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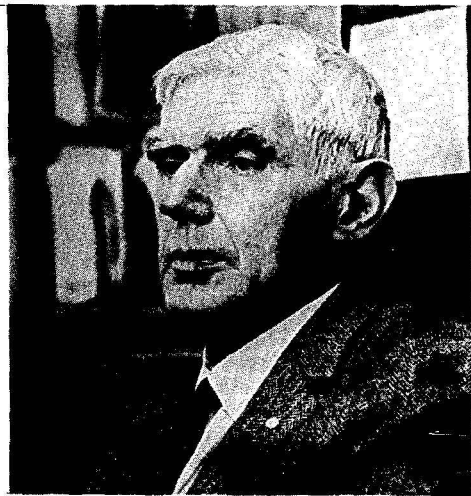
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Dr. Karl Herzfeld:

"Atomic Theory - Past and Present"



Noted Scientist Speaks In Albertus Magnus Lecture

by G. Hallam

"Atomic Theory Past and Present", the subject of a lecture by Dr. Karl Herzfeld of Catholic University is one of the most important subjects in the world today. Dr. Herzfeld, who has received the Mendel Medal from Villanova, the Angelo Secchi Award from Georgetown, and has the degrees of Doctor of Science, Honoris Causa from Loyola College of Baltimore 1932 and Marquette University 1933, covered the field of atomic theory from its first beginnings in ancient Greece to the present day advanced experiments.

The atomic theory had its beginnings with the Greeks who saw that the material world was made up of particles that were unchangeable, indivisible hard, small, present in large numbers and moving through empty space. Aristotle came up with several objections to this theory based mainly on two points, one that there was no necessity for the existence of indivisible matter and secondly that empty space cannot exist by itself. He felt that there was a continuity in the world.

As time went on many other people began to give their ideas on an atomic theory. The first theory was not really widely accepted because of the moral character of one of its founders, Epicurus. St. Thomas agreed for the most part with Aristotle but said that matter could be continually broken down but there might be a particle of minimum size which cannot be broken down.

Some ridiculous theories also came out and one of these was Descartes', who had a particle as big as a star and friction breaking it down into the smaller particles.

Further attempts were made on the part of scientists to reintroduce the atomic theory such as the effort of the priest Garsend, who tried to rehabilitate the life of Epicurus and therefore make the theory more acceptable. Another important figure at this time was Roger Boscovitch who saw atoms as points without dimensions and as the center of a field of force. This answered part of the problem that the atomic theory had to answer in that now the particles repelled each other whereas before people felt they would collide and lose velocity therefore going against the law of continuity.

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Mr. Teichman Guest Speaker At Second Literary Guild Lecture

by W. Moran

"Many of the books of the Bible are equal in artistry to the works of Homer, Shakespeare, and Milton," said Mr. Milton Teichman, guest speaker at the second lecture in the series sponsored by the Literary Guild. On Thursday about 65 students heard Mr. Teichman discuss the story of Joseph and his brothers from a purely literary point of view.

Mr. Teichman pointed out that although the story was intended primarily as a religious work, it is an entertaining and creative work of art in the secular world. He showed that it is true literature; that it transcends the limits of time.

The following is a summary of Mr. Teichman's talk.

The story of Joseph deals with the adventures of a boy sold into slavery by his jealous brothers and his rise to the second most powerful position in Egypt. The plot is very interesting.

Throughout the entire narrative suspense is generated. We anticipate the emotional reactions of Joseph and the other characters. The personal conflict between the characters also helps to hold our interest.

Though the plot is excellent, we would not enjoy reading the story repeatedly if the style was not equally great. The author makes very good use of suggestion. He does not give detailed descriptions of the characters or their emotional responses. This style is quite unlike that of the Greeks. Homer, writing at approximately the same time, gives every detail; he leaves nothing to the imagination.

It is this absence of detail that gives a story universality. An author always risks becoming sentimental when he relates each character's emotional response in detail. The biblical author allows the reader to expand his

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The RECORD

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Help Wanted

Dear Editor:

If I may quote the first sentence of your last editorial, "The Record is not only a medium of communication by which news and opinions of the editor may be transmitted." What else is The Record? I begin this little critique by asking by whose criteria is your sentence a sentence? I am not going through a long list of grammatical mistakes found in our paper because this might take up twelve columns. This would indeed be a great catastrophe since it would mean the elimination of such things as:

1. A wonderful column-and-a-half review on a play which can be considered a financial "flop" for the Marist College Student Council. This play was not even a Marist College production. Is someone plugging for Vassar College?

2. A "Sports Spot" which includes such random thoughts as "Willie Mays is better than Mickey Mantle", but even better, "Foxes out, Vikings in..." I believe this is the first time the men of the College have seen the latter statement in print. It might have been a good idea if The Record would have been aware of the official Student Council action (and I compliment Mr. Fogarty's column, it is a step in the right direction) rather than change its foundation. If this would have been done, maybe a little article might have been included about this grave matter of changing the athletic teams' mascot.

I also failed to see an article concerning "one of", and I quote a faculty member, "the largest campus functions of the school year" Parents' Day. Last year's Record had ante and post articles about this most successful, best attended function.

Gentlemen of The Record and fellow students, I have not offered these observations as material for mere criticism, rather with a purpose. I have heard that The Record is failing in its promises for bigger and better editions, and even those weekly editions because of lack of student participation. If this is so, then may I suggest you also include a want ad in the next edition to read "Help Wanted". If twenty-seven staff members are not enough, swallow your pride and advertise. If they are sufficient, then I simply ask, Why?

Sincerely yours,
Daniel Verrico

In the letter above Mr. Verrico asked a question. The other night he unwittingly answered this question. When asked to write a short preview of the proposed Resident Student Christmas Party, Mr. Verrico replied that he might, but that he would not promise anything. This is the attitude which is so detrimental to the functioning of not only the newspaper, but also of many other campus activities.

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I THINK!?

by A. Sapp

Question - What improvement would you most like to see on campus?

John Sullivan - What I would like to see most is a decent football field. Where we have to play now isn't a proper place.

John Callahan - We need some recreational facilities, some kind of a student union, with pool tables, ping pong and a place to play cards.

Ray Bacchi - The student parking lot should be bigger or else set up so that you don't have to park so far away.

Walter Bunten - We need a student union. The cafeteria should be for eating.

Dan Fogarty - There should be expanded recreational facilities for both day and dorm students. A student union and more activities are what I would like to see.

Pete Hanley - I'd like to see a student union with a snack bar so that students would have a place to go and just take it easy.

Question - Did the President handle the Meredith case well?

Tony Rotolo - He did not. In the first place it was not the President, but **his** brother who handled it. He did not **use** much discretion in calling out the troops. Anyway Meredith was backed by the NAACP and responsible for inciting the riot. The President should have showed more tact and finesse.

Joe Sendra - I thought he handled it right. The courts made the decision and it was the law of the land. He had no choice but to enforce the law or else let the mobs in Mississippi rule, which is against our whole tradition as a nation. Oddly enough Meredith gives the appearance of not seeming to appreciate fully what is being done for him. Herman Boldrin - The choice was forced upon the President, but he acted too late. He did not take the initiative and this is the reason why the situation got out of hand.

James O'Neill - More emphasis should have been placed upon the morality of denying a negro's admission than upon the legality of the issue. The use of troops and talk about state rights vs. constitutional rights is actually clouding the real moral issue.

Have you
Submitted
your article
for
THE MOSAIC
yet?

Princeton Prof. To Speak on "Living Clocks"

On December 12th Dr. Colin S. Pittendrigh, Professor of Biology at Princeton University will speak on the subject "Living Clocks". The lecture will be held at 8:30 P.M. in the college gymnasium. The public is invited to attend. Aside from his research interest in biological clocks, Dr. Pittendrigh has made important contributions in the areas of malariology, evolutionary biology and space biology. He is also a co-author with G. G. Simpson of a standard introductory biology text.

Glee Club Invites New Membership

by J. Markett

Where are the musicians of Marist College? We have been asking this question for two years and still have not found an answer. Are the only musicians the "Eastern Trio", an excellent trio of folk singers? Is it just the jazz combo on campus? There must certainly be others who like to sing or play instruments.

The Marist College Glee Club invites, exhorts, even politely begs those who are interested in singing to join their group. We know there must be more than twelve people who like group singing. We also know there is strength in numbers. As an organization the Glee Club on campus can accomplish much for a school but it needs wheels to move.

For those who like diversity we have already been asked to sing jointly with St. Francis and Mt. St. Mary's Glee Club. This cannot be done without men. We are not twelve apostles who can go around converting others. But we sincerely hope that those who are interested in group singing join us. P.S. Meetings 2:30-4:00 P.M. 246 every Friday.



Proposed Marist College Boathouse.

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This is the first appearance of what henceforth will be a regular column in this paper. Its purpose is to set forth items which may be of interest to the entire student body, but which will particularly interest members of the Evening Division. Contributions and comments are welcome. Submitted articles can reach us through your class representative.

On October 27th, a meeting of the Evening Division Student Council was held, and the following officers were nominated and elected:

Chairman: William Filomena
Vice-Chairman: John Gallagher
Recording Secretary: Arthur Butts
Treasurer: Charles Newcomb

Brother Cornelius, sitting with the Council as moderator and faculty representative, addressed the Council on matters of importance to the College and the student body. After deliberation, the Council decided on the following disbursements from the Evening Division treasury:

A. The Record -- \$360.00

These funds were subscribed for the purpose of defraying the cost of making copies of the paper available to evening school students. The donation also includes the cost of adding an extra page to The Record, occasioned by the addition of this column.

B. The New Boathouse -- \$500.00

The new boathouse will contain a gymnasium on its second floor which will be used by the evening students for their social programs, such as dances, films, and guest lectures. The regular facilities of the boathouse will be available to all students, Evening Division included, and after a cautious appraisal of the physical condition of many of the night school members, it was agreed they needed the use of the athletic facilities more than the day students.

C. Cultural Program -- \$300.00

A cultural film program was proposed and a committee nominated to recommend films of merit. When the schedule is drawn, it will be posted on the bulletin board. Additional notice, together with content comment, will appear in this column in the week prior to scheduled showing. All students, their wives and friends, will be admitted without admission charge, and as long as seats are available, the general public is also welcome.

One of the unfortunate aspects of the Evening Division is the apparent lack of class or college spirit. This is understandable, considering normal business and family interests, coupled with an academic program. On this, the comment might be made that some people, no matter how busy they are, can find time to add something to their

Booster Club Plans "Winter Fantasy Dec. 8"

Saturday night, December 8th, the Marist Booster Club will present its "Winter Fantasy". This semi-formal dance, featuring the music of a six piece orchestra, a cocktail hour, and a buffet dinner, will be held in the college cafeteria from nine to one o'clock.

A dozen red roses will be presented to the girl chosen as "Queen of the Winter Fantasy".

Booster President Jim Pizzani expressed hope that 120 or more couples will attend. He predicts that the "Winter Fantasy" will be "undoubtedly the most successful social event of the 1962 Fall semester."

Air Force Recruiter to visit Campus Dec. 6

Sgt. Daniel D. Orledge, Air Force Recruiter, Post Office Building, Poughkeepsie, announced today that the Air Force Officer Selection Team will be visiting the college at 10:30 A.M. on Thursday, December 6th. Sgt. Orledge stated that college seniors may now apply for the Officers Training School of the Air Force and be selected at their month of choice after graduation in 1963. Through the Officers' Training School a college graduate will receive a commission in the Air Force and then go directly into training in the job of his choice. On December 6th the Air Force will utilize the lounge in the main building.

Others, no matter how slight their program can never find the time to meet their schedule. We hope that you will find a little time to take an interest in the activities of your Student Council, for its members are taking their time to consider your interests. What they do is quite likely to have a material effect on your future academic program. Right now, revisions in the areas of curriculum, evening class hours, and credits are being discussed with the administration. Your wishes on any matter can reach the Council through the class representative and if you didn't consider his ability at election time, now is the time to begin worrying. Important issues will be submitted to the general body of students in a balloting procedure before specific action is taken, but, many other matters are decided solely by the Council when it is in session.

On matters concerning money, treasury disbursements have already been made, and means of raising additional revenue have been discussed. Committees have been appointed to examine other matters brought up for discussion.

Parents Day

by P. Kearney

On Sunday, November 4th, the Third Annual Parents Day of Marist College was held. It was organized by the freshman class under the direction of Daniel Verrico and John Christie, co-chairmen of the program. The purpose of Freshman Parents' Day is to give parents of the freshmen a knowledge of the campus and functions of the college.

The day commenced with a Mass for freshmen and their parents in Our Lady Seat of Wisdom Chapel at ten o'clock. Due to the large number of persons attending the Mass, all other resident students were required to attend a later Mass at eleven o'clock. Clebrant of the Mass for parents was the school chaplain, Father Driscoll. In his sermon Father Driscoll stressed the point that parents have entrusted the care of their sons to the faculty of

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coveries about the crystals and this led to the theory of elasticity. There was a consequential look taken at the regularity of crystals and also the regularity of molecular structure.

Dalton is responsible for the growth of atomic theory in chemistry with a constant relationship being shown in compounds.

For a while there was a lull in the development because of philosophical views of positivism, nothing new was discovered, and also the electromagnetic theory was now coming into its own.

Faraday had mainly a continuum theory at this time. The next important step was the showing of detailed arrangement in the atom and how many different compounds could exist, by the scientist Frankoff.

About 1900 the feeling changes about atoms and they felt that the atom could now be charged and possess more energy than an uncharged one. However, there is still a non-acceptable on the part of some people such as the philosophers who were no scientists.

With the move into the modern period new questions faced and still do face the scientists. Not really new questions but the same old ones observed in a different way. Are particles divisible? Some scientists insist that you cannot say it just depends on the means you use. Another important problem relates to empty space. Is the force field which exists in the empty space of the atom material? This question has not been answered conclusively, but depends on definition of terms. The final problem is that of fluctuations and how to account for them

We have arrived in the modern era with more knowledge of atomic theory but we also have more unanswered questions.

the college and that each student must sacrifice his time, and study what is necessary for his success, though it may mean some suffering on his part. After Mass a continental breakfast of coffee and buns was served in the gymnasium.

Following the breakfast, families of the freshmen were permitted to tour the entire campus.

At 3:30 P. M. in the gymnasium, two members of the faculty were introduced to parents by Walter Herbst, President of the Student Council. They were Br. Paul Stokes, Dean, who welcomed parents to Marist and Br. Linus Foy, President of the college. Brother Linus gave a concise history of Marist from its beginnings in 1946 to its present status. Discussed were the rapid growth of the college in the future. Also concerned with Brother Linus' speech was the role of each freshman as in integral part of the student enrollment. He said that each freshman must be willing to accept the successes or failures that he may encounter and use them as stepping stones to the worth goal of a college degree.

After Brother Paul and Brother Linus had spoken, an entertainment program began. It was entitled "This Is Your Talent" and was emceed by John Christie. As the name of the program implies, its purpose was to show parents the accomplishments of their sons in presenting their musical and vocal talents. Preparation of the gymnasium and stage for the program were done by the student brothers.

Entertainment began with the singing of the Marist song by the Glee Club, directed by Mr. Carmen, and accompanied by Alexander Areno, who later played a piano solo. Following his selections was a solo by accordionist Leonard Ciacio, assisted by Terrence Weber playing the drums and Vincent Amodeo, bass fiddle. Then the noted "New Eastern Trio" of Lawrence Plover, Frank Nemitz and Joe Mitchell sang. Joe Mitchell later sang some poems for which he had composed music.

Following a ten-minute intermission, Marist College's own "Bobby Darin", Dennis Feeney, sang with the aid of a six-piece band. The members of the band were Al Hartwell and Terrence Becker (guitars), Leonard Ciacio (accordion), Gerald Fouche (saxophone), Vincent Amodeo (bass fiddle), and Terrence Weber (drums). This concluded the entertainment program.

As a conclusion to the day, parents were given the opportunity of speaking to their sons' teachers and other members of the faculty who were present for interviews. This meeting established a better understanding on the part of parents of their sons' teachers

Marist Conducts Debate Tournament

by T. Troland

Regis High School of New York City captured the first place trophy in the Second Annual Marist College Invitational Debate Tournament at the college on November 10th.

The topic of the debates was the resolution that "The United States should adopt a policy of reciprocal free trade with non-Communist nations."

Religious and laymen from the represented schools served as judges. The moderators were members of the freshman class.

Of the 17 schools represented, the Regis team, coached by the Rev. Vincent Cooke, S. J., compiled the low score of 18 points while suffering only one loss in six decisions. Second place was taken by Xavier High, whose record was also 5-1, scoring 23 points. A tie between Brooklyn Prep and St. John's Prep was broken on the basis of speaking ability. Each had scored 26 points and had identical 5-1 records, but the third place trophy was awarded to St. John's.

The first place silver trophy was awarded to Father Cooke on behalf of his victorious team, R. Mannix, J. Koelte, R. Waites, and R. Merz, amid the applause of all participants. From this enthusiasm and the obviously great amount of research that went into each argument, it was apparent that the debate was a success. It should continue to be such a success for many years to come.

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narrative in many places. By doing this, sentimentalism never occurs because each reader adds only enough emotion to make the scene dramatic in his own mind.

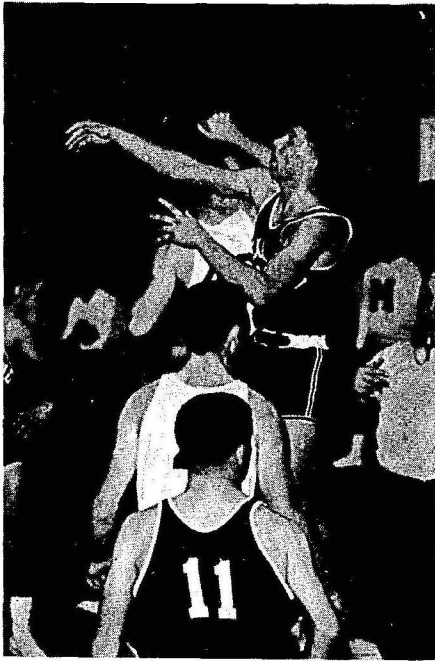
The characters measure up to modern standards. They come alive because they are portrayed as changing. They develop; they are not static. The author presents them when they were young and when they were older men. The dramatic contrast which this technique allows enables us to see the progressive development of the protagonists.

Because the author relies so heavily upon implication that the theme is open to a great deal of interpretation. One of the many possible themes is that the good man may suffer too and that virtue is not always rewarded. He is attempting to deepen our insights into the problem of human suffering. He wants to show us that god may select a man to suffer and use him as an instrument of his will. In this respect the story of Joseph is very similar to that of Job.

and of the study environment here at Marist.

Marist Cagers Successful in Openers Downs Rockland 69-54, Shelton 89-61 and Berkshire Christian 98-43

by J. Barry & J. Dworak



Where's the ball? Marist and Rockland cagers scramble for "jump" as fans cheer Red Fox team to 69-54 win.

The evening of November 20th saw the Marist quintet open their home season before an overflow crowd. All the spectators were treated to a show of power as the home cagers rolled over Rockland 69-54.

For the major part of the first half the game was a nip and tuck affair. During this period the lead changed hands eight times. As intermission came Marist was on top by a slim 28-25 score.

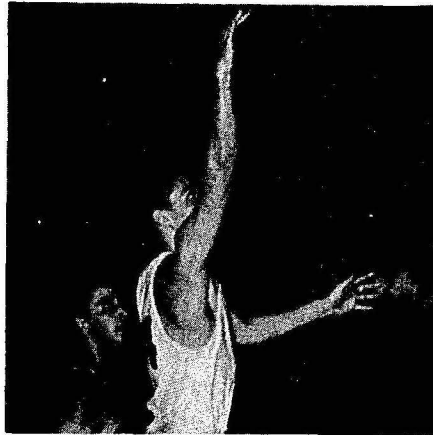
When the final period opened the invaders never had a chance. The Red-Foxes began to press as well as ball-hawking which accounted for our quick spurt into a big lead. Rockland never again came close and at one point fell behind by 26 points.

Pacing the onslaught was Captain Fred Weiss with 18 points and 15 rebounds. Behind Weiss in the scoring time was Tom Finucane with 14, Den O'Brien with 12 and Jim Clancy with 10. The last one, Clancy, rose from the bench to score his points. Tom Trojanowski pushed in an additional 9 points. Rounding out the scoring attack was Dave Flynn with 4 and Jim Daley with 2.

Tuesday night, November 27th saw the Marist hardwood crew engage in their first away tilt of the campaign. Playing host to the Red Foxes was Shelton College and Lakeland High School. In the season opener Shelton met their demise by getting routed 89-61 before a house half-filled with Marist men.

After the first nine minutes of play the score was tied 13-13, never again was it close. At this point the Foxes turned on the press and started a quick pull away. Finally when half time rolled around the home club trailed by 16 points, 43-27.

The second half attack was led by Tom Finucane when he scored 15 of his 21 points. During this period the ball was stolen 12 times by Marist, 7 times by Tom Trojanowski. Not much more can be said about the game that isn't made clear by the box score except it was never a close game and let's do it again.



Marist hoopster Tom Trojanowski gives unidentified Rockland player shooting instructions as Fox team wins opener.

Tom Wade's Marist College hoopers romped to an easy 98-43 win over an out-classed Berkshire Christian College team Thursday night at the Marist court.

It was the third straight victory of the new season for the cagers. They have yet to lose.

The game saw the home club jump to an early lead and never be threatened. From the outset of the game it was apparent that the lack of height on the Berkshire squad would be a factor.



Two more for Marist as cager Jim Clancy scores against Berkshire Christian.

Fred Weiss was the high scorer for the home team with 18 points. Tom Finucane collected 13 markers. Denny O'Brien carded 15 points. Big John Ouellet cashed in with 10 points. Dave Flynn pushed through 12 points.

Wade started the same five men as he did in the first two contests of the year, Weiss, O'Brien, Finucane, Flynn and Trojanowski.

With the contest ten minutes old he began substituting.

The defense was as it had been in the first two tilts, very solid. Tom Trojanowski, one of the top scorers on last year's team has been serving as the playmaker on the club and his defense has helped hold down the opposition's total. Denny O'Brien has been outstanding on defense also and his outside shooting has made him one of the big threats on the club.

Wade's charges rolled up a 44-24 lead at the half and returned after the intermission to pile up 54 points to the hapless Knights' total of 19.

The depth of the squad was shown in the second half as John Ouellet came off the bench and tallied five field goals in six minutes. Bernie Dooley also came on to make a fine showing. "Officer" Jim Daly, a veteran of last year's club, played most of the second stanza and chipped in with several fine scores. Fizz LaForge and Wally Barisonek made fine showing and contributed to the fine all-round team effort.

All the members of the team saw action in the game and all scored. With the showings the team has made in its initial outings, prospects are very good for a very successful season. The bench strength and the high spirit that follows the team both point toward this. Tom Wade has done a fine job with some excellent players.

Shelton	F. G.	F. T.	Pts.	Rockland	F. G.	F. T.	Pts.	Berkshire	F. G.	F. T.	Pts.
Anderson	8	7	23	Conklin	5	2	12	Amnott	1	2	4
Fredericks	4	4	12	Cioco	2	0	4	Ayer	0	0	0
Robison	7	4	18	Mortin	3	1	7	Barton	0	3	3
Zimmerman	2	2	6	Dondere	5	0	10	Biron	4	0	8
McCabe	1	0	2	Shuttle	3	2	8	Bradley	4	2	10
Heldorn	0	0	0	Lynn	1	0	2	Denius	1	4	6
Yorhell	0	0	0	Dunne	3	2	8	Kooey	0	0	0
Nichols	0	0	0	Bremen	1	1	3	Osbourne	3	0	6
	22	17	61	Feinmon	0	0	0	Ruton	0	0	0
				Kay	0	0	0	Thurston	0	0	0
Marist				O'Donoghuet	0	0	0	Walker	0	0	0
Finucane	10	1	21	Meunien	0	0	0	Weymouth	3	0	6
O'Brien	6	3	15		23	8	54	Wood	0	0	0
Weiss	7	0	14	Marist					16	11	43
Trojanowski	6	4	16	Barisonek	0	0	0	Marist			
Flynn	3	2	8	Clancy	5	0	10	Barisonek	0	1	1
Clancy	5	3	13	Daly	1	0	2	Clancy	2	2	6
Barisonek	0	0	0	Dooley	0	0	0	Daly	1	0	2
Ouellet	0	2	2	Dooley	0	0	0	Dooley	4	0	8
	37	15	89	Finucane	7	0	14	Finucane	5	3	13
				Flynn	2	0	4	Flynn	6	0	12
				LaForge	0	0	0	LaForge	1	0	2
				O'Brien	5	2	12	O'Brien	7	1	15
				Ouellet	0	0	0	Ouellet	5	0	10
				Trojanowski	4	1	9	Trojanowski	2	0	4
				Viola	0	0	0	Viola	0	1	1
				Weiss	9	0	18	Weiss	9	0	18
				Wright	0	0	0	Wright	3	0	6
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Sailers Play Host in First Regatta Nov. 17

On Saturday November 17th Marist College hosted their first sailing regatta. The races commenced at 10:30 A. M., and the participants were Fordham University, Iona College and Marist College. The results were measured in points with Iona holding top position with 20 points, Fordham second with 15 points and Marist third with 14 points. One point is given for every boat you surpass and 1/4 point for winning.

Two different courses were followed. First was the windward-leeward; then the triangular course.

The windward-leeward encompassed going from the starting line to just one mark in the triangular pattern and back to the starting line, which is then the determined finished line. The triangular course is a course in which all three buoys are rounded in a triangular pattern and returning to the starting point.

The Marist results are as follows:

One first place by Tracy Flanagan, John Benjamin and crew.

One second place by John Brown and Mark Scott.

Two third places by Ed Krissler, Vincent Amodeo and Jim Scott.

Three DNF's (did not finish). With these DNF's Marist lost second place only by one point. The only first place (by Tracy Flanagan) was evident early in the race when Tracy Flanagan took a commanding lead and gradually lengthened it.

The Marist Sailing Association is looking forward to again acting as host on December 1st in a Sailing Regatta against Iona, Fordham, Columbia, Cooper Union and RPI.

Sports Spot

by T. Macken & J. Dworak

At this writing the hoop team has made only one appearance and we can look to the team as improving with time as was shown in the initial outing last week. We certainly hope that no one left after the first half because it was like two different teams. The club worked together much better in the second half but the lack of scrimmages before the opening game looked to be a definite handicap in the first half of the encounter. Someone once said that the best defense was a good offense, well in the case of the Foxes it seems quite different. On defense the club leaves little to be desired. But their offensive punch seemed to be lacking in the first half of the tilt. We think that the work of Tom Finucane and Denny O'Brien will soon be changing this and combined with the veteran scoring threat of Fred Weiss could furnish the needed scoring drive.

The Marist matmen opened with what, in the opinion of your two scribes, was a very impressive showing. For the handicaps that the team had to put up with they deserve a great deal of credit. A much more experienced Rockland team had difficulty in gaining its 23-15 win. For many members of the Marist squad it was their first taste of the mat sport.

The weightlifters have expressed

hope that the college will soon have the complete facilities to conduct a full program. The team has a tentative meet against the Arlington Barbell Club, a local organization.

We notice that the ball is really rolling toward the ground breaking for the new boathouse. A model of the structure has been on display in the school and reaction to the building is very favorable. We hope that by the time the crew begins its spring workouts work will be under way.

Rumor has it that Bill Lenahan, former Marist student, will be moving into a top position with the Roosevelt High School football team next fall. Bill had been assisting Ed Donohue at Lourdes, with their highly successful grid program this year.

Fred Weiss and John Romeo have undertaken the highly unenviable job of organizing the intramural basketball program. The program is under the sponsorship of the Varsity Club. As plans have it, the slate begins on the 4th of this month.

Random Thoughts:

Who won intramural football? ... Kudos to ex-cager Ron Franks on his engagement. ... Nobody asked us, but it's a shame that Green Bay will go out with a 13-1 record this year. Your noted authors seem to be opposed on the fate of the New York Giants when they meet the Packers in the final gridiron contest of the year. What notorious campus faction has organized a loaded IM hoop team.