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Music Organizations Plan Active Season; To Present Concert Dec. 19

Mr. Earl Weidner, music instructor of Paterson State, recently revealed the music organization's plans for the coming season. In the short time that Mr. Weidner has been directing these organizations he has done a remarkable piece of work in preparing them for the heavy schedule to come. The Men's Chorus will make their first public appearance on December 14 when they will sing at the Bergen County Schoolmen's Association banquet.

Plan Christmas Programs

The mixed chorus composed of fifty men and women chosen from both the men and women's choruses, will be featured in Quackenbush's Department Store in Paterson as part of their Christmas activities, on December 21. This program will consist of the usual Christmas carols supplemented by several less familiar Christmas selections.

The Men's, Women's and Mixed Choruses will combine for the annual Christmas celebration in Paterson State's assembly, and present an unusual musical program. One of the features of this assembly will be a flute solo by Katherine Mc-Mullin. Mr. Weidner also expressed his intentions of having an unusual amount of community singing at this time so that all might participate in the musical end of the program.

Alumni Gives Concert

The Madrigal Singers, the alumni musical organization, will present a concert on December 19 in the auditorium. There is no admission charge and everyone is urged to attend.

No definite plans have been made for after Christmas, as yet, but in all probability the organizations will present a spring concert in addition to the usual operetta.

As a special feature the Psychology club is presenting Princess Neioma Whitecloud who will speak on Indian festivals and music, at the club's annual Christmas party to be held Tuesday evening, December 5 at 8 o'clock in the auditorium.

MUSICAL DIRECTOR



EARL WEIDNER

Committee Plans For Assembly

FEATURE CLUBS

The Assembly Committee has announced the programs for the month of December. On December 4, the Psychology Club will present its play, "Jazz and Minuet," a psychological comedy of life.

Christmas In Scandinavia

For December 11, the Geography Club has secured Anita Finlay, well-known lecturer, whose subject will be "Christmas in Scandinavia". Mrs. Finlay brings to her talks an interesting background of European culture and an originality, with all the charm and wealth of interesting detail for which she has become so popular during the past few years.

Gala Christmas Program

The final program for the month will be the gala Christmas program, presented by the musical organizations of the college. The Men's Glee Club, the Women's Glee Club, and the Mixed Chorus have been preparing diligently under the direction of Mr. Weidner for this assembly.

''Who's Who'' Honors Students

Nine students of Paterson State will be honored by "Who's Who in American Colleges" when the publication comes off the University of Alabama press in the early part of 1940.

This publication is published through the cooperation of over 00 universities and colleges. It is the only means of national recognition for graduates which is devoid of politics, fees, and dues. Several students from accredited colleges are selected each year, by an unprejudiced committee, for their biographies to appear in this unique edition. These books are placed in the hands of hundreds of companies and others who annually recruit outstanding students for employment

The purpose of "Who's Who" is to serve as an incentive for students to get the most out of their college careers; as a means of compensation to students for what they have already done; as a recommendation to the business world; and as a standard of measurement for students comparable to such agencies as Phi Beta Kappa and the Rhodes Scholarship award.

The nine students of Paterson who are honored by this award (Continued on Page 3)



Hear ye! Hear ye! Come one come all to the gala three-feature evening of entertainment. But the best is yet to come! It's FREE! All you need is your student identification card. The guest admission is 35 cents each. This big feature night is continuous from seven till twelve o'clock. Feature number one: The Junior Varsity game, which starts at seven. Feature number two: The first regular home game for the varsity, against East Stroudsburg at 8 o'clock. Feature number three: Dancing from 9:30 till 12 to Dave Barry and his orchestra. Rememberit is free. Everyone should come —see two basketball games and dance till twelve to a sweet swing orchestra. Let's have a 100 per cent attendance. Come early for the best seats. Just one thing more-no one will be admitted without an identifcation card!

Council Withdraws Forced Assembly

The Student Council dropped the plan to make all assemblies a compulsory function at State when it met on Friday last at its regular session. The plan making all assemblies compulsory, which was proposed by Mr. Schneider at the last meeting, was withdrawn by Mr. Schneider's proxy, Michael Lobosco.

Social Room Stays Open

The motion made to close the social room died on the floor, when it failed to be seconded; but a plan to rehabilitate the social room began to take shape when the Council voted by a narrow margin to put the radio in good workable condition. Later in the year the Council will meet the problem of refurnishing the social room.

Committee Appointed

President Houston, who has returned from practice teaching and who presided at his first meeting of the council, appointed the committee to study the constitution. The committee consists of Andrew Pedata, Frances Van Kirk, and Kenneth Gleason. Later in the year the committee will make a report on their study of the S.G.A. constitution.

All section leaders were asked to inform all students that the utmost care be taken when the auditorium is being used. Tipping the chairs has caused the wall to be marked with black streaks and the plaster columns are being chipped.

JUNIOR PROM A SUCCESS

The Junior Class was the host of 220 people last Friday evening at the annual Junior Prom. The dance was held at beautiful White Beeches Country Club in Haworth. To say the least, it was one of the most successful promenades in many a year.

As the last strains of Tommy Summers and his orchestra died away every one left assuring the committee of a grand time to be enjoyed as memories for many a year. The faculty was represented

The faculty was represented almost 100 per cent strong with Dr. Alteneder, Faculty Adviser for the Junior Class, and Dr. Clair S. Wightman heading the list of distinguished faculty personages. Instead of the traditional receiving line President Sirota of the Junior Class made a short speech of welcome to all those attending the dance.



A plan whereby reappraisal and revision, if advisable, of our constitution, would take place at certain definitely stated intervals, in our opinion, would be of great value in the more capable and efficient management of the Student Government's affairs.

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tions on the market if they cared to. If the stu-

dent body will look for good points in our paper,

Girls Defeat Alumnae 15-14

In an exciting contest the Paterson State girls' basketball team defeated the Alumnae. 15-14.

The game was close all through the contest. State led at the quarter but the Alumnae tied it up at the half. Continuing their scoring streak the Alumnae forged ahead to a lead of 14-10 with four minutes to play.

State fought desperately to overcome the lead in the closing minutes. A basket by Doris Roth and a foul shot by Betty Driscoll put them within one point of tying. With hardly one second to play Betty Driscoll dropped in a score just as the whistle blew to end the game.

Betty Driscoll led State in scoring with 7 points with Emily Courter scoring 8 points for the Alumnae. The lineup:

Alumnae: Emily Courter, Elberta Bokman, forwards; Irene Fleetwood, Jean Leonard, centers; Elena Portadino, Marion Borrows, Nettie McCann, guards.

State: Dorothea Bundy, Lillian Bogart, Frances Van Kirk, Marie Arnold, forwards; Betty Driscoll, Doris Roth, Ruth Daulton, Dorothea Bundy, centers; Evelyn Foote, Kay Matthews, guards.

Referee—Hopper.

J. V.'s Drop **Opening Game**

The Junior Varsity quintet dropped its first game of the season to the Eagles by a score of 37-29.

The Pioneer Juniors opened the game by leading by 5 points at the quarter and 3 points at the half.

In the second half the Eagles spurted and passed the J. team in the third period. They were never headed and the Eagles won by 8 points.

Scoring honors went to Brown of the Eagles with 12 points. The J. V. were led by Ford and Ebner with seven points with Pollack and Piela with six.

The lineup: Paterson State J. V.: Ford, Schutz, Ebner, Piela, forward; Bender Lombardo, center; Eilenberg, Trautvetter, and Pollack, guards.

Eagles: Doby, Brown, Oliver, forward; Henton, Moore, Hapgood, center; Milton, Jackson, guard.

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Eagles	5	8	11	13-37

THE SPORTLIGHT -by GEORGE INFALD

alumni game we were more than surprised to note that many of our students (the Freshmen in particular) did not know our varsity basketeers as well as we feel they should.

Archibald Fulton Hay, born in Hawthorne, N. J., attended Hawthorne grammar schools and graduated from Hawthorne High School. Archie, as he is called by his friends, was a modest, quiet lad in high school who performed well for three athletic varsity teams: basketball, baseball and soccer. At State Archie has not only made a name in athletics but is vicepresident of his Senior class, drummer in the school band, and a member of the S.G.A. Archie's pet peeve is petite Betty Morris.

Charles "Chick" Lyons, born in Paterson, received his diplomas from St. Joseph's grammar and high schools. In high school Chick made a name for himself in basketball and baseball, following both up at State. Chick is one of the best known students in school and has held many important offices in the S.G.A. and his own class. He is now the president of the high and mighty Seniors.

Louis Yole Sirota, born in Paterson, attended School No. 13 and received his secondary education at Eastside High game.

Debating Starts

Intra-mural debating gets under way next week with the topic of federal aid for the equalization of educational opportunity. The winning class team receives, in addition to a silver cup, a large silver pin for each member of the team. Each class team is composed of four members: two persons for debating, one for rebuttal, and an alternate. In the first round of the debate, the Juniors meet the Freshmen, and the Sophomores, the Seniors. Then the victors of these matches de-

bate for the silver cup. However, since twelve Freshmen applied for membership in their class team, an elimination contest between the candidates will first be held. After the debates are concluded, Mr. Bedford plans to organize a school Freshman team with the members of the intra-murals as the nucleus.

Immediately following the School. While attending high Louis was very modest and didn't even go out for the basketball team even though the coach often asked him. In State he is one of the better known students and last year he received a Shapiro Foundation award for excellence in scholarship. He is now president of his Junior Class.

Three more next week.

Well we see the varsity went right to town in their opening game and shellacked the Alumni. Good luck, varsity, because you'll need it the night of December 8, when you meet the high and mighty East Stroudsburg Teachers whom you only beat by one point last year. Pressman, Williams, and Hay were without a doubt the big factors in this easy victory.

The boys' ping pong tournament is coming into its last lap with Sirota, Siegel, Hay, Clark, and Lobosco still going strong.

The girls' varsity showed up well against the Alumnae and will probably have a banner season.

How did you like the new score board? It costs a hundred and fifty dollars and we may have a hard time getting it. However it certainly lets you know what's what during the

"WHO'S WHO" (Continued from Page 1)

are: Nicholas Beversluis, Frances Van Kirk, Jean McAlevy, Elsie Samuelson, Archibald Hay, Courtlandt Guyre, Ruth Barton, James Houston, and Alice Mc-Guirk.

Nicholas Beversluis is vicepresident of the S.G.A., a member of the Skull and Poinard Fraternity, and is active in all musical activities.

Frances Van Kirk is chairman of the Service Committee and is active in women's sports.

Jean McAlevy is affiliated with the Masque and Masquers, Glee Club, Athletic and Assembly committees.

Courtlandt Guyre, thrice treasurer of his class, is now chairman of the social committee and an active member of the Skull and Poniard Fraternity.

Elsie Samuelson is active on the social committee.

Archie Hay is a popular member of the Varsity squad in (Continued on Page 4)

State Defeats Alumni 58-26

The Pioneers opened the 1939-40 basketball season in an auspicious manner by trouncing the Alumni, 58-6. It was the first game of the season with about 400 people attending the game.

The Varsity was held to a close score in the first half and led by 10 points at the intermission. In the third period State opened its attack full force and lead by 24 points at the end of the third canto.

Scoring honors were divided among Archie Hay, Wendell Williams, and Morris Pressman with 12 points each. John Simmons and Ed Montesano led the Alumni with 6 points each.

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Activity Schedule **Revision** Complete

On the basis of the returns of the Student Activity Survey the schedule for club meetings has been revised ,allowing one monthly meeting for each club. Clubs, desiring additional meetings, must make arrangements for after-college hours and submit their plans to Dean Edith L. Jackson.

The only conflct concerns the mixed chorus, allowing one meeting each week. However, clubs regularly scheduled to meet on the same days as the mixed chorus are given precedence.

The revised schedule is as follows:

Wednesday-first period, Masque and Masquers; second period. Science, Italian, (Mixed Chorus); third period, Student Council; fourth period, Art, Business, International Relation, (Mixed Chorus).

Friday-first period, Engineer, Psychology, (Mixed Chorus): second period, Varsity, Geography, P. & Q.; third period, Mixed Chorus; fourth period, Executive Committee, Beacon, Debating.

Incidentals

Norbert Hasser's classmates were very shocked, and not a little alarmed, to see him going through all sorts of contortions, and looking as though he had just swallowed a mountain, but it was nothing,-just an impersonation of Harpo Marx! * * *

Tie, tie, who's got the tie? It seems that Charlie Spinosa gave his tie to Flo Hundertmark, and then not liking the tieless effect, he demanded Archie Hay's tie. (Archie and Chick Lyons are being initiated into the Skull and Poniard fraternity and Charlie is their superior). Now, on with the story—Chick Lyons feeling very sorry for Archie, gave him his tie. Finally they all decided they liked their own ties best and again the round of ties started. At last everybody was satisfied, except Chick Lyons, who just didn't have a tie! * *

Anne Cooper's mother must have a very ardent admirer. In fact, somebody liked the picture of Anne's mother, in a bathing suit, so much, that he kept it. Needless to say, Anne wishes she could get the picture back.

Well I never! Did you ever hear of one college girl chasing another around a locker room, and all because of a fellow named Casey? * * *

According to Ralph Smith, Bill Risser is a very unusual fellow. Most fellows have their love to keep them warm, but Bill just wears an overcoat. * *

Connie Poartfleet has very original ideas about Geography. His supreme achievement is the knowledge of the shortest route to Midland Park. * *

Some of you girls with the tricky and difficult hair styles might learn a lesson from Elmer Ramsey. He, of the beautiful waves, uses plain water. *

Incidentally, any incidentals will be welcomed. Contributors will please leave signed contributions in The Beacon box.

Curtis Wins Ping-Pong Finals

Paterson State has a new girl ping-pong champ. Winnie Curtis defeated Helen Harrison in three straight games to win the tournament.

Winnie receives as a prize for her victory a rubber ping-pong paddle. The paddle is to be purchased with the money made from the collection of entry fees. Forty State girls entered the tournament.

Dramatis Personae

By EVELYN FOOTE

direction, the cast of the "Obstinate Family" gave a very fine performance indeed. Taking into consideration that the players Sidney Goldberg, Muriel Pepkowitz, Alice Grillo, Helene Sterne, and Bernard Bokma are Freshmen, their initial appearance before the student body proved astonishing. The play was a difficult one to put across yet through their amateur timing, the humorous incidents defined themselves clearly.

Congratulations to Mr. Goldberg for staying in character throughout. He possesses an unusual voice and appears well at ease on the stage. Mr. Goldberg also expertly handled the romantic interludes with Miss Pepkowitz who was inclined to lead the rest at a fast pace.

Possibilities are in store for Mr. Bokma, but he must remember to vary his tone lest it become monotonous.

Alice Grillo executes fine diction, but should endeavor to attain a better medium of acting. Confucius says, "Tis fine drama.

I.R.C. Prepares For Conference

The International Relations Club is making final preparations to attend the Carnegie Conference on Foreign Relations which will be held at Rutgers University on December 8. The club will participate in two debates on foreign relations at the conference. The debaters from the Paterson club will be Kathrine Bannehr, Sidney Goldberg and Ben Steinberg. The club will attend the conference under the supervision of Mr. Matelson, faculty advisor.

The students will leave the building at eight o'clock on Friday, December 8 in private cars. Aside from the routine business a good time is anticipated for all.



to speak, tis great to act, tis Under Emmanuel Raff's able extraordinary to do both at the same time."

Take a lesson from this play and always say the right thing at the right time. It'll save a lot of trouble.

"The First Dress Suit" given at the same assembly and coached by Mr. Roehler, included the following upperclassmen: Frank Almroth, Sylvia Blut, Claire Orlean, and Francis Iannuci.

In Miss Blut we have charming young person who, no doubt, will become, one day, a most efficient actress.

As the young boy, Mr. Almroth acted too immature. Yet, with all his plaintive tendencies. he held together nicely the very weak parts.

Mr. Iannuci, as the groom-tobe, tended to be exceedingly indifferent to the romantic Miss Orlean who certainly deserved more attention than she received.

More power to you, Masque and Masquers, for the excellent entertainment you provided. And don't cut our neck for this "review". It has been written purely in the interest of

"WHO'S WHO" (Continued from Page 3)

Basketball, and Vice President of the Senior class.

Ruth Barton is chairman of the Activity committee and past president of the Psychology club, the school's largest club.

James Houston is presider of the Student Government sociation, and is also a memb of the Skull and Poniard fr ernity.

Alice McGuirk is President the Geography club and an tive member in the science clu

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Freshmen To **Roller** Skate

It was decided at the Freshmen Class meeting last Wednesday ,that a roller skating party would be held during the third week of December. Many suggestions were received by President Christie, but roller skating was received most enthusiastically by the students.

Wallace Reid, secretary of the class, announced that \$87.07 had been spent on the Freshmen Frolic, leaving a total of \$71.93 in the treasury. It was explained at the meeting that the original allotment made to the Freshmen class was \$157.

After the opening formalities of the meeting had been dispensed with, and Mr. Bedford had assured a group of worrided Freshmen that more money would be allotted them in February, President Christie asked for suggestions as to how to spend the remaining money. Suggestions included ice skating, roller skating, going on a hay ride, having a weenie roast and seeing a good theatrical performance.

After all the suggestions had been thoroughly discussed the class voted upon them. Three votes were taken before it was definitely decided that the class would go roller skating, sometime during the third week of December. Victor Christie appointed Evelyn Foote to head a committee which will plan further details.

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