

The Paterson State Beacon

Published by the Students of Paterson State Teachers College

VOL. XVIII — No. 9

STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE, PATERSON, N. J.

Friday, October 3, 1952

COLLEGE LISTS HONOR STUDENTS

Among the many students of our growing Paterson State Teachers College, there are some commendable students who have kept up with our honor roll standards of a "B" average or better.

The following is a list of these students: Mary Aistrup, George Ameer, Lois Blanchard, Gloria Calcina, Doris Cameron, Angelina Caporusso, Victor Cascella, Sophie Castello, Peggy Connolly, Geraldine De Benedetto, Janice De Korta, Helen Demarest, Thomas Desmond, Patricia Ewert, George Finkel, Arlene Frey, Edward Fritz, Dorothea Fuman, Joseph Garrera, Helen Gasior, Philip Gifford, Emilie Gloekier, Evelyn Gooss, Louisa Helmer, Betty Hendershot, Ruth Hoffman, Elizabeth Hunt, Winifred Hunt, Dorothy James, Mary Kennedy, Barbara Klein, Virginia Kohl, Donald Lanigan, Peter Larro, Olga Leshnak, Lenore Lewis, Eleanor Lotter, Dolores Mendello, Diana Nash, Pauline Nussenbaum, Annette Parisi, Marilyn Perrius, Jean Pollara, Carol Radich, Dorothy Ritchie, Ruth Ross, Virginia Schechot, Myra Schmetz, Marion Schrieks, Angela Stucci, Anthony Sellitti, Marilyn Staldtmayer, Elizabeth Talamini, Edith Trommer, Olive Turi, George Unger, Van Duyn, Katherine Van Wallegheem, Elaine Vislitsky, Marilyn Voorhis, Judith Warner, Mariana Webb, Judith Wasserman, Marcia Whipple, and Richard Young.

DELTA OMEGA FRAT ELECTS NEW SLATE

The Delta Omega Epsilon Fraternity recently held its elections for officers. The officers for this year are: James Alexander, President; Tony Horney, Vice President; Tom Canino, Treasurer; Harold Gruendyk, Recording Secretary; Bob Hodde, Corresponding Secretary; Pat Cannanico, Chaplain; and John Heuer, Historian.

"There are many things which make any organization sound. One of the primary ones is serving a useful purpose. During the coming year, the Delta Omega Epsilon Fraternity will endeavor to fulfill a purpose which will prove beneficial to the school and the students. We are proud of our school and we feel that the best way to express this pride is to be useful to the school," stated the President-elect, Jim Alexander.

This month Guy Lott, last year's president, is sailing to Eilat, where he will teach in a Methodist Boys' School.

During the summer the fraternity had a picnic in honor of Mr. Lott. It was held at the home of the Advisor, Mr. Califano, at Pines Lake. Those present had an outdoor lunch, and went rowing and swimming later. An evening of square dancing climaxed the affair.

Members of the fraternity who are still attending State are: George Ameer, Joe Boydeil, Pat Cannanico, Ray Vandenbergue, Vernon Warner, Jim Harkins, Jim Alexander, and Bob Hodde.

VA Announces New Rules For Veterans

Veterans Administration today told veterans how they can prevent unnecessary delay in applying for education and training under the new Korean GI Bill.

Joseph O'Hern, Regional Manager, said, first, veterans should send their completed applications for training to the VA Regional Office at 20 Washington Place in Newark, and not to VA's headquarters in Washington, D.C.

Hundreds of applications have been coming into Washington, O'Hern said. This merely delays things, since the Central Office must then forward the papers to the proper VA Regional Office for action. The Washington headquarters does not process any of the applications for training taken in the USA.

Papers Are Necessary

The second way veterans can prevent unnecessary delay is to make certain they include photostatic or certified copies of both sides of their discharge or separation papers, along with their applications for GI training.

VA must have the information contained on both sides, in order to process the applications. A photostat of one side alone does not contain all the necessary data. VA then would have to write to the veteran for the additional information, and such an exchange of letters would take time.

A third way veterans can help VA to help them is by completely filling out their application forms for education and training. The form has five sections which the veteran must complete: (1) identification of the veteran; (2) program of education and training applied for; (3) education and training received while on active duty; (4) civilian education, and (5) employment experience. Unless all the necessary information is included on the form, O'Hern warned, VA can't take action on the veteran's application.

How To Make Payments

Veterans may now make their (Continued On Page 3)

NEW BUSINESS CLUB ORGANIZES AT STATE

A new addition to P.S.T.C. and under the direction of Mr. S. Hendrickson, the Finpat Club is now progressing steadily. Officers have been elected as follows: Lenore Lewis, President; Martin Obolsky, Treasurer; Florence Serafin, Secretary; and Marilyn Mead, Registrar. One feature of the Club is the election of trustees, who are elected semi-annually. Ann Ogilvie, Dale Driesback, Winifred Hunt, Lenore Lewis, and Elaine Vislitsky are the trustees elected for the first half year.

Future plans of the Club include the issuance of shares of stock to its members and the purchase of one or more shares of stock in a particular company as a unit.

The purpose of the Finpat Club is to acquaint students with the mechanics of business, and to give the students experience in the buying, selling and trading of stocks.

NINE FROSH EARN STATE SCHOLARSHIPS

Paterson State Teachers College is honored to announce that nine Freshmen students have been awarded State Scholarships this year. The students are as follows:

Angela Algeria, Kindergarten Primary

Miss Algeria is a graduate of Fort Lee High School. She was President of the Spanish Club, treasurer of the Senior class and a member of the Student Council. Angela enjoys playing popular music on the piano.

Thomas Altieri, Business Education

Mr. Altieri is a graduate of Dumont High School. During his four years at Dumont he participated in various sports including football and basketball. Tom's hobby is playing poker.

Beverly Boher, Business Education

Miss Boher is a graduate of Eastside High School. She was a member of the Leaders Club, Pan American Club and N. J. International Relations Forum. Beverly enjoys reading and dancing.

Marilyn Conlon, General Elementary

Miss Conlon is a graduate of Miss Morrow High School, Englewood. She belonged to various school clubs and was a member of the Student Council. Marilyn likes to collect stamps and is interested in photography as a hobby.

Jane Dardia

A graduate of Eastside High School, Miss Dardia was a member of the National Honor Society, Girls' Leader Club, and Intermural Sports. Jane enjoys swimming, sewing, dancing and sports.

Jean Moreck, Kindergarten Primary

A graduate of Bloomfield High School, Miss Moreck was active in sports and a member of the Honor Society. Jean enjoys swimming and dancing.

Gail Pinkus, General Elementary

A graduate of Clifton High School, Miss Pinkus was a member of the Honor Society and Girls Athletic Association. Gail enjoys such hobbies as gardening and foreign correspondence.

Shirley Preston, Kindergarten Primary

Miss Preston is a graduate of Lodi High School. She was vice-president of the National Honor Society and a member of the Student Council. Shirley enjoys collecting classical and popular records as a hobby.

In order to continue the State Scholarship students must maintain a "B" average each semester.

Beacon Editors Elected At Final Mass Meeting

At the final meeting of the BEACON staff last term they elected their editor-in-chief and associate editor for the coming year. James Alexander was elected to the position of editor-in-chief, and Kay Edwards was chosen as associate editor.

James was a reporter in the sports department last year. Kay (Continued On Page 3)

Office Reports 119 New Freshmen Register On Opening Day of Term

By JOAN O'BRIEN



GUY LOTT

Guy Lott, Jr., a member of the 1952 graduating class of Paterson State Teachers College, after having completed a six-week preparatory course at the Hartford Training School, has sailed for India to begin a three-year teaching assignment under the sponsorship of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Church. He will fill the capacity of missionary-teacher at the Woodstock School in Landour.

At State in his senior year Guy was a member of the Kappa Delta Pi, and was one of the eight seniors of the college to be represented in the 1952 publication of Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. He was also editor of the year book, and president of the Delta Omega Epsilon Fraternity. In his Sophomore year Guy was awarded the Skull and Tonard Scholarship, and was twice winner of the Beacon Poetry Award.

Veteran at P. S. T. C. Under Korean GI Bill

The first New Jersey veteran to receive educational benefits under the "Korean Bill of Rights" is enrolled in the Junior class at Paterson State Teachers College. He is John M. Griffith, who holds the distinction of being among the initial group of veterans in the country to receive aid from the plan.

John is also a veteran of World War II. From 1944 to 1947 he served with the Navy Seabees at Guam, Shanghai, and Hawaii. He was a postal mail clerk at Guam and Okinawa during his last tour of duty.

John was recalled to active duty in the Navy in November, 1950. Before his recall, John attended Paterson State for two years where he was active in many organizations. He was vice-president of his class, and a member of the Student Government Association, the men's varsity fencing team, Skull and Tonard Fraternity, and Kappa Delta Phi, a national honor society in education. Now, John is continuing

All's well that ends well," or so the Junior class convinced the incoming freshmen on September 8. One hundred nineteen new freshmen officially became students at Paterson State Teachers College on September 8. They were divided into groups and assigned to classrooms in which to plan their respective schedules. This having been completed they proceeded to the Little Theatre to obtain class admission cards.

By noon time all was in order and the Junior class heartily led their little sisters and brothers to the picnic area where lunch had been prepared. Refreshments consisted mainly of hot dogs, soda, potato chips, and pop corn. Freshmen, juniors, and faculty joined in song to add a note of festivity.

Of the 119 freshmen, thirty-one are enrolled in the Kindergarten-Primary group, sixty-five in the General Elementary, and twenty-three in the Business Education.

Major Leitner of USMC To Visit College Oct. 6

NEW YORK, N. Y. — Major Warren A. Leitner, USMC, will visit Paterson Teachers on October 6 to discuss Officer Programs with interested male and female students, it was announced today by the Marine Corps Procurement Office in New York City.

The Corps offers two programs to qualified college men. The Platoon Leaders Class is open to freshmen, sophomores, and juniors. The Officer Candidate Course is for seniors.

Members of the Platoon Leaders Class will attend two summer training periods, each of six weeks duration. No other military training is required. Upon successful completion of the two summers of training and graduation from college, the men are commissioned second lieutenants and ordered to active duty for a period of two years. Men accepted in this program are deferred.

Seniors Are Deferred

Seniors accepted for the Officer Candidate Course will not be called to active duty until after they graduate. Officer Candidate Classes are scheduled for March and July of 1953. Members attend a ten-week course of instruction as enlisted men. On successful completion of the course, they are commissioned as second lieutenants and retained on active duty for two years. Newly commissioned second lieutenants enter the program then receive five months specialized officer training which is credited toward the required two years of active duty. College women are eligible for identical programs.

Major Leitner will be located in Hunzicker Hall during his visit. The Marine Corps Procurement Office in New York City is in Room 3 East, 346 Broadway, Telephone Rector 2-8000, ext. 395.

His studies toward a bachelor of science degree in elementary education.

PATERSON STATE BEACON

Produced bi-monthly under the Student Government Association
of Paterson State Teachers College

JAMES ALEXANDER, Editor-in-Chief

KAY EDWARDS Assistant Editor
ELAINE VISLOTSKY Assistant Editor
MARJORIE BROMAN Senior Advisory Editor
JOAN O'BRIEN News Editor
BARBARA LOESCH Feature Editor
JOAN STEUTEL Exchange Editor
BOB HODDE - DALE DRETSBACH Business Managers

Reporters—

NEWS: Janice Eslinger, Janice De Korte, Mary Kennedy, Pat
Ruffing, Ruth Wilkes, Eleanor Prendergast, Louise Fur-
min, Doris Edgert, Richard Ryan, Peter Esser, Florence
Serafin, Louise Helmer, Jean Hansen, Virginia Gra-
ziolo, Christine Rainey, Tom O'Meara.

FEATURE: Myra Casey, Carol Racich, Jean Grieder, Dorothy
Hann.

EXCHANGE: Florence Riccardi and Alice Blair.

TYPIST: Martin Oboisky.

PHOTOGRAPHER: Bill Hans.

FACULTY ADVISER: M. Emily Greensaway.



WE PROUDLY SALUTE

One of the primary ways in which students can bring credit to their college is by reaching the pinnacle of scholastic achievement, the honor roll. That long list of names of students who have maintained a good average for the semester indicates the capabilities of the students and the role of the college in teaching the students.

Certainly the students have worked hard to receive this award. They have persevered during the whole term while others have fallen by the wayside. The parents of these honor students are duly proud because they feel that all the strain and anguish that they have invested in their child's education has not been wasted.

Being on the honor roll of the college installs a proud feeling in the students as they realize the ultimate values of their endeavors. The students are glad that they have worked so hard as they realize what it means to them. When they are applying for a job in the future they realize that it will be beneficial to them to be able to include on the application that they were honor students in college. The fact that they were honor students means that they had high intelligence, they were probably important people in their class. This is what a prospective employer can see in the simple fact that the students were on the honor roll.

The college is likewise proud to exhibit a substantial list of names of students who have achieved honors in the college courses. It indicates that there are outstanding students in the school and that they are stacking up well against colleges all over the country.

We should all be proud of these students who have done such an outstanding job. They have brought credit to themselves, their parents and the college. Let us all hope that the students of the college will always strive to distinguish themselves by meriting honor grades.

SPIRIT

Listening to the text of Dr. Wightman's speech at the invocation, I thought over one word which appeared to be the theme of the talk. Above everything else, the word "spirit" impressed me as being the main thought. As I sat there in the warm sun listening I began to realize how much of a part "spirit" had played in the history of our present campus.

For many years, the college was located in the heart of Paterson in part of a grammar school building. These were not the most conducive conditions for a college but the students had faith and made the best of their plight. Administration and students looked forward to the day when they could move to a new campus.

That ambition has finally been fulfilled. We have a beautiful new college campus which may easily become one of the most prominent in the east. We have new and modern buildings for our use and a promise of more to come.

Yet that word "spirit" creeps in again when we look at the Student Union Buildings. This center of student activity was made possible by the work of students who have virtually built it themselves. They have given money and effort along with time and labor to purchase the furniture and decorate and paint it to the liking of the students body. Here is truly a sample of what the college hinges on.

Another indication of the unquestionable spirit is the way in which the students pitched in to secure passage of the bond issue at the election last year. Students were out soliciting at the polls in freezing winter weather.

As long as the students feel that strongly about the college, it will continue to thrive. It is this "spirit" of the students and that displayed by our president, administration, and faculty which binds our college as a strong unit. May it always remain that way.

OUR FRESHMEN - THE CLASS OF 1956



CLASS OF '56 sings nursery rhymes on front steps of Hunziker Hall as part of hazing during freshman initiation.

PIONEERS HOT POURRI

By BARBARA LOESCH

Welcome back ye olde Pioneers and a big hello to all ye new settlers who've decided to "speculate" on the Hill. Speaking of "new," the word seems to ring a sour note, or is that still an echo from the Frosh concert in front of Hunziker Hall a while back? The "Lowly Hit Paraders" sounding off with jazzy renditions of "Jingle Bells" and "Let Me Call You Sweetheart" were really mellow, but the bouncy rhythm of "Three Blind Mice" really sent us upper classmen. Bruce Howell had just as much fun leading the singers???

That brief bit of nonsense, better known as "hazing", seems to be all but forgotten now, but not so long ago we could hear the murmurs of stiff sacroillaries and dented dignities. Most of you freshmen took your humiliations with a smile and joined right in with the fun; that's the spirit of a true Frosh and a winning way of friendship. Welcome!

Uncle Sam Calls

The Frosh-Junior picnic was a bang-up occasion even though Mr. Vivian did play his "squeezebox." Both faculty and students seemed to enjoy sizzling their own hot dawgs and fighting thru the chow lines for the necessary accessories. We understand that Joe Garerra deserves a lot of credit for helping to organize the tremendous time after Junior Class President Don Maloney left school to keep a date with Uncle Sam. We hope Staters of the future will latch on to this "breaking the Joe" tradition with as much enthusiasm as the Class of '53 did. It seems that Uncle Sam is also keeping Dennis Cummins, Mike Earaka, Joe Isch, Tom Kennedy, Dave Weldlich, Vince Moretta, and Charlie Traetto mighty busy for the present time.

All of you so-called Arthur Murray's had better shine up your dancing shoes and line up your partners, because the sophs are

planning a dance for you tonight. This will be the traditional Frosh Welcome dance and the soph class is anxious to get the social ball rolling with a whiz-bang of a time. Tom Desmond, chairman of the dance, has promised all a riot of fun. The general theme will center around "Election Year" instead of the traditional harvest effect. Could this be a sly political campaign?

Aisle Tales

Wedding bells tolled thru the sweltering months for starry-eyed Marilyn Stadtmeyer Mendohlson, Pat Crossin, Betsy Arthur Austin, Betty Ann Mason Caldwell, Joan Kuiper O'Sullivan, Myra Shumetz Carroll, Eileen Weinberger, Evelyn Ciprioli, and Jim Peck. We're sorry to learn however, that the latter two have not returned to State. (P.S.: In case you didn't know, they each have their own mates.) Confusing you?

Mr. Stork dropped off a precious little boy recently making Bill Doerwald a very proud papa. Many who patronize the children's library already know Bill's charming little Betty. Chickie Pirone is sporting a diamond on her third finger left hand and Sarah Belverio also has finally gotten engaged.

Rodentia

We've been told that some of our beloved Hector's friends have been seen migrating back in the direction of North Hall. To those of you who don't remember - Hector was a rolly-polly little mouse who thrived on tidbits of lunch which we, the students, carelessly left lying around. A sudden clean-up spurge which was prompted by the SGA, sent out little pet to mouse heaven via malnutrition and sent his many friends he had asked to join in his prosperity scurrying to new surroundings for survival. Let's be more careful! We don't want a repeat performance of this cruelty to rodents! We have enough on our minds now without having a death on our conscience, too!

Dr. Baker is once again touring the campus with his nature walks; enlightening his students as they travel. Louise Goddin is positively sure that after sneezing a good part of a week, that Dr. Baker knew what he was talking about when he waved that golden rod under her nose.

Now that school is officially open, (notice the dazed looks on the students) we may as well make the best of every opportunity, scholastically as well as socially. Let's really make this a year to remember! Bye now and stay away from "Wightman's Rock."

POET'S CORNER

WHAT MAKES A GOOD TEACHER

The education of a college president.
The executive ability of a financier.
The humility of a deacon.
The adaptability of a chameleon.
The hope of an optimist.
The courage of a hero.
The wisdom of a serpent.
The gentleness of a dove.
The patience of Job.
The grace of God, and
The persistence of the devil.

Bulletin of the Milwaukee
Teacher's Association

SMILE

"A smile costs nothing, but creates much;
It happens in a flash and the memory sometimes lasts forever;
It cannot be bought, begged, borrowed, or stolen
But it is something that is no earthly good to anyone until it is given away.
So if in your hurry and rush you meet someone
Who is too weary to give you a smile, leave one of yours.
For no one needs a smile quite as much as he who has none left to give."

—Author unknown

QUESTION BOX

By CAROL RACICH

QUESTION: What are you looking forward to upon starting college this year?

Lois Doherty, Freshman — "Passing science with Mr. Vivian."

Barbara Obrig, Freshman — "Getting rid of freshmen beanies."

Lillian Percarpio, Freshman — "I'm looking forward to being a sophomore so I can tease the freshmen next year."

Barbara Biegler, Freshman — "Graduating."

Phyllis Dizzle, Freshman — "Passing all the freshmen subjects."

Tom Desmond, Sophomore — "June."

Marilyn Mendelson, Junior — "Observing—this will be my first real opportunity to discover if I really want to teach."

Diana Marks, Junior — "Going out into practicum."

Lois Reitsma, Junior — "My senior year when I will be graduating."

John Griffins, Junior — "I look

(Continued on Page 3)

DeLancy, Houston Come to State; Replace Stroop and Altenader

The two new members of the college faculty are Miss Opal DeLancy of New York City, and Dr. James Houston, Jr., of Glen Rock. Miss DeLancy is an instructor in business education, and Dr. Houston is assistant professor in education.

Miss DeLancy received her B.S. degree from Ball State Teachers College in Indiana, and her master's degree from Indiana University. She has also attended the University of Chicago and Teachers College, Columbia University. Miss DeLancy has taught business subjects in the high schools of Indiana. She has also been an instructor at Indiana University, Evansville College, and the University of Idaho.

Miss DeLancy has been personnel consultant for business and industry in Evansville, Indiana, and statistical research worker for the Lincoln National Life Insurance Company. She is a member of Delta Pi Epsilon, national honorary graduate fraternity in business education, and Pi Lambda Theta, honorary sorority.

Dr. Houston received the B.S. in education degree from Paterson State Teachers College in 1940. His graduate work was done at Teachers College, Columbia University, and he received the M.A. in 1947, and the Doctor of Education degree in 1951.

Dr. Houston was a teacher in the Lincoln School in Carlstadt, principal of the Lincoln School during the 1946 school year; and principal of Hudson School from 1947 to 1950. During the past two years Dr. Houston was instructor in psychology and education at the Newark State Teachers College.

Dr. Houston served four years in the United States Coast Guard. He has been director of the Hudson Camp and the Paterson Y.M.C.A. camp.

Dr. Houston is a member of Kappa Delta Pi and Phi Delta Kappa, national honorary fraternities, American Association of Administrators, and the American Association of University Professors.

Jakelunas Enters Long Line of Coaches

Each of the past five seasons has found a new varsity coach at the helm of the Paterson State basketball squad. There have been four different men in the coaching position as the last five seasons have started.

In 1948 the Pioneer coach team was mentored by Henry Schmitt. He was replaced in 1949 by Robert A. Addison who served for one year and was then recalled to active duty in the United States Marine Corps.

Next in line for the job was Raymond Schnitzer, a Panzer graduate, who guided the fortunes of the Staters during Addison's one year absence. In 1951 Addison returned from his service stint and directed the team through their successful campaign last year.

Now Mr. Addison has left Paterson State to accept a post at Bates College in Maine and he is succeeded by the former coach of the junior varsity, Dan Jakelunas.

Thus it is that there have been five different seasons and not one of the coaches in direct succession of himself.

FACULTY TO TRAVEL TO TRENTON SESSION

Faculty members from all six of the New Jersey State Teachers Colleges will participate in the Faculty Institute at Trenton State Teachers College on October 13 and 14.

On the morning of October 13, the general theme will be "Improving Public Relations." The afternoon session will center about "Improving Instruction." Miss Alice Meeker will speak on the topic, "Improving Public Relations Through Classroom Activities."

The Institute will close on the afternoon of October 14 after the annual luncheon.

Beacon Editors Elected

(Continued from Page 1)

served on the staff for two years as reporter, star reporter, and co-news editor.

The remainder of the editorial board was chosen by the editor-in-chief, Elaine Visitsky, was appointed to the position of assistant.



MISS GREENWAY

and editor. Marjorie Broman, editor-in-chief last year, was appointed to the position of senior advisory editor.

Joan O'Brien was chosen as the news editor for this year and Barbara Loesch was named feature editor. The position of exchange editor was given to Joan Steutel. Staff photographer will be Bill Hans who is assisting editor Tom O'Meara with the photography for the Pioneer yearbook.

Miss M. Emily Greenway is faculty adviser of the BEACON. This year the BEACON will be printed in Paterson at the Paterson Press on Butler Street. It had been printed at the Messenger in Garfield.

The following reporters and staff personnel have been chosen by the editorial board to work on the paper this year: Reporters: Janice Esslinger, Janice De Korte, Mary Kennedy, Pat Ruffing, Ruth Wilkes, Bob Hodde, Eleanor Prendergast, Louise Furnish, Doris Englert, Dale Dreisbach, Anthony Seletti, Richard Ryan, Peter Esser, Myra Casey, Carol Raich, Florence Serafini, Louise Helmer, Dot Hann, Virginia Grazioso, and Jean Hansen. Exchange: Florence Riccardi and Alice Blair. Typing: Martin Obolsky.

Holding down the position of business manager are Bob Hodde and Dale Dreisbach.

Today is the Day For Kangaroo Court

Kangaroo Court will be held today at 12 o'clock to punish those Freshmen who refuse to carry out their duties during the hazing period. They will come before a court of Sophomores consisting of Judge and jury who will pass sentence on the accused and afflict useful penalties.

Joe Donnelly will preside as judge and the jury will consist of Marty Walsh, Bob Hodde, Doris Pepper, Bruce Howell, Marge Fitzmaurice, Annette Denaro, and Dave Clark.

SOPHS TO SPONSOR FROSH DANCE TONIGHT

This evening at eight o'clock the Freshmen hazing period will officially come to a close at a dance sponsored by the Sophomore Class under the direction of President, Thomas Desmond. Music will be furnished by Wally Kmetz and his orchestra and refreshments will be served in the Cafeteria. Each year the Sophomore Class sponsors this affair which marks the end of the traditional Freshmen hazing period.

Instead of the usual Harvest Moon theme the Sophomores decided to base their theme on Elections. Decorations therefore will be red, white, and blue. Carl Salemski will be master of ceremonies. Other entertainment will be furnished by student talent.

Committees for the dance are as follows: Decorations — Lenore Lewis, Chairman; Martin Obolsky, Bruce Howell, Dot Hahn, Flo Serafini, and Bob Hodde. Band — Elaine Visitsky, Chairman. Refreshments — Ida Colcher, Chairman; Dave Clark, Dale Dreisbach, and Jim Alexander. Publicity — Louise Goddin, Chairman. Louise Helmer, Phoebe Henrich, Marty Walsh, Phil Gifford, Doris Smith, Clean-Up Committee — Thomas Desmond, Chairman; Marty Walsh, Dave Clark, Dale Dreisbach, Jim Alexander, Bob Hodde, Lillian Boyljan, Ronnie Selders. Entertainment — Eleanor Prendergast, Chairman; Elaine Visitsky, Roseleen Huber, Lucy Drake, and Marilyn Meade.

Yearbook Staff Reaching Goal

The 1953 Yearbook of Paterson State Teachers College, the Pioneer, has been making good progress towards its goal under the capable direction of Thomas J. O'Meara, Editor-in-Chief, and his staff.

Marjorie Broman, Probie Ann Birch and Bill Hanse have been working on the literary, poetic and photographic areas of the yearbook, respectively.

The Seniors will obtain the proofs of their individual pictures on Oct. 3. These proofs must be returned to Miss Broman by Oct. 8—five days after distribution—or the rates specified by Mr. Le Man, the photographer, will not be offered to those Seniors wishing pictures.

The first deadline for the Senior section is Nov. 1. The group pictures of the various clubs will be taken as soon as the clubs have been organized.

The '53 Yearbook will be printed by the Progress Printing Company, Caldwell, N. J. Mr. O'Meara has already signed the contract which states that the Pioneer will be delivered in May.

CAMPUS IMPROVED DURING VACATION

Several improvements on the Paterson State Teachers College new campus were completed during the school's summer recess in July and August.

The Student Parking Lot was finished after a long waiting period by members of the college and students. They are now able to park their cars on a newly paved parking area, with white lines applied for proper spacing. This is a welcome addition after students had to park their cars on an uneven dirt area in the past.

All other roads leading to the school grounds were also paved during the summer. These roads are for faculty and guests use only. Students are asked to use only their own parking area.

To the side of the Student Parking Lot is the Student Union Building, which serves as a recreation area for students during their lunch periods or free time. The inside of the building was painted during the summer and work is still being done on it.

Receptacles have been placed on the lawn in order to keep the campus as neat as possible and to preserve its natural beauty.

Behind the cafeteria building, work has been started on a new athletic field, a much needed addition to the college, which at the present time, has very limited facilities for physical education. Student volunteers are needed to help complete this area. Anyone interested should see their Student Council representative.

QUESTION BOX

(Continued from Page 2)

forward to the next two years passing quickly."

Betty Lou Carlson, Junior — "My first day of observing."

"Miss Van", Junior — "Methods of actually teaching children."

Catherine Kennedy, Senior — "Practice teaching and the final big day."

Joyce Esslinger, Senior — "June." Phoebe Birch, Senior — "Less rush and more free time to do the things I want to do."

Ginny Cavaluzzo, Senior — "Practice teaching and having a good time."

Vernon Walker, Senior — "The new crop of sweet freshmen girls of which there are quite a few this year."

George Ameer, Senior — "Vernon Walker beat me to it—seeing all the pretty girls."

Pat Buffing, Senior — "Making this the best of all years."

Barbara Kline, Senior — "Singing my song in the senior show."

Evelyn Hayler, Senior — "A job and my first pay check."

VA ANNOUNCES RULES

(Continued from Page 1)

checks or money orders for government life insurance premiums payable to "Veterans Administration."

Joe O'Hern, VA Regional Office Manager in New Jersey, pointed out that heretofore checks and money orders had to be made payable to "The Treasurer of the United States." As a result, many premium payments were sent to the Treasury Department rather than to the VA District or Central Office handling the insurance account.

Local Office

The Philadelphia District Office of the VA administers National Service Life Insurance for Veterans in New Jersey, O'Hern said, and he cautioned veterans not to send cash through the mails. Premium payments should be made by check or money order, and enclosed in yellow return envelopes which the VA send policy holders. Cancelled checks or money order stubs serve as premium receipts.

FIELD TRIP COMMITTEE ANNOUNCES SCHEDULE

The Curriculum Committee's Sub-Committee on Field Trips has announced the fall schedule of field trips for the four classes. Members of the sub-committee are Dr. Ralph W. Miller, chairman; Dr. Herbert Freeman, Mr. Herbert L. Ellis, John Cecchino, Senior, Mary Kennedy, Junior, Thomas Desmond, Sophomore, and Shirley Preston, Freshman.

"These scheduled trips are an integral part of the college program, and every student will participate in them," commented Miller. It was agreed by the group that there should be one faculty chairman and one student chairman for each trip as well as a faculty and student committee for each trip. Another agreement by this committee is that the trips will take place rain or shine.

The following trips have been planned for the fall term. On October 13, the Freshman class will be accompanied by Dr. Freeman to the Stock Exchange in New York. Dr. Miller will accompany the Sophomore class to the Junior class on October 23. The Junior class with Dr. L. Nanassy will take an industrial and institutional trip on November 18. Miss Jeffries will go with the senior class on a museum and music tour on November 5.

It was also agreed that the seniors will be allowed one of the following options—1. An evening performance of the Philharmonic, or a comparable orchestra; 2. A tour of the Morgan Library and a ballet performance, or 3. A tour of the Frick Museum and an opera performance.

Important Work Done At State Reading Clinic

For the past six years Dr. Mark Karp and the students who have assisted him have conducted a reading clinic for children who is located in the front corridor in the Hunkeler Hall and contains equipment and supplies necessary to Outlying communities send the work.

Children to the clinic. The children are chosen by the principals in their schools and attend the reading course every morning during regular school sessions. The service area of the college includes such communities as Allendale, Clifton, Fair Lawn, Hasbrouck Heights, Paterson, Wayne Township, and Wyckoff. Each child is diagnosed and given special treatment depending upon his particular needs. The treatments are designed to help adjust the students socially by giving them confidence in their reading ability.

The experience of aiding the children is good training for the college students because it develops in them a greater understanding of the problems of teaching and gives them practical experience in handling children and offering them guidance.

Reports indicate that the children enjoy their special instruction. Many of them come to the college early and romp and play on the campus and through the buildings.

Dr. Karp handles a group of children alone to allow college students to observe techniques. He has some freshman and sophomore students working under his supervision for the experience of teaching the children.

Parents have attested that the clinics are very successful. Many of the parents have related that their children have secured an added interest in reading along with an advancement in their reading rate.

The clinic will continue as a worthwhile service to the community plus being a teaching aid to the students of Paterson State.

SPORT SLANTS

By JIM ALEXANDER

A LOOK INTO THE FUTURE

In a few years there will be a very welcome addition to our college. It is, of course, the proposed gymnasium. Just think what it will mean to the students when they can have their own gym. There are many advantages in a new gym, I would like to enumerate some of them, not necessarily in the order of importance.

1. It will provide a good boost for basketball in the school as the team will have a place to practice regularly and not have to go to all parts of the city for their conditioning. There will be an encouragement for boys to play on the team in the new gym. All of the home games of the team will be played there and the students of the college will be on hand in larger numbers to root for the team.

2. Students will not have to take physical training in the little Theatre or on the tennis court in good weather. They will have a large modern gymnasium with all the apparatus and conveniences that are possible. It is even hinted that there will be a swimming pool. This may mean a swimming team to represent the college.

3. The fencing team, W. A. A., and other organizations will have a place to practice and meet in. It would be a wonderful place for our W. A. A. to entertain other colleges on playdays.

4. A gym would greatly help an intermural program for men. They could compete in leagues during the entire school year. Basketball, volleyball, and other indoor sports—could be played year 'round.

5. Dances, banquets, and other school social functions including conferences could be held in the gym. This would be ideal for the students if they could hold their class dances, etc. in such a large auditorium.

6. Another important feature of the impending improvement would be the convenience of being able to assemble all the students in one place at one time. Students will be able to meet as they should in a group and not as two groups at two different meetings.

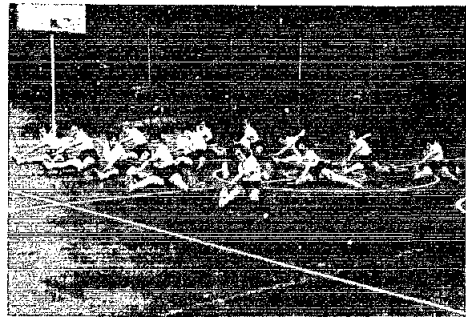
It is a very welcome thought to contemplate. It is certain that a gym will improve the situation at Paterson State.

LEAVE IT TO THE GIRLS

By ELAINE VISLOTSKY

WANTED—Girls interested in sports for the purpose of having fun and making new friends. Apply to Miss Lee, officers, or members of the Women's Athletic Association.

Why don't you answer the above want ad? The W.A.A. is not concerned with a program of strenuous competitive sports; it is, however, concerned with as many girls as possible participating in sports for their own enjoyment. Any girl who takes part in W.A.A. activities automatically becomes a member of the club. Points are given for attendance at these sports and lead to school emblems. Why not help this organization fulfill its policy of "Every girl in a sport, for every girl."



Sophomore Girls Lining Up

Freshmen beware: The above photograph shows this year's sophomore girls giving the freshmen a preview of things to come—namely the reason for numerous aches and pains as the result of certain exercises. (At least the girls keep warm when the mercury drops.)

The wheels are turning again and W.A.A. activities scheduled for this fall are badminton, volleyball, golf, basketball, swimming, and bowling. Something new will be tried this year when one afternoon a week will be set aside and the various sports for the season will be held.

A revision of the present point system as proposed at the first W.A.A. meeting should tend to stimulate interest in women's athletics. More girls should be able to earn awards by making it easier to obtain points, even though the number of points needed for these awards are raised.

As a new school year begins, we look with pleasure to the excitement and friendships of another year in the W.A.A. So long, for now, I'll see you at the next W.A.A. meeting.

BOWLING TEAM NEARS START OF SEASON

Captain Al Litke of Paterson State's bowling team relates that there is a definite need for bowlers for the season looming on the horizon.

Three of the bowlers from last year's team, John Fitzpatrick, Bob Brand, and Tony Horney, have graduated. This leaves only two bowlers, Litke and Frank McNamara, a Junior. Fitzpatrick was the leading scorer for the Pioneer keggers with an average of 169.7. This average was good enough to place him fourth among the bowlers in the league.

The team finished fifth in the New Jersey Intercollegiate Athletic Conference with fourteen points.

Captain Litke commented, "We are interested in having a strong bowling team this year but there is a need for at least three bowlers and if it is possible we would like to have extra bowlers. If you are able to bowl consistently better than 140 you could secure a berth on the team. Our objective this year is to try to improve our standing of last year and we would like to finish in the top three teams in the league. If you are interested you should get in touch with me or Jim Alexander, our manager."

There have been a few aspirants already trying out for the team. The applicants are Tom Desmond, Bob Hodde, Joe Romanchak, Joe Phillips, Don Harper, Carl Salamensky, and Don Wales.

ANNOUNCE PLANS FOR INTERMURALS

In a few days the men of the college will begin participation in the first complete intermural program at the new campus. There will be a program this fall and another next spring.

The fall program will be similar to the program last year. Volley ball, basketball, and ping pong will be the primary sports.

As last year, there will be an all-college ping pong tournament played off in the Student Union Building. There will be tournaments in men's singles, men's doubles, and mixed doubles. Notice of matches will be placed on the wall of the student center near the ping pong tables. As each match is played off the winning team will designate the fact on the chart. Matches are to be played at the convenience of the students involved.

Volley ball and basketball are to be played on the tennis court. The rules for both sports will be much the same as last year except that there can be only two varsity or junior varsity basketball players on each team.

Intermurals for men are under the direction of Mr. M. Blaustein. He is investigating the possibilities of a more extensive program. Possibilities for the spring intermural program include soccer, softball, and touch football. These three sports are dependent upon the use of an athletic field. There is no certainty as to the availability of a level field in the spring. Mr. Blaustein announced a possibility of awards for the winners in the intermural sports.

Jankelunas Replaces Addison; New Coach Looks For Support



DAN JANKELUNAS



ROBERT A. ADDISON

A former Paterson State athlete will be at the helm of the Pioneer basketball squad during the 1952-53 season. Mr. Dan Jankelunas, who performed on the basketball hardwood and the baseball diamond for the Pioneers, has been signed as basketball coach for Paterson State's basketball season.

Mr. Jankelunas has served as junior varsity mentor for the past few years and has developed some fine varsity performers who have accomplished impressive feats on the basketball court.

The new coach spent a portion of his time in the United States Navy. Prior to his induction, Jankelunas had served as Athletic Director of Paterson State.

In his undergraduate years at State he played varsity basketball for four seasons. Being reasonably big then, Jankelunas nailed down the center position on the squad.

His interests were not confined to the court as he was a pitcher for the Pioneer baseball nine. The outstanding thrill of his pitching career was a no-hit no-run performance against Montclair State Teachers College.

Mr. Jankelunas is facing an imposing problem in the small number of players of varsity calibre who will be in the college this year. Quite a number of last year's stars plus many varsity hopefuls have left the college for military service and other institutions plus a group who have departed for still other reasons.

TWO OF RETURNING LETTERMEN



BOB MATTHEW



JERRY DEL CORSO

PATERSON STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1952 - 1953

Saturday, Nov. 29	Newark College of Engineering	Home
Tuesday, Dec. 2	Newark State Teachers	Home
Friday, Dec. 5	Jersey City State Teachers	Away
Tuesday, Dec. 9	Bloomfield	Home
Friday, Dec. 12	Panzer	Away
Monday, Dec. 15	Montclair State Teachers	Away
Wednesday, Dec. 17	Newark Rutgers	Away
Saturday, Jan. 10	Trenton State Teachers	Away
Tuesday, Jan. 13	Montclair State Teachers	Home
Friday, Jan. 16	Fairleigh Dickinson	Home
Wednesday, Jan. 21	Trenton State Teachers	Home
Saturday, Jan. 24	Newark College of Engineering	Home
Monday, Jan. 26	Glassboro State Teachers	Away
Saturday, Jan. 31	East Stroudsburg (Varsity only)	Away
Friday, Feb. 5	Panzer	Home
Wednesday, Feb. 10	Carleton School (J.V. only)	Home
Tuesday, Feb. 17	Jersey City State Teachers	Away
Tuesday, Feb. 17	Newark State Teachers	Away
Wednesday, Feb. 18	National Agr. College (Varsity)	Home
	Carleton Schol (J.V.)	
Tuesday, Feb. 24	Fairleigh Dickinson	Away
Saturday, Feb. 28	Yeshiva (Varsity only)	Away
Tuesday, Mar. 3	Bloomfield	Away
Friday, Mar. 6	Rutgers Pharmacy	Away