Cohen, McMenamin Receive Scholarships

Two scholarships covering all expenses except tuition costs have been awarded for the Field Study in Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands December 24-34, 1962. One scholarship, for which a Junior Social Studies major was eligible, has been awarded by the Trustees of the Field Studies Trust Income Account to Fred J. McMenamin, Jr. Another scholarship, for which students in the Spanish Department were eligible, has been awarded by the Faculty Committee on Scholarships to Judy Cohen.

Fred is a member of Gamma Theta Epsilon, International Relations Club, Thurian, and Alpha Phi Omega. His home is in Denville. He has volunteered to serve as a lifeguard during the summer.

Judy, a Spanish major, is a member of the Citizenship Club, the Citizenship Committee, Sigma Theta Pi, Future Teachers of America Class Council. She is a resident of Newark.

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Wapalanne Worries

Due to financial difficulties, Camp Wapalanne may not be able to offer a spring work weekend this year. This may mean that many students, who have not already signed up for the work weekend, will lose the opportunity to participate in the camp. The decision to cancel the work weekend was made because the camp needs funds to continue operations.

Although the work weekend may not be held, there are still other ways for students to get involved with the camp. Students can volunteer their time to help with the camp's activities, or they can make donations to help support the camp's operations.

Life for All

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Despite this, however, very few students have taken advantage of the opportunity made available to them. During the past weekend, held two weeks ago, only a dozen students participated; others had signed up but did not show on Friday. Perhaps it is also felt that not enough interest has been shown in the past and it is not possible to worthwhile to the camp in the actual work accomplished by so few.

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To the Editor:

Dear Editor,

I would like to express the appreciation of a number of dormitory students to the Wapalanne Work Weekend Committee. Since their meeting with us, the committee seemed interested in the selection and the quality of food we eat.

However, the cafeteria clocks usually work only at their own discretion, and we students are refused admittance to the dining room after about 5:00 P.M. This is especially unfair to senior off-campus students who must rely on the cafeteria for their meals. We feel it would be enough to be regulated by a clock but can sometimes arrive home to get time coordinated in this way?

A dorm student
Wapalanne

There were a disappointing few who bourn to welcome Mr. Engle to Wapalanne that Friday afternoon, but we were in high spirits because we had anticipated at least two other groups of college students participating in the work-weekend away from campus. Nevertheless, we determined to make the best of the situation, accomplishments and new ideas.

As we all know, conversation is terribly important on a date. What, then, does one do? Harlow was, as always, prepared when he called for Priscilla, and she flounced away and poor Harlow was too flustered to even ask why. "You are my love," she cried, and sprang into his lap. "Then you are not a dull fellow," she added, and sprang into his lap. "You are my love." Yes, he was my love.

The men of Senate enjoyed their time. At a women's convention, Paul Engle described the importance of poetry and how it can enter into a great poem. Some of Keats' life was then mentioned to exemplify the great passions of poetry. Mr. Engle had transmitted his feeling into the poem, thereby making a perpetual image of beauty in praise of an image of beauty. Part of Keats' life can be portrayed while the masterpiece and the youth, the two will never catch up, hinging at Keats' over-emotional love for Fanny Brown.

The renowned lecturer then proceeded to describe how "accuracy is a poet's job." He gave several definitions of poetry, one by Wallace Stevens, an American poet, who claims, "poetry is an abstraction blooded, and another by a French poet who feels, "poetry is a holiday of the mind.

Mr. Engle also recited two of his own works to emphasize phases of the art of poetry. He described an episode of his daughter's experience when she was responsible for a bungling of a toy belonging to the boy next door. Engle had then written a poem about the incident.

Throughout the presentation, Mr. Engle spoke his lectures with humorous comment and clever description, which was well received by the audience. The program was given such a time of the year for, as Mr. Engle read, in marking, all had that he said implies to "poetry at all times."

What the poet wrote a poet in public because it is made available for everyone.

Betty Jean Rosenberg

MSC Fencers Participate In Meet

On Saturday, November 17, six Montclair State Fencers participated in the New Jersey Women's Fencing Meet, held at Paterson State College. Representative from Montclair were Karen Borella, Fran Fila, Charly Moncure, and Diane Beattie.

From a field of some forty fencers from the New York-New Jersey area, Fran Fila scored her highest round place with 8 out of 10 in the final round placing eighth in the end results. One step behind Fran, Karen Borella who placed ninth in the overall standings.

First, second, and third places were also accomplished by Rutgers - Newark, and F.D.U., Teaneck, respectively.

Poet's Corner

Pineapple

I've tasted ecstasy
How can I swallows happiness?
I've tasted the clouds
How can my lips taste the earth?
I've touched love
How can I hold fondness?
Half-caste am I-
Having tasted the pure fire
Can I longer be satisfied
With a peaceful desire.
AD

We Are
We are a mass of insects crawling over the surface of the big spinning ball,
Moving in the darkness,
We are very important to us, crawling this way,
For, our very important sounds,
We are parasites of the biggest order.
Maybe someone will stop us

for crawling in his house.

The Newcomer Club of Mont-
clair State University held its Women's Interest on February 8, 9 and 10 at St. Paul's Alumni Center in Jersey City.
Reservations for the week-end meditation cost $5.00 and are due December 15.

Alumni women interested in joining may call Miss Mary Bergman via Mary Bergman via
Smoke Signals...

Spirit is an abstract word. It has many meanings both in and out of context. In sub-division number 12 of the definitions offered in Webster's New International Dictionary, the word is described as meaning "enthusiastic loyalty; as school, class, college spirit." Being one who does not believe in black or white, either-or reasoning, I hesitate to join those on campus who ceaselessly criticize the "complete lack of school spirit on the campus.

I do not believe that the lack of school spirit is complete or that the low level of observable spirit such as the absence of fans at athletic events is a permanent one.

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