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Mason-Dixon Theme Marks Homecoming

"Below the Mason-Dixon" will provide the theme for the 1962 Homecoming Weekend schedule for October 5-6, according to Joyce Hamner, president of Student Union.

President Welcomes Freshmen; Stresses Study Habits, Grades

Our College is in its sixty-first academic year. The students come from the entire Western Shore of the State, and some few are residents of nearby Pennsylvania and West Virginia. The student body currently numbers approximately 1350.

Through the medium of **State-to-Date** I take this opportunity to welcome you to our growing campus. You are indeed privi-

Board, Senate State Progress

In the very near future, the Judicial Board will be reviewing the constitutions of all campus organizations. After being reviewed, all organizations will be granted new charters from the Student Association.

The Board handed down its first decision on September 17. It suggested that Item I on page 35 of the "Pathfinder" under Social Functions and Activities be reworded to read: "Any individual or group of individuals or any organization using the name of State Teachers college or the organization's name as identification, must register said function through the office of the Social Director."

Goals Stated

At its workshop on September 7 and 8, the Student Association set its aims and goals for the coming year.

The first regular meeting of the Senate was held September 24. Evelyn Walker, treasurer, reported that there is a balance of \$1,794.10 in the treasury. Jerry Howie, president of the Senate, then called for committee reports.

Anne Beane reported that the Student Book Exchange, a newly established service, was very successful. Approximately three hundred of the three hundred fifty used books were sold.

Offices Discussed

The major and minor offices proposal was next discussed. This bill was suggested so that students could direct all of their energies to the successful completion of one major office. A certain number of points has been set aside for the various officers of all campus organizations.

Evelyn Walker reported that the budgets of all campus organizations will be reviewed by the Senate on October 8 and 15. After this is completed, allocations will be given to the clubs.

Under new business, Sally Sullivan, Editor of **State-to-Date**, appeared to ask for student opinion of the newspaper. After some discussion, it was decided that a committee be established to study the effectiveness of **State-to-Date**.

Danforth Fellowship Competition Begins

Announcement has been made that competition is open for Danforth Graduate Fellowships for 1963-64.

Fellowships are open to one hundred qualified male seniors and graduates of accredited U. S. colleges who are interested in graduate study to prepare for college teaching in any field of study common to the undergraduate college.

The award, granted for one year and renewable, is based on individual needs. The current maximum for a single male is \$1500. Awards are granted after applicants have completed the Graduate Record Examination in the Verbal, Quantitative, and Advanced test categories.

Nominations for these fellowships must be in the hands of the Danforth Foundation by November 1. All interested students may contact Dean Manicur, the Liaison Officer at Frostburg, who will supply details and proper forms.

Students are urged to see the Dean as soon as possible.

leged to be among 4,000,000 in higher education in our nation.

I am sure you are aware of the advantages of a college education and will avail yourselves of every phase of work to earn quality grades. This is important for graduate work, essential in this competitive world among employers, and a part of your growth and development as an individual.

Expansion of Curriculum

In the past several years the curriculum of the College has been expanded. Some select the four-year arts and science program. Others are interested in the four-year pre-professional programs in medicine, dentistry, theology, law, or pharmacy. Many students are pursuing training for kindergarten, primary, elementary, or secondary teaching. Regardless of what your objective may be, quality performance should be your primary aim.

The professor in whose course you are enrolled serves in a guidance role. To him you should freely go to talk over your scholastic problems when and if any develop. Promptness in availing yourself of such counseling is of essence to your success.

Chairmen of departments are advisers concerning majors and registration. As you begin now thinking about our second semester, I would encourage you to confer with the chairmen of the departments of our College.

Grades on Nov. 7

Mid-semester reports will be due on November 7. Grades satisfying to you will be earned by spending two hours of study for each recitation period. I do not recommend less time. Then, too, library usage to supplement your work is essential. Sufficient time for reading widely should be included in your daily plans.

It was a pleasure for Mrs. Hardesty and me to meet and greet you during Orientation Week. All of us here at our College are proud of you. You have our best wishes for happiness and success for the career you have chosen.

Cordially yours,
R. Bowen Hardesty

Chairman Reveals 'Who's Who' Plans

Because of dissatisfaction with the criteria which were used for the selection of Who's Who, Pat Lavelle, chairman of the Awards Committee, has announced new standards for the selection of seniors to receive this award.

Three sophomores, three juniors, four faculty members, and one administrator will be selected by the Senate and approved by the Executive Council to serve on the Awards Committee.

Qualifications for the honor include a 2.50 grade average and a point score of at least 2.0 for every semester.

Each senior with the above standing will be sent a form on which he or she will list his or her activities. Open discussion of each candidate will then be held, and each student will be voted on by the entire committee.

It is strongly suggested and recommended that the students be judged on:

1. Academic Standing
2. Service to the college
3. Leadership
4. That the student show promise of reflecting credit to the college in future years.

The power of selection will be given to this committee above.

The Awards Day has been suggested as the time for announcing the award.



HOMECOMING QUEEN—Mary Ellen Cunningham will be crowned Homecoming Queen at the football game on Saturday, October 6.

Graduates Of Frostburg Accept Teaching Positions In Maryland

According to Messrs. John Dunn and Robert Jones, Directors of Secondary Practice, the following 1962 graduates have been assigned to their teaching positions.

Teaching in Allegany County are Betty Swartley and Michael Fabbri, Mt. Savage High School; John Atkinson, Valley High; William Andrews, Oldtown High; Richard Bittner and Donna Logsdon, Allegany High School; Sue Dye, Bruce High; Louisa Gunter, Larry Hopcraft, and Barbara Mowbray, Beall; Charles Sigler, Fort Hill; Art Isom, Ellerslie Elementary; and Jim Shertzer, Penn Avenue Junior High.

Employed by Anne Arundel County are John Folk and Lloyd Robertson; Annapolis Junior High; Vincent Bollino, Cochran Junior High; Wendell Bowman, Glen Burnie High; Howard Lemmert, Centerville High; Carol Sanders, Ferndale Elementary; and Sandy Cadarette, Andover High.

Teaching in Carroll County are Gerald Smith, Dorothy Strawsburg, Robert Wiles and James Moffatt.

Included among Frederick County teachers are Richard Twigg, Hugh Friend, and Carole Rhodes, Thurmont High; Lionel Baker, Middletown High; Wayne Bruchey, Brunswick Elementary; Cleta Higgins, Bill Bruchey, and Jerry Llewellyn, Walkersville; Jim Kelly, Frederick High; George Kuhn, Middletown; and Ona Kile, Frederick.

In Garrett County are Edgel Sereno, Southern, Garrett; Ed Green and Kenneth Harris, Grantsville Elementary.

Baltimore County has employed Patricia Sherman and John Dabrowski in Holabird Junior High; Sherron Bailone, Loch Raven Junior High; Ferman Helmstetter, John McClelland, and James O'Donnell, Arbutus Junior High; Helen Hoover, Towson Junior High; and Ralph Mahaney, Dunbarton.

Darwin Robeson is at Leonardtown in St. Mary's County.

Employed in Prince Georges County are Suzanne Minnick, Ed Witt, Charlotte Couzins, Mary Lee Callis, Sherrie Camron, all in Suitland Senior High and Suitland Junior High; Adolf Doerk and Sally Vann, in Francis Scott Key Junior High; Richard Shaffer and Eula Stuller, Nicholas Oren Jun-

ior High; Harold Vance and Kathy Cadle, Frederick Sasscer; Bob Brannon and Penny Caulkins, Beltsville Junior High.

Bill Henline, Laurel; John Morris, Rollingcrest Junior High; Luther Rizer and George Strachen, Hyattsville Junior High; Terry Rizer, Maryland Park Junior High; Tom House and Steve Bittner, Greenbelt Junior High; Faye Keiser, Bladensburg Junior High; Ronnie Mann, Roger B. Taney Junior High; Rita Benson, Mt. Ranier Junior High; Bob Bittinger, Charles Carroll Junior High; and Andrew Mara, Northwestern High School.

In Washington County are Ruth MacCumbee and Judy Romine in South Potomac Junior High.

The Friday evening program will feature the Lettermen, popular vocal trio. The performance will be held in Compton Auditorium at 7:30 p. m. At 9:30 a bonfire and pep rally will be held at the athletic field.

On Saturday, registration for alumni will be held in Gunter Hall lobby from 9-11 a. m. From 9:30-10:45 a. m. an open house will be held at Diehl Hall and at 11:00 the hall will be dedicated.

Reigning over Saturday's celebration will be Homecoming Queen, Mary Ellen Cunningham. Members of her court include Lynne Van Straten and Becky Naill, senior princesses; Wini Fresh and Kitchie Froelich, junior princesses; Sandra Robertson and Nancy Troester, sophomore princesses, and Susan Molesworth and Linda Phillips, freshmen princesses.

Senior For Queen

Mary Ellen Cunningham is a senior from Hagerstown. She is a graduate of North Hagerstown High School. Mary Ellen is an elementary education major and is presently serving as President of Alpha Xi Delta National Fraternity.

Lynne Van Straten and Becky Naill are also elementary education majors and are members of Alpha Xi Delta.

Lynne's home is in Baltimore and she is a graduate of Towson High School. Lynne is secretary of Simpson Hall House Council and serves on the Nemacolin staff.

Becky lives in Tameytown and is a graduate of Emmitsburg High School. She is a representative from the senior class to the Student Senate, secretary of Frost Hall, and a member of the Outdoor Club.

Parade Before Game

The Homecoming parade will begin at 1 p. m. and a football game at Beall High Field will follow the parade.

Climaxing the weekend will be the Homecoming Dance, Saturday at 9 p. m. This year's dance will be held in Gunter Hall and at the National Guard Armory in Cumberland.

Music for the dance at Gunter will be provided by the Tommy Smiths Ensemble. The Modernaires will entertain at the Cumberland Armory.

Dedication Honors Ivan C. Diehl

Dean Ivan C. Diehl will be the recipient of a special honor on Saturday, October 6. The new dormitory occupied by women will be officially dedicated as Ivan C. Diehl Hall. As soon as another dorm is built, this one will be for men.

The Rev. Mr. George Wehler, of the Salem United Church of Christ, will give the invocation and benediction at the ceremony.

Mr. William T. Wilson Jr., Board of Trustees of Maryland State Teachers College, will preside at the dedication. The Madrigal Singers, directed by Mr. Charles Sager, will entertain with selections from "West Side Story."

Albert P. Backhaus, director, Department of Public Improve-

ments, will present the Ivan C. Diehl Hall to the Board of Trustees of the State Colleges. Dr. R. Bowen Hardesty will accept on behalf of State Teachers College and Bonnie Sweeney, president, will accept on behalf of the House Council.

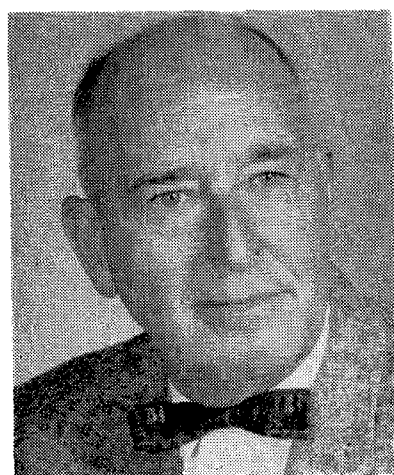
The tribute to Dean Ivan C. Diehl will be given by Dr. Thomas Pullen Jr. Governor J. Millard Tawes will extend the greetings. The response and benediction ceremonies will conclude the dedication.

Dean Diehl receives his A. B. and B. S. degrees from Columbia University. He is presently serving as Dean of Instruction.

Mr. Diehl came to State Normal School at Frostburg in 1927 as an instructor in geography. He has served as visiting Professor of Geography at the University of Maryland, State University College of New York, and Radford College. In addition he has served as Geographic Consultant to the United States Office of Education, Washington, D. C., and Shepherd College, Shepherdstown, W. Va.

Dean Diehl is author of the **Geography of Maryland and the District of Columbia** as well as of several articles for the **Journal of Geography**. Mr. Diehl has traveled from the Arctic Ocean to the north coast countries of South America and from Labrador and Newfoundland to Hawaii.

An open house will be held in the dorm preceding the dedication.



Ivan C. Diehl

'What's In A Name?'

"What's in a name?" Specifically—the name of our college. Recently, student leaders have been informed at a President's dinner, that the name of Frostburg State Teachers College is to be changed. The general student body and faculty have been told of this decision via state and local newspapers.

We had been aware, with the addition of the liberal arts program to our curriculum, that we would no longer remain Frostburg State Teachers College. However, we were not fully prepared for the recent announcement at the beginning of the 1962-63 school term.

The following statement appeared in the Baltimore Sun newspaper on September 21, 1962: "The State Board of Education yesterday approved three names (for the renaming of Frostburg State Teachers College)—Mountain, Braddock and Nemacolin—and decided to let the college's students, faculty and administration choose among them."

We Should Suggest

It is our contention that the aforementioned student body, faculty and administration be allowed to suggest and approve a name they feel should best befit our institution. We are also fully aware that our State Board of Education is a group of competent, efficient members. However, the rights of those who live and work on our campus cannot be denied.

Much discussion has recently arisen here concerning the three names: Mountain, Braddock and Nemacolin. We feel that if the students, faculty and administration of our college are dissatisfied, on the whole, with the proposed names, we should be permitted to select a title other than those approved by the board.

The primary objections to the three proposed names are these. We feel that the name Mountain State College is much too general to be meaningful as the title for our campus. It can be said the Nemacolin is specific, but we question how many people in the eastern portion of Maryland are aware than an Indian named Nemacolin guided Thomas Cresap through the mountains of Western Maryland. We cannot understand why our college should bear the name of the British General Edward Braddock who met defeat near the site of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Why Not Frostburg?

We are wondering why we cannot be called Frostburg State College or State College at Frostburg. In an article from the Cumberland Evening Times, Monday, September 24, 1962, Delegate J. Glenn Beall of Frostburg stated: "Since the people of Frostburg first contributed the money to buy the land on which the college was built, there has been a close identity of the town and the institution." We must agree with Delegate Beall, for the citizens and merchants of the area deserve no less than to have "Frostburg" remain in the permanent name for the college. Many excellent institutions have taken the name of their town—Bridge-water, Amherst and Gettysburg.

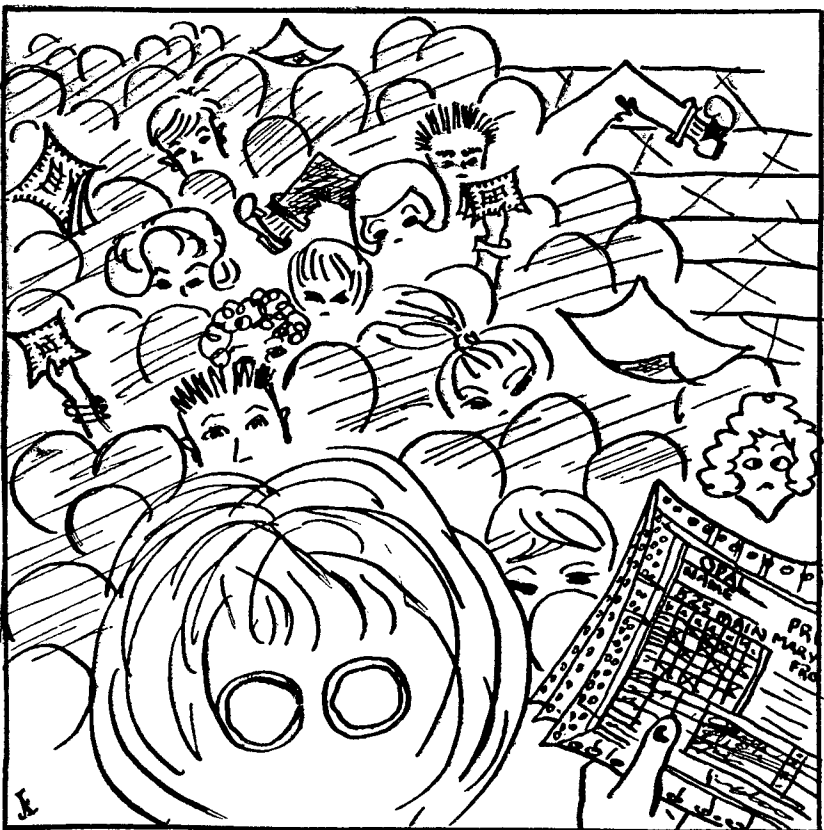
There have been other names proposed by the student body. Why should these suggestions not be considered as fully as Mountain, Braddock and Nemacolin? Some of the titles that have been suggested are Northwest State, Mount Savage State, Allegany State, Western State, Maryland State, Cumberland State, and Queen City State.

Our Responsibility

We live here and we work here. It is part of our duties and responsibilities to insure that we get "the right" new name. It is only just and fair that we be allowed to suggest and select a name for this college as an expanding institution.

We conclude with a quotation from the article of Delegate Beall: "In the final analysis, a college is judged, not by name, but by the overall quality of the institution."

Judy Fisher



"TAKE COVER DR. BRIGGS - HERE THEY COME!"

Freshmen Frivolities

Neophytes Complete Week Of Activities

By Lee Hoffman

Dateline—Sunday, September 9—Frostburg is invaded. It was a day like all days, except "You Are There." The town sleeps peacefully, unaware of the crisis soon to come. High on a hill overlooking the area stands Frostburg State Teachers College (until further notice).

Here alone could your reporter observe the indicative warnings of the event which was to rock the city.

For two days the campus had seen a trickle of student leaders

laying plans. Even this morning you could see the first signs—a few cars pulling their heavy loads. Suddenly the influx quickened, retreat was impossible. The

take-over was immediate.

By five o'clock all invaders have been registered and quartered. The cry "Attack successful!" went up. Five hundred and seventy-eight freshmen had completed their first day at Frostburg State.

In a more serious vein, five hundred and seventy-eight freshmen brought on many problems—all capably mastered by Jane Schwanebeck and Wayne Carter, heading the Freshman Week Committee. Topics from "Our History and Traditions" to "Home Sweet Home" were discussed by student assistants.

Guides Turn Moms

The "Freshmen Week Guides" officially led their individual groups in all activities, but unofficially served as "Mother, Ann Landers, course guidance counselors, and information services" at one time or another.

Homesick cases were isolated and treated immediately. Fortunately, an epidemic never took hold. Mass preventive measures in the form of hops, bonfire, sings, movies and parties proved painless and effective.

In order to continue the orientation program, as well as produce "friendship" between the new class and upperclassmen, hazing was set for Thursday and Friday.

Hazing Comes!

The sophomores led by Denny Moore, chairman of the Hazing Committee, formed activities and rules for the restored tradition.

Kangaroo court under Judge Bill Graves was conducted Friday night to try freshman crimes. An impartial jury composed of faculty members and sophomores passed sentences suitable to offenses.

A record hop Saturday night repaired any mangled friendships and the freshmen, "were oriented."

State Welcomes All, Her Doors Swing Wide

The yellow leaves whispered their farewell to the brown limbs. They were lost in a maze of hurrying feet, flying here and there to make the next class on time.

September brought an end to the summer vacation. The freshmen were filled with such questions as "Will I fit in? Will I succeed in my studies?" and perhaps a twinge of doubt during that final mile.

Now they were certain. State had warmly embraced them as one of her own. It was as though she had said, "I've waited a long time for you to make up your mind."

Many had never met the gaze of the wise and discerning Old Main; it was a homecoming. Mellowed by the elements of time, she quickly made them comfortable. They were young; she was old. Countless feet had trod her worn steps. Countless hands had pushed the wide door open!

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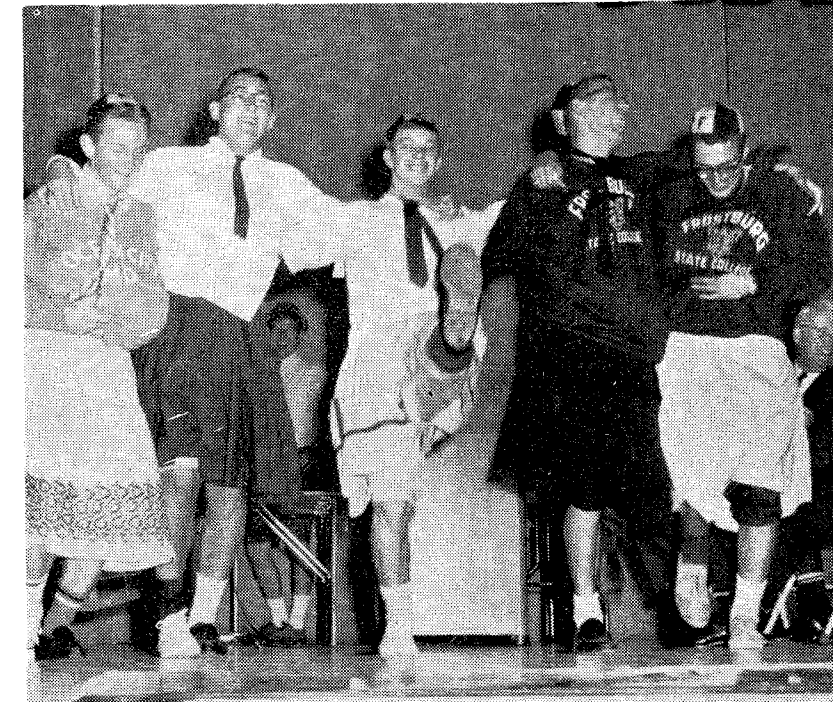
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CAN-CAN—Freshmen Charles Connolly, Bib Grimm, Keith King, Mike Foster and Mike DeWitt show their dancing skill at Kangaroo Court. Photo by Jerry Spessard

Learned Statesman Cautions 'Beware Freshman! Take Heed!'

The joys of college! Freedom from nagging at home, freedom from bothersome siblings, you're on your own, but beware, beware of the dangers lurking around the corners of good ol' State. What lies behind this scholarly atmosphere? We were never warned of these impending dangers. Let us tell you a few.

Editor Lists Terms Essential To Pupils

Vocabulary list for incoming freshmen:

Now that you have stepped through the hallowed portals of our campus, you must acquaint yourself with a few new terms to enable you to understand better the mechanism of a state college. For your benefit, I have compiled a list of terms, complete with definitions (pronounced daffynitions) that you should carry with you at all times to avoid confusion.

log—tremendous compilation of documentary material by student teacher (not to be confused with tree.)

seminar—it's for teachers, not preachers

professor—one who fills out grade slips

point score—that object which, if you don't have it, you've had it.

registration—mass mayhem to acquire privilege of attending classes

quadrangle—clear area in center of campus for purposes of snow battles, panty raid routes, and pitching pup tents

line—that distance between ten points which you will be standing in quite often

methods—where you learn "how to" if you didn't know before

cut system (obsolete and archaic)—arrangement by which a student may miss a class

meal ticket—small paper rectangle which allows one to stand in line in Gunter Hall

senior—those great, omnipotent ones who have survived for 10 many years

snow—a form of water which is not infrequent in the climatic zone of Frostburg

pinocle—the great American sport

pink slips—(definition obscure) having something to do with being sick or missing classes or something.

It is our fervent desire that all freshmen will take heed of these words of wisdom.

We stuffed ourselves at dinner with bread, and later on we stuffed some more. Watch it! Those little pieces of bread add up to at least ten pounds by June! You come to State with shiny, white things to wear. Forget it! By October they'll be yellow from those spastic washing machines.

Beware of the smiling profs, they may fail you by January. The words "Take out a-half sheet of paper" send chills down many a spine.

Concerning the dorm, take your shower by eight, the sweet tone of the fire drill will let loose anytime.

Girls, beware of the Socials in Allen Hall, they're not kiddin' when they say social!

Last but not least, beware of House Council! Seven lonely nights in your cell is enough to quell any culprit.

Good luck, frosh, you need it!

Hotel Life Presents Unknown Ventures

Prior to the outbreak of the sweet symphony, the profound silence was broken only by an occasional cough and the rustle of shifting bedsheets. Listen, as melodious tones flood the stillness of night. It whistles, it sings, it speaks to us softly at first and then more loudly and more loudly.

How beautiful is the harmony of our night concert! Then suddenly the shuffling of feet prevails, the corridor fills with light, and finally some soul shouts, "Turn off that rumbling radiator!"

Manifold are the peculiarities of the Gunter Hotel. The dusty staircase lying mysteriously beyond a creaky door beckons us to explore the unknown. The challenge of the rusting fire escape appeals to our adventuresome tendencies. The paper-thin walls keep no secrets, but rather amplify and broadcast them.

The annoying gurgle of the sinks again reminds us that this is not the hotel life we expected. Where are the plush carpets, the T. V. in every room, the room service?

We, the thirty-six freshmen inhabit that lordly mansion on Main street. Living therein is as exciting as dorm life, we think.

New Instructors Join Staff; Some From Foreign Countries

Eighteen new instructors have joined the college teaching staff for the 1962-63 school year.

Mr. Syed Hason comes from Jehanabad, India. After getting his B. A. in India, Mr. Syed Hason obtained his M. S. in Ed. at Illinois.

Mr. Francis Ireland was born in Auburn, New York. He has both his B. A. and M. A. from New York State University College.

Mr. Marvin VonDeck of the Music Department was born in Connecticut. He attended Boston University, Royal Academy of Music, London, and the State University of Iowa.

New in Science Department

Physics is the field of Ahmed F. Mohammed Abdel-Bary, who comes from Shabrakeet, Egypt. Mr. Abdel-Bary received his B. Sc. degree in Electrical Engineering from the Cairo University. From the Ein-Shams University, he received a B. Sc. degree in mathematics. His Ph. D. degree was received from the Ohio State University.

Mr. Glenn Anschuetz, a new instructor in Art, holds a B. A. from Central Michigan University and a Master of Art degree from the University of Michigan.

Though born in Italy, Dr. Joseph Vinci has spent most of his life in the United States. He received his B. A. degree from the City College of New York, his M. A. in Spanish from Columbia University, and his Doctorate in Modern Languages from Middlebury School of Languages.

Dr. Edmund Skellings received his B. A. from the University of Massachusetts and his Ph. D. in English from the University of Iowa.

Degree from Wayne

Dr. Edward Sage received his B. A. and M. A. from Iowa State Teachers College. From Wayne University he received his ED. D.

A new instructor in music is Mrs. Sara Pierce. Mrs. Pierce received her B. M. from Friends University in Wichita and her M. M. from Northwestern University.

Mr. L. John Cole in the English department is from Madison, Wisconsin. He received his B. A. from the University of New Mexico and his M. A. from the University of Wisconsin.

History is the field of Mr. Glenn Massay of Morgantown, West Virginia. Mr. Massay received his B. S. from Bethany College and California State College; his studies then took him to the Sorbonne, the University of Paris. His M. A. was earned from the University of West Virginia.

New Instructor in Education

Mr. William P. Marley attended Concord College where he received his B. S. in Education. At the University of Maryland he earned his Master's degree.

The Art Department has a new member, Mr. Harry E. Mandell. Mr. Mandell received his B. S. degree from Indiana State Teachers College and his M. Ed. from Pennsylvania State University.

Mr. John Allemen attended Michigan State College. He has a Bachelor and Master's of Music from Michigan State College.

Dr. Thomas C. Slettehaugh, new chairman of the Art Department, attended the University of Minnesota and Pennsylvania State University.

Dr. Charles J. Hansrote joined the faculty as an associate professor of chemistry. He received his B. S. degree from Virginia Military Institute, M. S. from the University of Richmond, and a Doctorate from the University of Virginia.

In Modern Language

The new professor of French and chairman of the Modern Language Department is Dr. Rudolph Bremen. Dr. Bremen has a B. A. from Alessana Lyceum, Italy and his M. A. and Ph. D. from the University of Pittsburgh.

Dr. H. Gerstell Smith is a former resident of Baltimore. He received his B. A. degree from Johns Hopkins and his M. A. and doctorate from Harvard University.



TAKE 'BREATHES'—New faculty members: front row left to right are Marvin L. Vondeck, John E. Allemen, Glenn R. Anschuetz, Edmond Skellings, and Harry E. Mandell. Second row: John Cole, Edward E. Sage, Syed Hasan, Francis L. Ireland and Thomas Slettehaugh. Third row: Glenn F. Massay, Charles J. Hansrote, F. Gerstell Smith, Joseph Vinci and Rudolph S. Bremen. Absent were William P. Marley, Sara L. Pierce and Ahmed F. Abdel-Bary.

Freshmen To Elect Officers, Delegates

According to Barbara Smith, Chairman of Elections, Freshman Class elections will be held tomorrow from eight to five in Gunter Lobby.

The following candidates were announced after they were interviewed by members of the Student Association: president, Dennis Baker and George Bamford; vice president, George Kirby, Noel Kunkle, and Robert Young; secretary, Judy Anders, Dawn Haines, and Wilma Nunamaker; treasurer, Judy Buttrill, Barbara Renick; Judicial Board Member, Robert Lakeman.

Four Senators will be elected from Ronald Bird, James Hutchison, Jim Kelly, Richard Miksell, Marsha Sisk, Thomas Slater, Pam Thomas, and Michael Vzas.

There will be a campaign assembly today at 3:10 in Compton Auditorium. The candidates will present short campaign speeches.

Outdoor Club Plans Activities For Year

An executive meeting of the Outdoor Club was held Tuesday, September 18, in Garrett Hall, Room 102. At this meeting, plans for the ensuing year were discussed.

Tentatively scheduled are the following activities: two fall, over-night co-ed cookouts, two spring, over-night co-ed cookouts, hayride, skeetshoot, and dances. Most of the activities will be free.

Already, the Outdoor Club has sponsored a camp-out for everyone interested. They made an excursion to Deep Creek Lake on Saturday, September 15, between 10:30 a. m. and 9:00 p. m. Their activities included fishing and hiking.

The part of the excursion which was the most fascinating was the boating and water skiing. The boats for these sports were furnished by Mr. Don Emerson, faculty advisor, and Bill Kenny, an enthusiast.

Instrumental in making this trip a success were Mr. Don Emerson, advisor, and Ray Morgan, president.

The Outdoor Club also is planning a trip to Swallow Falls on Sunday, October 8. Their activities are to include hiking, fishing and swimming.

The future activities of the Outdoor Club were discussed at the meeting which was held September 25. A movie pertaining to the outdoor sport of fishing was shown at the conclusion of the meeting.

**Freshmen Take Note!
Don't Forget To Vote!**

News Brief

A Block Party on September 17, given by the Frostburg Retail Merchants Association at the Frostburg Armory, completed the events for Freshman Week activities. After introducing well known dignitaries of Frostburg, Ken Moreland, Elliot Weimer, and the Alpha Xi Delta Sorority provided entertainment for the evening.

Dr. Howard Lewis Briggs, Professor of History and Chairman of the Department of Social Science, gave a talk on "The Background of the United Nations" to the Optimist Club at its dinner meeting in Cumberland at the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday, September 5.

French Club held its first meeting of the school year Wednesday, September 26, in Miss Hobbs' room in Allegany Hall at 7:30. Plans for a Homecoming Float, scholarship plan, and elections for vacant positions were discussed.

Art Club held its first meeting on September 24. It will meet regularly on the first and third Tuesdays at 7:30 in Old Main 302. Join with the group for interesting lectures, demonstrations and workshops.

An organizational meeting of the **Spanish Club** was held on Tuesday, September 25. All interested

students are invited to join with the group on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at 6:30 in Gunter Annex.

New cheerleaders for 1962-63 were selected by a committee of judges on September 20. These include Mary Katherine Reddick, junior; Tantsie Troester, sophomore; Sherry Brinsfield, Linda Fallows, Karen Sampson, and Carole Smith, freshmen.

Physical Education Association began its 1962-63 season Sunday, September 23 at 2:00 in Compton Gymnasium. Equipment was set up and everyone was welcomed to enjoy an afternoon filled with many activities.

New officers of Beta Pi Chapter of Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity are: Louis Schwartz, president; John Garon, vice president; Richard Miller, recording secretary; John Nussear, treasurer; Wayne Carter, corresponding secretary; Charles Adcock, Pledge Marshal, and Jack Patterson, Rush Chairman.

Theta-Chi Chapter of Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity is busily making plans for their first full year of operation affiliated with this international group. Social events, cultural programs, and service projects are on the agenda.

Drama Club Devotes Meeting To Frosh

Dramatic activity got under way, Monday evening, September 23, when Little Theatre devoted its first meeting of the academic year to the new students on Campus.

John Goss, president, opened the meeting with a short history of Little Theatre which is now entering its 36th year of uninterrupted dramatic activity. He then introduced the other Little Theatre officers.

Samuel James, vice president; Bonnie Vance, recording secretary; Linda Stewart, corresponding secretary; and Madeline Barr, historian. The office of treasurer remains to be filled at an early election.

Miss Dorothy Stone White, advisor to Little Theatre, and Mr. R. Thomas Hutcheson, financial advisor, were introduced. Mr. Goss, also presented a guest, Mr. Francis Ireland, instructor of the course in Modern Drama.

Slides of the 1962 Little Theatre production, "Kind Ladies," and a short movie of the musical "Where's Charlie" comprised the entertainment.

Activities for the first semester include the presentation of: "Smilin' Through" Nov. 8-9 in Compton Hall Auditorium, A scene from "Caesar and Cleopatra" by George Bernard Shaw, on Campus Day, and a television show, October 25, over the Washington Court Board of Education's Closed Circuit network in Hagerstown.

Barbara Wells Teaches At Mission

This summer one of State's students was selected from all the campuses in Maryland to be representative of the Baptist Student Union as a missionary to New England.

Barbara Wells, a junior, was chosen from our campus with five other students from Missouri, Tennessee, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Virginia.

Barbara first went to New York for her orientation program where she learned what her duties and responsibilities would be.

She stayed with the pastor of the Hartford Church while in New Haven, Connecticut.

Barbara conducted vacation Bible school, singing, handicraft, and various other activities. Barbara considered her summer missionary work as a vacation. She was able to include sight-seeing and other interesting activities. She will be able to remember her trip through the many pictures she took.

Barbara serves as president of the Maryland Singers and is active in the Baptist Student Union, Little Theatre, and Alpha Psi Omega dramatic fraternity.

Alpha Xi Delta Begins Rushing Activities

Madeline Barr, rush chairman for Alpha Xi Delta Sorority, has announced that the sorority began its "Rushing" activities with an

upperclassmen party on Tuesday, September 18, in Gunter foyer.

Another informal gathering was

held for freshmen girls on Wednesday, September 19.

Entertainment at both parties followed the theme of "Tap-a-Keg-a-day Chapter of Alpha Xi Delta from Dogpatch, U. S. A."

The Ali Ghan Shrine Club was the scene of a buffet supper which was held for invited guests only on Friday, September 31, at 5 p. m. Preceding the supper, the girls chatted informally and engaged in games of bridge and pinochle.

As a culmination to Rushing, a preference ceremony was given by the sisters to the rushees.

From June 27-July 2, Alpha Xi Delta National Fraternity held its triennial convention at Bedford Springs Hotel, Bedford Springs, Pennsylvania. Attending from Gamma Psi Chapter at Frostburg were Mary Ellen Cunningham and Evelyn Walker. Miss Dorothy Stone White, Mrs. W. H. Hann, and Mrs. G. L. Spoerl, advisors of the chapter, also attended.

During the achievement dinner at the convention, Gamma Psi Chapter was awarded the Alpha Xi Delta National Philanthropy Award. This award was given for the work of the local chapter at the Lincoln School here in Frostburg. The girls make regular visits to the school to teach the exceptional children.



RECEPTION—Barbara Diffendal is greeted by Mary Ellen Cunningham, Olwen Sarjeant and Lynne Van Straten.

Gridmen Host D. C. Teachers; Booters Invade 'Rock

Homecoming Tilt Saturday

Homecoming Hopefuls

Bobcats Meet Veteran Squad

By Ray Morgan

Frostburg State College includes in its agenda of Homecoming festivities a guaranteed slam-bang contest between the "Teachers" of the District of Columbia Teachers College and the Frostburg Bobcats. The grudge battle is set for 2:00 p. m., Saturday at Beall High School stadium.

The football tilt will be only part of the other Homecoming activities for the weekend. The annual Homecoming Parade will be the morning prelude to the game and the Homecoming Dance is the finale of the day. Unfortunately, the soccer squad will battle Slippery Rock away from Frostburg.

In the D. C. contest, Frostburg's motive for revenge will be a last minute safety scored by D. C. Teachers last year which gave them the game by an 8-7 score.

Dr. Ron Van Ryswyck's charges will be seeking the victory as partial payment for the catastrophe last year. The new assault is built around a Syracuse-type offense ably handled and directed by Charley Robinson and Dave Davis. Injuries suffered in practice have hampered the availability of some potentially outstanding players.

Eleven Lettermen

D. C. Teachers' coach, Dr. Phil Fox, brings to State eleven returning lettermen with additional strength received from new players this year. His team was weakened by the loss of twelve lettermen from the last year's squad.

Shepherd College used a second via the graduation route. half revival to overcome the "defense-less" Bobcats, 27-12, at Beall Stadium on September 22. Frostburg's big first half was engineered by Dave Clem and Jim "Bo" Evans, who pushed across one six pointer each. Ram quarterback, Ashley Scarborough, passed 13 yards to Woyman Everly for Shepherd's only score in the first half.

In the second half the persistent nemesis of the Scarborough-Everly combination clicked for a 55 yard touchdown. Shepherd, however, was not finished. Stan Morgan and Paul Bishop blasted the line for two more tallies in the half for a final score of 27-12.

Adcock's Angle

By Charlie Adcock

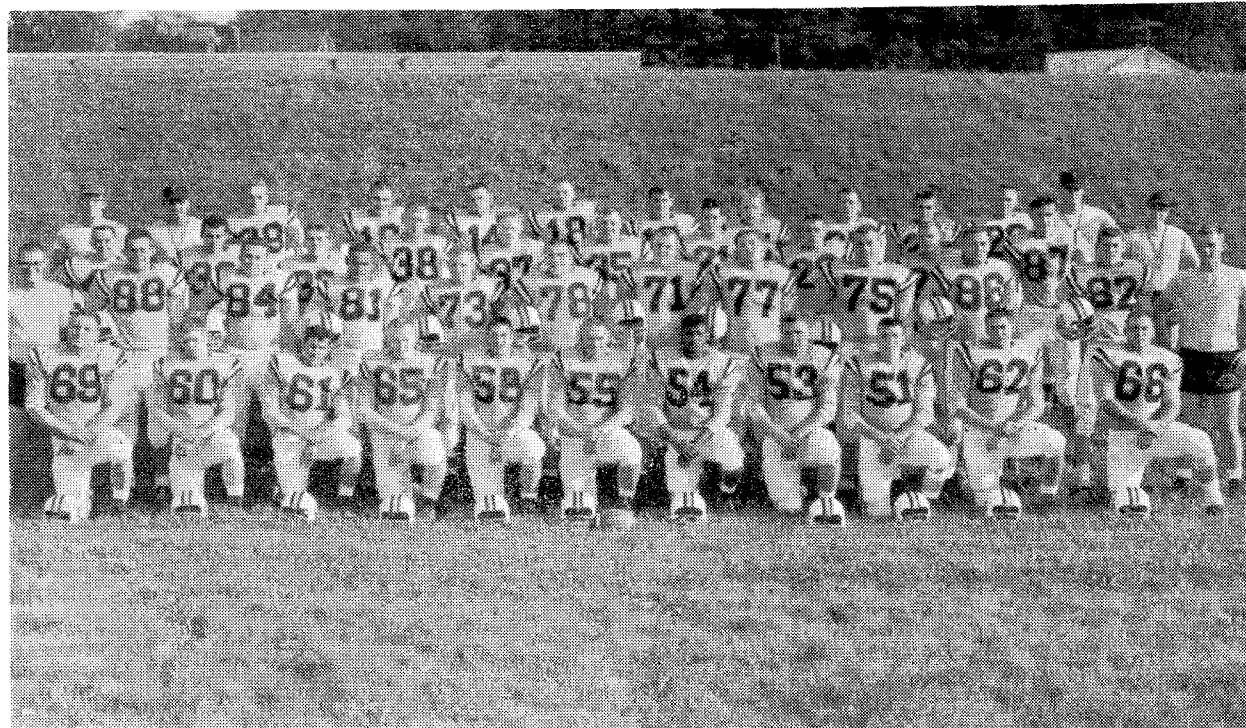
Followers of State's football and soccer teams may have been disappointed with the opening performances of their teams, and justly so. No one likes to lose. These fans must remember, however, that when either team takes the field it must overcome not only the scheduled opponent but the biggest foe of all—inexperience.

The average fan can view a football or soccer game and whether his team wins or losses, can remember the more obvious plays that decided the game one way or the other. On many occasions, the least obvious plays are missed and these plays, more often than not, tell the true picture of the game.

In the Shepherd game it was evident that State's pass defense was sub par. Injuries to key personnel forced Coach Van Ryswyck to use men inexperienced in this phase of the game, the results being obvious. The less obvious mistakes which occurred in the line play went unnoticed. Lacking was the experience which would make possible the correct block, the proper pursuit or the proper tackles. The lack of key blocks kept constant pressure on the offensive backfield, the quarterback in particular.

The Pitt soccer contest saw two men who had never played soccer before, share the goal keeping duties. Even if they had been perfect, they would have had to settle for a scoreless tie.

This needed experience and team work will not be acquired overnight. Stick with the Bobcats. After all, experience is the best teacher.



BRAWNY BOBCATS: Pictured above is the 1962 edition of the Frostburg football team. The injury-ridden Bobcats, who dropped the season opener to Shepherd College, 27-12, will face D. C. Teachers, Oct. 6, in the Homecoming tilt. Coach Ron Van Ryswyck's crew began its second gridiron campaign with 16 lettermen on hand.

Pittsburgh's Potent Panthers Blank 'Cat Booters In Opener

State's soccer team suffered a 2-0 defeat in the season's opener. Some 400 on-lookers watched the University of Pittsburgh take the game on a pair of second half goals.

The Pitt booters set the pace throughout most of the first half, keeping the ball in Bobcat territory. However, they were unable to set up a good shot, and the half ended in a scoreless deadlock.

A steady drizzle, which began during intermission, soaked the field, but it was not until three minutes of the third quarter had elapsed that a freak goal dampened the Bobcats' spirits.

Frostburg, sparked by a spurt of dazzling plays by Bob Rinker, had suddenly come to life. Finding themselves out-classed, the Panthers resorted to a rough-and-tumble style of play. Numerous protests from the Bobcat bench failed to convince the officials that excessive contact was being allowed.

Following a particularly strenuous protest on a play near the Frostburg goal, Clyde Broadwater, a stand-out in his first varsity game, flagrantly fouled All-American Paul Liberati. On the penalty kick, Liberati passed to George Shimpene in front of the goal. In the battle for possession which followed, Shimpene dribbled a weak shot past goalkeeper Gene Wood.

Dae Richenbach converted the clincher in the final period on a beautiful shot from 20 yards out.

Rebels, Tekes Win Intramural Openers

In the Men's Intramural Touch Football League, the Rambling Rebels bulldozed Boney's Bandits by the score of 24-0. The Tekes had an easy time over the Untouchables, who were so untouchable they didn't show and forfeited to the Tekes.

The Rebels, led by Charlie Connolly (no relation), took the opening kickoff and on the next play scored the first T. D. as Connolly passed to Bob "Fuzzy" Kessler. In the first half, the superb defense of the Rebels held the Bandits to within their half of the field. Late in the half, the Rebels connected with another T. D. bomb from Connolly to Danny Garrett.

Rebel domination continued throughout the second half as Jim Sittig picked off a pass and went for 30 yards and a T. D. The last Rebel tally was a pass from Connolly to "Roach" Gruber.

A total of seven teams will participate in the intramural program this fall. The Rolling Rocks will be out to regain the Championship which they have captured for the past two years. The Rebels seem to have the team to stop them this season.

Hustling Bobcats



SOCCER ACTION: Above is an action shot taken during the Pitt-Frostburg soccer game. The Panthers won the clash, 2-0. Bobby Brown (17) and Roy Beard (24) battle two unidentified Pitt players for possession of the ball. The Panthers captured the mud-splattered contest on the strength of a pair of second half goals.

(Photo by Jerry Spessard)

Bobcats Meet Veteran Squad

By John Nussear

In an attempt to vindicate a 1-1 tie of a year ago, Frostburg will journey to Slippery Rock on October 6 with a much improved team.

After its opening defeat to the University of Pittsburgh's varsity, the Bobcats have shown a marked improvement, and are now ready to prove themselves a polished soccer squad. This optimism can be attributed to the return to good health of halfbacks Bobby Brown and Dick Hesterberg, and inside man Sam De Bone, and, of course, to the much needed experience gained in their first two encounters.

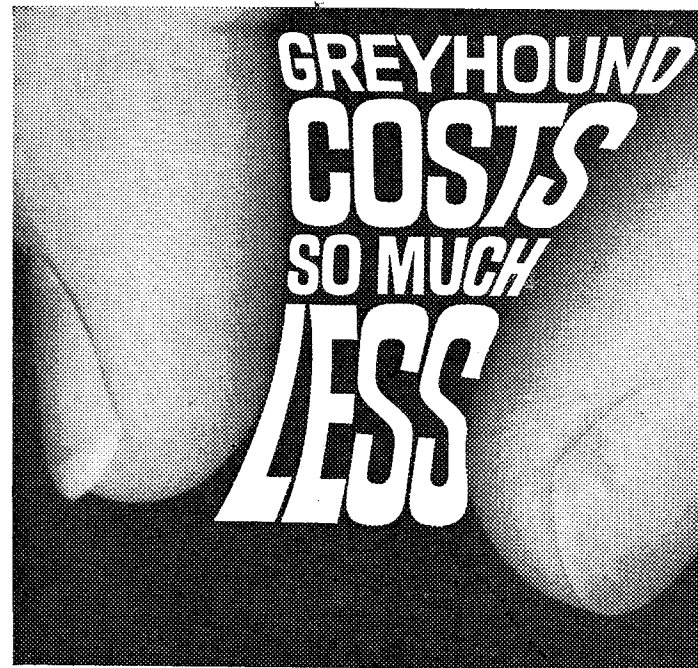
Slippery Rock, being an old adversary of State, presents a particular challenge to coach Ken Babcock's men. The Bobcats, a year ago at this time were intent on having a fine season, and were stopped cold by the defense of the Rockets and had to settle for a 1-1 tie. Coach Babcock's '62 version of Frostburg's soccer team is not ready to content itself with a repeat performance, and has prepared itself for a winning effort.

One week from the Slippery Rock encounter, State will face probably its roughest opponent, in Howard University of Washington, D. C.

Scoring the tie-breaking shot with only seconds remaining to play, Howard, a year ago, spoiled Frostburg's Homecoming celebration by handing State a 2-1 defeat. On October 13, the Bobcats will travel to D. C. with keen minds, vengeful feet, and intentions of reversing the decision against the NAIA and NCAA champions of last year.

Howard, whose team is usually comprised of exponents of the soccer belt around the Caribbean, will undoubtedly field another strong squad.

Tomorrow the Bobcats will journey to Towson to meet Salisbury. Last year at Towson, the Bobcats defeated this team, 3-0.



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