McELROY TO SING AT CONCERT

Professor Ralph S. Handy, director of the musical clubs, has announced that June 4 has tentatively been set as the date for the annual spring concert to be held in the college auditorium.

The feature soloist of the evening will be Francis McElroy, tenor, who studied voice from distinguished teachers both in this college and in Europe, and the selections have not yet been disclosed. Solos will also be played by Claire Audette, Victor Mariano, and Danny Giovanni.

A few of the selections to be sung by the Women’s Glee Club are “Begin the Beguine,” “Night and Day,” and “Jalousie.” The Men’s Glee Club has chosen “Wagon Wheels,” “Old Faithful,” and “South of the Border” as their feature numbers.

The Orchestra who has progressed rapidly since September will present “Light Cavalry Overture,” “Pavanne,” “El Relacario,” and excerpts from “Rhapsody in Blue.”

Press Association Elects Carleen

At a meeting held in the Rhode Island College of Education, the Rhode Island Inter-collegiate Press Association elected the following officers: President, Warren Carleen (Managing Editor of The Brown Herald); vice-president, Charles Wielgus (Editor of The ARCHWAY); secretary, Paul Kelly (Editor of The Providence College Cowl); treasurer, Joan Alexander (Editor of The R. I. C. E. Anchor).

The purposes of the newly formed organization, which was first conceived in the mind of Mr. Frank Green of the Rhode Island College of Education, are the promotion of ideas and information pertaining to collegiate publications, and fostering of cordial social relations between publications of all colleges in the state.


A banquet scheduled for May 24 will be held at Johnson’s. Mr. Sevillon Brown, editor of the Providence Journal, is to be guest speaker.

MAY QUEEN

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Physician Returns

Dr. William Leet, the Bryant College approved physician, has returned from military service and will take care of Bryant students when called upon. Dr. Leet may be reached at 199 Thayer Street, telephone, Union 1158.

Greek Letter Date Set

The Greek Letter Council has recently announced that the 10th Annual Greek Letter Dance will be held June 21, at the Gilmore Hotel. Both the Ballroom and Foyer have been engaged for this occasion.

BRYANT JOINS NEW ENGLAND COASTAL COLLEGE CONFERENCE

Varsity Basketball Not to Disrupt Intramural Program

COMING EVENTS

MAY 24 — Beta’s Bubble Dance.
JUNE 4 — Spring Festival.
JUNE 21 — Greek Letter Dance.

NEWMAN CLUB SEES MOVIE

Recently, the Newman Club had an evening that was a little different from the usual monthly means. On this occasion a movie was shown explaining, in brief, the life in the seminary and the steps leading to the ordination of a priest.

Throughout the showing of the film there were comments regarding the various stages which are: The Tonsure — distinguishes a layman from a cleric.

The four minor orders — Porter, Reader, Exorcist, and Acolyte.

The three major orders — Subdeaconate, Deaconate, and the Priest, the ordination to the sacred ministry.

Something of the power and beauty.

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Hebrew Club Installs

Gerald Colvin was installed as President of the Bryant College Hebrew Co-Ed Club at installation exercises held at 161 Waterman Street.

Other officers installed were: Jack Wilkes, vice-president; Selma Warner, corresponding secretary; Janet Jackson, recording secretary; Howard Rodin, treasurer; and Bert Coleman, sergeant-at-arms.

Mr. E. Gardner Jacobs was the installing officer. The meeting was opened by acting chairman Meyer Lindeman.

Honorary membership was conferred upon Mr. Joseph Pinkle, liaison officer between the Hebrew Co-Ed Club and the Roger Williams Lodge of B’nai B’rith and upon Mr. E. Gardner Jacobs.

The invocation and Benediction were given by Rabbi Morris Pickelzolt.

The exercises were followed by dancing and refreshments donated by Roger Williams Chapter of B’nai B’rith women.

Bryant and two other Providence colleges have become members of the Southern New England Coastal Conference, a group which was organized at Paul River to promote better athletic relations among colleges in Southern New England.

John W. O’Brien was the leader in setting up the conference. Mr. O’Brien is the basketball coach at Rhode Island College of Education.

Members of the conference are: Bradford R. I. College of Pharmacy, Durfee Tech, R. I. State Teachers College, New Bedford Institute, Calvin Coolidge College of Boston, Rhode Island College of Education, and Bryant College.

After adopting a constitution the following officers were elected: President, Francis Tripp, New Bedford Textile; vice-president, Rudy LaVault, Durfee Tech, and secretary-treasurer, John W. O’Brien of R.I.C.E.

The conference hopes to formulate a complete athletic program, but it is expected that basketball will still form the backbone of league competition for the present season.

Travel problems in competing with teams of their caliber prompted the organizers of the new conference. The present regional alignment will allow conference competition on a home and honor basis.

Vice-president E. Gardner Jacobs has announced that the formation of a varsity basketball team will in no way affect the usual intramural program of the college.

Student Round Table

At a recent meeting the Student Council approved the formation of what is at present the only extra-curricular discussion group on the campus.

The purposes of the activity are to stimulate sound thinking, familiarize students with "Roundtable" procedure, and develop the ability to speak to groups with ease.

The moderator for the initial discussion was Charles Wielgus. Participants included, Terrence Rielty, Francis Devine, Al Acker, Russ Connell, George Barlow Jr., Ruth Carty, Lorraine LeMay, Marilyn Bourne, and Ken Buongiorno.

COMING! — Greek Letter Special
CONGRATS

Many students have started the new semester off with a bang by completing their terminal speeds in shorthand.

Up to date our Congrats lists includes forty-five names, but this is not enough. Let's make our next column a record-breaking one.

The group to be congratulated this month includes:

Margaret Amidon ........................................ 140 160
Claire Jackson ........................................ 140 160
Virginia Remington .................................... 140 160
Muriel Blain ............................................ 120 140
Lucille Rolletta ........................................ 120 140
Victoria Schnible ....................................... 120 140
Patricia Hamesley ..................................... 120 140
Isabelle Wheelin ....................................... 120 140

states, "The United States of Europe is a magnificent but incomplete idea. The union of the United States of Europe and the United States of America would be, by its very strength, the guarantor of universal peace."

Boggs, Fulbright, and Thomas favor a United States of Europe, the writers of the Bulletin editorial and many other famous figures see the advantages of the United States of Europe and America. What do you as a member of the United States favor? You have the opportunity to exercise your convictions at the monthly Student "round tables" which are being conducted in the Bryant Library.

Education For Mutual Understanding

This year Bryant received an invitation from the Board of Control of the Salvation Army to have representation at the 21st annual spring conference.

Sophomore Ruth Carty, who teaches at the teacher-training club, was elected delegate by the teacher-training club, and Barbara Niemeck, President of the teacher-training club, was the two student representatives from Bryant, with Mr. Mercier as the faculty representative.

Ninety-three Eastern teacher colleges were represented at the conference, with a total of about five hundred delegates attending.

The governing thought all during the conference was that throughout the world there must be tolerance—tolerance through understanding—understanding through education. The whole world must be able to understand each other's beliefs, etc., of people in every section of the world, in order to understand why they do what they do.

On March 29, registration of the delegates in the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Commodore was followed by the final proceedings of the conference. This part of the conference dealt with "Arbitration in Human Affairs." There were several speakers who explained the necessity of arbitration in industry, in politics, and in the home. It was stressed that the only way to settle disputes between any two sides—whether they be nations or individuals—is to submit them to a third side for consideration and for both to abide by the decision of the third person.

Dr. Paul Fitzpatrick vehemently declared that future teachers cannot sit back complacently. It is up to them to instill this idea in the minds and hearts of young Americans. We are living in troubled times and if the world is to survive, we must have arbitration. A backward glance at Nagasaki and Hiroshima is a grim reminder that we must have arbitration or extermination.

On Friday, March 21 there was a panel discussion in the morning on "The Anglo-Saxon Foundation of Our Culture." Although in Literature and Art there are little contributions we do have their idea of government as well as the adoption of the language. Much of our law is also taken from theirs.

The Anglo-Saxons were very individualistic and one of the beliefs handed down to us from them is that the individual and not the country is most important. They believed in the absolute freedom of the individual and the idea that there is one God. Our law is also taken from their beliefs.

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BRUISERS CAPTURE CHAMPIONSHIP
Defeat Bachelors in Playoff

Ardent basketball fans gave a treat when they witnessed the Bryant College Playoffs recently at Bryant Gym between the Bruisers and the Bachelors. The Gym was filled to capacity on both occasions and the teams responded by putting on a good exhibition.

It was agreed that the playoffs would be a best “two out of three” series. However, the Bruisers upheld the plans by winning the first two games thus making a third game unnecessary.

In a closely played game the Bruisers came out on top to the tune of 31-27. Teddy Lussier was high scorer for the winners with 7 points and Gene Matuszewski scored the same number for his team.

In the second game, it was the same thing again, a closely matched contest sparked by brilliant floor performances on the part of Dugan and Fernandez of the Bachelors. As was the case previously, the Bruisers were behind again 34-30. John Sadowski, Bryant’s second highest scorer, and Al Genga paced the Bachelors with 9 points. Henry “Duke” Dugas, individual scores for the College, and M. Fernandez stole the scoring honors with 11 points each.

The score:
BACHELORS 67
Bruisers 73 31

Second Game
Geng, A. 2 0 4
Lussier, T. 2 3 7
Matuszewski, G. 3 1 7
Weibel, J. 2 1 5
Whiting, H. 3 0 6

12 7 31

Second Game
Dugan, H. 3 0 6
Fernandez, M. 2 2 6
Matuszewski, G. 3 1 7
McBride, K. 2 0 4
Fucini, L. 1 2 4

14 6 34

BACHELORS
First Game
Dugan, H. 3 0 6
Fernandez, M. 2 2 6
Matuszewski, G. 3 1 7
McBride, K. 2 0 4
Fucini, L. 1 2 4

11 5 27

Second Game
Dugan, H. 4 3 11
Fernandez, M. 5 1 11
Matuszewski, G. 3 1 7
McBride, K. 1 0 2
Fucini, L. 2 1 5

12 6 30

Final Basketball Standings
Day League
Bruiers 12 1
Sad Sacks 8 5
Rockets 8 5
Bet Sigma Chi 6 7
Tay Epillion 6 7
Flying Indies 4 9
Hartford 4 9
Phi Sigma Nu 0 7

Night League
Won Lost
Bachelors 14 2
Sigma Lambda Pi 7 9
Angell Street 5 10
Eagles 19 10

Individual Leading Performances
Day League
Sadowich, Bruisers 56 51 104
Hanna, Tau Epillion 52 58 108
Whiting, Bruisers 72 34 106
Bernardine, Flying Indies 55 61 106
Toppin, Flying Indies 56 46 102
Friedrich, Rockets 43 42 85
Stevens, Beta Sigma Chi 46 27 73

Night League
Dugan, Bachelors 80 87 167
Fernandez, Bachelors 62 59 121
Coffey, Angell Street 51 56 107
Evens, Eagles 64 39 103
Solomkin, Sigma Lambda 75 26 101

K.D.K. CAPTURES GIRLS’ BOWLING CROWN

K.D.K., Sigma Lambda Theta, and George Street all won close contenders for the girls' bowling championship up until the second last week of play. Mary Monti really came through in the needed moments when she rolled games of 106, 96, and 105 thereby helping K.D.K. take four games from George Street. Up until this second last week of play, all three top teams were neck and neck for first place.

Marjorie Riebenbach of the (Continued on page 4)

SIGMA LAMBDA THETA WINS GIRLS’ BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP
Defeats Sigma Iota Beta in Thriller

During the girls' basketball season much competition was had between Sigma Lambda Theta and Sigma Iota Beta. Sigma Lambda Theta won the first round and a tie existed between Sigma Lambda and Sigma Iota at the end of the second half.

The game to determine the second round winner was a thriller with the girls on both teams displaying great offensive and defensive play. Sigma Iota Beta won the game 46-29. Next came the championship match at which both teams displayed excellent teamwork. Defensive work had a definite influence on the final score.

The Sigma Lambdas won 16-9.

Rosemarie Budka sparked Sigma Lambda Theta’s team with a total of 124 points for the season. Eileen Kingsley led Sigma Iota’s scores with 85 points followed by 66 for Ruth Karstens.

The Independent II team and K. D. K. dropped out of the league because of mid-season graduates.

The final standing showed Sigma Lambda Theta in first place having won 12 games while losing 5. Sigma Iota Beta in second place having won 9 games while losing 7 and tying 1, and Independent I in third place having won 4 games, losing 6, and tying 1.

Leading Scores
Rosemarie Budka, Sigma Lambda Theta, 124; Eileen Kingsley, Sigma Iota Beta, 85; June Chase, Independent I, 67; Ruth Karstens, Sigma Iota Beta, 66; Jay Wolaneka, Sigma Lambda Theta, 62; Heide Hannington, Independent I, 38; Louise Bonvicini, Sigma Iota Beta, 30; Joanne Burke, Sigma Lambda Theta, 28; Shirley Proulx, Independent I, 25; Irene Graham, Sigma Lambda Theta, 14.

WHISPERINGS

Why was Jan McIntyre so happy the night of the April Showers Dance? Has anyone met Fritz and Bruno yet? We are proud to announce that Mr. Kitzell is in school in the person of Tony Meucci.

Bill Albin is going to play shortstop for the Red Sox (farm team). Did you ever hear Paul Zingale’s theory on married life? The newspapers announce a memorial service at Passaic in honor of Gitch and Borelli. It’s a fact that all Marion Devine does is eat! Ask George Willard why they call him “One Punch.” Who does John Creem wait for almost every day? What handsome fellows do Jean and Nancy wait for at 3:15 p.m.? Believe it or not Charles King has been offered the job to teach economics next semester!

Wendell Cheney is voted Bryant’s leading ladies’ man. Gloria Rigali has been going to the doctor with a sore finger. Is it the finger or the doctor... or the fortune teller who says that Sheila Mc- Cunn will be married one year. When is Bess Rosenberg going to give Sid a break? Newman Club has accepted: Rubenstein, Price, Myerson, Cohe, Lorraine and (Continued on page 4)

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Tap dancing and piano lessons proved to be an outstanding asset for Ray Stephens of West Haven, Connecticut, that versatile young man in the B. A. Division, who recently produced “Cole Black Joe.” This production was Ray’s first attempt at writing.

Ray’s talents were exhibited at the Christmas Ball held at the Biltmore when he introduced the song, “At the Bryant Christmas Ball.”

Some of the songs in “Cole Black Joe” were composed by Ray before he worked the songs into story form. Probably the song, “New York, New Haven, and Hartford” was inspired during Ray’s employment with the Railroad Company. “Anchors Aweigh” to the “Harvest Hop” was presented through the courtesy of Phi Sigma Nu, of which Ray is a member. At present, “the personality of the month” is working on another production, “Heavens to Betsy” which is concerned with the boy’s dorm at 95 Governor Street.

During grammar school days, Ray participated in several shows and directed musical productions ever since he began high school. While in the Navy, he also appeared in several U. S. O. and Navy shows.

You will find Ray billed as a professional entertainer, appearing at various night clubs throughout Connecticut, excelling in his comedy singing and dancing routine, usually on Saturday nights.

Besides being a member of the Masquers and Phi Sigma Nu, Ray also is a member of the Men’s Glee Club.

When asked what his plans are for the future, Ray replied, “After finishing Bryant, I intend to study All of us will be looking forward to “Heavens to Betsy” and are posed at a dramatic school in New York.” If this production will soon become a reality.

AROUND THE CAMPUS

Winds Blew

The March winds blew the greatest couples to “The Windy Hop” managing to escape the unusual decorations of the wolf at Hollywood and Vine whistling at the windblown girl got quite a whirl.

The main attraction of the evening was the selecting of “The Most Appealing Couple,” Miss Tina Butera and her fiancé Ray Russo, by Johnny Glass and his Stardusters. Miss Butera was presented with an orchid.

Beta’s Ranks Expand

The following brothers were sworn in to the Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Chi at a Ritual which was conducted in the Sheraton Hotel: Joseph O’Brien, Wendell Cheney, Don Kennedy, Ken Bonfiglio, John George, C. Bill Fox, Frank Schrade, Harry D’Fazio, George Jameson, Ed Quinn, Eldo Glacomin, Luther Pantele, Ed Schotland.

The new members were feted at a Pledgee Formal which was held jointly with Sigma Lambda Theta in the Churchill House.

Members of Beta are making arrangements for Beta’s Bubble Dance which is to be held in the Bryant Auditorium on May 24.

Beta’s softball team is looking forward to an enjoyable season.

Report on Sigma Lambda Theta

The basketball championship title goes to Sigma Lambda Theta. After a long season of workouts, Theta pulled through to win in the playoff game against Sigma Iota Beta with the score 16-9.

“Hard work never hurts anyone,” is asserted by the ambitious, and seems to be the policy of the American Fraternity. Basing the “efforts of Beta Sigma Chi’s and Sigma Lambda Theta’s working in conjunction will be seen, for the then bookwork (which spells Sigma frontwards, incidentally) will be published.

Cathie Gordon and Muriel Wheelih have recently been initiated into Sigma Lambda.

Again held its Pledgee Formal with Beta Sigma Chi. This year the event took place in The Churchill House.

SECRET SISTER

A new “Secret Sister Club” has been initiated by the K. K. K. Club, as its name indicates, consists of each girl having a sister secretly who showers her with remembrances, secret service, etc., a birthday, an anniversary—none are forgotten. The long awaited names will be revealed at the Mother and Daughter Banquet in June.

The “Winds Blew Bubble Ball” was a huge success. Sigma wishes to thank everyone who contributed in making it possible.

Delta Kappa Summarized

The activity-filled calendar of KDK has been high-lighted by late summer outings and complete dormitory. Among these was one of the most successful of the informal dances held in the Bryant gym. At this, the “Royal Hearts Dance,” Virginia Czapirina and Ed Willis were crowned King and Queen of Hearts.

In bowling competition, KDK has come through the girls’ Bowling Tournament in top place, with record breaking. Pranks of Phi Sigma, boys’ or girls’ on the campus this year.

Recently, two KDK girls, teacher-trainees, Barbara Niemiec and Ruth Carty, as representatives of Bryant attended a conference at the Hotel Commodore, New York, where 93 teacher-colleges with about 6,000 delegates, were represented. Carty.

BOWLING... (Continued)

George Street team proved to be the most consistent bowler in the league totaling 4089 pins in 45 games bowling the month of April. The KDK Team had a total of 17762 pins as compared to Sigma Lambda Theta’s 16832, K. K. K.’s 15988, Sigma Iota Beta’s 8174, and Stowell House’s 7990 pins.

Final standings are as follows:

High Team Three: George Street 516.
High Team Four: K. K. K. 407.
High Individual Series: Sigma Iota Theta Beta 425; George Cieslak, 399; Ruth Karlen, 377.

Leading Averages: (40-45 games) Margaret Kennedy, 175; Wendy Hill, 169; Marie D’Vito, Irene Cieslak, Margaret Kennedy, Ruth Karstens.

High Team Series: E. D. K. 372.

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