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College Orients Frosh Students

Freshman orientation, under the supervision of Mr. Richard S. Desmond, director of admissions, and Max Konigsberg, sophomore from Haworth, was held Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 10 and 11.

This year the orientation program consisted of brief talks held in the Little Theater and in the Science Lecture Hall. Orientation of the library was also conducted under the direction of Elizabeth Rinaldi, librarian, where freshman received library cards and were told of the library's features. Another part of the program consisted of tours where some 650 incoming freshmen were taken on tours of the campus by members of the sophomore class who acted as guides.

The freshman class was divided into four groups and at planned times proceeded to the lecture hall or the Little Theater where they were briefed by members of the college administration, the college personnel, and the Student Government Association.

Dr. Mary V. Holman, dean of students, presented a welcoming address to members of the freshman class as she spoke to them

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Beacon Releases Publication Dates

For the second year, the BEACON is beginning its weekly publication without delay. A copy of the BEACON may be secured on Friday mornings of the following dates: Sept. 21, and 28; October 5, 12, 19, and 26; Nov. 2, 16, and 30; Dec. 7 and 14; January 11; Feb. 1, 8, 15, and 22; March 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29; April 19, and 26; and May 3, 10, and 17.

A BEACON news rack will be found in the College Center, the Food Service lounge, the Library, and in Hunziker Hall. Students are asked to take only one copy of the paper for a limited supply is printed each week.

Residence Hall Houses 147 Women Students

Residence Hall (the women's dormitory) officially opened its doors to 147 female resident students on Sunday, September 9 at its first registration program. Dr. Marion E. Shea, president of the college, and Mary V. Holman, dean of students, were on hand to welcome the girls and their families. Also on hand were Miss Lisa Fellner and Dr. Willanda Savage who will be responsible for the new residents.

Before seeing their new rooms, the residents were greeted in the Service Building with various services of importance to them. Included was a list of rules and regulations for the Hall and parent consent slips for special weekends, and over night stays.

The first dormitory is scheduled for completion within the next two months. Meanwhile, the residents have tripled up in double rooms and doubled up in single rooms. The lounge on the second floor has been temporarily converted in-

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INCOMING FRESHMEN gain some insight about Paterson State's campus from soph, Max Konigsberg, chairman of freshmen orientation at Paterson's infamous "ROCK."

New Faculty Members Enlarge PSC Staff

Twenty-five new faculty members have joined the Paterson State family this fall. The Education Department has expanded the most, with five new members, while the English and Mathematics Department have each added four new members. The Science Department has three new faces, the Social Science and Art Departments each lists two new instructors and the Personnel, Speech, Physical Education, Administration Departments and Library Staff each has a single addition.

Education Dept.

Dr. Joseph Haliwell, of New Rochelle, N. Y., has been an instructor, assistant professor, and director of the experimental program at St. John's University, and has served as an associate in educational research for the New York State Department of Education. He received his Ph.D. from Fordham University. Dr. Haliwell was principal of Daniel Webster School in New Rochelle. He is married and has four children.

Ernest Partridge, Jr., of Passaic, N. J., is a candidate for his Ph.D. at Columbia University. His field of specialization is semantics

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Professor; Students In Summer Stock

Working this past summer at the Parkway Playhouse in Burnsville, North Carolina were seniors Sandra Haas and Gail Neary and sophomore Carmellina Carrao. Accompanying the Paterson State students was Mr. Anthony Maltese, assistant professor of speech at Paterson State. Mr. Maltese, who has worked at the Playhouse for six years, was production manager for the Burnsville playhouse.

The students did backstage work, set building and acting. Plays

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Important

The annual Convocation will be held Wednesday, September 19, at 1:30 p.m. in Memorial Gymnasium. All freshmen are asked to occupy the front seats. The academic procession will proceed from Hunziker Hall. Of interest to all will be the various hoods worn by faculty, designating the college from which each obtained his highest degree.

Students will rise for the procession and remain standing through the invocation.

Latin Added To Curriculum

Three levels of instruction have been added to the two languages now offered at Paterson State College. Fundamentals of Latin will be offered to all undergraduates along with a Survey of French Literature and a Survey of Spanish Literature. Mr. William Rubio, Associate professor of Foreign Languages, will instruct in these courses.

At present a minor in a language field can not be acquired due to the insufficient number of courses now available. Since Paterson State hopes to offer enough courses to permit a minor in French and Spanish, the administration envisions adding a course in Latin American Literature and possibly later a course on Twentieth Century Hispanic Literature.

Besides the basic course and the Survey Course in French, it is also hoped that in the future the college will be able to offer courses on French Poetry and French Theatre. This is of course predicated on having sufficient numbers of students to fill the requirements for the institution of such classes.

"Pioneer" Will Be Theme For Hazing

Paterson State's mascot, the PIONEER, will come to life Monday, September 17, 18 and 19 in the form of approximately 600 freshmen, as Paterson's annual ritual, Freshmen Hazing, gets under way.

Donned in appropriate attire, such as squirrel or raccoon tail hats, powder horns, broomstick rifles and burlap vests, who would be better equipped to combat our rivals, the Montclair Indians? Although some of the attire will be incongruous to that of PIONEERS, the Sophs probably have a good reason to ask the Frosh to wear tennis shoes and one or

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Parking Rules Announced By Dr. Scully

Regulations regarding the parking situation at Paterson State College have been outlined for the following school year. All students and faculty must obey all regulations. These regulations include:

1. Cars must display a parking decal for the current year. This decal must be displayed in the lower right hand corner of the rear window.
2. Follow directions on the decal. Scotch tape, glue, etc., is not permitted.
3. A new decal must be secured if the number should become illegible or if the student changes cars. Scrape decal off with a razor blade and submit it (along with auto registration) for duplication.
4. One decal is issued to a student. This decal must be used only on the automobile for which the decal was issued.
5. Cars without decals cannot be brought into parking lots or Veritan's lot.
6. Students must park between two white lines or according to the plan in unmarked lots.
7. Decals from the preceding years must be removed from the car.
8. Students can not park in areas designated for faculty and staff.
9. Students who are ticketed for violation of any kind must report to Dr. Grace Scully in the administration building immediately.
10. Student cars are not permitted on campus roads.
11. Speed limited in college parking areas must be observed.
12. Emergency or medical cases should see D. Scully.
13. If a student wishes to receive a decal and he is living within a reasonable distant to the college should see Dr. Scully.

Students Medical Insurance Plan Deadline Extended

The deadline for the Students' Medical Reimbursement Insurance Plan has been extended until Friday, September 21, announced Dean Mary V. Holman.

The plan protects students from the expense of injuries requiring hospital care, surgical treatment, X-ray examinations or consultants' services.

All full-time students who enroll in the plan will be insured 24 hours a day from September 1, 1962, or the date of enrollment in the plan, until June, or until September 1, 1963, according to the plan desired by the student.

Checks or money orders in the

Watch Service

Call us to assist you . . . Beginning Monday, September 17, a BEACON reporter will be available by calling AR. 8-1700, Extension 227 between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. daily. The Telephone Watch Service is one way of insuring better college communications.

amount of \$13.50 for the months the college is in session, or \$18.00 for the entire year should be made out to the Student Government Association — Insurance. Forms may be obtained in the Office of the Dean of Students in Haldon Hall.

Students who have not subscribed to the plan are urged to do so immediately. The control policy is held by the College and underwritten by United Benefit Life Insurance Company, Omaha.

College Picnic Honors Frosh

The annual college picnic sponsored by the junior class was held last Tuesday, Sept. 11, at Wightman Field.

Under the chairmanship of Maria Giordano and Chuck Martin, games and other events were

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"CHECKING OUT" Cynthia Steele after X-ray is Sheila Turner. Over 400 juniors were X-rayed before registering for the fall semester on Monday, September 10. The mobil unit was on campus for the entire day.

President's Message

TO THE CLASS OF 1966:

Greetings and warm wishes as you join the Paterson State College community.

I would challenge you as I once challenged our students during my first year as the president of this fast-growing and highly-respected institution. I throw you: "the challenge of having ideas; of enlarging your vision of what a college education really means; of becoming acquainted, under the leadership of your professors, with the fundamental motives and purposes and beliefs which underlie all human experience and bind it together; of perceiving the moral strivings, the intellectual endeavors, the aesthetic experiences of the race and of the creeds by which men live; of understanding our democratic institutions (and the forces which strive to undermine them); of acquiring the meaning of the descriptive sciences and learning the sequence of events from which the present has come; of becoming conversant with the representations of life which are given by the arts, especially the art of literature. These five areas — the contributions of philosophy, of humanistic science, of natural science, of literature and related arts — each of you must seek to take from this college, together with the skills and techniques demanded by our greatest of all professions — teaching.

And take with you, four years hence, the friendships of peer and more experienced and wise faculty, the thrill of "children's faces looking up, holding wonder like a cup," the memory of the quiet hour of meditation with bountiful nature on a lovely high hill, the security that comes with selfless dedication to others.

You join a college rich in tradition, friendly in atmosphere and in its personnel, single-minded in purpose, determined in making and keeping its high place among the colleges of this country. We invite you to go "all the way" with us.

Sincerely yours,
MARION E. SHEA
President

Only Beginning

One thing has come to characterize Paterson State College -- growth. This year the college welcomes over 600 freshmen, 25 new faculty members and its first residence building. The BEACON, which is now celebrating its first anniversary as a weekly newspaper, must keep pace.

In the weeks to come we hope to be available to you. With the increase in student population, faculty, etc., the college paper is invaluable. Communication between students and faculty, students and students, comes indirectly, if not directly, through the BEACON. To improve upon this communication system, we are keeping pace with Paterson State's growth (See page one, Watch Service). Our telephone watch service is only the beginning.

Last but

not least, the BEACON takes this opportunity to welcome all new faces to Paterson State's campus. With registration confusion in the past, we can now look hopefully into the coming college semester. The additional courses offered this year, along with the increase in faculty, should present innumerable opportunities to those who are students, and not simply undergraduates. Daily application and weekly review can be your best guide line. An active interest in the college community can foster success and influence a worthwhile college career.

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Yale U. Finds Frosh Year Obsolete

Yale University finds that the traditional Freshman Year is becoming obsolete, according to a report by a special faculty committee of seven professors. The committee urges a revamping of the curriculum and the handling of first-year college students.

The report recommends that the Freshman Class be split up and housed with upper-classmen, and not, as has been the case there for more than 30 years, treated as a separate unit on a separate campus. To this end, the administration of the Freshman Year should be assimilated into Yale College which would be responsible for all four years of the undergraduate student body, the report recommends.

In reaffirming Yale's policy requiring five courses in the Freshman Year, as against a minimum of four required in many other colleges, the report states: "At the same time we believe that a principle of flexibility should prevail, and flexibility is not difficult to secure at Yale, where rich resources are provided for undergraduates."

In their recommendation for a change in the administration of the Freshman Year, the committee points out that "we are more impressed by the likenesses of the Freshmen to the rest of the undergraduates than we are by their differences. There seems to be no good reason for delaying their as-

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New Dorm Plan Greets Harvard Frosh

A new dormitory plan, to improve freshman advising and to increase informal give-and-take between freshmen and faculty, advisers, and intellectual and civic leaders, will greet the Class of 1966 when they arrive in Harvard Yard this fall.

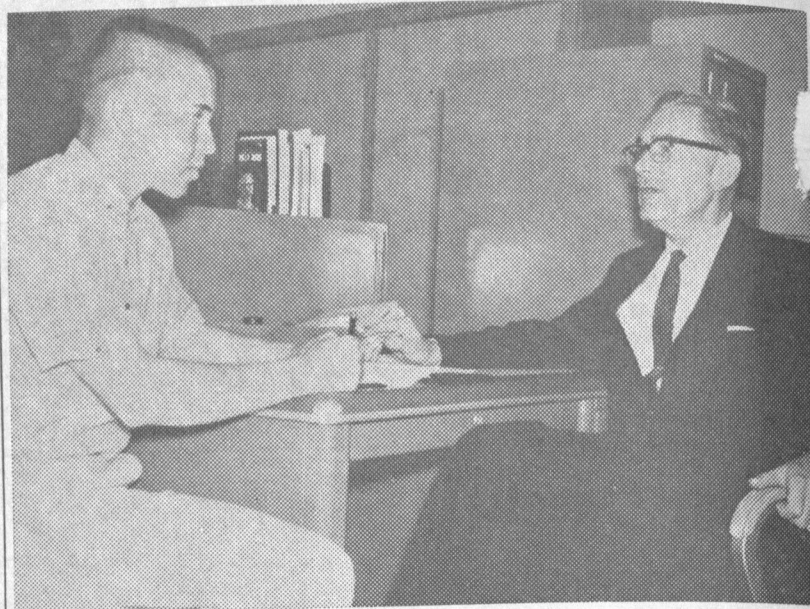
For advising and for informal intellectual activities, the 15 freshman dormitories will be organized into five units, each with about 200 to 250 freshmen as members. A Senior Adviser will direct each unit, with the assistance of hall proctors and faculty associates.

Each unit will have its own common room, as a center for informal discussions and meetings, and each unit will have its own program of activities. Offices are provided for the use of non-resident advisers. Many of the discussions will center on two subjects of perennial importance to freshmen — the choice of a major field of study and the choice of a career.

The resident Senior Adviser in each unit will act as an assistant dean for the students in the unit. The reorganization has been designed to improve the advising of freshmen as well as to increase informal intellectual activity during the freshman year.

The staff of each unit will include five to ten proctors who will live in the unit's dormitories and 20 non-resident advisers. The advisers will represent the Faculty of Arts and Sciences and several administrative departments. Together with the Senior Advisers and the Dean of Freshmen, the proctors and advisers will make up the Board of Freshman Advisers.

The common room of each unit offer a chance for all freshmen to benefit from informal seminars, group discussions, and evening talks. These informal activities, however, are distinct from the Freshman Seminar program, instituted three years ago to give selected freshmen close, working association with senior scholars of the Faculty as part of their academic program.



RETURNING FROM AFGHANISTAN Dr. Leon Hood tells BEACON feature editor Mike Burns about his two year stay in that country.

Dr. Hood Returns From Afghanistan Teaching Experience

by Mike Burns

After two years in Kabul, Afghanistan as part of the United States Agency for International Development, Dr. Leon Hood has returned to Paterson State College as Associate Professor of English. Dr. Hood and his family were invited to go to Kabul to serve with the Teachers College, Columbia University Team for U.S.A.I.D.

Dr. Hood worked on a variety of projects ranging from library organization to experimental chalk production using local materials. For centuries the Afghans have learned by recitation and memory. Dr. Hood's job was to bring written materials and teaching aids into the educational system, and to train the Afghans to prepare their own texts and materials.

Dr. Hood was not the only member of his family helping the Afghans. Carol, his 22-year-old daughter, taught English in the high school and seventh grade. Lois, his 25-year-old daughter, taught English at the Afghan Institute of Technology. Mrs. Hood taught English in the University of Kabul. She was the first woman on the University's faculty. There are few women teachers and few women college students in Moslem Afghanistan.

Lack of materials is one of the school's biggest problems. Often blackboards were either wood painted black or soot smeared on the wall. Three students had to share a desk. The average class was about fifty students. Heating is another problem that confronts

the Afghans. Fuel oil must be imported but the country's economy can not support the purchase of fuel oil in large quantities. Because buildings can not be heated, the schools give students their vacation in the winter.

The Hoods said they experienced no great hardships in Afghanistan. "We learned to love people more, all people," said Mrs. Hood. "I am a better teacher for the experience." Someday the family would like to return to Afghanistan to work, or to another foreign country.

For three years prior to his assignment in Afghanistan, Dr. Hood was Director of Admissions and Coordinator of Informational Services at Paterson State. He has been active in the National Council of Teachers of English, Radio-Television committee of the NJEA, and the Association for Better Radio and Television, and has written articles for the *Saturday Review*, *English Journal*, *Nations Schools* and the *NJEA Review*.

Among some of the changes at Paterson State noted by Dr. Hood are increased space and the improvement of facilities. Dr. Hood said the school is approaching adequacy.

Education Department Announces Change

Dr. Marion E. Shea, President of Paterson State College, announced some changes in the Education Department of the college at the first faculty meeting of the year this week. Miss Alice Meeker, for eighteen years the mainstay of the department, thirteen of them as chairman of the rapidly growing group, has been promoted to a new position as Special Consultant in Early Childhood and Elementary Education. In this new capacity, Miss Meeker will have more freedom and time to do what she has always done for the college — serve as a liaison faculty person between the college and the ever-growing community of schools and towns with which the institution is in close contact through the junior practicum and senior student-teaching schedules.

Following Miss Meeker as Chairman of the Education Department at Paterson State is Dr. James Houston, Jr. Dr. Houston, an alumnus of Paterson, has had a wide experience in elementary school teaching and administration, in the

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Co-op English Test Given To Freshmen

Paterson State's nearly 600 freshmen took part in the Co-operative English Test In Reading Comprehension and English Expression administered by members of the English department last Monday and Tuesday. The test, prepared by Educational Testing Service, Princeton, will provide research data on the abilities of freshmen in these areas and make methods for testing these abilities more accurate. It is expected that results of the tests will enable the English department to improve instruction patterns in freshmen classes.

Paterson State Welcomes First Residence Hall



N. J. County Colleges Begin This Fall

A start on county colleges will probably be one of the biggest developments in New Jersey education this year. Groups in several counties are already working on a two-year college under provisions of a bill which Governor Richard J. Hughes signed into law this spring. Three or four counties may be ready to start building next summer. Others will be further along in their planning.

A county college would be established this way:

The board of freeholders would request the funds after voting to build a two-year college in the county.

The State Board of Education would have to certify that a need exists for the proposed college. The board of freeholders then would appoint a board of trustees to operate the college and a board of estimate to fix the amount of money the county would have to provide.

The board of trustees would hire a president for the college. The president would hire the other college officials and the faculty, subject to the trustees' approval. Equipment would be purchased in the same way.

Groups in Atlantic and Bergen counties are working actively for establishment of two-year colleges. Preparations are at the talking stage in several other counties.

Because of the time needed for planning, there is no money in the current state budget for helping in the construction of county colleges. However, the state budget for the fiscal year beginning next July 1 is expected to contain funds for kicking off the county college movement in New Jersey.

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to a dormitory within a dormitory. Twelve students will be sharing its facilities in the weeks to come until the lower level of the building is completed.

All rooms, single and doubles, are furnished with beds, bed linen, pillows, blankets, spreads, draperies, dressers, mirrors, study desks, study chairs, and lamps.

A telephone booth is located on the first floor along with a laundry room and snack corner.

A Residence Hall Committee will be organized and operated by the residents. They will determine further regulations as they are needed. This group will also decide on penalties for infractions of the rules.

With the completion of Paterson State's first residence building, it is hoped that a second will soon be constructed on the college campus to facilitate men students.

Two Directors Selected For Residence Hall

Miss Lisa Fellner, director of the Paterson State College Residence Hall, and assistant director of student personnel, a newcomer to Paterson State, will be responsible for the women's dormitory along with Dr. Willinda Savage, professor in the department of education and Resident Faculty supervisor for the women's dorms.

Miss Fellner is a graduate of City College New York, where she earned her B.S. and M.A. degrees in education. She is presently working on her doctorate at Teachers College, Columbia University.

Before becoming a member of the Paterson faculty, she was a member of the New York City school system, and was also on the staff of City College and Columbia University.

Miss Fellner just returned from a seven week tour of Europe. Her hobby is traveling.

All Invited

The Sophomore Class invites all students to witness their rendition of Marsupial Pow-Wow, alias Kanagroo Court, Thursday, September 20 at 1:30 p.m. The site for the traditional penalty court will be the Memorial Gymnasium with sophomores directing the activities for those frosh who cause "hep-big-trouble" during the 3-day hazing session.

New Faculty . . .

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and philosophy. Mr. Partridge will teach philosophy at Paterson State College. He is married.

The other three newcomers to the Education Department are Dr. Daniel Sugarman of Paramus, N. J., Dr. Francis J. Tomely of Wyckoff, N. J., and Mr. Daniel Skillen of Flushing, N. Y. Dr. Sugarman has been serving as school psychologist in Wayne. He is married and has one child. Dr. Tomely has had 29 years of teaching experience. He has served on the staff of Fordham, New York University and Montclair State College. Dr. Tomely is well equipped to teach education and psychology courses in both the graduate and undergraduate areas. Mr. Skillen, who was born in Scotland, is married and has two children. At the present time he is a doctoral candidate at N.Y.U.

English Department

Besides the return of Dr. Leon Hood (see page 2) the English Department has three additions. They are: Mr. Samuel Draper, a doctoral candidate at Columbia; Mr. Theodore Miller, a doctoral candidate at N. Y. U. and Mr. Alphonse Sully. Mr. Draper, of New York City, has served as a music, art, and drama critic on the Los Angeles Times, the Los Angeles Daily Mirror and the Beverly Hills News-Life and the Beverly Hill Citizen. He held a Fulbright grant in Belgium and France during 1959-60. Mr. Miller, of Brooklyn, N. Y., received a certificate d'etudes from the University of Lyon, France in 1948.

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Practicum Schedules Set For Fall

Junior Practicum schedules for the 1962-63 college year have been set for October 15 to November 2 for all Junior G. E. majors and Kindergarten-Primary majors, reported Dr. Peter L. Henderson, director of student placement.

This fall over 258 juniors will be sent to area schools fulfilling practicum requirements. These same students will return to Junior Practicum assignments on March 4 through March 22.

K. P. and secondary seniors are scheduled for Student Teaching Assignments Nov. 12 to Jan. 25. A total of 147 students have been placed in classrooms for the eight week period.

One-hundred and seventy seniors majoring in general elementary education will receive assignments for the eight weeks beginning Feb. 4, and ending on April 5.

Joining the G. E. and K. P. majors in March will be 161 juniors majoring in secondary education. The juniors will practice teach in their respective minor fields. Paterson State is the only college that offers such an extensive practicum and student teaching program.

This year 17 colleges in the N. J. area have been vying for co-operating teachers. Paterson State will have over 1000 of New Jersey's teachers assisting in its practicum and student teaching programs.

Students are urged to watch the Student Teaching bulletin board located on the first floor of Hunziker Hall for practicum and student teaching information and assignments.

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planned to keep the afternoon enjoyable.

Other junior members to the committee were Maureen Wilson, Joe De Sanctis, George Blysak, Fred Diehl, Stu Thomas, Ross Alfieri, Charlotte Aversa, Margie Smith, John Stack, Bob Biagi, Carol Perna, Carol Hegen, Bonnie Carlson, Al Albertson, Barbara Chillick, Charlie Lundt, Nancy Sommer, and Denry White.

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ange and one black ankle sock, to carry one black and orange shopping bag filled with "goodies," and to recite a few well-known verses from Henry Wadsworth Longfellow's "Hiawatha." At the call "Geronimo" all freshmen must kneel and get ready to repel Indian attack from the Montclair tribe. All professors and sophomores will be greeted with "How" and Dr. Marion Shea, president of the college, will be greeted with the words "Heap How."

Aside from these "incidentals" the freshmen women will wear their skirts two inches below the knee, with a burlap or brown paper fringe around the skirt, and a clashing blouse. The men are required to wear khaki slacks with a burlap or brown crepe paper trim and a plaid shirt with a similar trim.

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Coast Guard and the Navy, as a college instructor at Newark and Paterson State College, and as a Fulbright exchange professor in Manchester, England. He received an M.A. degree from Teachers College, Columbia University in 1946, and an Ed.D. in 1951. Dr. Houston came to Paterson State as an assistant professor in the Education Department in 1952, was promoted to associate professor in 1955, and to professor in 1958.

Dr. Shea has also announced the following faculty promotions:

To professor, Dr. Edward Willis, Social Science

To associate professor, Dr. Sylvester Balassi, Education

Dr. Robert Leppert, Speech

Dr. Lucille Paris, Art

Dr. Mildred Weil, Social Science

To assistant professor, Miss Louise Fonken, Physical Education.

President's Greeting Applies To All Students

Dear Students:

I welcome you back to the campus life of Paterson State College. Undergraduate college life is traditionally considered to be one of the most exciting, inspiring, enjoyable, dramatic, and diversified periods of our experience. The rounded personality that is the ideal of American life can be reached best through a well rounded preparation for life.

We have associated with our Student Government Association a literal plethora of activities which give you the opportunity to explore and make use of your talents. It is upon you that full responsibility for the effectiveness of an education rests, so please make use of this opportunity advanced to you by your college and your S. G. A.

I must at this point caution you so that you don't jeopardize your academic success by becoming overinvolved in activities — your aim should be to graduate. My advice to you is that you survey, early, the activities that suit your interest and that you take part in their functioning. However, please use discretion in deciding the number of activities — don't spread yourself too thin.

Good luck in your academic and extra-curricular endeavors, and please feel free to come to me if I may help you in any way whatsoever.

Leonard Lakson, President
Student Government Asso.

This letter was originally published in *The Flashlight* the PSC orientation booklet distributed only to freshmen. We, the BEACON editorial staff, felt that with an addition of one word this message would apply to and be apropos to all students.

We would like to add to this the fact that the BEACON is in accord with the ideas and ideals of Mr. Lakson and wish to urge the entire student body to heed his words and investigate the activities of the SGA, your organization. The S stands for students and this year we hope it includes everyone.

Girls To Present Fencing Exhibition

The girls fencing squad will present thirteen exhibitions in the first five days of womens' physical education classes.

Coach Ray Miller's girls will discuss the art of fencing, and will also demonstrate the many techniques used in the sport. Included in the demonstration will be a sound movie of recent vintage which shows and relates the very latest in Fencing skills.

The purpose of these demonstration will be to stimulate an interest in students who are unfamiliar with the sport.

New Items For College Bookstore

Along with the many new faces on campus this year, the Bookstore has some new items available to students and faculty. Included in this list are band aids bobby pins, hair curlers, nail polish, pocket combs, toothpaste and rain bonnets, announced Mr. Robert Cleary, Bookstore manager.

These additional items have been especially included to service the resident students on campus. The list also includes hair spray, lipstick, nylon stockings and lighter fluid.

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He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa. Mr. Sully, of East Orange, N. J., has been an instructor in Spanish and Italian at Rutgers University. He has done youth work in Italy under auspices of the Church World Service. Mr. Sully will teach Spanish and French courses and will also be coaching the men's fencing team.

Fencers Active Over Summer

The Park Sheraton Hotel in New York City was host to this year's National Open Women's Fencing Championship last July fourth. Two Paterson State girls, Paulette Singilakis, a senior, and Roz Culotta, a 1962 graduate, gained further recognition in the world of fencing as they battled their way to top positions.

The top women fencers from the entire nation had gathered at the Sheraton, and the tournament, as had been anticipated, was extremely competitive.

Roz and Paulette were eventually eliminated by extremely strong fencers from North Carolina, but not before they had nailed down the sixteenth and eighth positions respectfully.

Please Note . . .

the student mailbox is located outside of Room 100 in Hunziker Hall. Students who expect mail from the outside should check the mailbox frequently. It is not to be used for messages from students to other students.

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produced this past summer were *The Importance of Being Earnest*, *Night Must Fall*, *Make Mine Mink*, *The Boyfriend*, *Grass Harp*, and *The Story of Persephony*.

The Story of Persephony, the Childrens Theatre play, was directed by Miss Neary and Miss Haas. Miss Neary also sang one of the leads in *The Boyfriend*. Both Miss Carrao and Miss Haas acted in the *Grass Harp* which was directed by Mr. Maltese.

Poetry Press Announces Closing Date

The National Poetry Press announced the closing date for the submission of the manuscripts by college students is Nov. 5 for publication in the 1962-63 College Students' Poetry Anthology.

Any student attending college is eligible to submit his verse. There is no limitation as to form or theme. Each poem must be typed or printed on a separate sheet, and must bear the name and home address of the student, as well as the name of the college.

All manuscripts should be sent to the Offices of the National Poetry Press at 3210 Selby Avenue, Los Angeles 34, Calif.

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simulation into the student body of the College; on the contrary, we think that from the outset they should begin to participate as full-fledged members of the community in all respects.

"Less care than in the past need be taken of their social and emotional life, and surely less spoon-feeding and more self-determination would encourage the quicker attainment of maturity."

Soccer Team Begins Early Practice

For the student, school opened officially yesterday, but the soccer player has been working strenuously since the beginning of the week.

It was once said that a school can field a soccer team with as little as 15 men, last year we proved that to be a fact, right here at Paterson State College.

In '63 things look brighter for Dr. Houston's booters. With 13 returning lettermen and as many new candidates, the lack of a strong bench our one real weakness of last season, will be diminished.

Veterans and rookies alike have and will be working long and hard in preparation for their opening game Saturday, September 29, against Fordham University right here at the Paterson State Soccer Field.

This will present a strong test for three year men Don Erskine, Bob McGuire, and Bob Dunn, two year men Jim Heffernan, Carmen DeSopo, and Pete Helff. Other returnees include Rick Izzo, Mike Burns, Cliff Keezer, Damon Neroni, Cliff Raymond, Gary Witte and Gerri Genese. Besides these veterans, we also have some promising newcomers in Rich Witte and Preston Prattola.



ASSISTANT SOCCER COACH WILBER MYERS, a new comer to Paterson State, will be Coach Houston's right hand-man as they put this years soccer team through their paces. Mr. Myers is the former head of the physical education department of Elkland Joint High School in Pa. in Pa.

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in the lecture hall and Little Theater.

Dr. Mildred Weil, assistant professor of social science, will be the advisor to the class of '66.

the Spotlight

by Gary Witte

In this first issue of the BEACON for the forthcoming year, the Sports Department would like to extend its welcome to this year's Freshmen and all returning students.

As is usual in a Freshmen class, the first week or two is devoted to indoctrination, orientation and generally getting acquainted. We of the Sports Department, feel we are also entitled to bring forth a little orientation of our own.

Varsity sports at Paterson State consist of Soccer, Cross-Country and Fencing in the fall months; Basketball and Bowling in the late fall and winter and Baseball in the Spring. Of these, Fencing is the only one not limited to the male species, for a girls Fencing team is very much in evidence.

Besides the competitive sports, we also have the Girls Cheerleading squad, which is, without doubt, the finest in the area (1960-61, 1961-62, Intercollege Championships. Finally, we have a rather full intramural program that ranges from a very competitive brand of touch football, to basketball, and softball.

Since Paterson is not an overly large school and we are not suffering from an overabundance of males, the coaches of our varsity sports often find themselves critically short of manpower. At first glance one finds it easy to throw the blame on this insufficiency of athletes, but when the problem is observed more closely, one realizes that the shortcoming lies not in the lack of men, but in their unwillingness to participate. Our real problem lies not in determining the cause for this lack of interest, for the causes are apparent, but in convincing certain students that they are needed in supporting our teams and our school by participating in the sports program. Since it is obvious that these causes which I take for granted are not so apparent to others, I will elaborate.

Our first problem is to convince new students, no matter how inexperienced, that there is room for them on our varsity squads. Last year, three or four neophytes gained starting positions on the soccer squad, and Coach Houston would have been very happy if he had ten more he could have used for much needed reserves. Unfortunately, he did not have reserve bench power, and, as a result, lost several games.

Aside from the reluctant inexperienced, a group exists that feels the time spent playing sports will prove to have an adverse effect on their grades. It is a known fact that athletes, as a group, earn better-than-average marks, and those that don't (earn better-than-average marks,) can usually be observed whiling away their free time (which even the athlete has plenty of) in the lounges or snack bar. This, of course, is not true in all instances, but often enough to be a valid statement.

In closing, I can only ask that you do yourselves a favor and your college a service, by participating in sports.

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