



## An Editorial . . . The New Philosophy

This is the first edition of the Fiat Lux under the new editorial board. We have adopted the National Student Association's basic policy on the freedom and responsibility of the student press to guide us in our endeavors. (see below.)

With a new staff comes a new philosophy. The basic policy declaration below is an integral part of our new philosophy. In addition we would like to emphasize the point that this is a college newspaper put out by students for students. It is as much our paper as yours. We will strive to live up to our responsibilities as outlined below but we also feel that for a college newspaper to function properly it is imperative that the student body live up to its responsibilities.

Let us know what you are thinking about and discussing in the campus center, the dorms, fraternity and sorority houses and apartments. Only if you bring your opinions and problems to light can we hope to serve you. Action can be taken only after the subject matter is mentioned. We hope constructive action will always take precedent in all your considerations.

It is time for the students of Alfred University to begin working together. We believe that this issue expresses our philosophy on this point and we hope that it is a step in the right direction. The next step is up to you. Let's make this a cooperative student endeavor.

### Basic Policy Declaration

#### Freedom and Responsibility of the Student Press

- 1) That a free and vigorous press is essential to a democratic society, and that freedom of expression and debate is basic to the effectiveness of the educational community in a democratic society.
- 2) That it is the duty and aim of the student press both to develop and serve its community and to cultivate freedom of expression, stimulation of thought, and response in the community;
- 3) That the aims of the student press cannot be fully achieved unless independence from all forms of external interference or censorship is maintained inviolate;
- 4) That although the student press is often formally owned by an organization other than itself, it is essential that the press be free from control stemming from ownership if it is to function well . . . That the student press, as an organ for individual experience and growth and an integral part of the educational community (must) be concerned with . . .
  - 1) Accuracy in all presentation; accuracy and impartiality in all news stories;
  - 2) Maintenance of an open forum for the free expression of ideas;
  - 3) Full regard for the laws of obscenity, libel, and other civil legal restrictions without violating the principles of the free press . . ."

## King Decrees Increased Effort for Civil Rights

The Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., addressed an overflow crowd at Cornell University's Bailey Hall April 14. Dr. King spoke on behalf of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, one of the organizations leading the fight for Civil Rights in the South. The theme of Dr. King's speech was, "We've come a long way, but we've got a long way to go." His mission, as he described it, is "to interpret the Southern struggle in general and the civil rights struggle in particular." In addition, Reverend King hoped to gain support, both financial and philosophical, for the movement.

Dr. King outlined the history of the non-violent struggle for civil rights in the South. He pointed out the success that the lunch counter signs have had. Since February, 1960, when the campaign started, 137 cities in the South have integrated their lunch counters. This has been accomplished without the necessity of a single court

action. The SOLC, along with CORE and the NAACP, has helped to teach and train students in the philosophy and the techniques of non-violent action. While the workshops and institutes created for this purpose will continue to function in order to make possible an even more intensified sit-in campaign next fall in the Deep South, Dr. King predicts that the movement will continue to work in several areas simultaneously. A campaign to increase Negro vote registration, pressure to integrate schools more quickly (only 6 per cent of eligible Negro children have been integrated into schools since the Supreme Court decision in 1954), a struggle for integrated housing which will involve all sections of the country, and continued sit-ins, kneel-ins, stand-ins, and wade-ins are some of the immediate plans for the Committees.

## Gantcher Heads New Editorial Board; 13 Others Also Named

With this issue, a new slate of editors assumes the management of the FIAT LUX.

Neal Gantcher, a junior from Yonkers, heads the board as editor in chief. During the past year, as Managing Editor of the FIAT and secretary-treasurer of Pi Delta Epsilon, a national honorary

journalism fraternity, he attended an editors' conference in New York City. A political science major, Neal is a brother of Kappa Nu fraternity and chairman of the Student Senate committee on apathy.

Sophomore Ronald Berger, a pre-law student from Flushing, is the

new associate editor. This past year Ron served as associate news editor. Co-Vice-Chairman of the district I.R.C., he is also a member of Alpha Phi Omega, a national service fraternity and the Young Republicans Club.

The position of assistant associate editor is being filled by Lynn Begley, a sophomore from Staten Island. An English major and a member of the Footlight Club, she formerly served as news editor.

Elihu Massel, a junior economics major from Laurelton, is business manager. President of Hillel, managing editor of Kanakadea, and a member of Pi Delta Epsilon, he will continue to direct the circulation staff for the remainder of the year.

Feature editor is Maxine Neustadt, a junior history major from Eastchester. Former copy editor, Maxine spent last semester studying in Washington, D.C. She is a member of Pi Delta Epsilon and a sister of Alpha Pi sorority.

Gloria Friedman, an English major from Brooklyn, is serving as assistant feature editor. A sophomore, Gloria is a sister of Alpha Kappa Omicron.

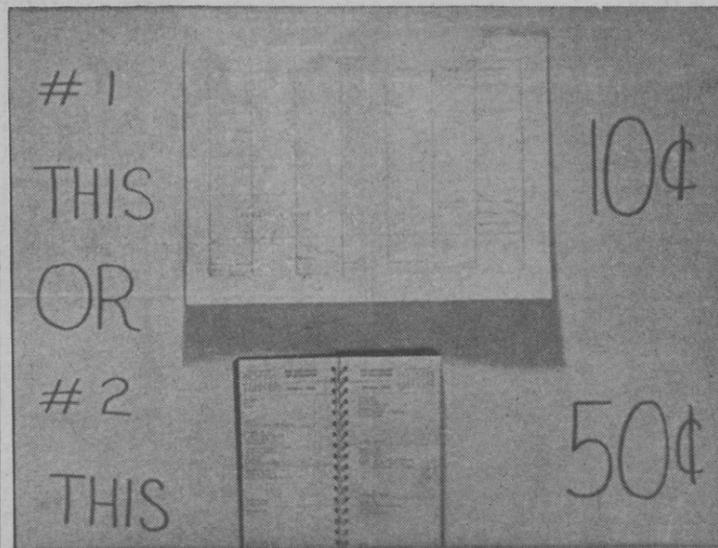
News editor Bob Johnson, is a freshman from Jackson Heights. A political science major, Bob is a member of the Newman Club.

Serving as associate news editor is Harriet Fain, a freshman political science major from the Bronx. Harriet is a pledge sister of Alpha Kappa Omicron.

Copy editor is Justin Schulman, a sophomore ceramic engineer from Merrick, L.I. Jud is a mem-

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## Do You Want A Pocket-Size Or Wall Calendar



The above picture portrays progress in action; before and (we hope) after. The Campus Center Board has presented the student body with a choice.

At a recent intercollegiate regional meeting, the University of Rochester exhibited a pocket-sized notebook. It is composed of a school calendar, directory, and date-note book. The possibility of a similar item being obtained at Alfred (for the small fee of fifty cents) is up to you. It is the general opinion of the Campus Center Board that such an adoption would be a tremendous improvement over the present calendar.

All students are requested to inspect the model chronicle which will be on display at the main desk. Since the University is the one who releases the necessary funds

for a project of this type it is important to have an estimation of the student's support. Therefore, a petition will be provided for all those who wish to indicate support for this program. This is the only way for the Center Board to judge student opinion. The choice is up to you.

## Student Summer Project Offered By Abendblatt

The Hamburg Abendblatt will again sponsor a summer program in Hamburg, West Germany, for ten Alfred University students. Probable date of departure is June 15-20. Students will return about August 25.

The program was initiated by the Abendblatt last summer upon the advice of Dr. Mathilde Koehler, a correspondent for the newspaper. Its purpose is to provide students with first-hand knowledge of current West German problems and an opportunity to observe the nation's progress since the conclusion of World War II.

While in Germany, students will work for approximately two months. Time will be allowed at the end of the summer for travel in Europe if the students so desire.

Interested students should submit applications to Dr. Leach by Friday, April 28. Expenses are estimated at \$525 round-trip plane fare from New York City to Hamburg. An additional \$300 will be needed for personal expenses.

Dr. Leach suggests that specific information can be secured from the following students who participated in the initial program: Larry Kurlander, Pamela Riley, Almea Schilling, Earl Stapleton, and Karla Turkhemier.

The city of Hamburg offers numerous cultural opportunities including theatres and a world famous opera house. While in Hamburg, students will live with a German family.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR —  
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## Rabbi Malino Spends A Hectic Week During Annual AU Visit

Rabbi Jerome Malino's annual visit has become almost a tradition. For the past sixteen years, he has been speaking before groups of faculty members, students, and townspeople on the Alfred campus.

Sunday morning Rabbi Malino spoke to the congregation of the Union University Church. In the evening, he addressed a joint meeting of the Alfred University Christian Association and Hillel.

There will be a coffee hour at which Rabbi Malino will lead a discussion on the Eichmann trail tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 P.M. in the Campus Center. He will address the assembly on Thursday.

During the week, the Rabbi will speak to classes in religion, philosophy, and nursing, and dine at several of the University residences. He will also be the guest of honor at a special luncheon given by the Assembly Committee.

Rabbi Malino is the spiritual

leader of the United Jewish Center in Danbury, Connecticut. Chaplain at the Federal Correctional Institution in Danbury, he is a member of the National Prison Chaplain's Association.

## Debate Explores The "Free" Press

Pi Delta Epsilon, National Honorary Journalism Fraternity, will sponsor a debate on "Statues of Freedom of the Press in the United States Today" in the Campus Center Lounge on Thursday, April 20, at 8:00 p.m.

Participating will be Dr. Leach, Dr. Englemann, Dr. Smith, and Professor Langer. Dr. Anderson will moderate the debate.

The topic is currently one of the basic questions in American society. All students are urged to attend. A question and answer period will follow the debate.

# New Machine Can Completely Change All Teaching Methods

by Maxine Neustadt

Recently Dr. John W. Blyth of Hamilton College appeared on the Alfred Campus to explain an invention that is believed capable of revolutionizing teaching to the point here it would in fact eliminate the need for a "middleman" in the learning process i.e. teachers. With the so called "teaching machine" the Industrial Revolution has surely reached its apogee, and mechanization is carried to its ultimate.

The basic principle on which the machine operates is called "programmed learning". By this process the information of a course of study is divided up into many small steps. The steps from a logical and strictly ordered series of questions, the answering of which slowly builds up the knowledge of the viewer. The underlying psychological principle on which the machine operates is that the student will find reward, and reinforcement in obtaining a correct answer. The mechanical principle on which the machine operates is student-power in that the student goes from one frame to another by turning a lever or crank. This has the advantage of allowing the student to proceed at the rate

best suited to his desire, ability, and mood. Thus one may complete a course in several hours, or several days, spread over a relatively short time or few months.

These machines are now being manufactured in a variety of forms and at a variety of costs. Some of them operate in slightly different manners. There are some that present blanks for answers, others multiple choices. Others branch out to "remedial frames" for the correction of wrong answers while others skip frames for even quicker advancement. Still another alternative is the condensation of the process from machine operating form into a book format.

Arguments run in a heated manner both pro and con on the introduction and utilization of these devices. Some view them as aids to teachers only, while others think they will replace teachers and see them as the means to end the present teacher shortage in this country. Some welcome the devices with open arms while others fear their use will lead to uniformity and the destruction of independent thought.

What ever your opinion, in the near future either you or your children may be able to complete

an entire course by spending the afternoon in a library in the company of a machine. Who said there is nothing new under the sun? . . .

# Dr. Kennard Speaks On 'Cultural Anthropology'

Dr. Edward A. Kennard, Chairman of the Department of Anthropology at the University of Pittsburgh, spoke on "Cultural Anthropology and the Foreign Service" Friday evening, April 14, in

Howell Hall.

Dr. Kennard's basic point was our need for greater international understanding. If we are to improve our international relations, especially with the newly emerging states of Africa and Asia, we must attempt to understand their cultural backgrounds, ways of life, and methods of solving problems. Any attempt at such understanding will require a great effort on our part because of man's natural, deep rooted tendencies to see one's own culture and way of life as the best possible way. Dr. Kennard cited as an example the American desire for competition and the conflicting Japanese desire to try to avoid it. Each nation must strive to understand the other's ways, for each considers its own the best.

Dr. Kennard also mentioned man's tendency to resist any change in his basic ideals and goals. We must also consider this when dealing with foreign countries.

Dr. Kennard earned his B.A. at Dartmouth College and his Ph.D. at Columbia University. The lecture, which was attended by approximately 40 persons, was sponsored by the American Anthropological Association under its Visiting Lecturer Program.

Prior to the lecture, Dr. Kennard spoke to the officers of the Sociology and Psychology Clubs and to the seniors in the School of Nursing.

## Linda Brayley, '61 Receives Award

Another Alfred senior has received national recognition as the National Science Foundation awarded Linda Brayley honorable mention in their graduate fellowship competition. Miss Brayley, a resident of Gasport, New York, is a mathematics major. She is a member of Theta Chi sorority and W.A.G.B., Senior Court and Gold Key.

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## Around the Quads Smith College's Independent Study

In conjunction with a rescheduling of the whole first term before Christmas at Smith College, the college will inaugurate a three-week "inter-term" between semesters, in which new educational projects will be introduced designed to emphasize independent study, President Thomas C. Mindenhall announced here recently.

The "inter-term" will be inaugurated in January 1962 on a three-year trial basis. During the period juniors and seniors will work on projects under the direction of the department of their major. The nature of these projects will be decided by the departments and may consist of reading, discussions, research or a combination of these and other possibilities.

During the inter-term the freshmen and sophomores would work

in major divisions of the curriculum instead of in specific departments along lines to be worked out by the Committee on Educational Policy. In addition to independent reading the underclassmen would have available a variety of lectures, also open to the whole college, and designed both to introduce the student to possible major field of study and to relate the more formal academic disciplines to the solution of contemporary problems.

"The new inter-term will, we hope, give upperclassmen an opportunity to pursue their majors in great depth without constant pressure and tension," President Bendenall said. "They might come to see the discipline of their major as something over and beyond a set of courses and to relate it in turn to other disciplines.

"It is hoped that the period will furnish sophomores particularly with an opportunity to pursue, explore their motivations and make better choice of the major. They could learn something perhaps of the interaction between formal academic disciplines and problems and the world around them."

The new system provides for twelve course weeks each semester instead of the present thirteen. The "inter-term" resembles a proposal for such a period outlined in a plan for a "New College" which was drawn up two years ago by a faculty committee representing Smith and three neighboring institutions engaged with it in a cooperative program of sharing faculty and physical facilities in common fields—Amherst, Mount Holyoke and the University of Massachusetts. Although "New College" exists only on paper, some of the proposals outlined therein are being tried out at various institutions, including Smith.

# Campus Bulletin Board

## Footlight Club

Tryouts for a concert reading of Dylan Thomas' "Under Milkwood" will be held on Tues., April 18 at 4:00-5:15 and 7:00-9:00  
Wed., April 19 at 4:00-5:15 and 7:00-9:00  
Thurs., April 20 at 4:00-5:15 and 7:00-9:00  
All students and faculty are invited to attend the performances which will be given on May 12 and 13 as part of the Arts Festival.

## French Club

The French Club, in cooperation with the Campus Theatre, is sponsoring a French film, "Le Premier Mai" ("The First of May"), to be shown this Friday evening, April 21, at 8:41 p.m. in Alumni Hall. The film stars Yves Montand, and concerns the events which

## Campus Center Movie

The Cultural Council of the Campus Center will present the movie "The Respectful Prostitute" by Jean-Paul Sartre at 8 p.m. on April 16 and 18 in the Parents Lounge. It is a play of white supremacy. It won the Best Musical Score Prize at the Venice International Film Festival.

## Hillel

Five Alfred University Hillel members will attend a conference on Sunday, April 23 at Cornell University. The topic of the conference will be "The American Jewish Community." The five students who will attend this first area conference are Norman Simms, Joan Scheingold, Marilyn Albin, Jud Schulman, and Elihu Massel.

## Semper Fidelis

First Lieutenant John Hopkins of the Marine Corps will visit the Alfred campus on April 26 to interview students interested in Marine Officers Programs. Interested students may see him between 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. in the Campus Center cafeteria.

occur to the members of a French family on this particular day. A baby is born, a pretty girl gets engaged, and a boy learns the facts of life. The theme is that no one of these things could have happened unless all the others did.

## Dorm Counselor

Male students interested in applying for a dormitory counselor position for the next school year should write a letter of application to the Dean of Men.

## Tourney

The Campus Center is planning to conduct open Tournaments in Chess, Checkers and Gribbage. In order to determine interest in such activities, the Cam-

pus Center would like all persons interested in participating to sign up at our front desk no later than Monday, April 24.

## WSC

Three Alfred University students recently attended the national convention of the Intercollegiate Association of Women Students at the University of Wisconsin. They are: Rose Marie Ciullo, Catharine Young, and Inga Christie. Sally Bowles, special assistant to the associate director (Sargent Shriver) of the Peace Corps, spoke on the Peace Corps. The keynote address was delivered by Dr. Harold Taylor, past president of Sarah Lawrence College. The topic of his speech was "Freedom and Truth."

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# Danger of Birch Society Still Unknown; Campus Cells Grow

by Ronald Berger

"Dwight Eisenhower is a dedicated, conscious agent of the Communist conspiracy." ". . . Milton Eisenhower is actually Dwight Eisenhower's superior and boss within the Communist Party." Similar charges against the late John Foster Dulles, Chief Justice Earl Warren, and CIA director Allen Dulles have been hurled under the label of "treason" by the controversial, ultra-nationalistic John Birch Society.

Very unfortunately, too many people turned to shrug off the Society as a crackpot group that doesn't mean anything and isn't going anywhere. It has been called by a New York newspaper a "political aberration . . . a serious problem in mental health."

The John Birch Society is a serious problem, but a mental institution won't solve it one bit. This organization has power, support, and quite an impressive membership. Two west coast Congressmen have admitted their membership in the Society, and conservative Senator Barry Goldwater has stated that there would be "a lot of embarrassed people" in Congress if it investigates the Society. He claimed that he knows liberal Democrats as well as Republicans who are members of the Birch group. Boston's Richard Cardinal Cushing has called for the support of Joseph Welch, leader of the Society, as a dedicated foe of communism. In its avowed fight to destroy communism, it is reaching for the same goals as is the very influential American Legion.

College campuses appear to be very susceptible to the Society's organizers. Secret cells on campuses across the country have sprung up. This is particularly true in California, where many college presidents have found these cells to be just as troublesome as the communist cells. Indeed, the Society is the epitome of thought in the Mid-west, and while it is not accepted *per se* by the college student in that area, it is generally regarded as a patriotic organization deserving full support. Accord-

ing to one Alfred student who was recently in the Mid-west, the "people are still ultra-nationalistic, isolationist, and very conservative, and the John Birch Society appeals to just these attitudes". For this reason there is little need for the secret cells in the American breadbasket as there is for them in liberal California. In fact, Mid-westerners who had never before heard of the John Birch Society, once they learned of its purpose, found themselves in complete agreement with it and its *modus operandi*.

The Society exists much closer to home also. I met one of its more frightened "flag-wavers" in Rochester in February on Washington's birthday, to be exact. This woman acted as hostess for the showing of "Operation Abolition", a film produced by the House Un-American Activities Committee to show how communists incited the student riots in San Francisco last May (this film, by the way, was banned by the governor of Michigan because of distortion and inaccuracy). She had been "warned" that a "liberal group" from Alfred was coming to see the film and she was all shook up over the possibility that we would "cause

trouble." A uniformed policeman was present before the showing of the film began, and the previously announced question and answer period that was to follow the film was abruptly canceled without explanation. Even so, one of the Alfred troublemakers managed to corner her after the film and upon announcing that he did not agree with the House Un-American Activities Committee, was promptly labeled "either a communist or a dupe of the communists".

This is why it's so dangerous. How it operates is also of grave concern. Its membership is secret. It has no elections. It keeps no records of its revenues and expenditures. Its leadership, to all appearances, is authoritarian. Some have called it fascist. In any case, it seems to embody most of the principles of the group which it vows to stamp out—the communists.

This is why it's so dangerous. Under the banner of anti-communism, it is determined to eliminate American civil liberties. It beclouds all liberal thought with the word "communist". President Kennedy scoffed at it and called it "ridiculous." It's more dangerous (Continued on Page 5)

## International Relations Club 'Invades' Alfred U.

Alfred University played host to the Western New York District of the Association of International Relations Clubs at their Spring Meeting, Saturday, April 15th. Participating in the conference were delegations from six of the fourteen colleges in the district—Alfred University, Buffalo State Teachers College, Canisius College, D'Youville College, Nazareth College, and Rosary Hill College.

The conference was addressed by Counselor C. H. Lowe of the Republic of China. Mr. Lowe gave the Nationalist Chinese view on the topic of the meeting, "Should Red China Be Admitted into the United Nations?" He began his address by stating the arguments advanced by those in favor of Red Chinese admission. The People's Republic of China represents approximately five hundred people, one third of the world's population. These people are entitled to representation in the United Nations. Since there are Communist nations

in the U.N., the admittance of Red China would not mean the granting of moral support. By admitting Red China into the United Nations, and granting her diplomatic recognition, international trade would be improved and international tensions would be lessened.

The Nationalist Chinese representative then went on to refute these arguments. The People's Republic of China does not represent the Chinese people. It is a small group of Communist who have taken over control of the Mainland. Membership in the United Nations is limited by the Charter to all "peace-loving" nations. Red China has been declared an aggressor by the U.N. Tension would not be eased, since Red China stands for world Communism through world revolution.

According to Mr. Lowe, Nationalist China would never agree to a "two China formula." He also pointed out that Red China has (Continued from Page 5)

## Campus Pulse

What role, if any, should the United States play in the impending Cuban counter-revolution?



Judy Douglas, Sr., Wolcott, N.Y.

L.A.—The United States is faced with a critical dilemma. The time seems ripe for definite action but we must carefully consider the consequences of official support of the anti-Castro forces in their attempt to overthrow the existing regime. At the present time, I would favor such support only through the unofficial channels of private investments of time and encouragement. This country must be prepared to face the consequences which would result from action beyond this sort.



Dick Gross, Sr., Andover, N.Y.

L.A.—I think they ought to let them completely alone as far as official government action is concerned because there is enough anti-Castro feeling among the Cubans themselves to take care of him. Castro certainly is trying hard to organize his military strength. His weapons are obsolete, although his supporters are almost fanatic in this devotion to him. I definitely think, though, that he cannot be put out of power without the use of force.



Richard Widdicombe, Fr. White Plains, N.Y.

L.A. Officially, the United States government should not directly interfere. However, because the United States represents democracy, it is imperative that it should try to promote democracy in the world. But the methods used can never be those of totalitarian states.



Gloria Weinberg, Fr. Brooklyn, N.Y.

L.A.—I think we as Americans should show the Cuban people that we are definitely on their side and want to see them free. But, I definitely don't think that the United States should risk being called "an imperialist, aggressive nation" by taking any drastic military action in Cuba unless Guantanamo is threatened.



Jerry Pearlman, Sr., Brooklyn, N.Y.

L.A.—I believe the United States should definitely help the counter-revolutionists, however, our role should remain undercover. I believe we should supply them with arms, necessary military supplies, and advice.



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# The Editor's Chair . . .

## "EL REBEL"

This past week the "1961 edition of El Rebel" appeared on campus. The FIAT LUX cannot condone the printing of this "letter." There is a recognized organ for dissemination of public opinion on this campus, this newspaper. Looking at the subject objectively it is imperative that student discontent be channeled through this forum which was established for student use, by students. We hope in the future that the students will feel free to use their newspaper as an outlet for opinion.

Before Easter recess the Student Affairs Committee, of which the FIAT is a member, held a meeting to discuss student problems, one of which was the one that was hinted at in the above-mentioned "letter." We planned to continue discussions after vacation. We did not know nor were we a part of the machinery that produced the "letter." Since its publication however, the Committee, which also includes the presidents of the Student Senate, IFC, ISC, WSG and Campus Center Board, has been approached by interested students about the matter.

The Student Affairs Committee is continuing its investigation in the hope of finding out and examining all the facets of the situation. Any information that you, the students, have, should be directed to any member of the Committee, including the FIAT. It is imperative that the printing of these "letters" be discontinued; but it is equally imperative for students to maintain a cooperative student to student effort not only in this matter but in all matters involving student to student problems.

## MEMO TO THE STUDENT SENATE

Your term of office has just begun. There is great potential in your body to successfully build upon the groundwork laid by the past Senate, not to mention the hope that you will broaden your area of activity.

Not least important is the effort that you will put into improving the academic and intellectually stimulating programs on campus. As a possible project for your consideration the FIAT LUX would like to propose the formation and implementation of a Visiting Lecturer Series sponsored by the Senate for the benefit of students and faculty alike.

A program could be worked out whereby the Senate would sponsor four, six, or eight lectures, discussions, or visitations by learned and noted men from other campuses. It would be a wonderful chance for providing the opportunity for the Alfred student to increase the breadth and depth of his intellectual sensitivity.

For instance, next fall, during the first semester, you could bring a historian from Rochester, an English professor from Cornell, and a physicist from R.P.I. to lecture on campus. Second semester could see the visiting lecturer's chair filled by a psychologist from Columbia, a philosopher from Wesleyan and a sociologist from Yale. Sounds impossible? NO, it is practical.

Professors on distant campuses are anxious to visit other colleges. There are many organizations on campus as well as off campus who are eager to help you carry out such a program.

We hope that you deem this student project a worthwhile venture.

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## Thespiis, etc.

by Lynn Begley

The newest, and perhaps the most promising, expression of dramatic art on the New York scene has been dubbed "off off-Broadway."

Last June, a man by the name of David Gordon opened the "Phase 2" coffee house on Bleeker Street. But unlike its fellow Village cafes, "Phase 2" was also a theatre showcase. Its first production was a revue, "New Phases of 1961," which attracted the notice of many drama-lovers and critics.

Next came "The Premise Theatre Cafe," in the fall, which a program of dramatic improvisations. "The Premise" is currently the most professional (and most successful) coffee house theatre in the Village and has incorrectly been referred to as the pioneer coffee house theatre.

"The Premise" was followed by the "Take 3" which found immediate success with the improvised program "Stewed Prunes." "Stewed Prunes" proved so worthwhile that it was later taken to "Circle in the Square" and is now playing at "The Showplace," 146 West 4th Street last fall over half a dozen other cafe playhouses have sprung up around the Village area.

The greatest significance of this new drama outlet stems, ironically, from its greatest problem. Cafe owners, operating on a limited margin of profit, cannot meet Equity minimum wage requirements. Thus they cannot avail themselves of union actors or pay recognized playwrights for their work. The result of this limitation is that coffee house productions frequently evidence a startling freshness and an expressive simplicity often lacking in a more commercial Broadway extravaganza.

Currently playing at "Phase 2" is a revue, "Which Way Is Uptown?" "The Premise" is presenting improvisations entitled "Instant Theatre;" and "Take 3," a production of Alfred Jarry's penetrating play "King Ubu."

Two featured entertainers will be appearing soon at the Eastman Theatre in Rochester. The outstanding dramatist, Charles Laughton, will be reading Shakespeare and Kerouac on April 22, and 'the button-down mind,' Bob Newhart, will be previewing material for his next album on May 2. Both shows start at 8:15 p.m.

## New Fiat Lux Editors Named

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ber of the American Ceramic Society and of APO.

Stuart Letsch is currently serving as sports editor. A junior from Leonia, New Jersey, Stuart is a pre-med student.

The associate sports editor is Larry Schechter, a junior from Yonkers, N.Y. Larry is a biology major.

Succeeding herself as proof editor is Kathy Kelleher, a sophomore sociology major from East Amherst. Kathy is a sister of Pi Alpha Pi sorority and president of the Castle.

Serving his third year as photography editor is sophomore Carl Spoerer. An economics and history major from Fishkill, Carl is a brother of Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity, and newly elected photo editor of Kanakadea.

Joel Krane, a sophomore from Brooklyn, is succeeding himself as advertising manager. A pre-law student, Joel is a brother of Tau Delta Phi fraternity.

## News 'Round the World

by Bob Johnson

### Rockefeller Signs Student Aid Bills

Governor Rockefeller has signed a series of bills designed to aid college students in New York State. Major provisions in the new laws will do the following:

Authorize \$100 to \$200 payments per year for under-graduates and \$200 to \$800 for graduate students residing in New York State and attending institutions in the state. Scholastic standards necessary to receive the funds have not yet been announced.

Increase the amount of money that a college student can borrow through the Higher Education Assistance Corporation and place a 3 per cent ceiling on this interest. The state will make good to the lending agency an interest rate up to 6 per cent.

### U.S. Troops Indoctrinated With Birch Ideas

Maj. Gen. Edwin Walker, Commander of the Twenty-Forth Infantry Division in West Germany, established an indoctrination program to spread the propaganda of the rightist John Birch Society. At a meeting just prior to the program's commencement, the division's public information officer said that 60 per cent of all American were "communist influenced."

In other Birch developments, Robert Welch, head of the organization, said that "ever since 1945, or perhaps earlier, our Government has been the greatest single force supporting the Communist advance while pretending to oppose that advance."

And still the mania spreads.

### Indonesian Political Parties Approved

Indonesia's President Sukarno signed regulations permitting the existence of eight political parties. All the approved parties are required to subscribe to the state's philosophy. Deviation from Sukarno's "Left Progressive ideology 'will end their existence'". Two major parties lost their bid for survival. They are the Masjumi and Socialist parties, both anti-Communist. Sukarno will leave shortly on a world tour. He will meet President Kennedy on April 24.

### Cuba Accuses U.S. of Bombings

In the United Nations, Cuba will accuse the United States of direct complicity in the bombing of three Cuban airfields last Saturday. The planes were piloted by Cuban officers flying from Cuban Air Force fields. Following the attack, two planes landed at Miami. Cuba charges the pilots were Americans. If so, they were Castro mercenaries, for all held commissions in the Cuban Air Force.

### Spain Reinforces Spanish Sahara

The Spanish Government is pouring troop reinforcements into the Spanish Sahara to protect oil exploration groups from attacks by Moroccan "irregulars". At least 20,000 Spanish paratroops and Foreign Legionnaires are stationed in heavily fortified positions. Spain claims the attacks are sponsored by the Moroccan Government and high Moroccan officials have admitted that the attacks are part of a concerted drive to seize the Spanish Sahara.

### Portugal Postpones Angolan Reforms

Portugal will postpone political, educational, and social reforms in Angola. The Government fears reforms at this time will be interpreted by the Portuguese people as yielding to foreign pressures and dissension will arise in the country. The Angolan revolt is better organized than previously admitted and 13,000 white and native troops are finding it difficult to suppress. Pro-American sentiment in Angola has vanished as a result of the U.S. vote in the Security Council favoring an inquiry into Portuguese colonial measures in the colony.

### Kennedy Revises NATO Policy

President Kennedy is considering changes in United States military policy toward NATO. Support is growing for the viewpoint that the U.S. should be the primary possessor of nuclear weapons. A second point involves increasing conventional weapons among the NATO nations to deter Soviet non-nuclear aggression in Europe. The new plan has generally received support from West Europe.

In Israel, Adolf Eichmann is still on show.

### Calander of Events

TUESDAY, APRIL 18—I.F.C. student Senate, W.S.G., Center, 7:00 P.M. Movie, "The Last Days of Pompeii", AH, 7:00 & 9:00 p.m. Movie "La Putain Respectueuse", Center, 8:00 P.M.  
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19—Coffee Hour—Rabbi Malino, Center, 3:30 P.M., Topic: Eichmann Trial. Movie "Can-Can" AH, 7:00 & 9:35 P.M.  
THURSDAY, APRIL 20—Assem-

bly—Rabbi Malino, AH, 11:00 A.M. Pi Delta Epsilon—Debate, Topic: Freedom of the Press, Center, 8:00 P.M.

FRIDAY, APRIL 21—Movies "A Woman Like Satan", AH, 7:00 & 10:09 P.M., "Premier Mal", AH, 8:41 P.M. AUCA Open House, 101 N. Main 8:30 P.M.  
SATURDAY, APRIL 22—Movie "Esther and the King", AH, 7:00 & 9:30 P.M.  
SUNDAY, APRIL 23 — Brick Open House, Brick, 2:30-4:30 P.M.

## "Of, By, and For,"

by Jud Schulman

A great deal is said about apathy on the Alfred campus. Far too often, however, this so called apathy is not dis-interest on the part of the student body, but a lack of communication. This is especially true in the case of the Student Senate.

As the title of this column implies, the Student Senate is composed of Students, elected by Students, to serve Students. The Fiat Lux has, therefore, established this column to keep the student body informed on the activities of the Senate and to comment on these activities.

Last Tuesday the Senate met to act on a number of issues. Not the least important of which is their investigation on the feasibility of re-opening the Steinheim Museum. It is important and interesting to note that it is the second oldest college museum in the United States.

While some of our number do not realize it, final exams are but seven short weeks off. In the past the Student Senate has been successful in inducing the Administration to extend library hours before finals. However, the hours, as they now stand, are not completely adequate. The Senate, as the voice of the student body, is attempting to secure extension of

library hours through out the entire academic year.

Under the sponsorship of the Senate a candy and cake machine will be installed in one of the dorms on a trail basis. In addition plans have been made to have a coffee machine placed in South Hall. These efforts to provide certain luxuries for their own personal comfort are doomed unless a certain student or group of students cease to use slugs in the machines which currently exist on campus.

The funds which have been raised for the Campus Chest plus the proceeds of the Moving Up Day Carnival have been appropriated. Three charities, the Heart Fund, Work University Service, and the Leukemia Foundation have been designated to share equally in the proceeds from this year's drives. The Senate is to be congratulated for the wisdom shown in choosing the recipients.

At the last meeting, mention was made of having I.D. cards printed. There are any number of benefits to be derived (i.e. discount on books and certain forms of entertainment.)

I hope that something can be done before the new Fresh class registers in September.

## Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

The point made by Larry Kurlander in the Letters to the Editor in the last issue that our entertainment should be educational I feel is an excellent one, grossly overlooked by Alfred students and staff! Being a small school operating with limited funds, one can't expect Alfred to provide too much in the way of distinguished speakers (although bringing in Dillenberg was a notable exception or fine concerts. But Alfred students are deplorably let down in the one facet of entertainment which would really be a boost to any cultural program, i.e. movies. The Campus Board is to be commended for their very fine efforts, but after all, that is only one movie a month. The rest of the time one has a constant parade of films of sex, crime and various kinds of violence sponsored and administered by Alfred University. On complaining about this to the faculty involved, a friend of mine was told that this was what Alfred students wanted. Well, is it?

A Student

Dear Editor:

I read Justin E. Schulman's letter in the last issue of the FIAT

with considerable bemusement. I cannot understand how a college student body today can advocate any sort of a system incorporating the name and meaning of the word "honor." I praise Mr. Schulman for his high moral attitude, his idealism and his courage, but I cannot agree with him. Mr. Schulman does not accept reality; that is the fact that college students today are not exactly honest, moral, or dependable. Of course, there are a few exceptions, but as a whole the student is a product of his environment and our environment is far from being hly-white. Our students are taught that to snitch is to betray. They are taught that success is all important and at any cost. I realize that other colleges have "honor" systems. But do they really work? How does one know if someone is cheating? Honor is only a meaningless word to a goodly number of students today. How can we start an "honor" system amid this atmosphere? Mr. Schulman should realize modern life is not blazing moralism in wholesome technicolor, but a shadowy corruption in stark black and white.

Joseph B. Rosenberg

## Nationalist China Sends Envoy For Talk on Red China and UN

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shown no interest in becoming a member of the United Nations. Following his speech, Mr. Lowe entertained questions from the delegates.

The conference, originally scheduled for 9:45 a.m., finally got under way at 10:45 a.m. in Howell Hall. Due to the lateness of several of the delegations, the guest speaker was forced to limit his speech, and President M. Ellis Drake, who had intended to welcome the delegations had to leave.

Before adjourning the morning session, Maureen Connolly, District Chairman, asked Gerald Goldberg, Vice-President of the Middle Atlantic Region, to report on his recent trip to Nebraska as a dele-

gate to the fourteenth annual A.I.-R.C. Conference.

The afternoon session commenced with a discussion led by Dr. Frederick Englemann and Dr. David Leach, both of Alfred University, on the Red China question.

The delegates were then divided into two discussion groups to discuss the topic among themselves.

A luncheon was held for the delegations in the faculty dining room of the Campus Center. Dining with the delegates were Dr. Willis Russell, Chairman of the History and Political Science Department, and Professors Englemann, and Leach. The Varsity Seven led by Dr. Melvin LeMon, entertained the group with several selections. The au-

## jazz orbit

by Joe Rosenberg

This is supposed to be a jazz column directed toward the average college student. This is a fairly difficult thing to do since most collegians are either ultra-hip (John Lewis, Ornette Coleman, George Russel etc.) or pseudo-hip (Amahd Jamal, George Shearing, The Dukes of Dixie etc.). A recent example of this at Alfred were the performances of Bill Evans, who left the audience bewildered, and Eddie Condon, who can best be appreciated after intaking several libations. This column will attempt to explore the middle-ground, that is, good, enjoyable and understandable jazz.

Perhaps the greatest example of this middle-ground is the music of trumpet player Miles Davis. He has been at the forefront of the jazz world since his famous "Birth of the Cool" album on Capitol in the early fifties. This album was an impetus to the "cool" or "west coast" school, although Miles himself was never a part of it. His "Walking" album on Prestige ended the movement as a basic facet of American jazz. His later albums on Prestige and Blue Note showed that he could express his feeling in a few notes and make them evident to all.

In 1957 Miles moved to Columbia Records and combined his talents with those of composer-arranger Gil Evans. Starting off with "Milestones", "Miles Ahead" and "Kind of Blue", the duo stayed within the "formal" confines of jazz, while presenting the most beautiful lyrical ideas ever heard in jazz. His album "Jazz Track," on Columbia, taken from the score of the French Film "Elevator to the Scaffold", proved to the skeptics that something could sound beautiful and still be considered jazz. Following this, Miles recorded an interpretation of "Porgy and Bess". Utilizing a big band led by Evans, that creates a "mist of sound", Miles uses this context to demonstrate his excellent technique and conception.

His latest album "Sketches of Spain" is one of the most fascinating records I've ever heard. His trumpet breaking out the orchestral mist, Miles purveys the feeling of Spanish music while keeping within the modern conception of improvisation. This album bares the basic soul of a great artist, and is a milestone in the annuals of jazz and music as a whole.

## Birch Group Still Growing in West

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than that—much more dangerous. The extreme right can destroy as well as the extreme left. The Society's vigilante lunacy can destroy America, yet as usual we remain complacent. How can anybody be complacent when respected people, people in high places, seriously advocate impeaching Earl Warren? How can we rest when we know there is an entire section of our country that devoutly believes in the ideals of these clandestine maniacs? The John Birch Society is fighting to turn back the tide of democracy. If it has its way it will completely destroy what it calls the "communist conspiracy". But in its place it will have established a totalitarian society in which human rights and liberties will be a thing of the past.

dience was privileged to hear the first performance of a song written by Dr. LeMon and Mr. Cambell Rutledge, Vice-President of Cornell Glass, entitled "Go Saxons."

A business meeting was held at the conclusion of the all-day conference.

## Comments

by Stephen Chaleff

### Goldwater on Conservatism

To match the surge of active and conscious liberalism that has recently been reborn to many of our colleges, there has been a corresponding surge of conservatism. The recognized spokesman for this reborn conservatism, Senator Barry Goldwater of Arizona, has written a book titled **The Conscience of a Conservative**, whose popularity makes it the bible of contemporary conservatism.

Reading this book was for me, a profoundly disappointing experience. I had hoped to find logical, realistic, and relatively complete arguments in support of a point of view which admittedly differs from mine. Instead I found a disturbing lack of understanding of today's interdependent world, which was largely responsible for allowing the Senator to draw conclusions which are painfully inadequate in the light of the realities of the day.

The essence of Goldwater's argument for abandoning the "Welfare State" in favor of a return to earlier, conservative, laissez-faire government concerns the two concepts of constitutionalism and freedom. The Senator feels that many aspects of the welfare state are unconstitutional, since nowhere in the Constitution is the Federal Government given certain of the powers and responsibilities that it has assumed. He neglects to mention, however, that the founding fathers, realizing that they could not foresee all the changes that were inevitably to take place in the future, and wishing their Constitution to be a viable and living and vital document, rather than a static one that would eventually wither and die, wisely included an "elastic clause." On the basis of this clause, the constitutionalism of important measures has been upheld time and time again, despite the opinion of Senator Goldwater.

Goldwater argues for a return to laissez-faire government and economics on the basis that the present trend towards enlarging the Federal Government's sphere of influence is resulting in a loss of freedom of action and decision. He seems to show no understanding of this simple little truth; in the rawest state of nature there is no governmental interference or control, and thus complete political freedom. The task of political society is to ameliorate the unhappy effects of this anarchistic state. As civilization becomes more complex, government must become more extensive, or it cannot fulfill its task. The logical conclusion is that in today's fantastically complete and interdependent world, a return to the principles Goldwater espouses, which admittedly worked well a century and more ago, would be ludicrous. But, says Goldwater, it has been shown that a government adhering to conservative principles can accomplish its ameliorative task even in a complex civilization, and to illustrate he points to the way this country rid itself of most of the evils of the industrial revolution. I think the Senator forgets the worst of these evils were disposed of thanks to legislation.

In different parts of his book, he talks about states' rights (which he favors vis-a-vis federal activity) and the dignity of the human being (which he thinks the Federal Government is gradually subverting). I ask if a state becomes indifferent about the dignity of larger (or smaller) numbers of its citizens by supporting inequities in education, housing, employment opportunities and other areas, where else can these people turn to for protection of the rights which are undoubtedly theirs?

There were other points that I would like to discuss, but lack of space prohibits my doing so. I would, however, like to point out that Senator Goldwater is not above making a few contradictions. For instance, while decrying the fact that the Federal Government has assumed the responsibilities not expressly mentioned in the Constitution, he sees nothing wrong with the Federal Government intervening to limit the power of unions.

Some believe that by being as outspoken as he is, Senator Goldwater makes possible, for the members of the extreme right, an alternative other than John Birch societies. If this is true, then he certainly accomplishes some good. A neat rationalism to be sure.

### Gold Key Is to Tap on M.U.D.

Gold Key, honor sorority for women, will tap outstanding junior women and senior nurses at the Moving Up Day assembly on May 4.

Junior women who have been residents of Alfred University for two full years and senior nurses are eligible for membership. They must hold a cumulative index of 1.8 or better and have attained a high standard of personal character,

academic accomplishment, and leadership in campus activities.

Gold Key was founded in April 1959. The purpose of this organization is to recognize those who have aided in the development of Alfred University.

The present members are Kathy Erb, president; Mary Newton, Linda Brayley, Karen Troupe, Elaine Feinberg, Carolyn Erickson, Nancy Reap, and Nina Rokoff.

## Ceramic School Offers Papers, Hears Lecture

Three technical papers by members of the faculty of the State University of New York College of Ceramics of Alfred University will be included in the program of the American Ceramic Society meeting to be held in Toronto, Canada, April 22-26.

Dr. Daniel Rase and George Lane will present "Phase equilibria in refractory oxide". Dr. Rase and M. Griffin of Tem-Press Research Inc., State College, Pa. will also present a paper in the basic science division.

In the refractories division Dr. Van Derok Frechette and Jean Blachere will present "Microscopic procedure for the study of glassy phase in silica bricks."

Members of the design division of Alfred's College of Ceramics are involved in revitalizing the design division of the American Ceramic Society, according to Dean John F. McMahon.

Six Ceramic Engineering students have been recommended for complimentary memberships in the American Society for Testing Materials in recognition of their scholastic standing and participation in extra-curricular activities.

Professor Robert M. Campbell, chairman of the Ceramic Engineering Department, named the candidates for the honor in a letter to the secretary of the western New York-Ontario District of A.S.T.M.

Those named were Stuart L. Blank, Robert W. Matolka, John A. Reents, Earl W. Stapleton, Thomas Sturiale, Jr., and Sally A. Wentworth.

## Student Outlook

### USNSA STUDY TOUR TO JAPAN

This summer, the U.S. National Student Association will offer a travel-study program to the area of the Far East. A small group of American students will be selected to participate in a 51-day study tour to Japan, in a program featuring on-the-spot study of the present economic and political situation in Japan. They will be met and accompanied during the travel portion of the program by an American instructor, who has lived in Japan for nine years and is now teaching American civilization and the English language at a Japanese university.

Central feature of the program will be a three-week period spent at the Japan Foundation Summer Institute, in Tokyo, where students will participate in classes in the Japanese language, history, and culture. The group will reside at a Japanese student inn, where an opportunity will be furnished to live according to Japanese customs and traditions. While in Tokyo, the group will visit places of cultural and historical interest, as well as attend meetings with leaders in present Japanese life—in the fields of government, industry, trade unions, political parties, and the student movement.

During this time and in the two-week travel period following the Tokyo stay, the group will also be joined and assisted by a group of Japanese students, all former exchange students to the United States, under USNSA's foreign student leadership project. These students have volunteered to lend their assistance in introducing American students to the Japanese way of life and supplementing them in their sightseeing and study ventures.

Transportation to and from Japan will be by air. A highlight of the westbound trip will be a two-day stopover in Okinawa. On the

Following Mr. Kinsman's talk, Thomas Sturiale, Jr., was elected president of the Alfred Student Branch for the next year. Other new officers are Ronald Willover, vice-president; Shirley Weiss, secretary; Clifford Morse, treasurer; and John Reents, publicity secretary.

Dr. Harold E. Simpson, professor of Glass Technology, is the author of an article surveying recent developments in the glass industry published in the current issue of "Glass Industry."

In his article, Dr. Simpson predicts that research will bring newer electronic devices that will enable orbiting satellites to forecast the weather, aid ships in navigation, and improve world-wide communications.

Officers of the Alfred Guild for next year were elected at a meeting last Tuesday night. They are Gordon Barnes, president; Frank Di Gangi, vice-president; Elizabeth Bonner secretary; and Ellen Meyer, treasurer. The group discussed plans for the spring show to be held during Parents' Week-end, May 5-7.

## A "Live" Alumni Association Is Meeting Throughout The U.S.

The Alfred University Alumni Association is active throughout the country this spring with meetings in various section of the nation.

return trip, students will have the opportunity to take advantage of stopover privileges in Hawaii. As the return date is optional, members of the group wishing to remain in Japan after the conclusion of the formal program may do so (at their own expense). They will be given advice and assistance in planning their itinerary during this period of free time, if they so desire.

Interested students should write to Department JJ, USNSA-ETI, at the New York office listed below. A selection process will be used to ensure that only the most qualified and interested students are chosen for membership in the group.

### CONTEMPORARY LATIN AMERICA: A STUDY TOUR

The U.S. National Student Association again will offer a travel-study program to Latin America during the summer of 1961. Countries to be featured in the 40-day itinerary include Peru, Chile, Argentina, and Brazil. A pre-

## Win Cash-Enter Ceramic Contest

The University of Southern California has announced the opening of the 1961 contest in colloid and surface chemistry among undergraduates. The contest is sponsored by the Continental Can Company, and is in its fifth year.

Student at all accredited colleges and the universities of the United States and Canada are eligible if they are regular undergraduates on April 1, 1961. The contestants may enter either a report on a research project conducted by themselves or an essay on the subject, "The role of surface and colloid chemistry in some aspect of petroleum technology." The best essay and the best report will receive prizes of \$500 and the second best \$200 under contest regulations.

The deadline for submitting entries is July 3, 1961. Entry blanks may be obtained by writing immediately to Prof. K. J. Mysels, Chemistry Dept., University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California. The prizes will be awarded by a panel of anonymous judges and will be distributed September 1, 1961.

The idea that all men are equal will be news to the aborigines.

## Congratulations to Those Who Were Elected Class Officers!

The results of the class elections which were held on March 28 and 29 are as follows:

Bernie Fried was elected Senior President. Bernie, a Junior Ceramic Engineer is a member of Advanced R.O.T.C.

The other senior class officers are: Men's Vice-President, Herb Oliver; Woman's Vice-President, Carole Lum; Secretary Linda Yablon and Treasurer Church Ries.

Henry Hopkins was elected President of the Junior class. Henry has been treasurer of the class of '63, a member of Varsity Seven

and Chapel Choir and is an Economic and Business major. The other junior class officers are: Men's Vice-President, Mickey Koser; Women's Vice-President, Judy Stark; Secretary, Sue Herdman; Treasurer Joel Crane.

The new sophomore class President is Joseph Caesar. Joe comes from Horseheads, New York and is a Ceramic Engineer. He is now pledging Delta Sig.

The other sophomore officers are: Men's Vice-President, Mike Stephens; Women's Vice-President, Gail Gregory; Secretary, Ellen Daly; Treasurer, Lorna Graham.

## New Battle Song, "Go Saxons," Will Cheer Alfred On This Fall

The premier of "Go Saxons" took place on April 15th at a luncheon for I.R.C. delegates by the Varsity Seven. The song was written by Dr. Melvin LeMon, Chairman of the Music Department, and Mr. Cambell Rutledge, Vice President of Corning Glass.

Go Saxons down the field  
It's Alfred today  
Smash that opponents' line  
And we'll show them  
That the purple and the gold shall ever  
Wave forth in victory  
Our banner on high  
Saxons fight the foes with all thy might  
For it's Alfred today  
Thunder on, thunder on to victory  
Thunder on, thunder on, make history

Alfred U. is going to win today.  
Go Saxons down the field  
It's Alfred today  
Smash that opponents line  
And we'll show them  
That the purple and the gold shall ever  
Wave forth in victory  
Our banner on high  
Saxons fight the foes with all thy might  
For it's Alfred today.

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**BOSTWICKS**

## Feminine Frolics

The Sprine Table Tennis Tournament will start at 8:30 Tuesday, April 18. There will be competition for singles and doubles honors.

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Signing up for the annual inter-collegiate archery tournament will continue 'till April 21. There will be a captains meeting Wednesday April 19 in the women's gym.

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Sigma is leader in the inter-house archery tournament having a score of 1113. Individual high scorer is Ann Gunnerson with 412 for 60 shots.

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Dates for inter-house tennis and open badminton tournaments will be announced.

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Intramural basketball captains have selected players for class teams. Results of the basketball tournament will be announced next week in the Fiat.

Next week's FIAT will give complete coverage of Intramural Softball happenings.

# Neither Snow Nor Rain Duffers Needed As '61 Golf Play Commences

*by Joe Rosenberg*  
The 1961 Intramural Baseball Season may never start but if the snow ever clears away, and the gloves and bats ever come out, sports fans will be in for an exciting season.

Defending its title, Klan Alpine has lost its top pitcher Jim Tuzzeo, but still has the services of Mike Kantor, Herb Oliver, Dick Krinsky, Joe Green and Eddie Post. Top competition for the Klansmen will be Kappa Nu, Lambda Chi, Running Bears. Kappa Nu, the third place team last year has lost Jimmie Fassler, their outstanding outfielder, but they still have such stalwarts as Steve Steinberg, Dave Skolsky, Ray Silverman and Shelley Fagen. Lambda Chi will field a strong experienced squad led by Lynn Morrison, Basil Rathburn, Carl Spoerer, Jim Warner and Paul Trivelpiece. The Running Bears will have a powerful aggregation with Dave Lutsic, Joe McLarney, Don Campos, Lynn Long, Phil Wirtz, and Dick Whitman. Kappa Psi may prove to be the surprise of the league as Al

Newman, Joe Yount, Ray Pardon and Jack Handy make up the nucleus of a very solid team. Tau Delt will have Steven L. Cohen, Mike Borushuk and Joel Crane as their squads' stalwarts. Delta Sig will base its hopes mainly on the play of Tom Sage, Sam Fuller and George Potter. Bringing up the rear will be Rhodies, Cannon, Barresi and the Moxies. Not much is known about the composition of the dorm teams but the Moxies have the services of John Moskowitz, Steve Levitt and Fearless Freddie Cohen.

The tournament will be a double elimination affair. This week's activity (weather permitting) will consist of KN vs. Moxies, Lambda Chi vs. Delta Sig, Klan vs. Rhodies, Running Bears vs. Barresi, Kappa Psi vs. Cannon, and Tau Delta has a bye.

The Intramural League Double Elimination Tournament may be changed to a Single Elimination Tourney due to the weather.

*by Stuart Lestch*  
The Alfred University golf season opens Saturday April 22, at Ithaca. Due to the weather, the golf team as well as the other Sax-on athletic teams, have been unable to have many practices.

This year's team will be a new team with only two returning lettermen. As a result of this, there are still places open on the team and anyone interested can still tryout. If you desire to tryout, contact Coach Yunevich who will leave for the Wellsville Country Club every afternoon at 1 p.m.

The returning lettermen are Bob Parke and Bob Korkin who both posted fine records last year. The new men who are now vying for the open spots are: Tony Pavoni, Ronald Quigley, Ted Berghan, Tom Cechini, Roger Ohstrom, and Eugene Bannigan.

For all golf enthusiasts and those of you who became fans as a result of the recent Master's Tournament, all home matches will be played at the Wellsville Country Club.

### SCHEDULE

|           |               |       |      |
|-----------|---------------|-------|------|
| April 22— | Ithaca        | ..... | Away |
| 26—       | Rochester     | ..... | Home |
| 27—       | Cortland      | ..... | Home |
| May 5—    | Rochester     | ..... | Away |
| 10—       | Brockport     | ..... | Home |
| 13—       | Harpur Invit. | ..... | Away |
| 19—       | Hobart        | ..... | Away |

## Basketball Statistics

(19 games—record 10-9)

| Player    | Total | Avg. |
|-----------|-------|------|
| Steinberg | 297   | 16.4 |
| Eaton     | 243   | 12.8 |
| Mishkin   | 164   | 8.6  |
| Landman   | 122   | 6.   |
| McLarney  | 108   | 5.6  |
| Gabe      | 96    | 6.0  |
| Campos    | 79    | 5.0  |
| Ohstrom   | 54    | —    |
| Benedict  | 50    | —    |
| Walker    | 25    | —    |
| Withers   | 2     | —    |
| Henry     | 2     | —    |

### Team Totals

|                                   | A.U. | Opp.     |
|-----------------------------------|------|----------|
| Total Points                      | 1256 | 1306     |
| Points per game                   | 66.2 | 68.7     |
| High team score—95 points against |      | Clarkson |

### Frosh BB Statistics

(13 games—record 6-7)

| Leading Scorers | Points | Avg. |
|-----------------|--------|------|
| Ferreri         | 237    | 18.2 |
| Lefkowitz       | 184    | 14.1 |
| Lindsley        | 168    | 13.0 |
| Romeo           | 135    | 10.5 |
| Rowan           | 126    | 9.6  |

### Frosh Team Totals

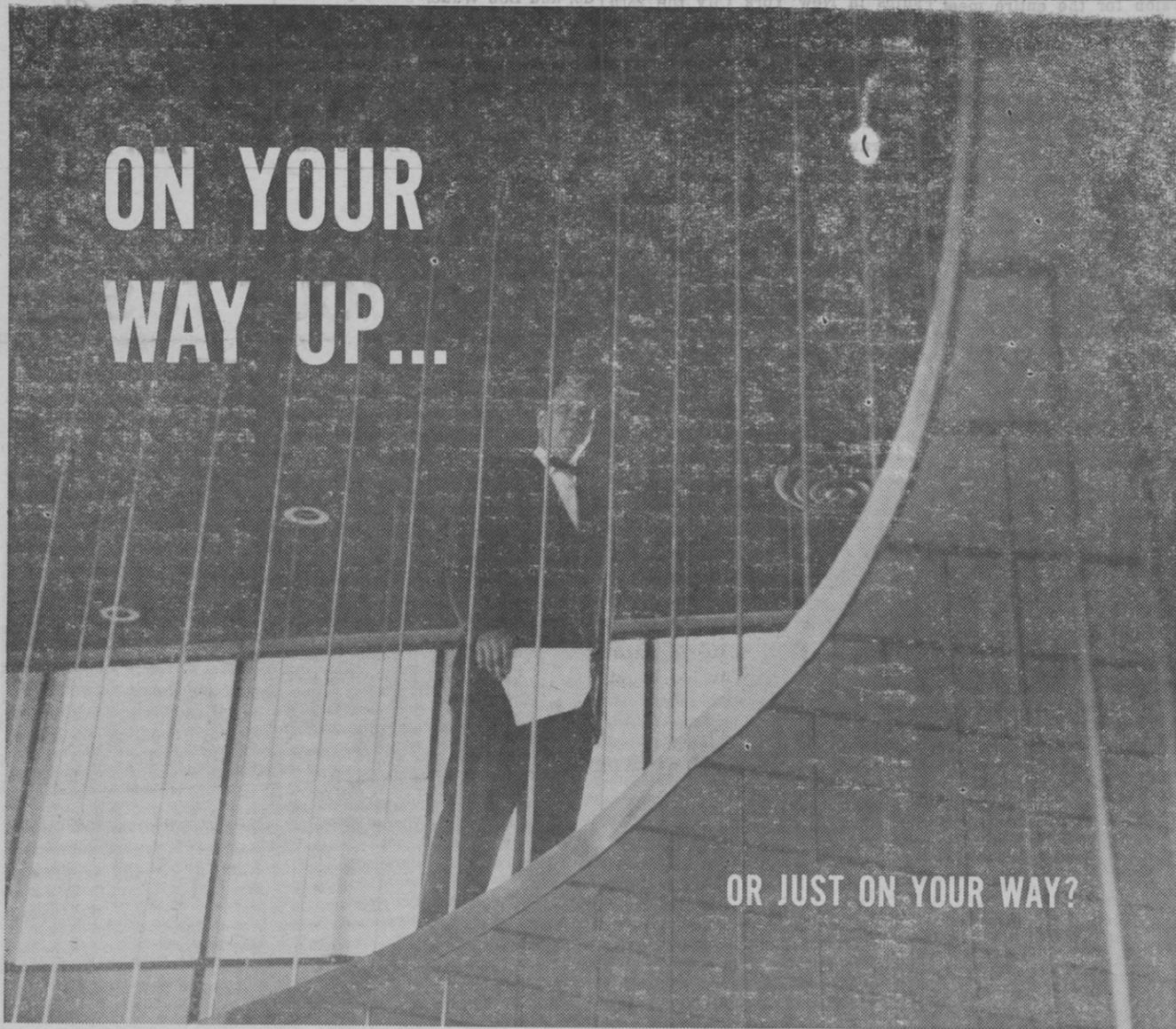
|                            | A.U. | Opp.     |
|----------------------------|------|----------|
| Total Points               | 916  | 1018     |
| Points per game            | 70.4 | 78.3     |
| High Team Score—92 against |      | Cortland |

### Loren Eaton

Sophomore Loren Eaton has gained 21st position in the nation among small college rebounders according to final statistics. Eaton averaged 17.6 rebounds per game.

In the final New York State standings, Eaton placed second behind Dominick Mazria of Pratt.

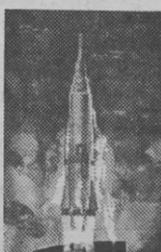
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# FIAT LUX SPORTS

## A.U. Scores at Quantico; Scott, Crossman Excel

by Bill Stutman

This past weekend, Alfred's varsity outdoor track team traveled to Quantico, Virginia, to compete in the Marine Comps Relays. The harriers ran in three different events on Friday and Saturday.

Friday saw the Saxons featured in a distance medley. Joe DiCamillo started the race by running a half-mile. Jim Scott followed with a quarter-mile with classmate Bob Lowkowitz next in a three-quarters of a mile. Larrie

Sweet was anchor man in the race as he ran a mile. The team placed fourth in the event with St. Joseph's College of Philadelphia capturing first place.

The second race the team entered was a sprint medley. Steve Crossman got things underway by running a quarter-mile. Dave Henry and Jim Scott followed, each man running 220 yards, with Joe DiCamillo running a half-mile as anchor man. The team placed first in our section in this event, and sixth place overall.

The third race was a mile medley which was run on Saturday. Crossman, Sweet, DiCamillo and Scott teamed in the event to finish in the time of 3:24.6, the second fastest time in which a Saxon team has run this. It was fast enough to earn the team second place in their section.

The Saxons finished sixth in their division for the entire meet.

Highlights of the meet were Jim Scott's 48.7 seconds in the distance medley, Steve Crossman's 49.9 seconds in the mile medley and Joe DiCamillo's 1:58.8 in the sprint medley.

### Reminder

Intramural events are scheduled with the intent that both sides participate. Therefore, if the participants in badminton, table tennis (singles and doubles), and horseshoes fail to show up in reasonable time, they will automatically forfeit the match and will be penalized one point in the intramural standings. In softball, the penalty for forfeiture is five points. If both sides fail to show up for any event, it will be considered a double forfeit. If there is any doubt as to the date and time of any event, consult the bulletin board in the Men's Gymnasium.

## Tennis Season Starts Sat.

Due to Alfred's unique Spring weather, Tennis Coach Pete Smith is having a difficult time in picking the starting team. Following is a list of possible starters: Jack Handy, Joe Green, John Sprung, Fred Baskind, Steven L. Cohen, Mike Vogel, Steve (Flash) Gordon, Howie Palmer and Al Scheffler. Mike Douglas and Murray Lindsley are the frosh racqueteers.

The tennis schedule has been upped to ten matches by the addition of Hobart as the first encounter of the season. This match will be held at Alfred on April 22nd. The following is the full Tennis schedule:

- Apr. 22 Sat. Hobart 1:00 at A.U.
- Apr. 26 Wed. Rochester at A.U.
- Apr. 29 Sat. Brockport at A.U.
- May 3 Wed. Cortand at Cortland
- May 5 Fri. St. Lawrence at Can.
- May 6 Sat. Clarkson at Potsdam
- May 9 Tue. Buffalo St. at Buffalo
- May 13 Sat. Rochester at Ro.
- May 16 Tue. Ithaca at Ithaca
- May 20 Sat. R.I.T. 1:00 at A.U.

### Yankee Baseball

Radio Station WWHG Hornell (1320 KC) will broadcast all day games of the New York Yankees. The following is the schedule of the coming games:

#### APRIL

- 19—Los Angeles ..... Home
- 20 Los Angeles ..... Home
- 23—Baltimore ..... Away
- 24—Detroit ..... Away

**Drive Carefully!**

## Mr. Saxon Speaks

Thus far the 1960-61 Athletic year for Alfred University has been a fine one; the Cross Country team excelled one again. The Football and Basketball squads sported greatly improved winning records, while the Wrestling team, beset by injuries, sickness and ineligibility, narrowly missed a winning record.

The best may very well be coming. Year in year out Alfred University is one of New York State's Track and Field powers. This season should prove no exception. Following the Penn Relays in Philadelphia on April 28th and 29th the Saxons journey to Hamilton May 6th to take on Colgate. After a meet with Cortland the 10th the Purple and Gold return home the 13th against Ithaca College. Rochester invades Saxonville the 17th in the only other home engagement. The season closes with the State Meet at Cortland on May 20th and the ICAAAA Championships in New York City the 26th and 27th.

With the campaign just underway Varsity and Freshman coaches James McLane and Cliff DuBreill have a wealth of talent from which to draw. Sprinters and hurdlers

Steve Crossman and Dave Henry are a potent 1-2 punch, while Leon Bradford should also help in the short distances. Outstanding in distance runs are Larry Sweet, Jim Scott, Bob Lowkowitz, and Joe DiCamillo. From this assortment an outstanding relay team should emerge. In the High Jump Mike Adelman and Loren Eaton should be able to push each other to better performances. Joe Teta, Joe Renwick, and Alex Zoldan are the Varsity's number one men in the Pole Vault, Javelin and Shot Put.

The Freshman picture is also a bright one as the Interclass Track Meet bears out. JJohn McFadden defeated Teta in the Pole Vault and Art Lundquist topped Zoldan in the shot put with a 43 ft. toss. Dennis Newberry is a fine long distance man, while Arlan Hanning is the "jack of all trades" of the team. Depth in the ranks comes from the likes of Tim Germain, Bob Hart, Joe Lando, and Bob Wade.

The sport of baseball is no longer our national pastime. The sport of baseball is no longer a sport. Abner Doubleday's dream has turned into a nightmare. But we really

shouldn't feel so bad, because Walter O'Malley and Horace Stoneham are now rich men. The American League has been expanded to ten teams, six real ones, two of high school caliber, and two that probably came out of Walt Disney's fantasyland. Commissioner Ford Frick has stated that he would like to see more teams in the near future. To Mr. Frick and his monopolists go my best wishes, to professional football my congratulations.

### Men's Gym

The Men's Gymnasium is available only to university personnel, unless special arrangements have been made. Organizations wishing to make application for use of the gymnasium must have a responsible person in charge of the group. For further information contact Coach McLane.

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