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Alumni Meet With Students; Discuss Career Possibilities

By LEISA SPACEK

The signing of bids by rushers to finance this fall’s sorority scholarship period, Friday, Oct. 8, at 4:30 p.m., was held in Bomberger. It was dominated by the traditional blazers and backs of the Greek sororities. On the steps of the old library appeared eleven girls who had been notified by the Alpha Xi Delta, Phi Mu, five behind Kappa Delta Rho, Sigma Gamma Rho, Theta Phi Alpha, Pi Beta Phi, and Omega Chi, and nine behind Tau Sigma Gamma.

The whole committee for achieving sorority membership begins with the Spring Rushing Parties held at the end of each year. Each sorority holds a party on a given day for which all eligible girls are invited. Following the parties, a meeting is held with the Dean of Women at which time each girl lists three sororities that interest her. This is done to aid sororities in making up their rush lists. For the first time this fall, an Inter-Sorority Party was held in Bomberger. Each girl was invited to wander from one sorority room to another. Each sorority member had another chance to recuperate and to think about sorority.

On Sunday night at a meeting with the Dean of Women, rushers were awarded a final list. Also at this time sororities made up a preferred list which included the girls that had rushed. A final list compiled by the Dean was then made from both preferred lists. Each girl on this list was given a bid from a sorority. The rusher then either accepted or rejected membership.

Frosh Elect Officers; Election Finally Held After Some Difficulty

By BILL HAFFER

The class of ’72 finally held its election of officers on October 6. It was held after the due date and procedures of the election had been changed several times.

The officers elected were: Kenneth (Alibi) Ridgeway, president; Susan Hile, vice-president; Charles Martin, secretary; and Richard Whaley, treasurer.

The class of ’72, which has been originally scheduled for September 28, but due to a lack of interest, it was postponed till October 6.

All interested students are enthusiastically invited to attend the regular meeting of the class. It has been deemed desirable to have the election of officers so that the campus Christian community may conduct itself in a manner that is non-denominational, non-factional fellowship.

The election was postponed again until the time of the commencement which was December 12. The election was postponed due to the fact that many students were unable to attend the regular meeting. The election was rescheduled for October 6. On further examination it was found that it was not legal to re-open nominations in this manner. For a time it looked as though the whole procedure was at an end. However, the administration finally held the election on October 12.

When those people who had had their nominating petitions in on time for the original date of the election heard that they would have to start over again there was some amount of protest. The class of ’72 decided by the election committee to allow the election to be held Wednesday, and which nominations would be valid.

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In the absence of a vote by those who had their nominating petitions in on Thursday, the class of ’72 decided that the election committee would hold the election immediately.

The vote of the witnesses and understanding is now over. The class of ’72 has its officers for the year and they hope that some of the officers will lead the class to an international place in the Ursinus community.
FOCUS:

By DAVE GRANOFF and BILL HAFER

Ron Lausch is a Philosophy and Religion major from Lebanon, Pennsylvania. He will graduate in January, 1972. After graduation, Ron plans to enroll in divinity school to become an Episcopal Priest.

"I try to look at the position of the two extremes on an issue, and then to find some common problem which is a vein of compromise.

Two of Ron's greatest enjoyments at Ursinus have been his studies in philosophy and religion, and his association with students and faculty. For him the people at Ursinus are simply "fantastic."

"The students at Ursinus are all great people and the greatness of some of them has been very influential to me. I have found a lot of friends here who are very open, and I am impressed by their frankness. During my four years I have met very few hypocritical people. Almost all are friendly, and it is because of this, that I have made many lasting friendships to be enjoyed for years to come; for which, I am very grateful. There are many professors who have exercised a great influence on me. These relationships with faculty and students have played a great part in making my college career successful.

"The relationships I have seen between the faculty and students at Ursinus are both genuine and helpful. I have found my relationships with most of my professors to be most valuable. The regular and frequent seminars have helped in the formation of these relationships."

Ron also found his work on papers for the College scholars program very helpful. "The Scholars program gave me the opportunity to read and pursue it in my own way."

"Ron has taken many courses in Greek and Latin in his four years at Ursinus. He says of his interests in these languages: "It seems in the fact that I enjoy the study of early Church history."

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Faculty Portrait:  
Dr. Albert L. Reiner

By CAROL J. SEIFRIT

Dr. Albert L. Reiner, associate professor of romance languages, begins teaching at Ursinus this semester. He received a B.A. from Harvard University in 1936; a M.A. in 1937; and a doctorate in romance languages from Harvard in 1941.

Dr. Reiner was Director of Market Research. In 1953, he was sent to France by the J. Walter Thompson Company, an advertising firm, to establish the first student panel in Paris. At that time, he was teaching at Harvard, and in 1941 he turned to the Ursinus student body. These students are called the Bear Squad. A few years later the Bear Squad was organized as a distinct group, but at present it is integrated into the Fire Company, and its membership is determined by position as any town member.

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Dr. Reiner asserts that his only child is his teaching, and that his only fault is his teaching. He received a B.A. from Ursinus in 1936; a M.A. in 1937; and a doctorate in romance languages from Harvard in 1941.
**Gridders Drop Third Straight Record Now Stands At 1-0-1**

**By DON MACIVEY**

After consecutive losses to Franklin & Marshall and Washington & Jefferson, Valley the Ursinus College football team met Johns Hopkins University last Saturday. The Bears scored their third touchdown of the season when they beat the Quakers last week, making the final score 19-12. The win put the team in a tie for first place in the conference and moved them closer to the championship.

**Second Half**

Johns Hopkins received to open the second half, and were forced to punt after four downs. Ursinus took over on their own 30 yard line and the Bears mounted a drive only to be stopped on a third-down play in the second quarter (9:55 minutes elapsed). Charles Anthony made a nice pass to Dan Spencer, but the ball went out of bounds.

Once again the Bears realized the ball on the 40 yard line. The Ursinus defense did its best to stop the Bears, but in the second quarter (4:15 and 3:30) the Bears scored a field goal. The drive was highlighted by a 25 yard touchdown pass to John Sabatino in the third quarter.

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Small Minds

(Continued from Page 2, Columns 1 and 2) with the same dismaying regimentation, pressures, and loneliness intrinsic to a college existence, a few must try to endure the hardships of utilizing, common, vulgar plows to destroy the very fiber of another student. Such smallness is hardly characteristic of an educated mind. It is certainly very sad that already many of our students know what is true and worthy of their support, that so many have already closed their eyes to what surrounds them. They cannot begin to know or understand the victims of their own actions, nor is this any importance to them. They presume to slowly break down that which, from a distance, they find either ridiculous or moderately offensive.

It is well-sealed that small towns breed small minds.

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**Kilt Klads' Comment: Dynamite**

By RUTHWYNNE CONNELL

This season the Snellsbells look like DYNAMITE, with an offense and defense exploiting each other's fast, speed, and experience. Miss Snell is back to coach what could be another fantastic team.