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Masked Dance Tops All Records

The Hallowe'en Dance held Friday night proved beyond all doubt that our freshman class knows how to run successful dances. A new high in sociability at Normal School was reached by this informal dance.

Largely responsible for this happy situation was the good sportsmanship of all those attending the dance. The special dances were entered into in good spirit and the Broom Dance, the Nantucket and the other special dances were the cause of a great deal of fun for all participants. Many of the costumes were very colorful and imaginative. Prizes in the various costume contests were awarded as follows:

Olga and George Shuffat—most attractive couple; Mary McGuirk—the most original; George Keller—most characteristic. The judges were Miss Jackson and Miss Jeffries.

One of the outstanding features of the affair was the evident real enjoyment with which the faculty members took part. The students were actually thrilled to see them "cutting up" with all the enthusiasm which is generally expected only of students. Refreshments in keeping with the occasion were served; everyone appreciated the doughnuts and cider.

The freshman class, the freshman committee responsible for the dance and Mr. Williams, the freshman advisor, are to be heartily congratulated on providing a grand evening for all concerned.

Library Plans Active Season

Since the opening of school, the Library has ordered 200 new book titles, most of which are now on the shelves for the use of the students. The new titles include a large number of fiction and non-fiction best-sellers, several of which are mentioned in the "Book Notes" of this paper. The list also includes new and interesting titles in the fields of literature, education, vocational guidance science, interior decoration, guidance and personnel, business and mathematics, music and children's books. Several new reference books have been purchased. The most important among

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WANTED: A New School Picture

The picture reproduced herewith was taken under Principal Smith's regime back in 1918. It has served long and faithfully as the official picture of our school. For eighteen years it has appeared in Handbooks, City Newspapers, and other School and outside publications. It is due time to honor old age and faithful service by retirement, but before this can be accomplished we need a satisfactory substitute. This paper will publish next month the best recent picture of the school building. If the picture is good enough, it may possibly be adopted as our official school picture, thereby relieving the aged but active current "official." If you camera enthusiasts have not yet taken a picture of the building, do so now. We really need a good picture of our school. Will you help us get one?

Dean White Reviews General College Course Plan

The educational plan whereby a Normal School or Teachers College offers general college courses for the first two years to students who do not intend to become teachers, is new to New Jersey. It is not, however, a wholly untried plan. A similar arrangement has met with unusual success at San Jose and Fresno State Colleges in California, and at the Teachers Colleges in the middle west.

There is every reason to believe that the reorganization of Paterson State Normal School to include instruction in general college courses marks a progressive step which may be considered of great significance in the improvement of higher education in New Jersey.

Students who are primarily interested in general college courses recognize a number of specific advantages attendant upon this arrangement, in contrast to a federally operated emergency junior college as operated for the last two years in this building. First, they know they are attending a permanent institution established over

eighty years ago to meet lasting educational needs rather than needs arising from an economic depression. Second, they attend classes during the regular school day. Third, because the school is administered by the State Department of Public Instruction; credits may be transferred to many other institutions without difficulty. Fourth, the program of student activities is much more varied and on a better financial basis. Fifth, they are assured of uninterrupted instruction of high quality.

For all of these advantages, the tuition is lower than in any other school offering standard college courses in this vicinity. The opportunity to work on the college aid program makes it possible for any serious student to meet nearly all of his college expenses.

The response to the new program this semester has been most gratifying. Teacher education students, general college students, and the entire staff may feel proud to have a part in inaugurating this new edu-

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Field Trips Planned

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18
NAMED AS DATE

At the last faculty meeting, Wednesday, November 18, was decided upon as the date on which all-day field trips will be conducted by the various departments and classes. There will be no meetings of the classes regularly scheduled for that day.

Although many different places of interest were suggested no definite decisions were made as to what places would be included in the program. The Planetarium, the American Museum of Natural History, the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Federal Reserve Bank in New York City, the New York Stock Exchange, the Book Fair at Rockefeller Center, Valley View Sanitarium and Washington's Crossing and the Barracks (Trenton area of the Revolutionary War) were the most highly favored of the suggestions advanced.

At the next meeting of the faculty final decisions will be made regarding this important matter. Watch the "Crier" for further information in regard to final plans for the day of field trips.

Extension Courses Prove Popular

The Paterson State Normal School Extension Division has registered for the fall semester of 1936-37, 344 students. Seventy different towns are represented. Two classes are given off the Campus. Dr. Clair S. Wightman travels to Pompton Plains every Monday afternoon and Mr. W. George Hayward, who is Supervising Principal of the Mahwah Schools and who, during the past summer taught at the N. Y. State Teachers' College at Oswego, makes a trip to Belvidere every Tuesday.

It seems that most of the students are interested in beautifying their classrooms, according to the number of registrants for the Interior Decorating course. Mr. Charles Henders, who is a graduate of Stuttgart College and Berlin College and manager of an interior decoration firm with offices in Paterson, has 86 in his class.

Mr. Williams' course in Modern European History has an enroll-

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A Message To The Students

New ventures are both fascinating and thrilling. Your publishing a student newspaper is one of the finest ventures that you can have, either as a member of the editorial staff or a reader of the newspaper. You can make the traditions which will guide and direct the publishers of the student newspaper for years to come. You can stand for the fine things which will make your college a greater institution.

You are to be congratulated upon your initiative in putting out a student newspaper and you are to be cautioned that a student newspaper must be representative of the institution. It must serve the needs of the entire student body and the editorial staff must always place it: good of the institution above any selfish desires in determining the policies of the newspaper. You can make your paper a real news sheet. Spare no pains in having your stories accurate and complete. Use the editorial columns to advocate those policies for the college which you are confident will make for a greater institution. Remember that the publishers of a newspaper have a great responsibility.

I know that the student body welcomes this news sheet and that each of them will work to make it representative of the institution.

ROBERT H. MORRISON,

Principal.

"You" in Doctor Morrison's message means each and every one of us. Only by an active interest on the part of every student in school can we measure up to the standard which he has set for us. To further our ambition to make this paper a truly representative organ we invite all suggestions and criticisms. We shall treat them with respect in the spirit which they are offered.

We feel sure that a great many of the votes which Charles K. Barton, Republican candidate for state senator, will receive in tomorrow's election will be due to the fact that he is "Perce" Barton's brother.

The Forum

QUESTION: *What do you think of the new physical education program?*

LILLIAN VERDUIN:

I like going to the "Y" for "gym." The swimming program appeals to me particularly. The regulated temperature in both pool and gymnasium is another pleasant feature.

EDWARD DANHEUSER:

I think the facilities and opportunities it offers to the young fellows are very good. I am particularly interested in swimming and basketball, and I find the "Y" a fine place to follow my interests.

KOPEL WEINSTEIN:

The "gym's" O. K. but I don't like the commuting.

H. RUTH KAUFMAN:

I don't like going to the "Y" for "gym." I would rather have "gym" here at the Normal School. I can have more fun.

EMIL DE SNOO:

It would be much nicer if the Sophomore girls were there.

JACK LIPSY:

I approve of going to the "Y" for "gym" because the recreational facilities are such that no local college could afford their equal. However, I think the time could be arranged to better advantage for the students.

Book Notes

"The Doctor" (Mary Roberts Rinehart). The story of a young man who follows the profession of his country uncle, becomes a successful surgeon, serves in the war, loses and regains the use of his hand, becomes a country doctor, and then returns to the city. The women involved are his shallow wife and a millionairess who loves him but marries within her circle. Written with warmth of feeling.

"Gone with the Wind" (Margaret Mitchell). The story of young, selfish, daring, and magnetic Scarlett O'Hara, with whose life the Civil War and the Reconstruction period has played havoc. Determined to again possess her former position of wealth and security, she uses her friends and the men who love her to gain her end, but she pays greatly for her success.

"Rich Land, Poor Land" (Stuart Chase). A study of waste in the natural resources of America and a plea for extended reclamation of the land. Several surveys of resource conditions are reported.

"Jefferson in Power" (Claude Gernade Bowers). A political history including the eight years of Jefferson's presidency and the death struggle of the Federalists.

Speaking of Mollusks

A moment ago this title seemed a very good one—simple and specific, yet safely non-committal. With the recollection, however, that a watermelon is a berry, I hasten to assure the science department that any observations I may make are purely rhetorical in character.

There are certain species of mollusk that shrink from the slightest contact. Touch one ever so gently and it curls tightly under its shell. A cheerless existence that, scarcely to be recommended for human beings; yet, not infrequently, we find people whose way of living is curiously analogous to that of the mollusk; afraid even of their own kind, non-social, unresponsive, distrustful of all experience outside their own narrow environment.

Human shell-fish. Are you one? To you, then, as indeed to all of us, college offers no greater value than the achievement of social competence. Pleasant, too, is the way to this attainment for it is but a laboratory course in good times with other people. Every club you join, every activity you support, every contribution of time and interest and enthusiasm you make to college life—these bring richer dividends than any credits inscribed on your academic record; important though they, too, may be.

The other day I asked a youngster what the expression give-and-take means. After a moment of thoughtful consideration, he replied,

"Well, I guess it means you give and I take."

Is that interpretation confined to childhood? By no means. It lies at the bottom of much of our faulty social technique. Why do we fumble in our attempts at group living? Is it not that we have somehow lost sight of the fact that life is a co-operative enterprise? Have forgotten that it means action? Do you regard it as a gay adventure, a brave and stirring quest?

Join the procession. Don't be a mollusk.

EDITH L. JACKSON,

Dean of Women.

Exchange Notes

An International Relations Club For Paterson?

The Carnegie Foundation for International Peace sponsors International Relations Clubs in most of the universities, colleges, and normal schools throughout the United States. The purpose of these clubs is to stimulate the serious non-partisan study of international relations, free from all propaganda, in order to help the participants achieve an intelligent understanding of the complicated problems now confronting the world. As an aid to this study the Foundation sends out a fortnightly summary of international events and makes an annual gift to the library of two or more books. No membership fees or dues are required.

—College Times—Morristown, N. J.

'Let's Dance'

At the University of Syracuse a class in criminology has discovered that morons can dance as well as most people of normal mentality, if not better. Morons are gifted with a sense of rhythm that makes most of them excellent dancers.

—Barnard Bulletin.

Help!

In the universities in France there are no papers, no athletics, no glee clubs, and no fraternities. It would be discouraging for an American college man to attend one of these institutions. All he could get would be an education!

—Barnard Bulletin.

Hereafter one half of this column will be given over to letters from the students. To be accepted for publication letters must be signed and they must concern school affairs. We invite you to use this space.

Sports

With the dawn of a new era in the history of Paterson State Normal School, made possible by the combination of State and Passaic County Junior College, there is no reason why we cannot have a fresh start in the realm of athletics, and produce a record that will be the envy of surrounding colleges.

In the past, State has made enviable records and there is no obstacle that should prevent retaining this reputation and carrying it into the future. So, let us get behind our teams and give them one hundred per cent. co-operation. Make Paterson a school of athletic supremacy, as well as scholastic supremacy.

BASKETBALL

With the advent of winter, State has turned its attention toward the ribbed court with more enthusiasm than ever before displayed.

The first practice was held Tuesday, October 20, at the Y. M. C. A. There one could see physical specimens of all shapes and sizes, gracefully flitting through the air, resembling very much the antics of a fireman at this first fire. About thirty hopefuls appeared for the first practice, under the supervision of Coach Bedford.

Hopes are high for a successful season and judging from the ability of the aspirants these hopes will be realized.

PING PONG

Interest in this favorite sport has increased to such an extent that a tournament is being sponsored by the Athletic Committee. In all probability, State will form a team to compete with other colleges.

HORSESHOES

An intra-mural horseshoe pitching tournament was conducted. The freshmen had practically won the competition, when, due to the sudden disappearance of the shoes, remaining matches were called off. The Freshmen were declared the winners.

In Women's Sports

Basketball, the major sport this season, will commence early in November. Miss Hopper is attending to the necessary arrangements.

Last term a group of sports-loving women formed a club called, "Women's Athletic Club." Every girl is invited to join this club. So, you new freshies, don't be bashful, just come and bring your fun-loving natures with you. The purpose of this club will be explained to you when you attend. Watch the "Crier" for announcements.

Back to basketball—perhaps you would like to know "Who's Who" (Continued on Page Four)

Club Notes

The Masque and Masquers at the beginning of what they hope to be another successful season, report their officers as follows: President, Ella Schellman; Vice-President, Helen Johnson; Secretary, Marie Drew, and Treasurer, Ernest Siegal.

At present they are rehearsing an amusing skit called "A Girl Wanted." Under the direction of George Pucci, it will be presented on Monday, November 26, at 3:15 in the auditorium.

In observance of National Education Week, a play, "Live to the Truth," dedicated to the first normal school, will be given for the third and fourth year students. On November 9, the lower classmen will produce this play, assisted by Mr. Roehler, faculty advisor; Enez Perneti, property manager; George Pucci, costume manager, and Jean Cickery, stage manager.

Under the guidance of Dr. Shannon, faculty advisor, the Geography Club expects to continue the varied program that it carried out so successfully last term. Much of value will be gained by the members in learning how to operate the lantern and to make slides. A trip to Lambert's Castle and Tower, will be the first of the season's out-of-doors activities.

The Psychology Club is going ahead as progressively as ever, planning a trip to the North Jersey Training School, under the supervision of Miss Altender. Nevertheless they found time for a tea in honor of the new members, held at the regular meeting on October 28.

Working under the capable supervision of Mrs. Moneypenny, the Normal Songsters in conjunction with the Men's Chorus, are making plans for a joint concert to be held in the near future.

The Men's Chorus is anxious to enlarge their membership. All men students who like to sing are urged to attend their next meeting.

The Madrigal Singers are prepar-

ing most earnestly their annual Christmas Concert to be held on December 16. This concert is always looked forward to eagerly by music lovers of Paterson. Mrs. Moneypenny has chosen a program of religious music, the most beautiful of all music. Throughout the year they hope to give outside concerts, as they have in the past. The following officers were elected: Seymour Kornbluth, business manager, and Alice Armstrong, librarian.

Under the influence of excellent tea and cakes, members of the Art Club planned an excellent program for this coming term at a social held in honor of new members. Those who attended found that Miss Tiffany was not only a capable advisor, but also a fortune teller of great skill. Miss Tiffany might well have predicted a very active future for the club.

The club was also responsible for having Mr. Gaetano Federici, Paterson's outstanding sculptor, as guest speaker during a recent assembly program.

The officers of the club are as follows: President, Florence Williams; Vice-President, Marge Kasab; Secretary, Rose Sandel; Treasurer, Gertrude Grewe.

The Nature Science Association plans a large and extensive program with the aid of Mr. Baker, faculty advisor. Besides their field trips to places of scientific interest, they will have many interesting and educational exhibits. Chief among these will be a camera contest with prizes awarded for the best photographs submitted in a still life group and an action group.

Another club showing great zest in planning an engaging program is the P. and Q. Club, directed by Miss Jackson. A very successful hot-dog roast opened their fall season. Another event on the calendar is a supper meeting, to be held on Thursday, November 12, at the Normal School.

Alumni News

Harold Lawpugh, husband of Elizabeth Latome, has resigned from his position in Lincoln Park, in order to take a position as teacher-principal in the Riverdale Schools.

The June Class of 1935, is planning a reunion dance to be held at Donahue's on November 6.

Dorothy Killian, '35, is the proud mother of a baby girl born recently. Both mother and babe are doing well, thank you.

A charming wedding was held on September 26, 1936, when Inez Perry, '34, became the wife of Joseph Posulich. They are now re-

siding in Hawthorne.

The Public Service appreciates our boy graduate because they have employed Marvin Oliv, '36, Anthony Ziccardi, '36, and Joseph Moore, '36.

Marion Whittaker, '34, will become the bride of James Stuart on November 3. The couple intend to live in Hawthorne.

Sears Roebuck, New York, are proud to announce that they have Kay Melville, '35, in their list of employees.

Isabel Schatz, '34, is teaching music under the W. P. A., in Wyckoff.

Class Notes

Time marches determinedly on as another new term dawns at the Paterson State Normal School. Amid the preparatory bustle and confusion, the various classes have met and have elected their class officers whose duty it will be to lead their fellow classmates through all their perplexities and problems. These people have been elected because their classmates believe them capable and willing to shoulder the responsibility and work connected with their various offices.

The newly elected officers are as follows:

DEGREE SENIORS CLASS

President—Ernest Siegel.
Vice-President—Doris McKay
Secretary—Ruth Reid
Treasurer—Gertrude Morocco

THIRD YEAR SENIOR CLASS

President—Dominic Romeo
Vice-President—Minnie Gulino
Secretary—Rose Lili
Treasurer—Marie Drew

SOPHOMORE CLASS

President—Robert Albinston
Vice-President—Nettie McCann
Secretary—Evelyn Kelley
Treasurer—Jean Leonard

FRESHMAN CLASS

President—Anthony Barbarito
Vice-President—Betty Morris
Secretary—Helena Kell
Treasurer—Courtlandt Guyre

To date, the classes of the State Normal School have not made definite announcements of any of their plans for the fast-approaching winter months. However, many plans are being considered and will mature in the near future. The season for dancing is in full swing. The Junior class and the Sophomore class are discussing plans for dances. The Degree Seniors are formulating plans for a supper party in the near future.

Our Freshman class has started off on the right path by commencing this year's social events with its successful Halloween Dance. Tentative plans have been made to hold a series of social affairs including dances, card parties and teas.

Dean White Reviews

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educational venture in Paterson. They may look forward with confidence to the development of a stronger State institution supplementing its original purpose of training excellent teachers for the elementary schools with a new purpose of preparing qualified students for the semi-professions and for further specialized study in other colleges and universities.

WAYNE, NEW JERSEY BUZZES

Is your party a success? George Pucci can give you all the hows and wherefores to make your "coffee and" a rip snorting good time.

Triplet! From the Senior Class! Romeo, Giglio and Chiselo. Better known as Lanterman, Dubner and Yurkowsky. Take your pick, girls—None of them bad.

Men wanted? Phone Schellman's agency. Hackensack 3311J. Excellent supply on hand. Best of references.

Learn to dance! Fred Astaire is registered at "State." Assumed name, "Marty Dubner." Professor Dubner guarantees to teach all the latest steps at a nominal fee. Very nominal indeed.

Freshmen aren't doing so bad by themselves—What say you all?

"Dusry" Duskin says that by the time Dell Immerman finishes knitting her suit, he'll be able to knit one from his whiskers.

Want to be fascinatingly intrigued? Have Isabelle Demopoulis relate some of her choice tales to you. They'll make your teeth chatter.

Just a social butterfly—Alice Greenway is certainly getting plenty of training with all her afternoon teas.

Quite a future in teaching is predicted for Morris Berenson. One of the teachers foresees that "Mr. Berenson will be turning out hundreds of biased little Berensons."

Poor Marge McMichael. She either gives the right answer at the wrong time, or she gives the wrong answer at the wrong time.

If you intend to spika d' Italian Kelly, you must eat da spaghetti and no more spinach.

To prevent Jerry Fitzpatrick from being called Patrick Fitzgerald, he has been christened Susy Ruffebreeches. Rather coy, don't you think?

Dell Immerman is getting up in the world. Recently she attended graduation exercises at the Waldorf.

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Editor's Note: Miss Collins' suggestion for a name was selected by a vote of the staff from among those submitted in the "Name Contest." She has not yet decided which book or books she will select as her reward.

Alumni Breakfast

If you are planning to attend the New Jersey State Teachers' Convention at Atlantic City, be sure not to miss the Paterson Alumni Breakfast which is to be held in the Ozore Room at the Hotel Dennis, on Saturday, November 14, at 8:15 a. m. The cost of the breakfast will be 75c.

Library Plans

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them is an Encyclopedia Americana, 1936 edition. The new Americana has already been placed on the shelves of the reference room of the Library.

The Library now subscribes to about 150 magazines, of which 53 are new subscriptions added this fall. New subscriptions include: Fortune, Yale Review, Foreign Affairs, Delineator, Poetry, and many others of general interest.

The Library is to have a special exhibit beginning on November 17 and continuing through November 24 for Children's Book Week. The exhibit will include new children's books, original illustrations of children's books and children's book lists. Teachers of primary and grammar school classes are invited to visit this exhibit. As a climax to its children's book week celebration, Miss Sarah B. Askew, Director of the New Jersey Public Library Commission, will speak in Assembly on November 23. Miss Askew is well-known as a clever and interesting speaker, and the student body will find her most enjoyable.

Yawns From The Night School

(Not that we're bored but we needed a name. All suggestions accepted.)

On the evening of September 27, a special meeting of the Alumni Ghost Association was held in the social room. The subject under discussion was the new night school students.

"I hear we're going to have some clever people around after tomorrow," growled one elderly spectre.

"Oh yes," replied a charming young lady ghost "Charles De Prima, the classbook editor from Eastside is taking some courses."

"You would be interested in that," sniffed her elderly chaperone. "Now, Dr. MacLachlan from Montclair is going to teach chemistry."

"Mr. Matelson, the night school dean, intends to have some regular social life too," continued a prim bespectacled young lady spectre. "I overheard him speaking to Mr. White about a Thanksgiving Dance."

"Well, that's for the night school only. First of all, there will be the Hallowe'en Dance for everyone. We're invited to that too," chimed in the aforementioned charming young lady ghost.

"What with a social committee, a column in the paper and dances, there'll be some goings-on here," the chaperone said.

"Mr. Matelson wants anyone with ideas or news to see him or put same (news and ideas) into his box in the office," contributed a

modest young male ghost from a corner of the room. "By the way Hepsibah," he said, addressing himself to the charming Y.J.G., "will you come to the Hallowe'en Dance with me?"

"I'm so sorry William, I really haven't anything decent to wear," she replied with a mournful expression.

"Well I'm bored," groaned the elderly ghost, "and anyway its almost cockcrow. Meeting adjourned till next month."

As he spoke, the first rays of the sun found their way into the room from whence the spectres had vanished.

Extension Courses

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ment of 59. Dr. Grant Leman, Supervising Principal of Schools of Bogota, and a member of the staff of New York University, has a group of 32, on Saturday mornings. It is interesting to watch this group work with two and three large projectors or cameras in operation at the same time. Don't be surprised if you find Hollywood transplanted to our third floor Visual Education Laboratory.

Registration figures show Clifton School teachers to be educationally progressive. The Clifton School system is well represented by 22 teachers. The same is true of Hawthorne with 18, Hackensack with 16, Garfield 13, and Tesneck 19 representatives.

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- Nov. 11 Armistice Day Recess
- Nov. 16 Assembly
- Nov. 18 Field Trip Day
- Nov. 23 Assembly
- Nov. 25 Thanksgiving Recess begins 3 P. M.
- Nov. 30 Thanksgiving Recess ends 8:45 A. M.
- Nov 30 Assembly

In Women's Sports

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in this particular sport. Here's who:

Emily Courter (Captain)—(Sr.)—The best forward on the Senior team; a tricky shooter and daffy dribbler.

Eleanor Brown—(Sr.)—A clever guard who knows her stuff.

Music for all Occasions

FREDDIE SCHRELL'S ORCHESTRA

Call Ridgewood 6-0523j

Albertha Bokma—(Sr.)—Forward partner of Courter; a great pair together.

Mae McBride—(Soph.)—An ace for the "Sophs" and an important link in the team.

Pauline Brandt—(Soph.)—With her red hair she can get anywhere. She's a Courter II.

Streaky Leonard—(Soph.)—She and Elena Portadino are the fastest guards on the Soph team.

There are many more outstanding players, but this will enlighten you a bit and perhaps make you anxious enough to come out to see these people play.

If you are a sport lover come out and enjoy yourself with Miss Hopper and the girls. Fans are welcome, too.

Eligibility Rules

1. A student shall be eligible to represent the N. J. State Normal School at Paterson in inter-collegiate activities if he is a registered student of the Normal School and is taking at least 12 hours of academic work per week, provided that:
 - a. He maintains an average scholastic standing of "C" (Average) or better.
 - b. He remains regular in attendance.
2. The principal may declare a student ineligible during a semester for generally unsatisfactory scholastic achievement.
3. The principal may declare a student ineligible if, in his judgment, it seems to be for the best interests of the school.

Election Results

The results of the general election held Friday noon, October 30, were as follows: Carolyn Ferrangano, Treasurer; Mary McGuirk, Secretary.

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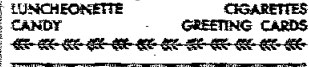
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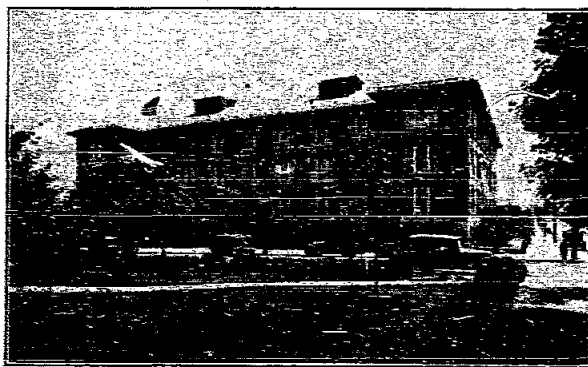
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WANTED: A New School Picture

The picture reproduced herewith was taken under Principal Smith's regime back in 1918. It has served long and faithfully as the official picture of our school. For eighteen years it has appeared in Handbooks, City Newspapers, and other School and outside publications. It is due time to honor old age and faithful service by retirement, but before this can be accomplished we need a satisfactory substitute. This

paper will publish next month the best recent picture of the school building. If the picture is good enough, it may possibly be adopted as our official school picture, thereby relieving the aged but active current "official." If you camera enthusiasts have not yet taken a picture of the building, do so now. We really need a good picture of our school. Will you help us get one?

Dean White Reviews General College Course Plan

The educational plan whereby Normal School or Teachers College offers general college courses for the first two years to students who do not intend to become teachers, is new to New Jersey. It is not, however, a wholly untried plan. A similar arrangement has met with unusual success at San Jose and Fresno State Colleges in California, and at the Teachers Colleges in the middle west.

There is every reason to believe that the reorganization of Paterson State Normal School to include instruction in general college courses marks a progressive step which may be considered of great significance in the improvement of higher education in New Jersey.

Students who are primarily interested in general college courses recognize a number of specific advantages attendant upon this arrangement, in contrast to a federally operated emergency junior college as operated for the last two years in this building. First, they know they are attending a permanent institution established over

eighty years ago to meet lasting educational needs rather than needs arising from an economic depression. Second, they attend classes during the regular school day. Third, because the school is administered by the State Department of Public Instruction; credits may be transferred to many other institutions without difficulty. Fourth, the program of student activities is much more varied and on a better financial basis. Fifth, they are assured of uninterrupted instruction of high quality.

For all of these advantages, the tuition is lower than in any other school offering standard college courses in this vicinity. The opportunity to work on the college aid program makes it possible for any serious student to meet nearly all of his college expenses.

The response to the new program this semester has been most gratifying. Teacher education students, general college students, and the entire staff may feel proud to have a part in inaugurating this new education. (Continued on Page Three)

Field Trips Planned

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18
NAMED AS DATE

At the last faculty meeting, Wednesday, November 18, was decided upon as the date on which all-day field trips will be conducted by the various departments and classes. There will be no meetings of the classes regularly scheduled for that day.

Although many different places of interest were suggested no definite decisions were made as to what places would be included in the program. The Planetarium, the American Museum of Natural History, the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Federal Reserve Bank in New York City, the New York Stock Exchange, the Book Fair at Rockefeller Center, Valley View Sanitarium and Washington's Crossing and the Barracks (Trenton area of the Revolutionary War) were the most highly favored of the suggestions advanced.

At the next meeting of the faculty final decisions will be made regarding this important matter. Watch the "Crier" for further information in regard to final plans for the day of field trips.

Extension Courses Prove Popular

The Paterson State Normal School Extension Division has registered for the fall semester of 1936-37, 344 students. Seventy different towns are represented. Two classes are given off the Campus. Dr. Clair S. Wightman travels to Pompton Plains every Monday afternoon and Mr. W. George Hayward, who is Supervising Principal of the Mahwah Schools and who, during the past summer taught at the N. Y. State Teachers' College at Oswego, makes a trip to Belvidere every Tuesday.

It seems that most of the students are interested in beautifying their classrooms, according to the number of registrants for the Interior Decorating course. Mr. Charles Henders, who is a graduate of Stuttgart College and Berlin College and manager of an interior decoration firm with offices in Paterson, has 86 in his class.

Mr. Williams' course in Modern European History has an enrollment. (Continued on Page Four)

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A Message To the Students

New ventures are both fascinating and thrilling. Your publishing a student newspaper is one of the finest ventures that you can have, either as a member of the editorial staff or a reader of the newspaper. You can make the traditions which will guide and direct the publishers of the student newspaper for years to come. You can stand for the fine things which will make your college a greater institution.

You are to be congratulated upon your initiative in putting out a student newspaper and you are to be cautioned that a student newspaper must be representative of the institution. It must serve the needs of the entire student body and the editorial staff must always place the good of the institution above any selfish desires in determining the policies of the newspaper. You can make your paper a real news sheet. Spare no pains in having your stories accurate and complete. Use the editorial columns to advocate those policies for the college which you are confident will make for a greater institution. Remember that the publishers of a newspaper have a great responsibility.

I know that the student body welcomes this news sheet and that each of them will work to make it representative of the institution.

ROBERT H. MORRISON,
Principal.

"You" in Doctor Morrison's message means each and every one of us. Only by an active interest on the part of every student in school can we measure up to the standard which he has set for us. To further our ambition to make this paper a truly representative organ we invite all suggestions and criticisms. We shall treat them with respect in the spirit which they are offered.

We feel sure that a great many of the votes which Charles K. Barton, Republican candidate for state senator, will receive in tomorrow's election will be due to the fact that he is "Perce" Barton's brother.

The Forum

QUESTION: *What do you think of the new physical education program?*

LILLIAN VERDUIN:

I like going to the "Y" for "gym." The swimming program appeals to me particularly. The regulated temperature in both pool and gymnasium is another pleasant feature.

EDWARD DANHEUSER:

I think the facilities and opportunities it offers to the young fellows are very good. I am particularly interested in swimming and basketball, and I find the "Y" a fine place to follow my interests.

KOPEL WEINSTEIN:

The "gym's" O. K. but I don't like the commuting.

H. RUTH KAUFMAN:

I don't like going to the "Y" for "gym." I would rather have "gym" here at the Normal School. I can have more fun.

EMIL-DE SNOO:

It would be much nicer if the Sophomore girls were there.

JACK LIPSY:

I approve of going to the "Y" for "gym" because the recreational facilities are such that no local college could afford their equal. However, I think the time could be arranged to better advantage for the students.

Book Notes

"The Doctor" (Mary Roberts Rinehart). The story of a young man who follows the profession of his country uncle, becomes a successful surgeon, serves in the war, loses and regains the use of his hand, becomes a country doctor, and then returns to the city. The woman involved are his shallow wife and a millionairess who loves him but marries within her circle. Written with warmth of feeling.

"Gone with the Wind" (Margaret Mitchell). The story of young, selfish, daring, and magnetic Scarlett O'Hara, with whose life the Civil War and the Reconstruction period has played havoc. Determined to again possess her former position of wealth and security, she uses her friends and the men who love her to gain her end, but she pays greatly for her success.

"Rich Land, Poor Land" (Stuart Chase). A study of waste in the natural resources of America and a plea for extended reclamation of the land. Several surveys of resource conditions are reported.

"Jefferson in Power" (Claude Gernade Bowers). A political history including the eight years of Jefferson's presidency and the death struggle of the Federalists.

Speaking of Mollusks

A moment ago this title seemed a very good one—simple and specific, yet safely non-committal. With the recollection, however, that a watermelon is a berry, I hasten to assure the science department that any observations I may make are purely rhetorical in character.

There are certain species of mollusk that shrink from the slightest contact. Touch one ever so gently and it curls tightly under its shell. A cheerless existence, that, scarcely to be recommended for human beings; yet, not infrequently, we find people whose way of living is curiously analogous to that of the mollusk; afraid even of their own kind, non-social, unresponsive, distrustful of all experience outside their own narrow environment.

Human shell-fish. Are you one? To you, then, as indeed to all of us, college offers no greater value than the achievement of social competence. Pleasant, too, is the way to this attainment for it is but a laboratory course in good times with other people. Every club you join, every activity you support, every contribution of time and interest and enthusiasm you make to college life—these bring richer dividends than any credits inscribed on your academic record; important though they, too, may be.

The other day I asked a youngster what the expression give-and-take means. After a moment of thoughtful consideration, he replied,

"Well, I guess it means: you give and I take."
—Is that interpretation confined to childhood? By no means. It lies at the bottom of much of our faulty social technique. Why do we fumble in our attempts at group living? Is it not that we have somehow lost sight of the fact that life is a co-operative enterprise? Have forgotten that it means action? Do you regard it as a gay adventure, a brave and stirring quest? Join the procession. Don't be a mollusk.

EDITH L. JACKSON,
Dean of Women.

Exchange Notes

An International Relations Club For Paterson?

The Carnegie Foundation for International Peace sponsors International Relations Clubs in most of the universities, colleges, and normal schools throughout the United States. The purpose of these clubs is to stimulate the serious non-partisan study of international relations, free from all propaganda, in order to help the participants achieve an intelligent understanding of the complicated problems now confronting the world. As an aid to this study the Foundation sends out a fortnightly summary of international events and makes an annual gift to the library of two or more books. No membership fees or dues are required.

—College Times—Morristown, N. J.

'Let's Dance'

At the University of Syracuse a class in criminology has discovered that morons can dance as well as most people of normal mentality, if not better. Morons are gifted with a sense of rhythm that makes most of them excellent dancers.

—Barnard Bulletin.

Help!

In the universities in France there are no papers, no athletics, no glee clubs, and no fraternities. It would be discouraging for an American college man to attend one of these institutions. All he could get would be an education!

—Barnard Bulletin.

Hereafter one half of this column will be given over to letters from the students. To be accepted for publication letters must be signed and they must concern school affairs. We invite you to use this space.

Sports

With the dawn of a new era in the history of Paterson State Normal School, made possible by the combination of State and Passaic County Junior College, there is no reason why we cannot have a fresh start in the realm of athletics, and produce a record that will be the envy of surrounding colleges.

In the past, State has made enviable records and there is no obstacle that should prevent retaining this reputation and carrying it into the future. So, let us get behind our teams and give them one hundred per cent. co-operation. Make Paterson a school of athletic supremacy, as well as scholastic supremacy.

BASKETBALL

With the advent of winter, State has turned its attention toward the ribbed court with more enthusiasm than ever before displayed.

The first practice was held Tuesday, October 20, at the Y. M. C. A. There one could see physical specimens of all shapes and sizes, gracefully flitting through the air, resembling very much the antics of a fireman at this first fire. About thirty hopefuls appeared for the first practice, under the supervision of Coach Bedford.

Hopes are high for a successful season and judging from the ability of the aspirants these hopes will be realized.

PING PONG

Interest in this favorite sport has increased to such an extent that a tournament is being sponsored by the Athletic Committee. In all probability, State will form a team to compete with other colleges.

HORSESHOES

An intra-mural horseshoe pitching tournament was conducted. The freshmen had practically won the competition, when, due to the sudden disappearance of the shoes, remaining matches were called off. The Freshmen were declared the winners.

In Women's Sports

Basketball, the major sport this season, will commence early in November. Miss Hopper is attending to the necessary arrangements.

Last term a group of sports-loving women formed a club called "Women's Athletic Club." Every girl is invited to join this club. So you new freshies, don't be bashful, just come and bring your fun-loving natures with you. The purpose of this club will be explained to you when you attend. Watch the "Crier" for announcements.

Back to basketball—perhaps you would like to know "Who's Who" (Continued on Page Four)

Club Notes

The Masque and Masquers at the beginning of what they hope to be another successful season, report their officers as follows: President, Ella Schellman; Vice-President, Helen Johnson; Secretary, Marie Drew, and Treasurer, Ernest Siegel.

At present they are rehearsing an amusing skit called "A Girl Wanted." Under the direction of George Pucci, it will be presented on Monday, November 26, at 3:15 in the auditorium.

In observance of National Education Week, a play, "Live to the Truth," dedicated to the first normal school, will be given for the third and fourth year students. On November 9, the lower classmen will produce this play, assisted by Mr. Roehler, faculty advisor; Enez Pernetti, property manager; George Pucci, costume manager, and Jean Cickery, stage manager.

Under the guidance of Dr. Shannon, faculty advisor, the Geography Club expects to continue the varied program that it carried out so successfully last term. Much of value will be gained by the members in learning how to operate the lantern and to make slides. A trip to Lambert's Castle and Tower, will be the first of the season's out-of-doors activities.

The Psychology Club is going ahead as progressively as ever, planning a trip to the North Jersey Training School, under the supervision of Miss Altender. Nevertheless they found time for a tea in honor of the new members, held at the regular meeting on October 28.

Working under the capable supervision of Mrs. Moneypenny, the Normal Songsters in conjunction with the Men's Chorus, are making plans for a joint concert to be held in the near future.

The Men's Chorus is anxious to enlarge their membership. All men students who like to sing are urged to attend their next meeting.

The Madrigal Singers are prepar-

ing most earnestly their annual Christmas Concert to be held on December 16. This concert is always looked forward to eagerly by music lovers of Paterson. Mrs. Moneypenny has chosen a program of religious music, the most beautiful of all music. Throughout the year they hope to give outside concerts, as they have in the past. The following officers were elected: Seymour Kornbluth, business manager, and Alice Armstrong, librarian.

Under the influence of excellent tea and cakes, members of the Art Club planned an excellent program for this coming term at a social held in honor of new members. Those who attended found that Miss Tiffany was not only a capable advisor, but also a fortune teller of great skill. Miss Tiffany might well have predicted a very active future for the club.

The club was also responsible to having Mr. Gaetano Federici, Paterson's outstanding sculptor, as guest speaker during a recent assembly program.

The officers of the club are as follows: President, Florence Williams; Vice-President, Marge Kasab; Secretary, Rose Sandel; Treasurer, Gertrude Grewe.

The Nature Science Association plans a large and extensive program with the aid of Mr. Baker, faculty advisor. Besides their field trips to places of scientific interest, they will have many interesting and educational exhibits. Chief among these will be a camera contest with prizes awarded for the best photographs submitted in a still life group and an action group.

Another club showing great zest in planning an engaging program is the P. and Q. Club, directed by Miss Jackson. A very successful hot-dog roast opened their fall season. Another event on the calendar is a supper meeting, to be held on Thursday, November 12, at the Normal School.

Class Notes

Time marches determinedly on as another new term dawns at the Paterson State Normal School. Amid the preparatory bustle and confusion, the various classes have met and have elected their class officers whose duty it will be to lead their fellow classmates through all their perplexities and problems. These people have been elected because their classmates believe them capable and willing to shoulder the responsibility and work connected with their various offices.

The newly elected officers are as follows:

DEGREE SENIORS CLASS

President—Ernest Siegel.
Vice-President—Doris McKay
Secretary—Ruth Reid
Treasurer—Gertrude Morocco

THIRD YEAR SENIOR CLASS

President—Dominic Romeo
Vice-President—Minnie Gulino
Secretary—Rose Lill
Treasurer—Marie Drew

SOPHOMORE CLASS

President—Robert Albinson
Vice-President—Nettie McCann
Secretary—Evelyn Kelley
Treasurer—Jean Leonard

FRESHMAN CLASS

President—Anthony Barbarito
Vice-President—Betty Morris
Secretary—Helena Kell
Treasurer—Courtlandt Guyre

To date, the classes of the State Normal School have not made definite announcements of any of their plans for the fast-approaching winter months. However, many plans are being considered and will mature in the near future. The season for dancing is in full swing. The Junior class and the Sophomore class are discussing plans for dances. The Degree Seniors are formulating plans for a supper party in the near future.

Our Freshman class has started off on the right path by commencing this year's social events with its successful Halloween Dance. Tentative plans have been made to hold a series of social affairs including dances, card parties and teas.

Dean White Reviews

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educational venture in Paterson. They may look forward with confidence to the development of a stronger State institution supplementing its original purpose of training excellent teachers for the elementary schools with a new purpose of preparing qualified students for the semi-professions and for further specialized study in other colleges and universities.

Alumni News

Harold Lawpugh, husband of Elizabeth Lstome, has resigned from his position in Lincoln Park, in order to take a position as teacher-principal in the Riverdale Schools.

The June Class of 1935, is planning a reunion dance to be held at Donahue's on November 6.

Dorothy Killian, '35, is the proud mother of a baby girl born recently. Both mother and babe are doing well, thank you.

A charming wedding was held on September 26, 1936, when Inez Perry, '34, became the wife of Joseph Posulich. They are now re-

siding in Hawthorne.

The Public Service appreciates our boy graduate because they have employed Marvin Oliv, '36, Anthony Ziccardi, '36, and Joseph Moore, '36.

Marion Whittaker, '34, will become the bride of James Stuart on November 3. The couple intend to live in Hawthorne.

Sears Roebuck, New York, are proud to announce that they have Kay Melville, '35, in their list of employees.

Isabel Schatz, '34, is teaching music under the W. P. A., in Wyckoff.

Buzzes

Is your party a success? George Pucci can give you all the hows and wherefores to make your "coffee and" a rip snorting good time.

Triplets! From the Senior Class! Romeo, Giglio and Chisoleo. Better known as Lanterman, Dubner and Yurkowsky. Take your pick, girls—None of them bad.

Men wanted? Phone Schellman's agency. Hackensack 3311J. Excellent supply on hand. Best of references.

Learn to dance! Fred Astaire is registered at "State." Assumed name, "Marry Dubner." Professor Dubner guarantees to teach all the latest steps at a nominal fee. Very nominal indeed.

Freshmen aren't doing so bad by themselves—What say you all?

"Dusky" Duskin says that by the time Dell Immerman finishes knitting her suit, he'll be able to knit one from his whiskers.

Want to be fascinatingly intrigued? Have Isabelle Demopolis relate some of her choice tales to you. They'll make your teeth chatter.

Just a social butterfly—Alice Greenway is certainly getting plenty of training with all her afternoon teas.

Quite a future in teaching is predicted for Morris Berenson. One of the teachers foresees that "Mr. Berenson will be turning out hundreds of biased little Berensons."

Poor Marge McMichael. She either gives the right answer at the wrong time, or she gives the wrong answer at the wrong time.

If you intend to spika d' Italian Kelly, you must eat da spaghetti and no more spinach.

To prevent Jerry Fitzpatrick from being called Patrick Fitzgerald, he has been christened Susy Ruffebreeches. Rather coy, don't you think?

Dell Immerman is getting up in the world. Recently she attended graduation exercises at the Waldorf.

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Editor's Note: Miss Collins' suggestion for a name was selected by a vote of the staff from among those submitted in the "Name Contest." She has not yet decided which book or books she will select as her reward.

Alumni Breakfast

If you are planning to attend the New Jersey State Teachers' Convention at Atlantic City, be sure not to miss the Paterson Alumni Breakfast which is to be held in the Ozone Room at the Hotel Dennis, on Saturday, November 14, at 8:15 a. m. The cost of the breakfast will be 75c.

Library Plans

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them is an Encyclopedia Americana, 1936 edition. The new Americana has already been placed on the shelves of the reference room of the Library.

The Library now subscribes to about 130 magazines, of which 33 are new subscriptions added this fall. New subscriptions include: Fortune, Yale Review, Foreign Affairs, Delineator, Poetry, and many others of general interest.

The Library is to have a special exhibit beginning on November 17 and continuing through November 24 for Children's Book Week. The exhibit will include new children's books, original illustrations of children's books and children's book lists. Teachers of primary and grammar school classes are invited to visit this exhibit. As a climax to its children's book week celebration, Miss Sarah B. Askew, Director of the New Jersey Public Library Commission, will speak in Assembly on November 23. Miss Askew is well-known as a clever and interesting speaker, and the student body will find her most enjoyable.

Yawns From The Night School

(Not that we're bored but we needed a name. All suggestions accepted.)

On the evening of September 27, a special meeting of the Alumni Ghost Association was held in the social room. The subject under discussion was the new night school students.

"I hear we're going to have some clever people around after tomorrow," growled one elderly spectre. "Oh yes," replied a charming young lady ghost. "Charles De Prima, the classbook editor from Eastside is taking some courses."

"You would be interested in that," sniffed her elderly chaperone. "Now, Dr. MacLachlan from Montclair is going to teach chemistry."

"Mr. Matelson, the night school dean, intends to have some regular social life too," continued a prim bespectacled young lady spectre. "I overheard him speaking to Mr. White about a Thanksgiving Dance."

"Well, that's for the night school only. First of all, there will be the Hallowe'en Dance for everyone. We're invited to that too," chimed in the aforementioned charming young lady ghost.

"What with a social committee, a column in the paper and dances, there'll be some going-on here," the chaperone said.

"Mr. Matelson wants anyone with ideas or news to see him or put same (news and ideas) into his box in the office," contributed a

modest young male ghost from a corner of the room. "By the way Hepsibah," he said, addressing himself to the charming y.l.g., "will you come to the Hallowe'en Dance with me?"

"I'm so sorry William, I really haven't anything decent to wear," she replied with a mournful expression.

"Well I'm bored," groaned the elderly ghost, "and anyway its almost co-kcrow. Meeting adjourned till next month."

As he spoke, the first rays of the sun found their way into the room from whence the spectres had vanished.

Extension Courses

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ment of 59. Dr. Grant Leman, Supervising Principal of Schools of Bogota, and a member of the staff of New York University, has a group of 32, on Saturday mornings. It is interesting to watch this group work with two and three large projectors or cameras in operation at the same time. Don't be surprised if you find Hollywood transplanted to our third floor Visual Education Laboratory.

Registration figures show Clifton School teachers to be educationally progressive. The Clifton School system is well represented by 22 teachers. The same is true of Hawthorne with 18, Hackensack with 16, Garfield 13, and Teaneck 10 representatives.

CALENDAR

- Nov. 2 Assembly
- First Issue of the Paterson State Beacon
- Nov. 3 Election Day Recess
- Nov. 9 Assembly
- Nov. 11 Armistice Day Recess
- Nov. 16 Assembly
- Nov. 18 Field Trip Day
- Nov. 23 Assembly
- Nov. 25 Thanksgiving Recess begins 3 P. M.
- Nov. 30 Thanksgiving Recess ends 8:45 A. M.
- Nov 30 Assembly

In Women's Sports

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in this particular sport. Here's who:

Emily Courter (Captain)—(Sr.)—The best forward on the Senior team; a tricky shooter and daffy dribbler.

Eleanor Brown—(Sr.)—A clever guard who knows her stuff.

Music for all Occasions

FREDDIE SCHRELL'S

ORCHESTRA

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Albertha Bokma—(Sr.)—Forward partner of Courter; a great pair together.

Mae McBride—(Soph.)—An ace for the "Sophs" and an important link in the team.

Pauline Brandt—(Soph.)—With her red hair she can get anywhere. She's a Courter II.

Streaky Leonard—(Soph.)—She and Elena Portadino are the fastest guards on the Soph team.

There are many more outstanding players, but this will enlighten you a bit and perhaps make you anxious enough to come out to see these people play.

If you are a sport lover come out and enjoy yourself with Miss Hopper and the girls. Fans are welcome, too.

Eligibility Rules

1. A student shall be eligible to represent the N. J. State Normal School at Paterson in inter-collegiate activities if he is a registered student of the Normal School and is taking at least 12 hours of academic work per week, provided that:
 - a. He maintains an average scholastic standing of "C" (Average) or better.
 - b. He remains regular in attendance.
2. The principal may declare a student ineligible during a semester for generally unsatisfactory scholastic achievement.
3. The principal may declare a student ineligible if, in his judgment, it seems to be for the best interests of the school.

Election Results

The results of the general election held Friday noon, October 30, were as follows: Carolyn Ferrigno, were. Treasurer; Mary McGuirk, Secretary.

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STUDENT UNION NIGHT PLANNED

Open House Affair Planned by Student Council Will Bring Together
Day and Evening Students and Alumni

The Student Council, on Friday, November 20, will attempt a new type of social activity. The Social Committee has named the affair the "Student Union Night." In sponsoring this get-together the Council has two objectives. One is to promote the social work of the school as a unit and the other is to sponsor a real good time for everyone. Alumni and extension students are invited to attend. This issue of the PATERSON STATE BEACON is published to give you an outline of the affair.

DANCING

A five piece orchestra has been engaged for the occasion. The orchestra will play from 8:30 to 12 in Room 309. If there is not room enough for dancing, the corridor outside will be used to accommodate the overflow. The committee in charge consists of Florence Williams, Margery McMichael, Mary Martin, Peggy Graf, Bertha Sheratsky, Robert Albinson, Henry Fox, Robert Cosbey, Martin Dubner and Anthony Barbarico.

CARD GAMES

People desirous of playing bridge and all other games with cards will use Room 205, where an able committee consisting of Betty Kane, Marion Winters, Louise Pannullo, Joe Ringers and Eugene Mannheim will have charge.

OTHER GAMES

In Room 201 people interested may participate in group games such as Monopoly, Make-a-Million, Anagrams and many others. Emily Courter, Eleanor Brown and Marion Behrens, assisted by Miss Josselyn, will have charge of this activity.

REFRESHMENTS

Hilda Bruinsma, Kim Steckert, Rose Sandel, Dorothy Dockray, Christine De Ghetto and Ruth Simon, members of the P. and Q. Club, working as a committee, will provide refreshments. Tables and chairs will be located opposite Room 307.

ADMISSION

Student identification cards will admit all regular students to the affair. Tickets for guests may be obtained today and tomorrow from Miss Jackson or Mr. Matelson. Guests must have tickets, so be sure to get tickets for any one you invite. The Credential Committee will consist of Bruce MacBride, Alfred MacKown, Ella Kiss and Gordon Dunkerly.

NIGHT CLASSES

To enable night students to enjoy the entire program the usual time of the periods has been changed as follows: First period, 7:00 to 8:00; second period, 8:05 to 9:00.

CLOAKROOM

Coats and hats may be checked in room 310, where Ruth Kaufman, Henry Dinger and Louise Pannullo will supervise their care.

IMPORTANT

The Social Committee, Marion Winters, Betty Kane, James Houston and Gerard Fitzpatrick, assisted by Miss Jackson, has worked hard in planning this first open house. Student support will be the only indication of the success of this new venture. Let us make it successful and ensure future "Student Union Nights."

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PATERSON, NEW JERSEY

Masked Dance Tops All Records

The Hallowe'en Dance held Friday night proved beyond all doubt that our freshman class knows how to run successful dances. A new high in sociability at Normal School was reached by this informal dance.

Largely responsible for this happy situation was the good sportsmanship of all those attending the dance. The special dances were entered into in good spirit and the Broom Dance, the Nanucket and the other special dances were the cause of a great deal of fun for all participants. Many of the costumes were very colorful and imaginative. Prizes in the various costume contests were awarded as follows:

Olga and George Shufat—most attractive couple; Mary McGuirk—the most original; George Keller—most characteristic. The judges were Miss Jackson and Miss Jeffries.

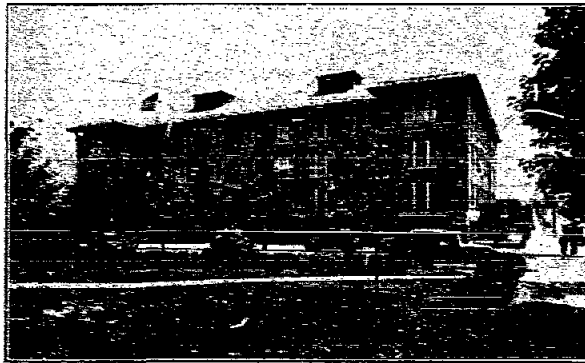
One of the outstanding features of the affair was the evident real enjoyment with which the faculty members took part. The students were actually thrilled to see them "cutting up" with all the enthusiasm which is generally expected only of students. Refreshments in keeping with the occasion were served; everyone appreciated the doughnuts and cider.

The freshman class, the freshman committee responsible for the dance and Mr. Williams, the freshman advisor, are to be heartily congratulated on providing a grand evening for all concerned.

Library Plans Active Season

Since the opening of school, the library has ordered 200 new book titles, most of which are now on the shelves for the use of the students. The new titles include a large number of fiction and non-fiction best-sellers, several of which are mentioned in the "Book Notes" of this paper. The list also includes new and interesting titles in the fields of literature, education, vocational guidance science, interior decoration, guidance and personnel, business and mathematics, music and children's books. Several new reference books have been purchased. The most important among

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WANTED: A New School Picture

The picture reproduced herewith was taken under Principal Smith's regime back in 1918. It has served long and faithfully as the official picture of our school. For eighteen years it has appeared in Handbooks, City Newspapers, and other School and outside publications. It is due time to honor old age and faithful service by retirement, but before this can be accomplished we need a satisfactory substitute. This

paper will publish next month the best recent picture of the school building. If the picture is good enough, it may possibly be adopted as our official school picture, thereby relieving the aged but active current "official." If you camera enthusiasts have not yet taken a picture of the building, do so now. We really need a good picture of our school. Will you help us get one?

Dean White Reviews General College Course Plan

The educational plan whereby Normal School or Teachers College offers general college courses for the first two years to students who do not intend to become teachers, is new to New Jersey. It is not, however, a wholly untried plan. A similar arrangement has met with unusual success at San Jose and Fresno State Colleges in California, and at the Teachers Colleges in the middle west.

There is every reason to believe that the reorganization of Paterson State Normal School to include instruction in general college courses marks a progressive step which may be considered of great significance in the improvement of higher education in New Jersey.

Students who are primarily interested in general college courses recognize a number of specific advantages attendant upon this arrangement, in contrast to a federally operated emergency junior college as operated for the last two years in this building. First, they know they are attending a permanent institution established over

eighty years ago to meet lasting educational needs rather than needs arising from an economic depression. Second, they attend classes during the regular school day. Third, because the school is administered by the State Department of Public Instruction, credits may be transferred to many other institutions without difficulty. Fourth, the program of student activities is much more varied and on a better financial basis. Fifth, they are assured of uninterrupted instruction of high quality.

For all of these advantages, the tuition is lower than in any other school offering standard college courses in this vicinity. The opportunity to work on the college aid program makes it possible for any serious student to meet nearly all of his college expenses.

The response to the new program this semester has been most gratifying. Teacher education students, general college students, and the entire staff may feel proud to have a part in inaugurating this new edu-

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Field Trips Planned

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18
NAMED AS DATE

At the last faculty meeting, Wednesday, November 18, was decided upon as the date on which all-day field trips will be conducted by the various departments and classes. There will be no meetings of the classes regularly scheduled for that day.

Although many different places of interest were suggested no definite decisions were made as to what places would be included in the program. The Planetarium, the American Museum of Natural History, the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Federal Reserve Bank in New York City, the New York Stock Exchange, the Book Fair at Rockefeller Center, Valley View Sanitarium and Washington's Crossing and the Barracks (Trenton area of the Revolutionary War) were the most highly favored of the suggestions advanced.

At the next meeting of the faculty final decisions will be made regarding this important matter. Watch the "Crier" for further information in regard to final plans for the day of field trips.

Extension Courses Prove Popular

The Paterson State Normal School Extension Division has registered for the fall semester of 1936-37, 344 students. Seventy different towns are represented. Two classes are given off the Campus. Dr. Clair S. Wightman travels to Pompton Plains every Monday afternoon and Mr. W. George Hayward, who is Supervising Principal of the Mahwah Schools and who, during the past summer taught at the N. Y. State Teachers' College at Cawago, makes a trip to Belvidere every Tuesday.

It seems that most of the students are interested in beautifying their classrooms, according to the number of registrants for the Interior Decorating course. Mr. Charles Henders, who is a graduate of Stuttgart College and Berlin College and manager of an interior decoration firm with offices in Paterson, has 26 in his class.

Mr. Williams' course in Modern European History has an enroll-

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A Message To The Students

New ventures are both fascinating and thrilling. Your publishing a student newspaper is one of the finest ventures that you can have, either as a member of the editorial staff or a reader of the newspaper. You can make the traditions which will guide and direct the publishers of the student newspaper for years to come. You can stand for the fine things which will make your college a greater institution.

You are to be congratulated upon your initiative in putting out a student newspaper and you are to be cautioned that a student newspaper must be representative of the institution. It must serve the needs of the entire student body and the editorial staff must always place the good of the institution above any selfish desires in determining the policies of the newspaper. You can make your paper a real news sheet. Spare no pains in having your stories accurate and complete. Use the editorial columns to advocate those policies for the college which you are confident will make for a greater institution. Remember that the publishers of a newspaper have a great responsibility.

I know that the student body welcomes this news sheet and that each of them will work to make it representative of the institution.

ROBERT H. MORRISON,

Principal.

"You" in Doctor Morrison's message means each and every one of us. Only by an active interest on the part of every student in school can we measure up to the standard which he has set for us. To further our ambition to make this paper a truly representative organ we invite all suggestions and criticisms. We shall treat them with respect in the spirit which they are offered.

We feel sure that a great many of the votes which Charles E. Barton, Republican candidate for state senator, will receive in tomorrow's election will be due to the fact that he is "Perce" Barton's brother.

The Forum

QUESTION: What do you think of the new physical education program?

LILLIAN VERDUIN:
I like going to the "Y" for "gym." The swimming program appeals to me particularly. The regulated temperature in both pool and gymnasium is another pleasant feature.

EDWARD DANHEUSER:

I think the facilities and opportunities it offers to the young fellows are very good. I am particularly interested in swimming and basketball, and I find the "Y" a fine place to follow my interests.

KOPEL WEINSTEIN:

The "gym's" O. K. but I don't like the commuting.

H. RUTH KAUFMAN:

I don't like going to the "Y" for "gym." I would rather have "gym" near at the Normal School. I can have more fun.

EMIL-DE SNOO:

It would be much nicer if the Sophomore girls were there.

JACK LIPSY:

I approve of going to the "Y" for "gym" because the recreational facilities are such that no local college could afford their equal. However, I think the time could be arranged to better advantage for the students.

Book Notes

"The Doctor" (Mary Roberts Rinehart). The story of a young man who follows the profession of his country uncle, becomes a successful surgeon, serves in the war, loses and regains the use of his hand, becomes a country doctor, and then returns to the city. The women involved are his shallow wife and a millionairess who loves him but marries within her circle. Written with warmth of feeling.

"Gone with the Wind" (Margaret Mitchell). The story of young, selfish, daring, and magnetic Scarlett O'Hara, with whose life the Civil War and the Reconstruction period has played havoc. Determined to again possess her former position of wealth and security, she uses her friends and the men who love her to gain her end, but she pays dearly for her success.

"Rich Land, Poor Land" (Stuart Chase). A study of waste in the natural resources of America and a plea for extended reclamation of the land. Several surveys of resource conditions are reported.

"Jefferson in Power" (Claude Garnade Bowers). A political history including the eight years of Jefferson's presidency and the death struggle of the Federalists.

Speaking of Mollusks

A moment ago this title seemed a very good one—simple and specific, yet safely non-committal. With the recollection, however, that a watermelon is a berry, I hasten to assure the science department that any observations I may make are purely rhetorical in character.

There are certain species of mollusk that shrink from the slightest contact. Touch one ever so gently and it curls tightly under its shell. A cheerless existence that, scarcely to be recommended for human beings; yet, not infrequently, we find people whose way of living is curiously analogous to that of the mollusk; afraid even of their own kin', non-social, unresponsive, distrustful of all experience outside their own narrow environment.

Human shell-fish. Are you one? To you, then, as indeed to all of us, college offers no greater value than the achievement of social competence. Pleasant, too, is the way to this attainment for it is but a laboratory course in good times with other people. Every club you join, every activity you support, every contribution of time and interest and enthusiasm you make to college life—these bring richer dividends than any credits inscribed on your academic record; important though they, too, may be.

The other day I asked a youngster what the expression give-and-take means. After a moment of thoughtful consideration, he replied,

"Well, I guess it means you give and I take."

Is that interpretation confined to childhood? By no means. It lies at the bottom of much of our faulty social technique. Why do we fumble in our attempts at group living? Is it not that we have somehow lost sight of the fact that life is a co-operative enterprise? Have forgotten that it means action? Do you regard it as a gay adventure, a brave and stirring quest?

Join the procession. Don't be a mollusk.

EDITH L. JACKSON,
Dean of Women.

Exchange Notes

An International Relations Club For Paterson?

The Carnegie Foundation for International Peace sponsors International Relations Clubs in most of the universities, colleges, and normal schools throughout the United States. The purpose of these clubs is to stimulate the serious non-partisan study of international relations, free from all propaganda, in order to help the participants achieve an intelligent understanding of the complicated problems now confronting the world. As an aid to this study the Foundation sends out a fortnightly summary of international events and makes an annual gift to the library of two or more books. No membership fees or dues are required.

—College Times—Morristown, N. J.

"Let's Dance"

At the University of Syracuse a class in criminology has discovered that morons can dance as well as most people of normal mentality, if not better. Morons are gifted with a sense of rhythm that makes most of them excellent dancers.

—Bernard Bulletin.

Help!

In the universities in France there are no papers, no athletics, no glee clubs, and no fraternities. It would be discouraging for an American college man to attend one of these institutions. All he could get would be an education!

—Bernard Bulletin.

Hereafter one half of this column will be given over to letters from the students. To be accepted for publication letters must be signed and they must concern school affairs. We invite you to use this space.

Sports

With the dawn of a new era in the history of Paterson State Normal School, made possible by the combination of State and Passaic County Junior College, there is no reason why we cannot have a fresh start in the realm of athletics, and produce a record that will be the envy of surrounding colleges.

In the past, State has made enviable records and there is no obstacle that should prevent retaining this reputation and carrying it into the future. So, let us get behind our teams and give them one hundred per cent. co-operation. Make Paterson a school of athletic supremacy, as well as scholastic supremacy.

BASKETBALL

With the advent of winter, State has turned its attention toward the ribbed court with more enthusiasm than ever before displayed.

The first practice was held Tuesday, October 20, at the Y. M. C. A. There one could see physical specimens of all shapes and sizes, gracefully flitting through the air, resembling very much the antics of a fireman at his first fire. About thirty hopefuls appeared for the first practice, under the supervision of Coach Bedford.

Hopes are high for a successful season and increasing from the ability of the aspirants these hopes will be realized.

PING PONG

Interest in this favorite sport has increased to such an extent that a tournament is being sponsored by the Athletic Committee. In all probability, State will form a team to compete with other colleges.

HORSESHOES

An intra-mural horseshoe pitching tournament was conducted. The freshmen had practically won the competition, when, due to the sudden disappearance of the shoes, remaining matches were called off. The Freshmen were declared the winners.

In Women's Sports

Basketball, the major sport this season, will commence early in November. Miss Hopper is attending to the necessary arrangements.

Last term a group of sports-loving women formed a club called, "Women's Athletic Club." Every girl is invited to join this club. So, you new freshies, don't be bashful, just come and bring your fun-loving natures with you. The purpose of this club will be explained to you when you attend. Watch the "Crier" for announcements.

Back to basketball—perhaps you would like to know "Who's Who" (Continued on Page Four)

Club Notes

The Masque and Masquers at the beginning of what they hope to be another successful season, report their officers as follows: President, Ella Schellman; Vice-President, Heien Johnson; Secretary, Marie Drew, and Treasurer, Ernest Siegal.

At present they are rehearsing an amusing skit called "A Girl Wanted." Under the direction of George Pucci, it will be presented on Monday, November 26, at 3:15 in the auditorium.

In observance of National Education Week, a play, "Live to the Truth," dedicated to the first normal school, will be given for the third and fourth year students. On November 9, the lower classmen will produce this play, assisted by Mr. Roehler, faculty advisor; Enez Perneti, property manager; George Pucci, costume manager, and Jean Cickerly, stage manager.

Under the guidance of Dr. Shannon, faculty advisor, the Geography Club expects to continue the varied program that it carried out so successfully last term. Much of value will be gained by the members in learning how to operate the lantern and to make slides. A trip to Lambert's Castle and Tower, will be the first of the season's out-of-doors activities.

The Psychology Club is going ahead as progressively as ever, planning a trip to the North Jersey Training School, under the supervision of Miss Altender. Nevertheless they found time for a tea in honor of the new members, held at the regular meeting on October 28.

Working under the capable supervision of Mrs. Moneypenny, the Normal Songsters in conjunction with the Men's Chorus, are making plans for a joint concert to be held in the near future.

The Men's Chorus is anxious to enlarge their membership. All men students who like to sing are urged to attend their next meeting.

The Madrigal Singers are prepar-

ing most earnestly their annual Christmas Concert to be held on December 16. This concert is always looked forward to eagerly by music lovers of Paterson. Mrs. Moneypenny has chosen a program of religious music, the most beautiful of all music. Throughout the year they hope to give outside concerts, as they have in the past. The following officers were elected: Seymour Korabluth, business manager, and Alice Armstrong, librarian.

Under the influence of excellent tea and cakes, members of the Art Club planned an excellent program for this coming term at a social held in honor of new members. Those who attended found that Miss Tiffany was not only a capable advisor, but also a fortune teller of great skill. Miss Tiffany might well have predicted a very active future for the club.

The club was also responsible for having Mr. Gaetano Federici, Paterson's outstanding sculptor, as guest speaker during a recent assembly program.

The officers of the club are as follows: President, Florence Williams; Vice-President, Marge Kasab; Secretary, Rose Sandel; Treasurer, Gertrude Grewe.

The Nature Science Association plans a large and extensive program with the aid of Mr. Baker, faculty advisor. Besides their field trips to places of scientific interest, they will have many interesting and educational exhibits. Chief among these will be a camera contest with prizes awarded for the best photographs submitted in a still life group and an action group.

Another club showing great zest in planning an engaging program is the P. and Q. Club, directed by Miss Jackson. A very successful hot-dog stand opened their fall season. Another event on the calendar is a supper meeting, to be held on Thursday, November 12, at the Normal School.

Alumni News

Harold Lawpugh, husband of Elizabeth Latome, has resigned from his position in Lincoln Park, in order to take a position as teacher-principal in the Riverdale Schools.

The June Class of 1935, is planning a reunion dance to be held at Donahue's on November 6.

Dorothy Killien, '35, is the proud mother of a baby girl born recently. Both mother and babe are doing well, thank you.

A charming wedding was held on September 26, 1936, when Inez Perry, '34, became the wife of Joseph Posulich. They are now re-

siding in Hawthorne.

The Public Service appreciates our boy graduate because they have employed Marvin Oliv, '36, Anthony Ziccardi, '36, and Joseph Moore, '36.

Marion Whittaker, '34, will become the bride of James Stuart on November 3. The couple intend to live in Hawthorne.

Sears Roebuck, New York, are proud to announce that they have Kay Melville, '35, in their list of employees.

Isabel Schatz, '34, is teaching music under the W. P. A., in Wyckoff.

Class Notes

Time marches determinedly on as another new term dawns at the Paterson State Normal School. Amid the preparatory bustle and confusion, the various classes have met and have elected their class officers whose duty it will be to lead their fellow classmates through all their perplexities and problems. These people have been elected because their classmates believe them capable and willing to shoulder the responsibility and work connected with their various offices.

The newly elected officers are as follows:

DEGREE SENIORS CLASS

President—Ernest Siegel.
Vice-President—Doris McKay
Secretary—Ruth Reid
Treasurer—Gertrude Morocco

THIRD YEAR SENIOR CLASS

President—Dominic Romeo
Vice-President—Minnie Gulino
Secretary—Rose Lill
Treasurer—Marie Drew

SOPHOMORE CLASS

President—Robert Albirson
Vice-President—Nettie McCann
Secretary—Evelyn Kelley
Treasurer—Jean Leonard

FRESHMAN CLASS

President—Anthony Barbarito
Vice-President—Betty Morris
Secretary—Helena Kell
Treasurer—Courtland Guyre

To date, the classes of the State Normal School have not made definite announcements of any of their plans for the fast-approaching winter months. However, many plans are being considered and will mature in the near future. The season for dancing is in full swing. The Junior class and the Sophomore class are discussing plans for dances. The Degree Seniors are formulating plans for a supper party in the near future.

Our Freshman class has started off on the right path by commencing this year's social events with its successful Hallowe'en Dance. Tentative plans have been made to hold a series of social affairs including dances, card parties and teas.

Dean White Reviews

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educational venture in Paterson They may look forward with confidence to the development of a stronger State institution supplementing its original purpose of training excellent teachers for the elementary schools with a new purpose of preparing qualified students for the semi-professions and for further specialized study in other colleges and universities.

Buzzes

Is your party a success? George Pucci can give you all the hows and wherefores to make your "coffee and" a rip snorting good time.

Triplets! From the Senior Class! Romeo, Giglio and Chiselo. Better known as Lanterman, Dubner and Yurkowsky. Take your pick, girls—None of them bad.

Men wanted? Phone Schellman's agency. Hackensack 3311J. Excellent supply on hand. Best of references.

Learn to dance! Fred Astaire is registered at "State." Assumed name: "Marry Dubner." Professor Dubner guarantees to teach all the latest steps at a nominal fee. Very nominal indeed.

Freshmen aren't doing so bad by themselves—What say you all?

"Dusty" Duskin says that by the time Dell Immerman finishes knitting her suit, he'll be able to knit one from his whiskers.

Want to be fascinatingly intrigued? Have Isabelle Demopoulos relate some of her choice tales to you. They'll make your teeth chatter.

Just a social butterfly—Alice Greenway is certainly getting plenty of training with all her afternoon teas.

Quite a future in teaching is predicted for Morris Berenson. One of the teachers foresees that "Mr. Berenson will be turning out hundreds of biased little Berensons."

Poor Marge McMichael. She either gives the right answer at the wrong time, or she gives the wrong answer at the wrong time.

If you intend to spika d' Italian Kelly, you must eat da spaghetti and no more spingae.

To prevent Jerry Fitzpatrick from being called Patrick Fitzgerald, he has been christened Suro Ruffebreesches. Rather coy, don't you think?

Dell Immerman is getting up in the world. Recently she attended graduation exercises at the Waldorf.

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Editor's Note: Miss Collins' suggestion for a name was selected by a vote of the staff from among those submitted in the "Name Contest." She has not yet decided which book or books she will select as her reward.

Alumni Breakfast

If you are planning to attend the New Jersey State Teachers' Convention at Atlantic City, be sure not to miss the Paterson Alumni Breakfast which is to be held in the Ozene Room at the Hotel Dennis, on Saturday, November 14, at 8:15 a. m. The cost of the breakfast will be 75c.

Library Plans
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them is an Encyclopedia Americana, 1936 edition. The new Americana has already been placed on the shelves of the reference room of the Library.

The Library now subscribes to about 150 magazines, of which 35 are new subscriptions added this fall. New subscriptions include Fortune, Yale Review, Foreign Affairs, Delinicator, Poetry, and many others of general interest.

The Library is to have a special exhibit beginning on November 17 and continuing through November 24 for Children's Book Week. The exhibit will include new children's books, original illustrations of children's books and children's book lists. Teachers of primary and grammar school classes are invited to visit this exhibit. As a climax to its children's book week celebration, Miss Sarah E. Askew, Director of the New Jersey Public Library Commission, will speak in Assembly on November 23. Miss Askew is well-known as a clever and interesting speaker, and the student body will find her most enjoyable.

Yawns From The Night School

(Not that we're bored but we needed a name. All suggestions accepted.)

On the evening of September 27, a special meeting of the Alumni Ghost Association was held in the social room. The subject under discussion was the new night school students.

"I hear we're going to have some clever people around after tomorrow," growled one elderly spectre.

"Oh yes," replied a charming young lady ghost. "Charles De Prima, the classbook editor from Essexide is taking some courses."

"You would be interested in that," sniffed her elderly chaperone. "Now, Dr. MacLachlan from Montclair is going to teach chemistry."

"Mr. Matelson the night school dean, intends to have some regular social life too," continued a prim bespectacled young lady spectre. "I overheard him speaking to Mr. White about a Thanksgiving Dance."

"Well, that's for the night school only. First of all, there will be the Hallowe'en Dance for everyone. We're invited to that too," chimed in the aforementioned charming young lady ghost.

"What with a social committee, a column in the paper and dances, there'll be some goings-on here," the chaperone said.

"Mr. Matelson wants anyone with ideas or news to see him or put same (news and ideas) into his box in the office," contributed a

modest young male ghost from a corner of the room. "By the way Hepsibah," he said, addressing himself to the charming y.l.g., "will you come to the Hallowe'en Dance with me?"

"I'm so sorry William, I really haven't anything decent to wear," she replied with a mournful expression.

"Well I'm bored," groaned the elderly ghost, "and anyway its almost cockcrow. Mesting adjourned till next month."

As he spoke, the first rays of the sun found their way into the room from whence the spectres had vanished.

Extension Courses

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ment of 59. Dr. Grant Leman, Supervising Principal of Schools of Bogota, and a member of the staff of New York University, has a group of 32, on Saturday mornings. It is interesting to watch this group work with two and three large projectors or cameras in operation at the same time. Don't be surprised if you find Hollywood transplanted to our third floor Visual Education Laboratory.

Registration figures show Clifton School teachers to be educationally progressive. The Clifton School system is well represented by 22 teachers. The same is true of Hawthorne with 18, Hackensack with 16, Garfield 13, and Teaneck 19 representatives.

CALENDAR

- Nov. 2 Assembly
- First Issue of the Paterson State Beacon
- Nov. 3 Election Day Recess
- Nov. 9 Assembly
- Nov. 11 Armistice Day Recess
- Nov. 16 Assembly
- Nov. 18 Field Trip Day
- Nov. 23 Assembly
- Nov. 23 Thanksgiving Recess begins 3 P. M.
- Nov. 30 Thanksgiving Recess ends 8:45 A. M.
- Nov 30 Assembly

In Women's Sports

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in this particular sport. Her's who:

Emily Courter (Captain)—(Sr.)—The best forward on the Senior team; a tricky shooter and daffy dribbler.

Eleanor Brown—(Sr.)—A clever guard who knows her stuff.

Music for all Occasions
FREDDIE SCHRELL'S ORCHESTRA

Call Ridgewood 6-0523J

Albertha Bokma—(Sr.)—Forward partner of Courter; a great pair together.

Mae McBride—(Soph.)—An ace for the "Sophs" and an important link in the team.

Pauline Brandt—(Soph.)—With her red hair she can get anywhere. She's a Courter II.

Streaky Leonard—(Soph.)—She and Elena Portadino are the fastest guards on the Soph team.

There are many more outstanding players, but this will enlighten you a bit and perhaps make you anxious enough to come out to see these people play.

If you are a sport lover come out and enjoy yourself with Miss Hopper and the girls. Fans are welcome, too.

Eligibility Rules

1. A student shall be eligible to represent the N. J. State Normal School at Paterson in inter-collegiate activities if he is a registered student of the Normal School and is taking at least 12 hours of academic work per week, provided that:
 - a. He maintains an average scholastic standing of "C" (Average) or better.
 - b. He remains regular in attendance.
2. The principal may declare a student ineligible during a semester for generally unsatisfactory scholastic achievement.
3. The principal may declare a student ineligible if, in his judgment, it seems to be for the best interests of the school.

Election Results

The results of the general election held Friday noon, October 30, were as follows: Carolyn Ferrigno, Treasurer; Mary McGuirk, Secretary.

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STUDENT UNION NIGHT PLANNED

Open House Affair Planned by Student Council Will Bring Together Day and Evening Students and Alumni

The Student Council, on Friday, November 20, will attempt a new type of social activity. The Social Committee has named the affair the "Student Union Night." In sponsoring this get-together the Council has two objectives. One is to promote the social work of the school as a unit and the other is to sponsor a real good time for everyone. Alumni and extension students are invited to attend. This issue of the PATERSON STATE BEACON is published to give you an outline of the affair.

DANCING

A five piece orchestra has been engaged for the occasion. The orchestra will play from 8:30 to 12 in Room 309. If there is not room enough for dancing, the corridor outside will be used to accommodate the overflow. The committee in charge consists of Florence Williams, Margery McMichael, Mary Martin, Peggy Graf, Bertha Sheratsky, Robert Albinson, Henry Fox, Robert Cosbey, Martin Dubner and Anthony Barbarito.

CARD GAMES

People desirous of playing bridge and all other games with cards will use Room 205, where an able committee consisting of Betty Kane, Marion Winters, Louise Pannullo, Joe Ringers and Eugene Mannheimer will have charge.

OTHER GAMES

In Room 201 people interested may participate in group games such as Monopoly, Make-a-Million, Anagrams and many others. Emily Courter, Eleanor Brown and Marion Behrens, assisted by Miss Josselyn, will have charge of this activity.

REFRESHMENTS

Hilda Bruinsma, Kim Steckert, Rose Sandel, Dorothy Dockray, Christine De Ghetto and Ruth Simon, members of the P. and O. Club, working as a committee, will provide refreshments. Tables and chairs will be located opposite Room 307.

ADMISSION

Student identification cards will admit all regular students to the affair. Tickets for guests may be obtained today and tomorrow from Miss Jackson or Mr. Matelson. Guests must have tickets, so be sure to get tickets for any one you invite. The Credential Committee will consist of Bruce MacBride, Alfred MacKown, Ella Kiss and Gordon Dunkerly.

NIGHT CLASSES

To enable night students to enjoy the entire program the usual time of the periods has been changed as follows: First period, 7:00 to 8:00; second period, 8:05 to 9:00.

CLOAKROOM

Coats and hats may be checked in room 310, where Ruth Kaufman, Henry Dinger and Louise Pannullo will supervise their care.

IMPORTANT

The Social Committee, Marion Winters, Betty Kane, James Houston and Gerard Fitzpatrick, assisted by Miss Jackson, has worked hard in planning this first open house. Student support will be the only indication of the success of this new venture. Let us make it successful and ensure future "Student Union Nights."