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Jack Moore Speaker At Banquet Followed By Formal At Suburban

New Cash Awards Given To Students

The Brothers' College Honors Awards Convocation will be held on May 5th in the Seminary Chapel. Dr. Norman Guy of the Seminary will be the speaker. After his address, awards will be presented.

Outstanding members of the student body will receive \$25 cash Rose Achievement Awards at the Convocation program Monday. The awards will be given only if the students are in good standing, but they will not emphasize academic ratings. Juniors and seniors are eligible for the awards given for outstanding contributions in the fields of music, art, dramatics and debate, and to the best all-around athlete while only seniors may receive the award to the best citizen in the class. There will be one award for each group except athletics and citizenship where one each will be awarded to a woman and man.

They will be given for athletics and for extra-classroom activities. Gold and silver "D"s for outstanding service to the extra-classroom program of the college will be awarded. Sigma Phi will announce those students who have been elected to the society as will Alpha Psi Omega, honorary dramatics fraternity and Tau Kappa Alpha, honorary debate fraternity. There will be an addition to the program this year but all details about it are being kept secret. It is urged, however, that every student attend the convocation.

The convocations committee decided to hold the program indoors this year because they felt that more dignity would be added to the event. Also, in past years, inclement weather has often forced a hasty move into B. C. Chapel. Programs will be printed this year for the first time.

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Choir, Drew-Eds Plan Mothers Day Programs

A special Mothers Day program is being arranged for next Sunday. The Brothers College Chapel Choir is working in conjunction with the Drew-Ed Association to honor Mothers of Drew Students.

The program will begin at 2:30 when the choir under the direction of Mrs. Marjorie Smith, will present a concert in the Pilling Room of the Rose Memorial Library. Both sacred and secular selections and special Mothers Day music are included in the program. The choir is composed of 40 students and accompanied by Becky Poynter.

Following the concert, the Drew-Eds will hold their annual Mothers' Day Tea in the Wendel Room of Mead Hall. An invitation is extended to all guests on campus that day.

Special arrangements are being made whereby students are able to order a rose for their mothers. They are asked to sign the poster on the bulletin board before Saturday afternoon.

1000 Attend

In spite of the all-day downpour last Saturday, the Open House program was attended by about 1,000 visitors, including 191 high school students, 100 parents, and 711 people who were counted as they came in the main gate. There were also about 200 Drew students in attendance throughout the day.

The high school day part of the program was larger than last year, with 30 more people visiting and 67 high schools represented. Of these, 42 were from New Jersey, 19 from New York, and the remainder from Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Maryland, and Massachusetts.

Catastrophe struck once during the afternoon when the transformer on Madison Avenue blew out because of

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Today marks the beginning of the climax of the year's social activities as the Spring Weekend starts tonight with the Senior Banquet and the Formal Dance following it. This long-awaited event will take place at the Suburban Hotel, Harrison Street, East Orange.

Mr. Jack Moore of Montclair will be the speaker at the Senior Banquet which will be held this evening at 6:15 P.M. in the Hotel Suburban, East Orange.

The program will also include the reading of the Class Prophecy and a short speech by Mr. Martin Warshaw of Convent, President of the Alumni Association.

Mr. Moore was chairman of the recent dinner for General MacArthur held at the Waldorf Astoria.

The banquet will last from 6:15 to 8:30 p.m. with the dance following immediately from 8:30 until 12:30 a.m. Music will be supplied by Al Clothier and his Suburban Orchestra, the same group which provided the musical background for the Fall Prom. Girls will have 2:30 permission for this affair. Nancy Huntington and Bill Howells are general chairmen.

The highlight of the evening will be the ceremony in which the Queen and her four attendants will be crowned. They have already been chosen by a general election, but Bill Howells is keeping their names a deep, dark secret until tonight. The Queen must be a senior, but her attendants may be either juniors or seniors.

The second main part of the gala weekend will be the informal dance tomorrow night from 8 p.m. until midnight at the Women's Club, 51 South Street, Morristown. Music, again, will be by Al Clothier and his Suburban Orchestra. The dance is being planned by Arthur Shapiro, general chairman, and Julian Brown, in charge of entertainment. Refreshments will be served. Permission for Saturday night is one o'clock, as usual.

Friday night, Dr. and Mrs. Brunhouse and Dr. and Mrs. Smith will be chaperones. On Saturday night, Mr. and Dean Morris will represent the faculty.

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Editor's Corner

In some ways too much airing and in other ways not enough consideration has been given the problem of changing printers for the OAK LEAVES. Certainly no decision so diverse and so important should be reached hastily and without adequate research.

Besides the obvious criterion of quality and finances, the smaller details which make an editor's life bearable such as convenience, nearness to Drew, pleasant associates, and the possibility of getting personal advice not merely written instructions, should be considered. Certainly Josten could not be any more convenient, nor give personal advice.

With an entirely new staff each year, guidance becomes a major problem. Also, little extras are sometimes sacrificed for inexpensiveness. Leeway with deadlines means a great deal when a large staff is involved.

Where does the solution lie? First, the editor should play the leading role in choosing the printer, for it is she who will be held responsible for the quality of the OAK LEAVES and also, she must work with the printer, not the Council members.

However, since the year book does concern all the student body, there should be a Council committee to study the situation and offer recommendations to the editor. The final decision should be a joint one between council and editor.

Perhaps another hurdle could be jumped if sophomores were enlisted to work on the staff, possibly one or two as associate editors, so that the staff

Asbury's New Lunch Lounge

BY CON WEST

Residents of Asbury Hall were happily surprised upon returning from spring vacation to find that a new kitchen had been installed in Asbury Hall. Though the room has not been completely fitted to date, the possibilities are apparent.

Students at Asbury will soon be able to cook their own meals in the spacious kitchen, thus avoiding the dismal necessity of eating in the refectory. For those who are not familiar with Asbury Hall, it should be explained that the new kitchen is located directly to the right of the main entrance, where the lounge used to be located. Some of the more reserved tenants of Asbury have indicated that they miss the plain, though comfortable, fittings of the old lounge with its cream-colored walls, soft chairs, and television set. The doubts of these students will no doubt be dispelled upon the installation of a refrigerator, gas range, and stainless steel sinks.

An outstanding job of decorating has been done by the university at no extra expense to the students. The two tone green floor blends beautifully with the nausea green woodwork and grey walls, the glare of the fluorescent lighting on this color combination is really remarkable. Though the essential facilities are still missing, eight "lounge" chairs have been placed in the kitchen. These chairs were a wise addition to the kitchen as it will discourage students from monopolizing the facilities of the room, since it is physically impossible to sit in these chairs for more than six minutes at a time without suffering severe physical strains. Some students have already found that the chairs make excellent packing cases if the backs are taken off and put on as a cover.

Reports have it that several of the downstairs rooms will be combined over the summer to make a dining room adjoining the kitchen. It is rumored that the color combination of the dining room will be in line with that of the kitchen. The walls are to be black, with purple and crimson tiling on the floor, and magenta woodwork. Reports also have it that there will be no light fixtures in the dining room because of the preference of Asbury Hall students to eat by candlelight.

The maintenance department indicates that it may be necessary to slap another coat of paint on the walls of all of the first floor rooms during the summer because the paint put on ten years ago is beginning to crack and this being the sole support for the second and third floors it is essential to reinforce it.

It is said that the university master plan calls for reconversion of Asbury Hall into a storage warehouse for stationery and parking tickets on the completion of the new men's dorm two years from now. If this occurs, the university has indicated that it is receptive to the idea of installing a university recreation room in the attic, provided the activities fee is raised forty dollars per year to cover the cost of wear and tear on the building.

Final Concert

The Colonial Little Symphony will present its third and last concert of the season Wednesday, May 7, at 8:30 P.M. The concert is scheduled to be held at the Summit High School. Mr. Thomas Scherman, who has been known nationally and overseas as the originator and conductor of the Little Orchestra Society, will conduct the concert.

The program for the concert will include Introduction and Allegro for String Quartet and String Orchestra, Elgar; Sinfonia Op. 18, No. 1 for Double Orchestra, J. C. Bach (The players will divide into two orchestras for this); Symphony No. 2, Spohr; Prelude Arioso and Fughetta for Strings, which is the second performance in the United States; Honegger; and Serenade No. 1, Brahms.

Tickets for this concert may be obtained from the Treasurer's office.

1000 Attend

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the overloading of the switches. It wasn't fixed until early Sunday morning so that the activities of the science department were drastically curtailed for the rest of the day.

Another event was spoiled, this time by the stormy weather. This was the ice explosion which literally fizzled out because part of the thermite got wet and lost its effectiveness.

Other than that, the day was a success, with students taking care of showing the people around. The leaders of these activities were Herman Mertins, general chairman, Dolores Sell, in the morning, Norma Segal, in the afternoon, and Gil Fell, in charge of parking.

would not be entirely new each year.

Finally, the decision of the Student Council should be reconsidered, testing the merits of the present program.



The commencement exercises on June 2 will see many fine athletes leaving our campus, appearing in athletic contests thereafter only to plague us in Varsity-Alumni games.

Twelve letter-men in all will receive diplomas, seriously depleting the manpower of our teams. The baseball squad will be most seriously hurt, losing eight seniors.

Chauncey Zeilman, who dates back to the 1947 club is among the aggregation of candidates for graduation. Chauncey has hurled many fine games since his conversion to a pitcher, including his two masterpieces, a 1 hit, 2-0 win over Paterson State, and a 3-2 win over our arch rivals, Stevens Tech. Dick Hane who hails from Brooklyn, also winds up his collegiate baseball career this season. Dick, who hurled a 2-hitter in this year's opener, entered the collegiate Hall of Fame when he no-hit Stevens in 1951. With Dick goes also his battery mate Charlie Moran who paced the 1951 aggregation in batting with a .400 average. Bob "Cubby" Tiger, whom "Doc" Young recently termed "the greatest short-stop Drew ever had," is the only infielder who is leaving, but his loss will create a tremendous gap in our inner defense.

Two-thirds of this year's starting outfield will be lost in the persons of four year veterans Paul Edinger and Don Dillenbeck.

Pat DiGiorgio, member of the squad for four years rounds out the total of 7 baseball letter-men.

Three fencers, Gerry Padawer, winner of the 1952 State Sabre Championship, Warren Foth who racked up nine big wins in sabre this season, and Bruce Gillam, veteran epee man will leave a big gap in this team by their graduation.

Coach Simester will lose forward "Cubby" Tiger, guard "Sharp" Shapiro, and center Dick Strelecki.

The tennis squad looks to be the only one not seriously affected by graduation, losing only one member, Jimmy Coppola.

Ordinarily a loss of so many veterans would warrant a dismal forecast for next season, but due to the large number of freshmen playing on Varsity teams, fifteen in all, and of these, four who play on both the baseball and basketball teams, next year's teams should be well stocked with talent.

Of this year's freshman crop, Jimmy Ross, of Towanda, Pennsylvania has been the standout athlete so far.

Wilson 2 Hits Pace

BY CONVERSE WEST

Tennis Squad Bows On Road

Getting off to a bad start in its first away match, the tennis team dropped six straight singles matches to Upsala in South Orange on April 23. Drew showed a complete reversal of form however, as they bounced back to sweep all three doubles matches, resulting in a 6-3 win for Upsala.

Singles

Kirk (U) defeated Bazan, 6-1, 6-2.
Jollofsky (U) defeated Noe, 6-3, 6-1.
Butterunritt (U) defeated Nijarian 10-8, 6-2.

Kenny (U) defeated Von Geldern, 6-2, 6-0.

Goldberg (U) defeated Giles, 6-1, 6-0.
Zrybko (U) defeated MacArthur, 6-1, 6-2.

Doubles

Bazan and Noe (D) defeated Schecter and Thorpe, 6-4, 6-0.

Von Geldern and Edwards (D) defeated Mullin and Brown, 6-1, 6-2.

Jennings and Nijarian (D) defeated Cinnelli and Soren, 6-1, 6-2.

Rain Washes Out Athletics Planned for 'A Day at Drew'

The steady rain which fell on April 26 may not have hurt the rhubarb in Brooklyn, but it certainly put a damper on plans for making "A Day at Drew" an overwhelming success.

The scheduled tennis match against Pace was postponed, and the baseball game with Ursinus was cancelled, due to the impossibility of re-scheduling a game with Collegeville, Pennsylvania "nine."

We dropped our game with Ursinus last year by a 6-5 score in a 10 inning affair when a bases empty circuit clout was made with two out. This was to have been our chance for revenge, but I guess we'll just have to "wait until next year."

Leading Drew's aggregation to a 10-1 victory against Pace on April 23 were Charlie Moran, Cubby Tiger, and George Wilson. George held the visitors to two hits.

Charlie was responsible for the game-tying home run in the bottom of the first, and Cubby came through with a triple and a single in four times at bat, driving in three runs. Jim Ross accounted for two runs batted in with his single with one out in the big second inning.

The Circuit Riders took nine runs in the second inning as 13 batters faced the Pace Setters, knocking Bob Goodman, their starting hurler, from the box. George Wilson went all the way for Drew, striking out eleven men in the seven inning tussle, and walking five. Wilson was pitching his first game of the season against Pace, though he had played in all of the games so far. George alternates between third base and the mound, and was a stand-out pitcher for the Circuit Riders last year. Dick Hane played third in George's place against Pace. Dick pitched a two-hitter to open the season against Bloomfield, and then played second base in the Newark Rutgers game.

The game, shortened to seven innings because of the four o'clock starting time, was slowed down by intermittent rain, which did not help either team. It was Drew's third win of the season against no losses, while Pace now has a record of one victory and five losses.

Goodman, who was taken out in the second, was pitching his first intercollegiate game for Pace.

Drew was originally scheduled to play Ursinus in baseball on high school day, April 26, but rain forced the postponement of the contest.

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Campus Personalities Meet Charlie Hooper

BY "BEV" SIMONSON

"Have a little more, honey, it'll help you get an A in that exam."

Can't you just hear that quiet Southern drawl as Charlie smiles amiably and speaks to every few people in the line at the refectory? He's one fellow who makes waiting a little less trying. Of course, he sympathizes with those poor souls who have to make an eight o'clock or a one-ten. Charlie says that he can tell them a mile off by the way they rip and tear at the paper napkins, clutch the silverware, and thrust their trays out before them as if to shove all obstacles aside.

If you ever wish to be formal with Charlie, the title is Mr. Hooper, but he smiles at the thought of any of his friends here doing such a thing. Charlie originally hails from Williamston, North Carolina. Now, he lives in the Bronx and stays at Drew during the week.

Before coming to Drew, our soft-spoken friend worked in a host of restaurants and hotels. They stretch from Maine to Miami and out to Chicago where he attended the entrees in the Palmer House Grill. A few years ago he toured Europe with all expenses paid. A fellow named Uncle Sam guided the tour.

By-the-by you kids who are having a tough time with a foreign tongue, Charlie speaks French and Greek - he does it with that Southern accent too!

The only improvement Charlie advocates would be an enlargement of the dining hall so that everyone could eat at once. I myself can't see how he could stand to have any more screaming maniacs in there than there are now. But, he said honestly, that he enjoys working here with such friendly kids. Now, you see? Somebody loves you.

So, how about a smile next time you go by the meat course? For - Mr. Hooper, suh!



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Kravitz Speaker On Quaker Jobs

On May 7, our speaker in the Brothers College Chapel will be Sanford Kravitz, College Field Secretary for the American Friends Service Committee. Part of the reason for his visit is to challenge students to evaluate their vacation activities by offering opportunities for service and learning in the projects of the American Friends Service Committee in America, Latin America and overseas.

The American Friends Service Committee represents the Religious Society of Friends (Quakers) in national and international fields of social action. The Committee was founded in 1917 to carry on relief and post-war reconstruction in Europe. Since then, with a philosophy based on respect for the personality of the individual and belief in the power of life to overcome prejudice and suspicion, the A.F.S.C. has gone into areas of social or economic tension all over the world with material and a sense of human fellowship in an effort to promote peace. It has been engaged in projects here and abroad to promote international, industrial and interracial understanding, to offer opportunities for constructive service, participated in and supported by people of many faiths, races and nations.

In A.F.S.C. projects during the summer of 1952 you may help build a clinic or operate a playground or perform some other needed service in a city, town or village in one of a dozen countries, or you may bathe or feed or supervise the recreation of people in mental or correctional institutions. You may work on an assembly line of a factory or in the fields of a farm.

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Concert Sunday

On Sunday afternoon at 3:30 P.M. in the Pilling Room of the Library two Brothers College students, Howard Thain and Tom Moore will present an "Hour of Music," accompanied by Miss Louise Berry.

Tom Moore has been featured on television and also numerous concerts throughout the country. At present he is studying at Juilliard Music Foundation in New York. Tom has been soloist with the Oak Ridge Symphony Orchestra of Tennessee, and with the Oak Park Symphony of Illinois.

Howard Thain is studying with Enrico Rosati, teacher of Lanza and Melton. Howard has his own weekly radio program "Italian Favorites," which is broadcast every Sunday at 3:15 over FM station WPOE. In addition he has his own vocal studio in Steinway Hall, New York, where he teaches voice production and operatic interpretation. Thain has been featured soloist on many radio stations, as well as leading tenor in numerous churches.

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Those participating in the program will be Dr. Ralph Johnson, Dean Withey, Prof. Schabacker, Dean Morris, Dr. Wagner, Miss Kuehl, Dr. Young, Dr. Jones, Coach Semester and the fencing coach, Mr. Rocco Feravala.

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