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SGA CUTS CONATUS PETTINICCHI-VAN NOSTRAND "CONATUS ACTION IMMATURE" YEARBOOK GETS O.K. FOR \$2000

FALL
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INSIDE

By a large majority, the Student Government Association voted to deduct one-hundred and eighteen dollars and fifty cents from their 1962-63 allocation to Conatus, the campus literary magazine. This was to make up for the amount which Conatus exceeded on their budget during the past year. The money was spent WITHOUT APPROVAL FROM S.G.A.

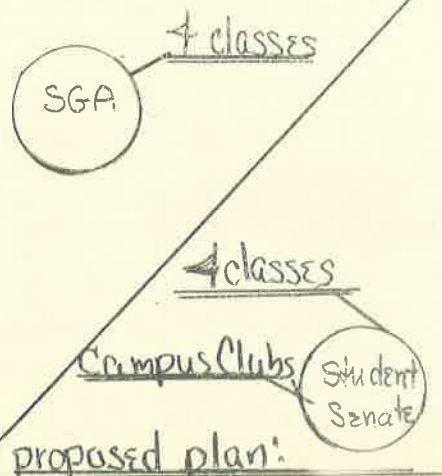
President Pettinicchi commented "the Conatus situation is the first incident of this type in the known history of the Student Government Association, and it will be the last as far as I am concerned. On behalf of Vice-president Van-Nostrand and myself, I would like to say that we both feel that this was a case of immaturity and incompetence. This was a slap in the face of the student body and the S.G.A., and it will not be tolerated in the future."

LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP BEGINS

On October 4th, thursday, there will be the first meeting of the 1962-63 Student Leadership Workshop. The agenda will be continued from that of last year: the feasibility of a Student Senate form of government, as well as ironing out basic organizational problems and improving communications systems and social programs. The workshop is sponsored by SGA. Invitations will be issued to student organization heads to attend.

The Senate form of student government for DSC is not a new idea. The benefits of such a system-- the increased efficiency, the better representation of the student body, a more active student government, and others, were recognized by J. Demo, '61 SGA president, and the workshop was started. It is being continued this year (cont.)

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RADIO COMES TO DSC

Students from DSC will appear on a new program on WLAD each Sunday from 12:30 to 1:00 P.M. beginning on October 14, as a panel discussing current world affairs. The first program will be taped by interviewer Abe Nejame in the Student Union on Thursday evening at seven o'clock, October 11. All spectators are welcome.

- C.G.A.

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NOTICES* NOTICES*NOTICES*

The Rev. Walter W. Curtiss,
S.T.D., Bishop of Bridgeport,
will visit DSC Monday, Oct. 7
at 3 P.M.
Sponsored by Aquinas Club,
Oct. 1

SGA treasurers meeting - Mem-
orial Hall Thursday, Sept.
27 at 7P.M.
Sept. 27

SGA General Council meeting
Monday, Oct. 8, at 7 in Hig-
gin's Auditorium.
Oct. 8

Student Leadership WORK-
SHOP -- Thursday, Oct. 4th,
at 7PM in Higgin's Auditorium.
Oct. 4

THE "HIGHWAYMEN"- Sunday, Oct.
28 at 8:30. Tickets-\$3.50

NOTICES cont'

FALL WEEKEND - starts Oct. 18
write your "tail tales" now.

Mousepack- Tuesday evening,
initiation nite- Oct. 2 in
Danbury.

Flag Football-- deadline for
rosters is tuesday. Get a te-
am! * Oct. 2*

LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP

(cont')

under the presidency of Bob
Pettinicchi.

The major change involved
in a switch to the Senate fo-
rum of Student Government
would be taking the represen-
tation from the various clubs
and organizations AS WELL AS
from the four classes.

The Campus organizations
and their officers for '62-
'63 are:

- Aquinas Club- Tony Baird
- CISL- Al Martin
- Constan-- Eileen Neifosh
- ECA- Ethus Lynch
- "Ech8"- Kathy Henebry
- Dramatons- Chris Delice
- Fall Wknd.- Pat Lockwood
- Fair field H.- Sandra Servais
- IRF- G. Hattersly
- Jr. Prom- J. Roman III
- M AA- Diane Schmitzer
- MENC- Tom McIlroy
- Kappa Delta Pi- Linda Lewis
- Irv Thurott
- Orientation- Bob Masters
- SGA- Bob Pettinicchi
- WAA- Joan Jegelwicz
- Yearbook- Kathy Stuart
- Varsity Mgr.- Squeek Tino
- SEAC- Betty Vitanyi
- Science Club- Al Janesky

EDITOR'S CORNER

One of the things I really
go for in this college is its
diversification. Take the
time for instance; we have
Daylight Savings Time, Hig-
gins Time, Berkshire Time,
Eastern Standard Time, Old
Main Time, Memorial Time, ...
take your pick. No matter
what class you're headed
for, you'll be late. The
instructor is bound to be go-
ing by Professor Time, which
is invariably early at the
beginning of class, and some-
how is always late at the end
of class.

That's not all, there's the
Gregorian Calendar, the Ju-
lian Calendar, The Old Main
Calendar, the Egyptian Cal-
endar... guess which one the
Administration goes by. For
the Students, however, they
have devised something else.
At any rate, the two just do
not mate. For instance, Mr.
Stinchfield's 8 o'clock His-
tory Class gathered in B3 on
Thursday morning, according
to their schedules. No Mr.
Stinchfield. On Friday morn-
ing Mr. Stinchfield arrived
in B3, according to his
schedule. Do you get the
general idea? I don't.

Incidentally, if the news
of our time system ever gets
to Wall Street, IBM stock
will immediately drop ten
points.

End this Capitalist dec-
adence--- write your Broker
NOW.

--- K. H.
Editor

Letters to the Editor may
be sent to Memorial Hall
Box no. 78.

P. Mallozzi - OK, Bert!

FEATURE FASHIONS

This year the campus is decorated with fashions of the warm glowing colours of autumn. In high style are the rust, beige, and olive green suede jackets, & colour-hued skirts, and jumpers. Bulky-knit cardigans and pullovers of red, orange, green, copper-glo and blue are very seasonable items, as are the pleated wool skirts, in solids and plaids, worn with them. On the new fashion frontier are dungaree denim, wrap-around and flare skirts, and burlap and mad-ras handbags. Though different, all these fashions have one thing in common: the colour, texture, and beauty of an autumn day.

--- Debbie Lucas

Church and Miss May Greene of the Danbury State College faculty.

--- Mary Anne Previdi

AUTUMN LEAVES

The Student Union is sponsoring a Fashion Show, Wed., Oct. 10 at 7:30, in the Fine Arts Room. The fashions to be shown will be from John McLean's Department Store and Bardo-Platt Inc. both of Danbury. We hope that you will be able to attend this event which will be featuring men and women's apparel. The models have been selected from our own campus and will include many familiar faces. Don't forget! Wed., Oct. 10, Fine Arts Room, at 7:30. See you there!

---B. Gillotti

SCHEDULE FOR FALL WEEKEND

THURSDAY

9:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.
Voting

6:30 P.M.-7:00 P.M.
Parade and Float

7:00 P.M.-10:00 P.M.
Block Dance and Coronation

FRIDAY

2:00 P.M.-4:00 P.M.
Displays

4:00 P.M.
Judging

7:00 P.M.
Tall Tales Contest

8:00 P.M.-9:00 P.M.
Dramatons

9:30 P.M.-10:00 P.M.
Winners

11:00 P.M.
Official Serenading

SAURDAY

1:00 P.M.-2:00 P.M.
Micro-Olympics

2:00 P.M.
Soccer

6:00 P.M.-12: P.M.
Semi- Formal

SUNDAY

Student Union
Community Sing

Don't forget the first
Soccer game of the season-
Saturday, Sept. 29, at 2:00

BISHOP CURTISS EXPECTED

His excellency Walter W. Curtiss S.T.D., Bishop of Bridgeport, will pay his first visit to Danbury State College on Monday evening, October 1, at eight o'clock. He will speak to the students in the art room of the Student Union. All are invited to attend.

Bishop Curtiss, the second Bishop of the Diocese of Bridgeport and formerly of the Diocese of Newark, New Jersey, will depart on October 7 for Rome where he will take part in the proceedings of the Vatican's Ecumenical Council.

This event will mark the beginning of the year's activities of the Aquinas

Club which is under the direction of the Rev. Martin Hitchcock of St. Peter's

CONATUS

The Editors of CONATUS happily and rather proudly announce that once again this year Book Awards by prominent local authors will be given as prizes in the Winter Issue.

For the best poem published in this issue, Mr. Louis Untermeyer of Newtown, who is Consultant in Poetry to the Library of Congress, will give an inscribed copy of his anthology, MODERN AMERICAN POETRY & MODERN BRITISH POETRY (COMBINED EDITION).

For the best prose piece published, Mr. William Swanberg, also of Newtown, will give an inscribed copy of his recent biography of a colorful and controversial figure, CITIZEN HEARST.

DEADLINE-OCT. 10th-BOX 202.

S.G.A. MEETING

The first meeting of the Student Government Association was called to order at 7:PM Monday evening in Higgins Lecture Hall by President Robert M. Pettinicchi. The minutes of the meeting of May 14th, were read and accepted, and the treasurer reported a balance of \$231.25.

Fall Weekend Chairman Pat Lockwood reported that a general meeting of all committees was held last week at which time the theme "Country Fair" was chosen. A schedule of the events of the weekend and the time at which they will take place has been drawn up.

The Yearbook Staff, represented by Kathy Stuart, asked for a re-allocation of two hundred dollars in addition to the \$4,300 allocation of last Spring. After discussion of costs of publishing and photography, higher student enrollment, and a three dollar payment by each senior in order to defray the cost somewhat, a motion was made and passed to accept the appeal of the Yearbook and grant their request of \$200.00.

A motion was made to re-establish the Food Committee and, after discussion concerning the value of the committee and the favorable qualities of the new food management, the motion was passed. Pettinicchi stated that the new food manager was quite cooperative. The new Food Committee includes: Barbara Mallozzi, Joe Manello, Jack Sikora, and Mary Stumpf. All students may go to the committee with both positive and negative comments. Students-

were reminded of the appropriate dress in the cafeteria.

A motion was moved, seconded, and passed to deduct \$118. and 50 cents from the present Conatus Staff since last year's staff exceeded their allocation by this amount. Both President Pettinicchi and Vice-President Van Nostrand commented on the Conatus issue and favored the Council's decision.

It was reported that the Constitution Committee is working on plans for a Student Senate which will be presented to the student body after its completion.

Kathy Hensbry, Editor of the ECHO, appealed to all campus organizations to have their publicity secretaries submit reports of their meetings including the clubs present and future plans. This is the primary manner in which club news may be shared and brought to the attention of the students. This will also supply the Echo staff with substantial news.

Mr. Pettinicchi reported on the Leadership Committee, which consists of the president and vice-president of each campus organization. The purpose of this committee, which will hold its first meeting on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4th, is to unite the organizations in order to improve social conditions on campus and communications between organizations.

Mr. Pettinicchi introduced Dr. F. Burton Cook, who explained his position as advisor of the Student Government Association.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20PM. See you at the next S.G.A. meeting.

- Dawn Bassett Pub. Sec.
Next S.G.A. Meeting on Monday Evening, October 8th. 7:PM

THE MUSIC CORNER by Sandra Rachiewicz

Welcome Freshmen Music Eds! Upper classmen can easily recognize these newly arrived Music Educators as we walk down the practise room hallway and peer into the practise rooms. If the faculty is concerned about the extra holes in the sound-proofing in these rooms, they really shouldn't be. The Freshman String Class has sent these frosh out to practise the violin and often times the bows poke holes in the sound-proofing.

The Music Department also welcomes back our Sophomores, the piano-surviving Juniors, and of course we mustn't forget the honorable Seniors.

The first Musicale of the Music Department will be held on Tuesday, October 3. The entire student body is invited to attend these student performances every Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 P.M. in Berkshire Auditorium. Admission is free and your attendance is well-appreciated.

The annual Music Educators National Conference banquet was held on Wednesday, September 29th at the Arion Singing Society hall. The Freshmen Music Eds were guests of honor of the Music Department members of M.E.N.C. The M.E.N.C. officers, Mr. Charles Lanning, our faculty advisor, and the Music Department faculty were also present. The evening was a pleasant success as it has been in previous years. Congratulations, M.E.N.C. officers, for doing a splendid job this year on the banquet!

Our Faculty Advisor has forbidden us to publish the columns entitled "Reggie", and the "Gauntlet" as they are "immoral" and unsigned. He is apprehensive of being sued for libel, although this has never happened before in the history of the "ECHO". The news will be straight from now on, probably from the Faculty Bulletin, as he suggests.

**** K. Henebry
Editor
Echo

The following is a list of the
 names of the persons who
 were present at the meeting
 held on the 10th of October
 at the residence of Mr.

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