff, the heroine of the book "Nila", will be the speaker at an assembly on March 5, in Murphy chapel.

"Nila", which was written by Willie Snow Ethridge, is an account of Mrs. Magidoff's life in her native land, Russia.

Born in the village of Devinishki, Nila began working as a fashion designer in Moscow where she watched the Bolshevik revolution develop. She was sent to the remote regions of her land to teach hygiene and folk singing to the peasants. Surviving confinement in the Lubyanka prison and exile in Siberia, Mrs. Magidoff joined the Russian Merchant Marine as a sailor and traveled around Europe. Journalist

On her return to Moscow Nila became a journalist. In 1937 she married Robert Magidoff, former N.B.C. correspondent, whom she had met some time before. In 1941



Mrs. Nila Magidoff

she left Russia and arrived in America alone, a week before Pearl Harbor.

During the war, while her husband continued his broadcasts from the U.S.S.R., Mrs. Magidoff lectured at War Bond rallies and taught Russian at the University of Louisville. U. S. Citizen

She became a United States citizen and returned to her homeland after the war to rejoin her husband. In 1948, however, Mr. Magidoff was expelled on charges of spying for the American government. Nila returned with her husband to begin her life again.

For Formal Dance in Towers Saturday similarly garbed dates will enact a scene from the distant past as they participate in dancing of the present tomorrow night in Murphy

Billy May Will Provide Dance Music

until 12 p.m.

Leo Zallo is providing music. This dance is the first in the series of scheduled events carrying out this year's Junior Prom theme, "Festiva de Roma." There will also be musical entertainment by the "Castleaires."

Gym. "Togas and Torchlight" is the

theme of the dance from 9 p.m.

Festivities continue Saturday morning in true Roman fashion with a bridge tournament from 10:30 a.m. until noon. Later in the afternoon, the River Chambers band will provide music for dancing with a Calypso beat. This informal dance will continue from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m.

"Bacchanalia," highlighting the weekend, features Billy May and his band providing dancing from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m.

Students must go through the receiving line between 9 and 10

Promenade

Members of the junior class will promenade down the main stairs in Grey Towers from 10 p.m. until 11 p.m. The crowning of the Junior Prom queen will climax the promenade. Four attendants are also chosen from the promenade to serve the reigning queen.

This Year's prom favors are glass goblets carrying out the Roman theme. The gold-rimmed goblets feature a medallion seal with the words "'Festiva de Roma'—Junior Prom—1957—Beaver College.

A part of the weekend's festivities is the Junior Class Banquet, "Feast of the Gods" to be held Saturday evening at 5:30 p.m. in the Fortside Inn.

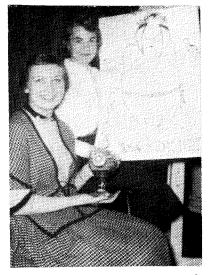
Chaperones for "Bacchanalia" are Dr. and Mrs. Raymon Kistler, Dean Florence Brown, and Dean Ruth Higgins.

Queen To Reign

Judges for the queen and her

Prinz of the "Philadelphia Inquirer," and Mrs. Allen McCone, fashion editor of the "Ladies' Home Journal."

The names of the members of the queen's court chosen from the freshman class have been announced. Co-chairmen of junior prom are Joyce Edwards and Nancy Wakeley.



Nancy Wakeley and Joyce Edwards, co-chairmen of Junior Prom, give a preview of the dance tomorrow.

#### College Submits **Progress Report** To Middle States

Improvements in the academic program and financial condition of the college have been submitted in report form to the Middle States Association by President Raymon Kistler and Dean Ruth L. Higgins.

These improvements have developed from the recommendations made by the association in its evaluation of Beaver College last year. Beaver College was unconditionally approved following this evalua-

A reasonable reduction of the fund deficit plus the addition of a Fund Raising Committee has been made. Also, faculty salaries have been increased.

The budget for the library has been expanded and plans have been considered for the construction of a library to accommodate 50,000 volumes or more.

In the professional curricula, several revisions will go into effect next year. The general trend is towards liberalizing the curricula, thereby allowing more electives in liberal arts.

Major changes that are being instituted next year include the consolidation of options in the fine arts and business departments. In the kindergarten-elementary education department the Principles and Practices course and senior course in allied arts have been eliminated and methods courses that are required in this department have been reduced.

The home economics department was eliminated in the interest of concentrating effort and means on improving the remaining curricula, still greater in number than are found in other colleges of the size of Beaver.

The addition of the related arts curriculum points up the determination for liberalization. This new curriculum will include a major in art, drama, and music.

#### **Dance To Follow**

#### Lehigh Glee Club To Sing With Beaver At Concert In Murphy March 9

Lehigh University and Beaver College glee clubs will join voices for the annual presentation of Beaver Night, 8:15 on March 9 at Murphy Chapel.

#### **Students Elect** Virginia Davidson President of SGA

Virginia Davidson formally will take office as president of the Student Government Association on Move-up Night March 19. Other SGA officers who were elected last week are Marcia May, vice-president; Carol Shafer, secretary; and Norma Kovacs, treasurer.

The newly-elected president for 1957-58 is a junior biology major. Ginny has served as a representative to Judicial board and Honor council and presently is vice-president of Forum and a member of the Publicity committee.

Marcia, a junior English major, will assume her duties as SGA vice-president and president of Nominating Council after March 19. Junior Carol Shafer, a member of Judicial board and Student Council representative in her sophomore year, will replace Marcia as SGA secretary. Norma Kovacs, newly elected treasurer, is president of the junior class and a physical education major.

Lois Roemmele will serve as chairman of Judicial board and Maxine Swift as president of Honor council. Forum will be headed Nancy Wakeley with Chris Nordstrom as vice-president.

Presiding over Dormitory council will be Clemmy Klein and over Y.W.C.A. Kay Lanning.

Barbara Heylmun was elected president of the Athletic Association, and Julie Craig and Barbara Ulmer, secretary and treasurer, re-

Chairman of Publicity committee is to be Marilyn Boyce, with Frannie White as secretary of that committee.

Toni de Prospero and Gertrude Ramsey will fill the positions of secretary and treasurer of Forum, respectively.

General and Recording secretaries of Judicial board will be Sue Dudderar and Grace Warrington,

Elected to the offices of vicepresident, secretary, and treasurer of Y.W.C.A. are Doris Anderson, Faith Downs, and Doris Bachman.

The combined choruses will present two numbers, "Almighty God of Our Fathers," by James and "Polovetsian Choruses" from "Prince Igor" by Borodin, to be conducted by Dr. W. Lawrence Curry and Mr. Robert Cutler respectively. Dedication

Dr. Raymon Kistler will introduce "Music When Soft Voices Die," composed by Dr. Curry and dedicated to Virginia Jarden Blake in honor of the opening of Blake Hall.

Following the concert, students and faculty members will be available until 10:30 to conduct guests through the new music conserva-

Student Director

Student conductor Inta Eglavs will conduct two Latvian folk songs which she arranged herself. The songs are "In My Chamber I Strew Roses" and "Across the River."

The Beaver glee club will be accompanied by Joan Ottaway.

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#### 39 Students Make Dean's Honor List

Thirty-nine students earned a 2.5 or higher ratio last semester, according to the announcement of the Dean's Honor List last week.

Senior honor students are Mary Avakian, Anne Lewis Bergman, Lois Brands, Patricia Carthage, Betty Colvell, Rosemary Deniken, Beatrice Durham, Edith Hall, Audrey Jukofsky, Lynne Lewis, Lois MacElroy, Jean Noell, Shirley Radcliff, Elaine Schermerhorn, Susan Stackpole, Barbara Stotz, Jean Stout, Helen Viniarski, and Lois Wrigley. Juniors

The ten juniors on the Dean's Honor List are Alma Alabilikian, Virginia Davidson, Ruth Havir, Barbara Heylmun, Judith Jones, Elaine Kauffman, Joan Ottaway, Nancy Wakeley, Grace Warrington, and Gloria Whitehead.

Sophomores Sophomores on the Dean's List are Rochelle Bell, Sara Stambaugh, Marjorie Stevens, Frances White, and Helen Yanko.

Freshmen Freshman honor students are Ann Falik, Marianna Harder, Karin Pearson, Suzanne Pierce, and Roberta Smith.

#### Washington News Analyst To Speak At Afternoon Assembly Mar. 12 In Murphy

John C. Metcalfe, noted Washington news analyst, will speak at the assembly on March 12.

Taking as his title, "Where Are We Going?", Mr. Metcalfe will discuss the current Washington and international situations. His talk will be an analytical presentation of the problems behind the scenes in the nation's capital. His lecture will also include highlights of his recent extensive European observation tour.

**News Scoops** 

Mr. Metcalfe, recognized as a keen analyst on world affairs, is credited with breaking many of the major stories from Washington in recent years.

Some of the articles which gained of the German-American Bund, Turkey's severance of diplomatic relations with Germany in World War II, the abdication of King Christian X of Denmark, the content of the Chinese-Soviet postwar treaty, the United States support of France in cession of the Saar. and the resignations of several topflight American diplomats.

Teaming with the late Bert Andrews of the "New York Herald Tribune," Mr. Metcalfe was instrumental in first revealing the secret Yalta agreement, which caused consternation throughout the world. Journalism Awards

He is the holder of a number of journalism awards, including the National Headliners Plaque, Norway's St. Olav Medal, and the

Chilean Legion of Merit. Weekly analytical articles from the nation's capital which have appeared in over 125 newspapers in the United States and in 18 foreign countries have borne his byline.

"Chicago Times" Reporter This analyst was the first report- and Ruth Basmajian will represent

er to focus national attention on the problem of subversive activities. His revelations, in 1937, for the "Chicago Times," were directly responsible for the formation of the House Committee on Un-American

Mr. Metcalfe specialized in journalism at the University of Notre Dame. He is now on the faculty at Mercersburg Academy.



John C. Metcalfe

#### **Janet Alvey To Head Day Students**

Janet Cameron Alvey is the newly-elected president of the Day Students Organization. Working with her will be Alice Irons, vicepresident; Joan Norman, secretary; and Phoebe Bartholemew, treasurer.

Senior representatives to the organization will be Betty Lawrence, Ruth Havir, and Carol Freedman. Marjorie Stevens, Lois Eggert,

the junior class in the organization. Sophomores will be represented by Rachael Smith, Judy Lewis, and Arlene Jones.

Day students will be represented in Publicity committee by Phoebe Bartholemew; in Nominating council, by Ruth Huss, and in Student council by Barbara Ulmer. Gail Gotsch will be the delegate to

## A Student Leader Replies . . .

What do you believe your duties and responsibilities as a student leader are? This question might well have been one asked SGA candidates at the Nominating Council Open House. If it was not asked directly, it was implied in many of the questions which were asked the candidates.

If we were they, we would have answered the question

We believe we must represent the student body. In all our actions we must remember that we have been elected by the students and are directly responsible to them. This does not mean that we must consult the entire student body in every action we take as their elected leaders; nor does it mean that the majority is always right. Rather, we as student leaders must stand for the actions we believe most beneficial for all concerned in the long run, basing our decisions upon all the knowledge available to us in our positions of trust, and acting in a manner to deserve that trust.

We do not believe that we must maintain positions of neutrality as student leaders. Who better than we have the opportunity to know what the actual conditions are?

We have the responsibility of being more than passive reporters of student decisions and requests to other members of the college community. We have the responsibility of bringing to their attention any problem which we feel affect the general welfare of the college and of continuing our reasoned efforts in their ultimate solution.

#### Letter to the Editor

A college can be only as academically and culturally complete as its student body. A program, whether it be academic or cultural, can be only as effective - as mature — as its participants. I write you to voice my protest about a program of change which appears to me to be a derogatory comment on the maturity of the student body, and which in the normal course of its intended agenda will curtail the college's contribution to the cultural completeness of its students.

The changes in the Song Contest program bring groans of disapproval from winners and "losers" alike, but there are those who feel that the changes will be beneficial for both the participants and the finished program.

The active members of the Theater Playshop, however, without exception, feel that a cut in Playshop's activities would be detrimental to all those for whom the program was initiated: the audience and those involved in the productions themselves. These members also feel that far from keeping them from their studies, work on a production makes budgeting of their time more necessary and more effective and invariably improves their study habits. As proof of their contention we have found of the 30 odd members who acted or were committee chairmen and, therefore, carried the heaviest load in "The Enchanted," the lowest ratio except for one involving illness was 1.29, and over onethird were 2. or over.

Theater Playshop provides a

wisely varied program for the entertainment of the student body, as well as an opportunity for practical application to majors in the theater, art, design, and management fields.

I know that I am not alone when I express an opinion unfavorable to a reduction in the function of an organization thriving and improving, in opposition to the general feeling of its members.

"Kaleidescope of World Drama," a

senior recital as arranged by Mary

Avakian, provided an evening of

diversified theatrical entertainment,

showing the recitalist's dramatic

acting as mistress of ceremonies,

acting in seven of the eight sketch-

es, as well as directing the entire

The program's recurrent theme

was the pattern of the drama

throughout history, expressed in

different eras and places in dif-

ferent ways. Mary introduced each

sketch, commenting briefly to fa-

miliarize her audience with the

In the first selection, from "The

Eumenides" of Aeschylus's "Ores-

teia," Mary performed alone, show-

ing pronounced dramatic force and

skill, presenting a sympathetic por-

trayal of the ghost of Clytemnes-

background of her selections.

Mary combined her talents by

range and force.

program.

Mary Avakian Shows Dramatic

Range and Force in Recital

#### Middle East Must Work With United Nations For Peace

by JULIA STURGEON

Will the United Nations have the diplomacy and political influence to avoid another war in the Middle East and maintain a durable peace between two bitter nations-Egypt and Israel? Various solutions to this critical issue involving the entire world have been proposed, but as of now no one solution has been completely agreed upon by both Egypt and Israel.

Ever since the U. N. established the state of Israel in 1945 as a home for the Jews, there have been many grievances between Israel and her neighbors Egypt and even war.

In 1949 the U.N. influenced the signing of an armistice, but unofficial fighting has continued, guerrilla attacks back and forth across the borders with each side accusing the other of aggression — these in spite of continued efforts by the UN to halt them.

In November of 1956 the Israelis, claiming that they were defending themselves against further Egyptian raids, swept across the Sinai Peninsula destroying roads, taking military supplies, and capturing thousands of Egyptian soldiers. Once again the U.N. stepped in demanding that the Israeli troops withdraw. Israel slowly withdrew most of her army, but at the present time still refuses to abandon the Gaza Strip, a base for Egyptian border raids, and Sharm el Sheikh, a base at the tip of The Sinai Peninsula which until now Cairo has used to blockade ship-

Her actions and interpretation of

this role closely resembled those

of her last selection, also done

alone, of Christine in O'Neill's "The

Hunted" from his modernization of

the "Oresteia," from "Mourning Be-

from Shakespeare's "Much Ado

About Nothing." Ably assisted by

Mr. Bruce Ribble as Leonato, she

conveyed the spirit of this famous

comedy character. These two also

appeared in "The Fan" by Goldoni,

giving the flavor of this Italian

playwright and his quick humor.

Marylyn Bergen and Mr. Bruce

McMullan deserve special praise

for their roles in Moliere's "The

Physician in Spite of Himself."

Their rendition of the comedy

verging on farce was excellent.

Mary's role, as a male intruder, al-

though minor, complimented the

acting by the other two. By suc-

cessfully integrating both French and English dialogue into this ver-

sion, Mary achieved a pleasantly

"Uncle Vanya" by Chekhov be-

tween Sonia, played by Mary

Avakian, and Helena, played by

Sheila Nassberg. The quality of

acting was extremely good in this

brief scene, given first in English,

The weakest of all the scenes

was that from "The Women Have

Their Way" by Quintero. Perhaps

a capsule version of this situation

was not the most satisfactory;

however the acting was fairly good

despite the large cast for this

Two musical selections gave add-

ed charm to the program. Jessie

Mulford accompanied by Beverly

Grass, harpist, sang the Chorus of the Frogs in Greek from Aristo-

phanes's "The Frogs." The two girls

clad in frog masks and costumes

served as stage hands, cleverly ful-

filling a double role. Music of

Spanish fandangos, ably sung by

and then in the original Russian.

Another treat was the scene from

Mary appeared next as Beatrice

comes Electra."

unique effect.

scene.

ments to the Israelian port of Elath. The U.N. has repeatedly passed resolutions requesting complete withdrawal, but Israel, feared by Egypt and other vulnerable nations, has refused to budge, announcing that her stand is vital to Israel's security. Continuing the efforts of the

United States, Secretary of State Dulles presented a proposal to Israel in hopes of avoiding the necessity of placing economic sanctions on the country. Under the proposal Israel would withdraw all her troops before anything could be done, the United States would favor placing U.N. Emergency Forces in the Gaza Strip after a withdrawal and would send a ship through the Strait of Tiran. If the ship was allowed to pass by Sharnel el Sheilk, a right of passage for all vessels would thus be established.

Both the Israeli and Egyptian reactions to this proposal have been negative. Ambassador Abba Eban speaking for Israel says his nation will stand firm hoping that further guarantees will be given. Egypt says that the proposal is hostile and shows favoritism.

Further developments include President Eisenhower's TV appeal to Israel, the Israeli request for continued discussion, the request by some of the Asian-Arab block for sanctions against Israel, and a proposal by the U.S. to the U.N. This plan will follow the suggestions from Canadian Secretary Pearson intended to avoid sanctions.

The United States and the U.N. must continue to show tact in the attempt to satisfy both Egypt and Israel; however, these rebellious countries should realize that the peace of the world is a more vital issue at this time than their grievances. To find peace in the Middle East, Egypt and Israel must abide by the requests of the U.N. and trust in its sincere desire to settle the problem in a fair manner.

#### Flash!

The pond at Towers is still open to skaters, according to our midwestern correspondent. She suggested that car headlights be used since flood lights have not yet been installed. Skaters are assured that the ice will be cleared in case of snow. All enthusiasts are invited to the pond for skating.

Of the 263 cases handled by Judicial Board this year, 28 of them pertained to incorrect signing out. The Board feels that additional stress should be placed on the importance of signing out in the proper fashion. A little more time and thought given to the procedure would solve the problem.

> Irma Vit Chairman of Judicial Board

### In The Queue by KATHEE GIBBONS

"Maiden Voyage"-A new comedy with Melvyn Douglas, Mildred Dunnock, and Walter Matthau is at the Forrest for a short pre-Broadway run.

- Ten-"Orpheus Descending" nessee Williams' new play opens March 4 at the Walnut for two weeks only. Maureen Stapleton is starred with Robert Loggia and Lois Smith.

Cinema:

"The Barretts of Wimpole Street" -Jennifer Jones is starred in this movie revival at the Goldman.

"The Big Land"—Alan Ladd, Virginia Mayo, and Edmond O'Brien star in this vehicle at the Mastbaum.

"The Wings of Eagles" - U. S. Navy Commander Frank Wead is portrayed by John Wayne in this new film at the Stanley.

"Oedipus Rex"-Tyrone Guthrie's production of the Sophoclean tragedy will be the next feature at the Lane. Art:

The Edward P. Hanley collection of French and American drawings and sculpture can be seen at the Philadelphia Museum of Art.

Mr. John Hathaway of the Beaver fine arts department is exhibiting prints at the Woodmere Galleries.

The Philadelphia Art Alliance is offering an exhibit of sculpture by Mary Louise Work, prints and drawings by George Bunker, and lithographs by Michael C. Louri-Music:

The Philadelphia All-Star Concerts Series is presenting Richard Tucker tonight at 8:30 p.m. at the Academy of Music.

Another renowned artist, Jussi Bjoerling, will be presented by the Philadelphia Forum on March 7 at the Academy of Music.

Isaac Stern, violinist, will be the guest artist at the Philadelphia Orchestra concert at the Academy of Music on March 8.

#### Profile

"It must have been a dream," were the words of Ginny Davidson upon learning of her election as SGA president.

Three years of varied extra-curricular experience stand behind Ginny in her new position. As a freshman, she was representative to



Congratulations, Ginny!

Honor Council; in her sophomore year she served on Judicial Board where she learned the procedure of that disciplinary body. This year

Ellen La Rowe and Joan Nazzaro. followed the Quintero selection.

Miss Judith Elder, assistant professor of theatre arts, was adviser for the recital.

Tribute should be given to the production staff for their help in this recital: Irma Vit, stagemanager; Helen Brylawski, lighting chairman; and Rosemarie Esposito, sets chairman.

Ginny is a member of Student Council, where she has gained a knowledge of the body over which she will preside next year. Biology Major As a biology major, Ginny is es-

pecially proud of the congratulatory message sent to her by Dr. Paul Cutright, who said, "In my entire career as a teacher, this is the first time a major of mine has ever been elected to such a posi-

Ginny's busy life includes a parttime job at PSFS in Philadelphia. Commuting to Beaver and working in addition to her many extracurricular activities leave little time for relaxation for the new SGA president. But in her spare time, Ginny enjoys swimming and bridge-playing. Next year Ginny plans to be a resident student, so that she will be better able to devote the necessary amount of time to her new responsibility.

In Her New Position

The new president eagerly anticipates the activities of the coming year and her face brightens upon discussing them with her fellow students. Ginny's closing comment on her election to the highest office on campus was, "I want to recognize the confidence that everyone has placed in me and fulfill my responsibility to the best of my ability. However, I want to make it clear that I alone may not be successful; I can only accomplish my goals with the support of the rest of the student body.

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## Basketball Team Beats Temple; Juniors Take Volleyball Honors

by SHIRLEY CRESSMAN

After trying for 15 years to win on Temple's court, Beaver's basketball team finally beat the Owlettes 64-51 in the first game of regular season play. Excellent defense from Maxine Swift, Betty Holton, and Pat Fletcher coupled with the usual good scoring of our forwards sewed up the victory.

Scoring honors went to Barbara Heylmun with 27 tallies; Captain Shirley Radcliff sank 14, and Rosic Deniken, 11.

The Scarlet and Gray held the lead throughout the tight game. Having a little less luck, the J.V.'s lost 48-33 to the junior host team.

In the pre-season alumnae game our court girls out paced their graduate opponents. Our forwards hit the stride for 53 points against 20 for the Alumnae.

20 for the Alumnae.

To add to all the basketball activity, intramurals are moving at a fast pace too. Despite a late uprising by the freshmen, the sophomores won the first game 33-22. Sophomore Sue Douglass led her team with 22 points.

The juniors overpowered the seniors 25-8. High scorers for the vic-

## Faculty & Students To Meet In Games At Fun Night

Fun Night, March 12, will provide entertaining sports events between students and faculty members. Sponsored by the A.A. and Pentathlon, the games will begin at 7:15.

A basketball game between the old and new S.G.A. officers will be followed by a volleyball contest in which the faculty will play the juniors, winners of the intramurals

Irma Friesenborg and Maxine Swift are co-chairmen of the project. Admission will be 10 cents. tors were Norma Kovacs, 14 and Martha Snyder, 19.

After a week's rest, '58 came right back to defeat the freshmen 26-17. Again Norma Kovacs took scoring honors.

One game is yet to be played, on March 6.

Seniors won first place at the Interclass Swim Meet February 13. Sophomores and freshmen placed second and third, respectively.

Thanks to the A.A., recreational equipment in Jenk gym is available for anybody's use at any time.

The key to the equipment closet can be obtained in the Beaver

#### Club Notes

#### Alpha Kappa Alpha Initiates Six

Alpha Kappa Alpha, national honorary fraternity in philosophy, initiated six members on Tuesday, February 19. They are Martha Berglund, Carol Fleisher, Helen Herrick, Joan Ottaway, Mary Ann Stames, and Helen Viniarski.

The Red Cross Club is planning a Thursday evening trip to Valley Forge Hospital. Those girls who are interested in going may receive further information from Judy Hubbs.

Jean Stout, Kay Brennan and Betty Siebener attended the national convention of Kappa Delta Pi, honorary fraternity in education, in Atlantic City on Saturday, February 16. They were active participants in the discussion groups.

Members of the Psychology and Sociology Clubs recently attended a discussion on "Prejudice and Your Child," led by Dr. Kenneth B. Clark, social scientist. Mrs. Nicolette Mirra, member of the psychology department, accompanied the group.

Dr. Orrielle Murphy, Dean of Students at Towson State Teacher's College, Towson, Maryland, will be the keynote speaker at the 1957 Leadership Workshop, March 15 and 16. This year's theme will be "Continuity in Student Leadership."

Student Leaders At Workshop March 15

Dr. Orrielle Murphy Will Address

Dr. Murphy was the speaker at the first Leadership Workshop in 1955. Martha Berglund and Rosemary Deniken are co-chairmen for the weekend.

Leadership Workshop gives the new officers a chance to meet with the previous officers and learn what responsibilities are involved in their new positions, according to the chairmen. Further, it acquaints them with the goals of student government.

Council Meeting

A meeting of the new Student Council members on Friday afternoon, March 15, in the Day Students Room at 4:00 p.m. will begin the program. Following dinner on Friday evening, Dr. Murphy will speak to the students and advisers in the Mirror Room at Grey Towers.

Faculty advisers will meet with Dean Brown on Saturday morning, March 16, in the Day Students Room. Meanwhile a general session of students will meet in Taylor Chapel to discuss parliamentary procedure. Miss Jane Carlin of Temple University will be the speaker.

General Session

After this discussion the general session will break up into various discussion groups. These group meetings will be held in the Taylor classrooms.

Following the lunch in Beaver dining room to which all day students and faculty advisors are invited, another general session will be held in Taylor Chapel. During this meeting issues discussed in group meetings will be brought to the attention of the general session.

Dr. Murphy was the speaker at All students are invited to this rene first Leadership Workshop in port meeting.

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Don't delay! Now is the time to have old tennis rackets restrung and to buy a can of new balls. Mike, let's roll those courts.

For the first time in eleven

years, Beaver's basketball var-

sity outplayed Ursinus' coeds,

defeating them by a score of

43 to 36 on February 22 on

At the start of the contest the

opponents copped the lead, leav-

ing the scarlet and grey eight

points behind at quarter time. Not

until the last quarter were the vic-

tors able to gain the lead, as Bar-

bara Heylmun and Rosemary Deni-

ken scored three field goals and

one foul each to make a total of

Alumnae To Give

Dinner March 5

For Senior Class

Seniors, don't forget the Senior-

Alumnae dinner! This special an-

nual event will be held on March

5 at 6:30 p.m. in the Virginia Room

of the Casa Conti Restaurant in

After a dinner the guests will

be serenaded by a barber shop

quartet, which will be appearing

for the second year at this event.

Door prizes will be presented, and

the class prophecy will be read.

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#### JV Swims To Thrilling Win Over Temple; Varsity Loses by 3 Points In Tough Meet

Beaver's junior varsity swimming team splashed its way to an outstanding victory over the Temple University team in a thrilling match at the Temple pool February 21 by a score of 21-11. Although the girls swimming for the varsity fought hard and swam well, they lost by a heartbreaking score of 24-21.

Beaver's varsity needed the points in the last event of the meet in order to tie or win. Spectators strained to see which team would touch first in the final lap of the relay. Edie Hill, Irene Shapiro, Carol Langdon, and Sharon Ruth

was the excellent defensive play

maintained throughout the game

by Pat Fletcher, Betty Holton, and

Maxine Swift. During the last quar-

ter Ursinus' scoring force, which

was sparked by Vonnie Gros, who

totaled 28 for the game, was held

Both starting and finishing Bea-

ver's scoring rally was Barbara

Heylmun, who was responsible for

scoring the only four points col-

lected in the first quarter of the

game, as opposed to the coeds' 12.

By half time, Ursinus still held

At three-quarter time the scar-

At the crucial moment in the

game Rosemary Deniken, who had

scored only two points during half

the playing period, rolled in seven

points, which were evenly matched

by Barbara Heylmun to effect the

third triumph of the season for

The junior varsity, paced by the eight points of Julie Craig, lost to

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let and grey began to refortify the

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Ursinus 36 to 25.

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put everything they had into that final relay, but the Temple girls were swifter and finished just a fraction of a second ahead of Beaver.

Opening the meet for Beaver, Suzanne Trout swam in the 25 yard freestyle event. In the 50 yard freestyle Irene Shapiro and Carol Langdon took first and third places, respectively. Marlene Zigman was Beaver's entrant in the JV backstroke event. Ann Hodum and Irene Shapiro placed first and second in the 50 yard backstroke event.

Beaver was disqualified on a technical error in the JV butterfly event. Edith Hill and Carol Langdon added several points to the score when they finished in first and second place in the 50 yard butterfly event. Sara Cohen, Marlene Ziegman, and Suzanne Trout represented Beaver in the JV medley relay, in which Temple was disqualified.

Sandy Slovenz and Joanne Hoops managed all of the diving chores for Beaver. They each did a front summersault, a back summersault, and a one-half twist.

The last two events were the varsity and junior varsity freestyle relays. Jane Annan, Suzanne Trout, Marlene Ziegman, and Sara Cohen swam for the JV.



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ley, and Nona Doyle.

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Lehigh Program

Informal Dance

(Continued from Page 1, Col. 2)

Beaver will present two numbers

by David Haupt, "Sing O Sing Unto the Lord" and "She Walks

in Beauty." Nona Doyle and Carol Elkins will sing the solo in the

second, which is dedicated to the

A Bach number, "Sheep May Safely Graze," contains a flute ob-

bligato arranged by Dr. Curry and

performed by Barbara Dilling and

Marianna Harder, Carol Elkins,

and Nona Doyle will give vocal solos in "Let Us Praise God" by

Olds, and speech solos will be pre-

sented by Kay Lanning, Lois Wrig-

ner and "Onward, Ye People" by

Sibelius complete the Beaver por-

The Lehigh club will present se-

Following the concert everyone

is invited to an informal dance at

Grey Towers, to last until mid-

night. Admission to the dance as

well as to the concert is free to

Beaver students. General admis-

sion to the concert is one dollar.

Patron tickets are also available.

ticket committee, Margie Stevens

of publicity, and Joan Nazzaro of

dinner arrangements for the Le-

high club. Elaine Kratz is general

manager of the club.

Lois Rigoulot is head of the

lections of religious and folk mu-

"Roumanian Rhapsody" by Gard-



Juniors rehearse for play contest with improvisations.

## Next Year Serenade to Replace Alma Mater in Song Contest

Several changes have been made for next year's Song Contest with the approval of the extracurricular activities committee.

As a result of an evaluation of the present program, student contest leaders and members of the faculty of the music department suggested to the committee the following changes to make Song Contest less time-consuming.

The changes are as follows: each class will present three songs — the class song, which will have no more than 52 music measures; the pep song, which will be no longer than 16 music measures; and the serenade, which will replace the Alma Mater and will be no longer

The committee felt that a serenade should replace the Alma Mater, since the latter is not a usable

There will no longer be competition in marching. Each class will march to music of its choice.

Elimination of Props The use of props, elaborate costumes, and gimmicks are to be completely eliminated from Songs

Contest.

The Senior class hymn is to be included in the non-competitive part of the program.

The judges will place more emphasis on tone quality, originality, and singableness of each song, and the way the class performs as a group. Only the general appearance

will be judged on the marching.

Rehearsal Schedule There will be seven rehearsals for upperclassmen and eight for freshmen. They will consist of five (six for freshmen) one hour re-hearsals, one three-hour dress rehearsal, and one rehearsal at 1:30 p.m. on the day of the performance. As the number of rehearsals has been curtailed, they can be schedclasses in the fall may be free of special extracurricular obligations. Because of the limited number of rehearsals, only one cut will be permitted. Attendance at dress reĥearsal is required.

The committee added the recommendation that copies of the words and music entered in Song Contest be kept on file. The preceding revisions were accepted by the Committee on Extracurricular Activities at its meeting in December.

Extra-Curricular Activities

Committee The Committee on Extracurricular Activities is one of several standing joint faculty-student committees, composed of the Dean of Students as chairman, five members of the faculty, and the presidents of Student Government Association, Nominating Council, Y.W.C.A., A.A., and Forum. The faculty members are chosen from those particularly interested in the activity program, while the student presidents represent a wide range

of student interest.

to help regulate the extracurricular program on campus. Any person who has suggestions may present them for consideration to members of the committee.

#### Students Elect Class Presidents

Norma Kovacs, Frannie White, and Sharon Hansen were elected presidents of the senior, junior, and sophomore classes, respectively, February 26. Carol Shafer was chosen editor-in-chief of the "Beaver Log."

At the same election Nancy Wakeley was chosen Montgomery House President; Grace Warrington, Montgomery Second House President; Bunny Brown, Beaver House President; and Janice Eckert, Beaver Second House President.

Norma Schwartz was elected Towers House President; Marilyn Emdin, Towers Second House President; Carol Schoch, Thomas House President; Pat Fletcher, Thomas Second House President; and Ellen La Rue, Ivy House President.

Other officers of the senior class will be Clemmy Klein, vice-president; Nancy Wakeley, secretary; and Joan Spenser, treasurer.

Joan Norman, Jean King and Rosemarie Esposito will serve as vice-president, secretary, and treasurer, respectively, of the class of

Next year's sophomore class has elected Barbara Bentzinger vice-president, Jean Lobrovick secretary, and Joan Eddleman treasurer.

Representatives to Student Council chosen at this same election are as follows: sophomores, Barbara Bentzinger and Betty Holton; juniors, Linda Watkins and Marilyn Emdin; and seniors, Barbara Jacobson and Carol Schoch.

Announcement of the remaining election results will appear in the next issue of the "Beaver News."

#### SGA To Sponsor Play Contest; Casts Rehearse for March 14

Play Contest has a new sponsor this year. For the first time in its history this traditional event, scheduled for March 14, will take place under the jurisdiction of SGA rather than Theater Playshop.

The main purpose for this change, as expressed by Cindy Howard, chairman of the event, is "to make it an all-college activity and develop a greater interest in the theater among all students.

Interest and participation have been encouraging this year, according to the chairman. Rehearsals are well under way. Cindy has expressed the hope that this year's event will approximate Song Contest in importance.

Freshmen

Cast in the freshman entry, "The Old Lady Shows Her Medals" by J. M. Barrie, are Jill Curtis, Sara Michelson, Marlene Zigman, Marge McAvoy, Naomi Schiff, Maureen McKeown, and Molly Fretz. Chair-man is Judy Lewis; director, Gail Eisert; and stage manager, Marcia

Ann Hodum is in charge of sets, Sally Drefus, lights; Carolyn Glennon, publicity; Toni Chubb, props; Helen Morganstein, make-up; and Bea Jacobson, costumes.

The sophomore play, "The Flat-tering Word" by George Kelly, will be directed by Pat Thompson. Chairman is Janice Eckert, and stage manager, Barbara Greene.

Featured are Diane Hirsch, Sandy Ebersole, Ann Husing, Lois Osko, and Janice Eckert.

Serving as chairmen are Sue Douglass, stage crew; Marcia Bi-hari, publicity; Ann Husing, light-ing; Beth Fitting, props; Myra Schnapper, costumes; Judy Whit-beck, sets; and Sheila Nassberg, make-up.

Peggy Spare has written an origreggy spare has written an original play for the junior class. It will feature Nancy Wakeley, Ina Dolfman, Marilyn Ravitt, Lois Roemmele, Dwaine Fry, Sandy Dart,

and Julie Theissen.
Chris Nordstrom will direct the play for her class. She will be assisted by Lois Roemmele as chairman and Helen Herrick as stage manager. Committee chairmen are Georgia Karagias, sets; Lynne Smith, lights; Joy Holcombe, props Jackie Sappelli, costumes; Mary Jane Persohn, publicity; and Mary Jane Persohn, publicity; and Carol Shafer, make-up.

"The Intruder" by Maeterlinck will be the senior production. Di-rected by Lois Brown, its cast will include Julie Sturgeon, Merle Bergen, Lee Olsen, Emma Jane Mur-phy, Helen Brylawski, Carol Gran-dy, and Dorothy Hancock. Chairman for the seniors is Nan-

cy Maresca and stage manager Jackie Stewart. Other chairmen are Sandy Meixel, sets; Paula Dinkelacker, lights; Carol Grandy, props; Nona Doyle, make-up; and Lynn King costumes.

Parents and friends are invited to attend the event in Murphy Hall.

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#### Final Report Shows **Expansion Fund** Totals over \$89,000

More than 1200 individuals contributed a total of \$89,054 in the local expansion fund campaign, according to the final report of the fund drive committee. These individuals are residents of Abington Township, Jenkintown Borough, and Cheltenham Township.

The report was made at the final

meeting of the fund drive committee on February 11 in Grey Towers. A talk by Rosemary Deniken and music by Frayda Buch and the Castleaires preceded an address by President Raymon Kistler. Committee reports also were presented at the meeting.

Mr. Richard Havens, chairman of the campaign, expressed his thanks to the girls who helped at the report meetings and to those who spoke in various churches during the drive. Miss Jean Francksen, assistant professor of fine arts, and the art students also were thanked for their part in the expansion fund drive.

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by BETH FITTING

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Those lucky girls who go to Europe with Miss "G" this summer will visit England, Scotland, Norway, Denmark, many, Austria, Switzerland, Italy, Spain, and finally, France, featuring a six-day stay in the city of love, Paris. Their tour will last 98 days, from June 12, when they sail out of Quebec on the popular one-class liner the Arosa Sun, to September 18, when, weary but reluctant, they arrive at Montreal.

Any students interested in going who have not yet filed application should do so immediately because the group is limited to thirty. Passports should be completed no later than April 15.

Each student participating in the European field trip will receive three credits for the course "Economic Geography of Western Eur-

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#### "Review" Elects Helen Herrick Editor-in-Chief

Helen Herrick has been elected editor-in-chief of "The Review" for the coming year. The elections were held at a staff meeting during which Peggy Spare was named associate editor in charge of poetry.

Replacing Helen Viniarski, Helen Herrick is a member of the junior class and an English major. Nonfiction editor of the "Review" for the past year, Helen is also a member of Forum and Theatre Playshop.

She is at present stage-manager for the junior-class play as well as manager in the same capacity for the recent production of "The Enchanted."

Poetry editor this year, Peggy Spare is the winner of last year's Orchid Award for her outstanding contribution in the field of poetry as well as winner of Honorable Mention from the "Atlantic Monthly" for her work. She is the author of the junior class play and a member of Pi Delta Epsilon.

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