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College Announces Faculty Changes

In an effort to meet the growing needs of the Newark State student body, changes have been made in the faculty and administration of the college.

Dr. Louis Raths, Distinguished Service Professor, recently appointed to the new position of Coordinator of College Curriculum and Instruction. He is to work closely with the faculty and the curriculum committee concerning changes in curriculum and instruction. Dr. Raths came to Newark State in 1962 from the University of Michigan. A noted educator, he has participated in many nationwide studies of American education.

Dr. Alton D. O'Brien, Dean of the College, has taken over some of the administrative duties of the office of the president.

The following is a summary of the faculty changes, including retirements, leaves of absence, promotions, and new faculty members.

Leaves of Absence

Dr. Allen J. Hansen, Assoc. Prof., Edu. Dept., Dr. Gene S. McCready, Assoc. Prof., Student Teaching and Instruction, and Mr. Joseph B. Higgins, Assist. Prof., History Dept.


Mr. Fred R. Marder, Assist. Prof., Student Personnel

Returns From Leaves of Absence

Mrs. Irene P. Reifsnyder, Assoc. Prof., English Dept., and Mr. Burt C. Binger, Commissioner of Education Department.

The professional staff for the college for one year. The recipient of a $3000 grant from the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, he has begun study for a doctorate in college administration.

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CD Course Instituted

A course in civil defense has been instituted at Newark State. According to the president of the college, Dr. Eugene Wilkins, the course was instituted by the State Board of Education at the request of the State Defense Department.

The course, required of all students before graduation, carries one credit. Last year, the course was offered only on a voluntary basis. At the present time, elementary majors are taking the course, and it will be offered again in the spring semester. Only seniors are eligible for credit.

Dr. Wilkins noted that the course "is left largely to the discretion of the individual teachers, in order to make it "more realistic and more effective" for the individual students."

The course, held from 3:30 to 6:30, will be repeated for three weeks.

Marder Takes Year's Leave

Mr. Fred Marder, Chairman of the College Center, is on a leave of absence from the college for one year. The recipient of a $3000 grant from the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, he has begun study for a doctorate in college administration.

Mr. Marder's position at the college was taken over by Mr. Ronald Bruse. (Editors note: for more information, see Mr. Bruse turn to page three.)

Voted at Council

At the 13th meeting of the Student Council, held on Tuesday afternoon, September 20, 1963, the following measures were adopted:

- $500 advance on its budget, so that the board could continue its September activities.
- An amendment to the constitution was adopted, adding that the fees for the next year, 1964-1965, will be returned to Student Organization; Al Record, Tom Coyle, Richie Meimen, Bill Gargis, Pull Corey, Fran Kelly, Carol Astorino, Rosemary Prezurgizcrom, and Anne Nontse.
- An official hazing kit will be sold in the college center today through Friday, September 23-24. They will be sold only between 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. The Welcome Dance will be held on Saturday evening, September 23, and announced in the campus newspapers.
- The following are the official rules which will be effect during hazing.

Hazing Plans Made Known

Plans for Freshman hazing at the 1963 Hazing Committee. This year's committee includes Paul Minarsh, groo vice-president of the Student Organization; Al Record, president of the sophomore class; Tom Coyle, Richie Meimen, Bill Gargis, Pull Corey, Fran Kelly, Carol Astorino, Rosemary Prezurgizcrom, and Anne Nontse.

With the ground breaking for the new gymnasium building, Newark State's final phase of construction and expansion covered by the 1963 Bond issue has begun. Some additions to the curriculum and instruction of new buildings have been planned to meet the needs of the expansion at the college.

Ground has been broken and contracts let for the construction of the new gymnasium building. Dr. Gene S. McCready, President of the college, who will be in charge of the construction, has announced that the new gymnasium will be finished in the fall of 1966. The specifications for the new gymnasium will be held by the college and the committee that will be in charge.

Additional parking facilities are also planned for the college. Contracts have been let for the construction of 28 spaces by Whitehall Hall. The entrance to this area will be from Moomoth Road. Added faculty parking spaces are to be put in near the gym, with an entrance from the gym.

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Student Leaders Meet at Sharpe Hall

The elected student officers of Newark State left campus on Friday, September 6, for four days of leadership training at Sharpe Hall. This annual leadership conference was attended by 52 students. The purpose of the conference was to help students in the acquisition of leadership skills needed by any Newark State's Center for Laboratory Relations.

The Center for Laboratory Training in Human Relations is a new, educational service in New Jersey. Dr. Frederick M. Hasbrouck, student advisor. He came to the College in 1962 from Columbia University.

The professional staff for the conference included: Dr. Don R. Leveridge and Mrs. Zita Norwalk-Polsky of the Newark State Laboratory Department; Mr. Burt Brown, Mrs. Harvey Horstein, and Mr. Silas Miller, all of the Department of Social Psychology and Group Development at Teachers College, Columbia University; and Mr. Saul Pimlic, director of sensitivity training at Newark.

Another member of the staff, Dr. Robert Allen, chairman of the graduate program at Newark State University, was present at the Sharpe Hall, Whitman Hall, Thompson Library, the lavatories and the Student Center.

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8. Clandestine Bible readings every morning.

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All of this can be yours and there is no charge.

We'll take it out of you in blood, sweat and tears.

For further and more accurate information, attend the Independent Tea on September 25 at 4:30 p.m. in the East Room.

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Items of Importance

A foreign language program has finally been instituted on campus. Although limited to only two languages, French and Spanish, it is evident that the importance of this type of program has been realized.

The Independent has felt and has expressed the feeling for a number of years that foreign languages are essential to a college curriculum if that college is ever to receive more than mediocre status. We anxiously await the expansion and expansion of this language program, and look forward to the time when Newark State will graduate language majors.

Dr. Robert Roth, former Assistant Professor II of education, has left Newark State. He is presently a faculty member at Hunter College. The reason for mentioning this is that Newark State has lost a fine educator, and what is more important, we have lost a fine human being.
The Indian Chief, that tiny office at the end of the main hall, has a new resident. Mr. Ronald Bruse has taken the position of Chairman of the College Center, and has therefore inherited what is perhaps the most vital office on campus. 

Mr. Bruse usually introduces himself, a native New Yorker. He holds a degree from Queens College, and Baccalaureate and Master's degrees from New York University. Evidence of a rather wide variety of reading and experience comesmerge from the degrees. The associate degree is in Recreation, Education, with a minor in Social Science, and the conservative tradition of rugged individualism.

Mr. Bruse looks for the Great American Bald Eagle to be a big campus when they've gotten that African continent. He is chairman of the College Center and of the College Center Board, a member of the Student-Faculty Co-op and advisor to the Inter-Fraternity-Sorority Council (I.F.S.C.).

In general, Mr. Bruse hopes that the student personnel program will be maximally effective in serving the college. He is willing to give whatever help he or his office can afford. He says his office is interested in the college at large, and he wants to come in just to say hello but not to ask for favors. The sense of duty of that statement can be testified to by the very helpful people around him.

Mr. Bruse is particularly concerned that the Rex Room and Snack Bar problems be resolved. "I want people to think of the Rex Room as the living room of the college", he said, "it is supposed to be something in which they have pride."

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Swimming Pool Nears Completion

The Newark State College swimming pool, started last year as part of the overall expansion program in the physical education department, is nearing completion. The only things which remain to be completed is the pool and its use by NSC students are filter installation and painting. The pool will be 70 by 44' and will have six lanes for actual swimming. There will be 10' of water at the deep end and two one meter aluminum diving boards with adjustable fulcrums. It will be one month, according to present estimates, before everything can be checked out and the complete facility turned over to the physical education department for program purposes. Early approval is expected for the recommendation that students, beginning with the present freshman class, be required to pass a swim test prior to graduation.

Tennis Anyone?

Interscholastic tennis is one of the activities being planned for the coming year. As of now the tennis courts are available to all Newark State personnel, which includes students and staff. The courts will be open every afternoon with the exception of Tuesday afternoons. This is the day that the Women's Recreation Association gives tennis instruction.

A student tennis tournament has been planned for the end of September with men's singles and mixed doubles entered. All students who wish to compete should sign up now at the Student Bulletin Board in the College Center. If eight or more compete in each tournament, gold, silver, and bronze medals will be awarded to the winners.

Varsity Tennis Lettermen & Other Candidates Report For Practice

After Last Class

On Sept. 19-20

Tennis Anyone?

Lettermen and mixed doubles entered. All were entered.

Squire Sport Talk.....

Arnold Silverman

A new year, a new program, and most important, new enthusiasm; these three things are Newark State's key to both athletic enjoyment and success in the coming season.

New years come without fail. New programs come with age and experience. But the most important part of the freshmen's enthusiasm, comes only once in a great while. This is shown only too well at Newark State by the lack of attendance at most of the sporting contests played here on campus.

It's the students of Newark State who woke up to the fact that they do support a full schedule of intercollegiate athletics. Year in and year out newspaper space has been needlessly wasted by the call for help from any one of the many college teams. This call is not an S.O.S. for players or personnel but rather for plain old-fashioned student support.

Repetitious, of course. But how else can a subject, which is so important, take hold in a person's mind. That person has to be kept from falling; kept up (2) give strength or courage to. These definitions apply directly to the sports program at Newark State.

At almost every contest, with the exception of basketball, attendance has fallen off to practically nothing. Some say this can't be helped, but you, the student, know better. We are definitely a small school but we are growing larger every year. If we don't stand between the completion of the pool and its use by NSC students, beginning with the present freshman class, be required to pass a swim test prior to graduation.

Visiting Coaches

Certified American Red Cross instructors and senior life savers, both men and women, are invited to secure applications from the physical education department if they are interested in assisting with the swim program. Preference will be given to volunteers interested in maintaining their Red Cross accreditation for teaching. Class level and experience are other factors to be considered.

Mrs. Remick, Mr. Zwedinger, and Mr. Saks, Chairman of the local American Red Cross First Aid and Water Safety services, have been working on a program to assure full utilization, coupled with strict safety and sanitation controls.

Wednesday, September 18, 1963

3:00-4:30 Field Service Prior Registration A-K

3:00 Staff Association Meeting

3:45 Science Majors Tea

4:00 p.m. S.R.A. Executive Board Meeting

Thursday, September 19, 1963

8:00-9:20 Dept. Chairman Meeting

8:00-9:20 Convocation Council

8:30 Curriculum Committee

9:30-10:30 Student Executive Board

9:30-10:30 Chairman of Student Senate

4:15 p.m. Newman Club Orientation Meeting

4:15 Executive Board of Council for Exceptional Children

5:00 Young Republicans

7:00 Alpha Delta Phi

7:15 Kappa Epsilon

7:30 Sigma Theta Chi

Friday, September 20, 1963

2:00-7:00 p.m. Field Service Regulr Reg. Meeting

4:30 Student Council Meeting

7:00 CCB Meeting

Saturday, September 21, 1963

9-10 Field Service Regular Register

6:00 p.m. Welcome Freshman Dance College Center

Monday, September 23, 1963 (Freshman Hazling)

7:30 Athlethin Club

5:00 Prob. Social (W.R.A.)

Tuesday, September 24, 1963 (Freshman Hazling)

1:30 College Convocation

4:00 ACE welcome tea

5:00 Beta Delta Chi

5:00 Lambda Chi Rho

5:30 Sigma Beta Tau

7:30 Wapalane

Wednesday, September 25, 1963 (Freshman Hazling)

4:30 Independent Tea

8:00 p.m. Senior Court

The Book and Supply Store

will be open Saturday Mornings

beginning September 21, 1963

New Plans Engage MAA for Coming Year

The Men's Athletic Association has already begun to function as part of the already expanding sports program at Newark State. In addition to the athletics already instituted on campus, the MAA will be initiating wrestling and swimming groups. These groups will be on a probationary basis for at least one year. If they prove successful, swimming and wrestling will be added to the varsity program.

Interscholastic football will be started shortly. It will be organized and run by the MAA, and is designed basically for the incoming freshman varsity players.

La Russo, who coached the varsity basketball team for the past five years, will be the manager of the team. Replacing Mr. La Russo will be Mr. Bill Sullivan. Mr. Sullivan will also be in charge of intramural activities on campus.

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