Student Council Sets Republican Conclave

By DAVID GOLDBERG

This semester a school-wide "Mock" Republican Political Convention will be sponsored by Student Council. The convention will begin March 31 and end May 7, with platform committee meetings, faculty rallies, and political rallies taking place on various dates in between.

Harvey Kornberg '64, convention coordinator, said, "We expect the convention to be the biggest event at the school in the past four years. We will have political speakers, rallies, posters and platforms. We need the full support of all clubs and students, however, to make the convention a huge success."

The coordinators of the convention intend to invite Richard M. Nixon, Nelson A. Rockefeller, John V. Lindsay, Robert Kimmett, Barry Goldwater, William Scranton, George Romney, Harold Stassen, and Margaret Chase Smith. Although each organization will be assigned a particular state, the members of the organization will not vote on their choice, but rather the club decides to vote.

For example, the Arizona state delegation was voting for the Republican nomination for President. The United States delegation could select Barry M. Goldwater, or they could support Margaret Chase Smith. It would be the delegates' choice. There will be three types of meetings at the convention. First, the platform committee meetings will be held on two dates - Tuesday, March 31, 2 to 3 in 407 S.B. and Thursday, April 2, 2 to 3 in the same room, to determine the platform.

Group Denies ROTC Plan

The Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) is proposing to modify the present curriculum and permit male students to elect Military Science courses 11-14 in lieu of Physical Education 1-4, was denied Wednesday by the Curriculum Committee. The reasons given for adopting this proposal were that it would result in an increased enrollment of ROTC and reduce the burden on present physical education facilities.

However, according to professor Kravets, chairman of the department of Physical and Health Education, "It seems unfair to the present proposal to reverse its large increase in freshman enrollment of ROTC by requiring a decrease in the academic offerings of other departments."

Student Council Hits Travel Ban; Repeals Curriculum Study Motion

During its regular Thursday night meeting, Student Council passed a motion, deferring the U.S. travel ban, submitted by Harvey Kornberg '64. It also repealed the portion of a motion passed the previous week which criticized the publication of the Curriculum Committee report.

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State Sells Armories To City Government
The City has received four armories, which had been given to New York State during World War II. The City received the rights to use them with the assurance that they be returned to the State in 50 years.

Mandating Free Tuition
Senator Joseph Zaref of Higher Education refused to be discharged, the free education law in 1961. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has made efforts at the City and State to secure guarantees to students by the State and Senate. If the Senate will pass a law, that will be applied to the State and Senate.

Sisters Of Charity of New York: The Sisters of Charity of New York have announced the annual fair.
Nothing's Impossible

By JOE ROSENBERG

DEATH, BE NOT PROUD

Death be not proud, though some have called thee
Cursed, old serpent! Wicked one! and yet
Many unconscious, and some conscious, friends
More artless and more simple, to have called thee
Thriving, growing up to a mighty size
And still more simple, to have called thee
Victory, than thou hadst ever been in life!

But now, O death! thou canst not say
That I was ever to thee what thou wast to me.

For I was never fair in body
Nor sweet in mind, nor pleasing in thy sight.
But thou didst make me fair in body
And sweet in mind, and pleasing in thine eye.

Therefore, O death! be not proud
Though many have called thee angry, and yet
Some friends and some enemies, and yet
Many unconscious, and some conscious, friends
More artless and more simple, to have called thee
Agreeable, than thou hadst ever been in life!

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Letters to the Editor

Truman's Reply

To the Editor of THE TICKER:

I would like to express my appreciation for the opportunity to reply to the charges made by Dr. Gadol in his article of January 22. I was aware of what was being written, for my name was mentioned in the article and I was present during the meeting of the Ad Hoc Committee on Academic Freedom held on the evening of January 21. In that meeting I was present on the side of those who opposed the establishment of the Committee.

I am aware that Dr. Gadol has expressed my vote as having been cast in support of the establishment of the Committee, but I believe that this is a distortion of the facts. I voted against the establishment of the Committee, and I have no intention of retracting this vote.

I would like to point out that Dr. Gadol's charges are unfounded. He has not presented any evidence to support his allegations. The only evidence that I have seen is a distortion of the facts.

I am confident that the facts will speak for themselves, and that the truth will prevail.

Sincerely,

John Smith
Hollywood Reaches the Age of Maturity

Movie Audience Seeks Reality

By ALAN NELSON

It is apparent that American motion pictures are on the move. Passing, ever the tell-tale sign of a new direction, is the emergence of psychological realism. A second major move away from escapism is the dawning of professional attitude towards scriptwriting. Hollywood is ready to celebrate its age of maturity.

"The Victors," written by Victor Schertzinger and directed by his brother Frank, is an example of Hollywood's new reality-oriented approach. The film, set in the immediate post-war years, tells the story of two young men who are drafted into the Army and then end up in a French village, where they become close friends.

The film is notable for its lack of sentimentality and its frank depiction of war's impact on everyday life. It is a realistic portrayal of soldiers, their struggles, and their relationships with the villagers. The film's themes are universal, dealing with issues such as friendship, loyalty, and the human cost of war.

"The Victors" was well received by critics, who praised its honest depiction of war and its avoidance of sentimentalized portrayals. It was nominated for several Academy Awards, including Best Picture, and helped to establish Hollywood as a serious contender in the realm of serious filmmaking.

The film's success was a testament to Hollywood's ability to transition from escapist entertainment to more thought-provoking stories. This shift was part of a broader trend in American culture, where there was a growing interest in more realistic and socially relevant themes.

The film's success also had a lasting impact on Hollywood, as it demonstrated that there was a market for serious, thought-provoking films. This helped to pave the way for the emergence of the New Hollywood movement in the 1970s, which sought to push the boundaries of what was possible in American cinema.

"The Victors" is a significant film in the history of Hollywood, as it represented a new phase of the industry's development. It marked the beginning of a new era of serious filmmaking, one that would help to shape the future of American cinema for generations to come.
Epeists Prove to Be Heroes
In Parriers Defeat of Penn

S. MARTY LITWINSON

Collegetown has been named one of the outstanding clubs in the Ivy League. Their victory over Penn was the highlight of their season. The game was held on Saturday, and the Epeists were victorious by a score of 13-5.

MARC MILLER DEFEATED,
AS MATTHEW BUOY NYU

Final 4. . .

In a major upset in the final four, Matthew Miller defeated a team from New York University. The game was played on Saturday, and the result was a 68-56 victory for Matthew Miller.

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Zuckerman Tallies Fourteen In Cagers Loss to Terriers

By JEFF PALCA

Plagued by poor shooting, sloppy ball handling, and inconsistent team play, the City College basketball team was defeated by St. Francis 61-54, Wednesday, at the Sixty-Ninth Regiment Armory.

City lost for the second time in its last five games, bringing its season record to 7-7. The Beavers have not defeated St. Francis since the 1958-59 season.

Coach Dave Polansky was extremely annoyed at his team's play, "We didn't control the ball, our play was a bit better nature. Our chances of a winning season were severely diminished by this loss," he said.

Once again a poor second half performance was the reason for the Lavender downfall. The Terriers, playing without their injured star and captain Tom Wolosz, shot 6 of 10 in the half. Led by the driving layups of Mike Schaffer and jumpers by Al Zuckerman, City raced to a 16-13 lead. But the Terriers answered with a 15-3 run.

City's only other first place finish was in 1969 to Army's 1,452 and Citadel's 1,412. But the Terriers have been forced to take a drastic step-

Weissman Indicted

Edward Weissman, alleged murder of City College basketball Mike Schaffer, is undergoing psychiatric treatment at Bellevue Hospital. He was admitted February 3, at the request of his lawyer.

Weissman's case is pending on the dock of the Manhattan Criminal Court following an indefinite postponement.

Hoopsters to Oppose Four Foes in a Week

By STEVE SCHRECK

The Beaver cagers will be playing for their first winning season in six years as they oppose four Tri-State League foes in seven days. The first game will be played tonight against Long Island University.

City's encounter with L.I.U. will be followed by games against Hunter College Thursday, Adelphi University Saturday; and Bridgeport University, Monday. The Lewdner must win three of four games to complete the season with a 10-10 slate.

"As long as there's one loose ball left I expect the boys to go after it," said Coach Dave Polansky. The Coach then commented on the closing four game set by saying, "The boys are ready."

Julie Levine: Star a Hit Off Court as Well as On

By JEFF PALCA

Julie Levine, backcourt star of the City College basketball team, has a problem that most college men would like to have. It seems that several girls, obviously impressed by his play on the court, have been calling Julie up and asking for dates.

Julie, who frankly admits that his sex appeal is ample average, has been forced to turn down calls from the opposite sex. He has had to refer several of the girls to his "personal secretary," Coach Dave Polansky.

But the girls don't seem too disappointed. On the court, Julie is averaging ten points per game. When Julie first began drawing attention on the basketball court, when he made the Morris High School varsity as a 4-11 sophomore. By the middle of his junior year he was a starter, and, at senior he led his team to the Public School Athletic League championships.

When asked about his team, Julie said, "We have starters over 6-5. so I had to run around with them. I brought the ball court and generally acted as team quarterback."

His big thrill was scoring a hundred points in a victory over the High School at Madison Square Garden. However, Morris got past the quarter-final's final hurdle.

Julie received full school offers from Yeshiva and Har and a half scholarship offer from the University. He was actually enrolled at Manhattan College, but transferred to City. The Beaver cagers were defeated by St. Francis 61-54, Wednesday, at the Sixty-Ninth Regiment Armory.

The City College rifle team defeated New York University Friday at the Virolet range. The Levadner shot 1,409 to N.Y.U.'s 1,397, City Metropolitan League record now 13-1.

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