BHE Postpones Vote For 2nd Time
Student Demos Successful

By Steven Gaynor
In my initial column last week I presented a provisory letter to the University Student Senate, to inform you of the Board of Higher Education's decision on the faculty recommendation for the fiscal retrenchment proposal known as item no. 7. Their decision was, quite simply, no decision. The Board, for the second time, postponed the question. The greatest saving of $55 million—fully 10% of the budget—to be cut from the University came in 1976, in order to include the collection of summer session fees. Administrative, support, and instructional staffs for a saving of nine million dollars; and finally to schedule shut down all University operations for a saving of thirty-two million dollars. The Board, for the second time, postponed all of these for a saving of fifty-five million dollars—fully 10% of the fiscal retrenchment proposal. The Board, for the second time, postponed all of these for a saving of fifty-five million dollars—fully 10% of the fiscal retrenchment proposal.

Briefly, the "cutback resolution" includes the following: the suspension of all student admissions for February, 1976, for a saving of one million dollars; the consolidation of offices, and replacement of administrative, support, and instructional staffs for a saving of nine million dollars; moving the collection of summer session fees and charges into the month of June, 1976, in order to include that money as income for the current fiscal year, and further to cut a million dollars. No schedule for spring recess for a saving of one million dollars. Finally, the Board has not yet announced its next meeting to deal with the proposal. Student leaders on all CUNY campuses are worried that the Board of Higher Education will not make a decision until after the New Year. The Board has been promised that the Board of Higher Education will not make a decision until after the New Year.

What Happened To The Fight?
By Jim Hedges
Three weeks ago Baruchians were fighting for their education and their lives. Marches on Wall Street and in Washington, D.C. were the rallying points of the students of this nation that CUNY students would not roll over and play dead in the face of a crisis. CUNY fightback rallies occurred in the main administration buildings as well as in the halls and Baruch student leaders were gathering together at these rallies to show their support.

It is now December 10. The frequent rallies have not altogether stopped. WHAT HAPPENED?

The student Government leaders, at one time the most vocal and active participants in the fight to keep Baruch alive have silenced and now seem more interested in putting together election campaigns.

True, the City of New York has avoided default for a while, but what happens when they threaten to close Baruch as they did last summer? Every one suddenly woke up and renewed the battle that was alive in Washington on November 1976. The threat is still there. Now is the time when rallies should be held in protest to the Board of Higher Education. Students should be informed on a frequent basis about the situation that exists. It seems as if nothing had happened. The Baruch student body has fallen back into the rut of docile, we’re-safe-from-closing, good and vulnerable, they’ll quickly close us, leaving all of us speechless, out and out in the cold. Fellow Baruchians, the course is clear—we must keep the fight alive and not let our guard down or else one day we’ll arrive at the post office in this coming election. As the final decision as Chairperson, the appointed Mr. Harry Gibbs and Ms. Dorothy Dixon, as co-chairpersons of the committee. Mr. Gibbs is the president of the Senate. The Senate has its next meeting scheduled for December 10th. The Senate has its next meeting scheduled for December 10th.

Political Party Meets
By Richard Rodriguez
Last Thursday, the newly formed Reform and Unity Party held its first major public platform, meeting. This meeting was held in room 4 North. Despite poor planning and limited publicity, the turnout was fairly moderate. Each speaker presented his platform and hopes for the future. Many of the speakers were also demoralized by the party’s pro-club attitudes which disregarded the general student population. Additional criticisms were that many of those items which their party proposed have been initiated by the current student government. By and large, the meeting was run well, and, it seems likely that this party will exert some influence in student government next term. The magnitude of that influence will not be known until after the December 17th election.
TICKER Seeks Passage Of Revolutionary Referendum

We, the Day Session Student Body of Baruch College of the C.U.N.Y. wish to see the following referendum (1) The Day Session Student Body of Baruch College, by the power granted to it under Article 4, Sections V and VI of the Governance Charter for Baruch College, hereby grants the Day Session Student Body of Baruch College the right to maintain a free student press.

REFERENDUM

Whereas, Article XI, Section 1 of the Constitution of the State Student Government (Assembly) Constituency of Baruch College agrees that the Ticker Association shall be an autonomous body representing the student press of Baruch College. Whereas, Article XI, Section 1 of the Constitution of the State Student Government (Assembly) Constituency of Baruch College states: 'The Ticker Association is an autonomous body representing the student press of Baruch College.'

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The Embarrassment That Is Art Fishman

By E. Gold and A. Krieger

The scenario has been played out many times before. A paper prints a ranting and raving diatribe whose relevance is measured as minute as the writer's intellect. The topic is an attack upon Israel which is taken as a vehicle by, in the face by all self-respecting Jews. Obviously, a reply is needed, and so local Rabbi appoints himself! "Official spokesman for what Jewry and present Jewish raving and raving rebuttal, concluding with the usual "Israel Must Live." What is accomplished? Last week, Art Fishman, in his article, "Zionism: A National Liberation Movement?" attacked Zionism as a form of racism. Of course, Mr. Fishman's propositions, can be articulately refuted, but this is unnecessary, for here, as in the U.N.'s anti-Zionism resolution, Zionism is not the issue. Mr. Fishman would argue just as vehemently for the rights of left-handed Albanian dwarfs. If by doing so, he would be able to voice his leftist opposition to American policies.

On November 11th, 1975, the General Assembly of the U.N. eroded with exultations and acclamations, the anti-Zionism resolution was passed. Delegates from the Arab world were understood by any person pleased in light of their open hostility towards Israel. But how is one to explain the profuse joy exhibited by such diverse ideological and geographical countries such as Mexico, Cuba, India, and the Black African Block? One may only recall that one November 11th, 1975, when the issue at hand was the admission of communist China and the expulsion of Taiwan. There, too, the communist, unaligned, and neutral world countries decried Taiwan as an Inhuman, Imperialist state and cheered China as their favorite vote was cast. In 1975, as in 1972, the mockery was openly declared by the U.S. States. The Cuban delegation can openly call Zionists, let alone understand its meaning and implications. But when given an opportunity to express their sentiments on the U.S. they suddenly become staunch anti-Zionists. The same holds true for Mr. Fishman.

Mr. Fishman, fortunately, is a breed of animal in danger of distinction. In the late 1960s, he and his species roamed the college campuses of America in search of a following. But now that the dust has cleared, all that remains is their excrement in the form of outdated rhetoric and claptrap. Unfortunately, some of that excrement found its way onto the pages of THE TICKER. Therefore, it is beneath the dignity and severity of the issue to defend Zionism from the likes of Art Fishman. It is important for the reader, to understand what an Art Fishman is. Mr. Fishman is of the Patty Hearst variety who once committed revolution, but now advocates for the Free World. He sides with Black Africa, but is not black, nor is he African. What is Art Fishman? He is an American White and a Jew, yet he calls his fellow Jews racists. This does not disturb me, for if he were Black, he would undoubtedly call his fellow Blacks bigots. That is the cloth from which he is cut. Art Fishman is an embarrassment to his people, to his family and to me for I never felt that Judaism had a status so low as that occupied by Art Fishman.

Basketball...

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points at 81-69 with 2:17 left, but the team didn't give up. Eight straight points brought the deficit down to just four points with 1:40 a long minute to play. However, a missed shot was recovered by Stony Brook and Baruch fouled trying to get the ball. Stony Brook converted five of six free throws in the closing minute to maintain the lead.

Lanham led all scorers with 20 points. Charney and Steuer had 19 points apiece and Matos 15. Charney had 11 rebounds and Steuer 8. Baruch converted 25 of 29 foul shots for a .862 mark, a new school record. Steuer was 7 for 7.

Ticker's Referendum

By Richard Rodriguez

In recent months, Baruchians have seen the TICKER discontinue for one reason or another. Problems usually result from the fact that the administration places roadblocks from time to time preventing student government from distributing student funds. There is only one reason this issue has Wednesday's date on it: The Committee on Student Agencies and Graduate Divisions have solved this problem by establishing an independent funding for their respective publication associations. On the other hand, TICKER must apply to student government for funds, and depend on student club advertising to complete her budget. The passage of this referendum would give TICKER enough independent funding to run club ads absolutely free while remaining a free press: free from either administrative or student governmental influences. It should be noted that the passage of this referendum would not cost students any additional fees. It would merely direct monies already paid directly to THE TICKER to insure the maintenance of a free student press. We urge all students to sign the referendum at their earliest convenience.

A complete test of this referendum appears on the editorial page of this issue.

News Editor Richard Warren doing an average day's work.

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Recipe #456.78cR

THE

STAXCO FIZZ:

£2 oz. Jose Cuervo Tequila
£ Juice from one lime (or 2 tsp.)
£ 1 tsp. sugar
£ 2 dashes orange bitters
£ White of one egg
£ A glass is quite helpful, too.

French(ing) At Baruch

(produced in 1970) an internationally popular film in French with English subtitles. The stars of this film are quite famous, Jean-Paul Belmondo and Alain Delon. If possible, we are trying to get some French Pornography (cf7), if we can get it at a reasonable price we are permitted to show it. We will be a fashion show and a play in French, Le medecin malgre lui, by Molieres. It will be in our ploy, where we will be a reflection of French culture. All students will be served, a combination of beverages, food in French Origins and cheeses.

All are welcome to come to our club meetings, held Thursday between 12 but 2 (club hours) in room 1101 in the 23rd Street Building. Salut et Bonne Chance!

French(ing) At Baruch

by Carol Targum and Zelma Abiad

The French Club of Baruch is an organization which has been overlooked by students as being interested in native French-speaking people, or students taking French classes. This is not so. You do not have to speak a language to be acquainted with its culture.

Le Cercle Francais, as it's often called, has never been more active than it is this semester. The club has had a terrific response from students willing to attend. In the historical film we showed earlier this semester entitled "The Rise of Feudalism XIV" in French of course. Last year we showed two Psychologically oriented films "La comedie humaine" and "The Man Who Lies," We are thinking of showing the film "Borsalino"