Bill Bradley hosts leadership conference

By Lilyanne McClean and Jane Bech Nielsen

U.S. Senator Bill Bradley told 160 high school students Monday that strong political careers require substance, an understanding of procedure and personality.

The students attended the Ninth Annual High School Leadership Conference sponsored by Bradley at MSC. The conference is designed to help high school students become more aware of the political decision-making process.

"I believe it is important for students to understand how public policy is developed and appreciate the trade-offs involved in formulating those policies," Bradley said. "These seminars help students analyze the process by examining some major issues facing Congress. Senators must consider the economical, political, and moral effects of each decision according to Bradley.

"Today you are all going to pretend you are U.S. senators, and participate in seminars," Bradley told the students in his opening remarks. "You are going to interact, debate, and hopefully by the end of the day, you will be faced with questions you hadn't asked before."

Bradley described the difference seminars the students would be attending. "You are going to do in an hour what Congress has been unable to do for the last nine years," Bradley said about a seminar titled "Balancing the Budget."

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SIS speeds registration

By Brian Nase
Assistant Assignments

Speed and accuracy of registration will improve as of Sept. 1, with the implementation of Student Information System (SIS), announced MSC's registrar Marshall Butler last week.

He said that SIS is a computer software package which is part of a newly purchased software system that includes a filing system for financial aid, student scheduling, records and billing, and admissions.

Although implementation of the entire SIS package is not expected for at least two to three years, Butler said that the admission system is currently in effect and he expects the student scheduling system to be effective as of Sept. 1, and the financial-aid system by mid-March.

He added that the new software system known as an "online" system differs from the old "batch" system primarily in the area of accessibility.

According to Butler, the system provides the user with immediate access to student files. The major advantage of this system is the rate of speed at which a student's file can be retrieved, he said.

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This will hopefully encourage students and their advisors to communicate with each other more frequently, he said.

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He said that he is "concerned that the change in modes of operations and behavior may pose a problem." "As with practically all new systems, once put into effect, a certain degree of patience and cooperation is required to operate the systems effectively."

He said that the system will require that each student register promptly on the date he or she is scheduled to register. Bills must also be paid on time, he said.

In exchange for prompt payment of bills, Butler hopes to move the billing dates so that they no longer conflict with the Holiday Seasons and Summer vacation. "The institution has made a commitment to helping the students," he said.

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He said, "Research is life, and not necessarily always in an academic context."
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A PUBLIC SERVICE MESSAGE FROM THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE.

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New ‘Habitat’ chapter opens

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Habitat for Humanity is founded in Georgia in 1976, and has spread to over 360 locations in the United States and other countries.

The organization is founded by private and corporate donations, and on the work of volunteers.

The next meeting of the chapter is on Feb. 21 at 7 p.m. in room 311-A of College Hall. For more information about Habitat for Humanity at MSC, contact Lisa Greene, assistant to the president, or Tim Clarkson, at 783-2356.

SGA News:

Administration plans to review student media

By D. Thomas Checkur

Correspondent

SGA President Thomas Mergola reported last night that Acting President Richard Lynde and Associate Dean of Students James Harris have proposed to establish a committee to review SGA-funded publications.

Mergola said, “This review committee would like to preview any collegiate publication paid for by the SGA.”

He also mentioned that La Campana, The Montclarion and the Four Walls were some of the publications which would be reviewed.

According to Lynde and Harris, regardless of the committee’s recommendations, the particular organization will always have final say whether or not to publish something.

The committee will provide faculty members and administrators with the opportunity to voice their opinion about the content of the publication.

Mergola told the 34 attending legislators that he opposed the idea of a committee.

A bill prohibiting pledging by organizations which are not members of the Greek council system was unanimously passed. This bill will affect both established and newly chartered Greek organizations.

“The college will not recognize any Greek organization, SGA or not, unless it is under the council,” Mergola said.

The Government and Administration Committee has also made several recommendations on modifying the Greek Council’s Constitution.

A provision to create a fourth sub-house for professional organizations was suggested.

Mergola, responding to rumors that the old library was to serve as a new school for the fine and performing arts, said, “They do not have a designated use for the old library yet.”

“Right now, they are still in the consultation stage.”

The History club was granted a class II charter. The club works in conjunction with the history department to present related events.

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The Speech and Theatre department is sponsoring an evaluation service to help students determine whether they will be able to waive MSC's Speech Communication Requirement. Students may register on Feb. 28 and March 2 from 1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. The registration table will be located outside the Speech and Theatre office, A-126, Life Hall. Registration fee is $15.00. For further information, contact Diane Holub at 893-4217.

Campus Police Report:

Candy Caper at Stone

By John Friberg
Correspondent

On Feb. 9, at approximately 3 a.m., the campus police were called to Stone Hall by the desk assistant. She had left the desk unattended for a few minutes, and upon returning found the vending machine broken into. A couple of residents were trying to reach the candy inside. A subsequent investigation led to the arrest of one resident for theft.

Charges were brought against the resident on March 1, at the Little Falls Municipal Court. Another person was arrested for defiant trespassing after it was determined that he had not signed into the building properly. Also on Feb. 9, around 2 p.m., there was a scuffle involving two MSC students who had broken up. The male student allegedly grabbed his ex-girlfriend and hit her. She was taken to the hospital. He was arrested later that evening for aggravated assault.

Sometime between 10:45 a.m. on Feb. 9, and 9:00 a.m. on Feb. 10, a car in lot 28 was entered. There was no sign of forced entry. A wallet, leather jacket, and some tapes were missing from the car.

Sometime between 8:30 p.m. on Feb. 9, and 10:30 a.m. on Feb. 10, a rock was thrown through the rear window of a 1982 Mercury 2 door in lot 24. Nothing was reported stolen from the car.

At 12:45 a.m. on Feb. 10, campus police responded to a report of a strong marijuana odor coming from a room in Bohn Hall. The officers met with the RA, who was the complainant and proceeded to the room in question. They knocked on the door, identified themselves and were let in the room. All three residents in the room were arrested and charged with possession and use of marijuana. Two of the three were charged with underage possession of alcohol as well. The charges were filed on Feb. 24, at the Clifton Municipal Court. Also on Feb. 10, a faculty member signed a complaint against a student who had assaulted her. He was allegedly unhappy about a grade. The complaint was filed at the Montclair Municipal Court.

Around 2:30 a.m. on Feb. 12 in Blanton Hall, campus police were dispatched to investigate a trespassing complaint issued by the Blanton Hall desk assistant. The suspect walked past the front desk without signing in properly. The police located the suspect in a resident's room, but the desk assistant decided not to sign a complaint. However, there was some question concerning the suspect's sobriety, or lack thereof.

After passing a sobriety test conducted by the officers, the suspect was told to leave the campus. In lot 28, sometime between 3:30 and 5:40 a.m. on Feb. 12, two passenger windows of an 82 Dodge were smashed.

A 1984 Pontiac Fiero was stolen from lot 21 sometime between Feb. 5, and Feb. 12.

RESIDENT ASSISTANT POSITIONS
MSC teams feel cheated

In the beginning, teams like the ski team, ice hockey team, bowling team, women's soccer team and the martial arts team were under the SGA umbrella. While these teams were under the SGA, if they raised a portion of any funds they needed, they were covered by an appropriation of an equal amount from the Student Government. Equipment, insurance and transportation had to be provided from these funds and many times from their own pockets.

When many of the ski team and the ice hockey team began to have winning seasons, the administration decided to move the teams from the SGA to the athletic department. This became effective in June of last year.

Under the athletic department, the teams are provided with insurance, transportation, coaching, practice space, locker room space and many other benefits that were never available when they were under SGA guidelines.

But because the move from the SGA to the athletic department came into effect this year, the athletic department does not have it in their budget to give some of these teams the things they should.

The athletic department has provided them with coaching and insurance. If they were still under the SGA, they would have no coach and the insurance would have to come from within the organization.

Yet, some of these organizations act as if they had been given the short end of the stick.

For instance, the ice hockey team often refers to a $1000 grant that the SGA reneged on. What they don't say much about is the fact that they were stripped of all their wins, turning their 7-3-1 record to 0-10, because they were found to be using three ineligible players. In addition, that $1000 was never guaranteed. It was voted down by the legislators after their ineligible player problem became public.

What it comes down to is perspective. The teams feel cheated because for the rest of this semester their budget is limited. They feel the SGA should incur some of the responsibility. The SGA does not feel they should appropriate funds to a team it does not represent. The athletic department cannot provide additional money until next year's budget.

In the meantime, the teams can only wait until next year when they will reap the benefits from the athletic department.

The Congress of the United States gave a definitive demonstration of the difference between gall and courage this week. For those of you not paying attention, this is the difference: Gall is when you walk around shouting "Don't give me a raise, I'm unworthy; don't give me a raise" even though you've arranged to get a pay boost by surreptitious means.

Courage is saying: "I'm worth more and I'm willing to put my vote where my mouth is."

Congress has plenty of gall, not much courage. Watching it impale itself on the issue of higher pay has been one of the more amusing comedies to hit Washington since Watergate.

Congress reminds me of a fellow I knew as a youth. He was a small, puny guy and, when sober, timid. Give him a few drinks, however, and he was the most belligerent yahoo in the bar. He was careful about it, though. Whenever he picked a fight he would make sure his friends were nearby and he would throw himself backwards into their arms, yelling: "Lemme go, lemmie at 'im. You couldn't let him go if you tried, of course, but it was an effective technique; he got to look beige with everyone to actually fight.

That's Congress with pay raises. All protests, no sincerity. There is hardly a member of Congress who does not feel he or she deserves a raise. Indeed, there is hardly an American, columnists included, who does not think he deserves a raise. That's what made this country great — greed. But congresspersons cannot admit to it, lest they cease being congresspersons at the next election. So they've created this elaborate charade whereby a bipartisan commission recommends raises for them, the president signs off on them, and, with a little chicanery, they manage to get the loot without ever having to vote on it, all the while making speeches against it. Except that this year the scam didn't work.

The white heat of public indignation melted the resolve of Speaker of the House Jim Wright, behind whom not only the House but the Senate was hiding. He was supposed to see to it that the issue never came up for an open vote in the House of Representatives but he caved in and House members had to stand up whether they thought they deserved a $45,000 pay increase. As it turned out, they didn't.

I suppose it's still possible for President Bush to bail them out by vetoing their rejection of the raise but I don't see why he should. Most of them are Democrats and he has enough troubles of his own in any case.

Personally, I was not a big fan of the pay raise. As I said a couple of months ago: "Why would you want to give Congress more money? These are people who, for the most part, have made their careers by ignoring problems, vilifying their better and seeking the lowest common denominator in their squalid solicitation of public favor. Collectively they have presided over the greatest peacetime explosion of debt in our history. They have seen us go from being the world's largest creditor nation to its biggest debtor. They have dithered as our educational system slumped toward irrelevance and drugs overwhelmed our means of combating them. The most effective of them have been without honor, the best-intentioned without force. Far better if we lowered their salaries so much better reflect their appreciation of their venality and incompetence."

OK, that's harsh, I admit it. You can make a case for the pay raise, particularly if you do away with the phony "honoraria" (a word that means the opposite of what it sounds like) with which many of them pad their incomes. Certainly you can make a case for some of the other federal officials covered by the pay raise bill — judges, bureaucrats, Cabinet members — getting more money. What you can't make a case for is taking our appreciation of their venality and incompetence.

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In the meantime, the teams can only wait until next year when they will reap the benefits from the athletic department.
Viewpoints/right

Tower muddies SDI's water

Sen. John Tower deeply wounded a cause he had long served for so many years—namely, that of the national defense. He told the Senate committee that the Strategic Defense Initiative ("Star Wars") could not hope to protect every American from the threat of nuclear death, he said something about as revealing as that the United Nations cannot abolish original sin.

Granted, there was that melodramatic moment when President Reagan in 1983 seemed to imagine a blue balloon somehow protecting the country from any aggressive nuclear insect. But sometime before Christmas 1983, it was well understood by everybody this side of the Soviet Union and the Union of Concerned Scientists that no such ambition was worldly. That SDI was about something else than total immunity. Senator Tower knows this as well as Frank Carlucci and Cap Weinberger, who have stressed the point over and over again.

By disavowing the original dreamy paradigm, the effect was as though Senator Tower had said that there was no point in going to a doctor since we are all going to die anyway. The New York Times played up Senator Tower's statement as though President Bush had announced his disavowal of Blue Book Blue Balloon business. But there was one national paper concluded that Senator Tower had sent out a clear message, namely (a) that he would not bector Congress for additional funds to develop SDI, and (b) that Mikhail Gorbachev could take it as understood that SDI was something we were now putting on the bargain table, where Mr. Reagan had consistently refused to put it.

Insufficient thought has been given, with here and there an exception—Rep. Les Aspin conspicuous among them— to the limitations of the legendary triad on which we depend to defend ourselves. It is no longer a comprehensive listing of what it is that we need in order to survive. The triad is the architecture of our retaliatory forces. It comprises (a) an air force; (b) ground-based missiles; and (c) sea-based missiles. The idea of Mutual Assured Destruction has been that the Soviet Union would never dare to initiate a first strike given that whatever its success, we would have left, whatever the damage, at least one leg of our triad. If our land-based missiles were knocked out and also our bombers, we would still have our submarines.

What is much too slowly creeping into the consciousness of sophisticated defense analysts is that we need to protect our command posts. Our nuclear retaliatory forces will do us no good at all if there is nobody in sight to give them instructions. An illustration is given by two defense scientists who gave the following to the editors to National Review: "Take the satellite data-reception and control center at Sunnyvale, Calif.—a conspicuous blue building known as the 'Blue Cube.' It is one of the main ground stations for U.S. reconnaissance and early-warning satellites, which would receive the first word of a Soviet nuclear attack from our space warning network. The Blue Cube is a few miles from the Pacific coast, and Soviet missiles launched from a submarine lurking offshore could reach it in a matter of minutes. It is also only a hundred yards from the freeway, and the dishes it uses to talk to our satellites are even closer. A van packed with explosives, parked on the shoulder of the freeway and detonated by radio, would almost surely put it out of business. The vulnerability of the U.S. command network has undermined the credibility of our nuclear deterrent."

What can we do about this? Efforts are being made to give us mobility for some of our missiles and command posts. But we need above all protection for those that are stationary, so that they can elude first-strike vulnerability. It is vital to get on with Phase No. 1 SDI, a combination of land-based and space-based smart bullets the effect of which would impose mortal insecurity on any aggressive Soviet aggression. These are tested mechanisms by which Soviet missiles would be targeted: first as they are into the atmosphere; second, as they approach their targets.

The aim is not to protect every American from every Soviet bomb. Every American is protected from every bomb if there are no bombs, and the point of SDI is not immunity from massive Soviet missile attacks, but immunity from any possibility of Soviet nuclear aggression. Joe Blow is just as safe if the Soviet Union does not fire at all as he is if the Soviet Union fired everything into an impermeable umbrella—which we cannot build, have no intentions of trying to build, and ought not to speak about, as John Tower did, as though it was ever realistically supposed to be around the corner. And the cost of Phase No. 1 SDI is about the same as, or less than, the cost of our contemplated B-2 defense system, or of the Midgetman alternative.

Professor clarifies remarks on Phys. Ed.

To the editor:

I am writing to try to clarify my remarks as quoted in "S.G.A. News: Keep Gym in Schools." My apologies, please. What I hoped to explain was the reason Governor Keen wants to eliminate physical education programs from public schools.

His proposal seeks to find time for courses that are viewed as essential, for example, verbal expertise. This does not mean that I think it is a sound proposal.

More time is needed for basic reading and writing courses, the answer might be to lengthen the school day rather than eliminate such valuable and necessary components as physical education programs.

Sharon Spencer
English Dept.

Handicapped parking mess persists at MSC

To the editor:

I am a handicapped student who has been attending MSC since 1980. I was injured in 1984 and as a result of injuries, left school for three years. Upon returning to MSC I found that Montclair State offers little suitable parking facilities for the handicapped.

At the time of my readmission I was told by a lieutenant in traffic it was the same as the housing office that it was a losing battle to get sufficient parking for the handicapped at MSC, though he was trying to get a 

I have learned many things since returning to MSC. One thing, which surprised me the most, was that many members of the faculty totally disregarded signs indicating parking for handicapped students. I was surprised because I felt that having come this far in life, they should know better.

Many times I have seen faculty and students park in between the handicapped spaces in lot 14. This makes it impossible for me and others to get in and out of their vehicles.

In addition, I learned that every evening, students knock down the gate and park in the handicapped spaces as well as faculty spots. It seems the worse the elements, the more often students and faculty feel they can park in handicapped spots.

Myself and others who are handicapped members brave
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Handicapped students need parking spaces

cont. from p. 9

The elements, but and we still come to school and need those parking spaces, of which there are very few. It becomes almost impossible to get around school with the poor snow cleanup done by M.S.C., but it is compounded by the lack of parking.

Lastly, I have also learned that the students who have nice cars feel it is acceptable to park in the handicapped spaces in front of Blanton Hall (to the point, one certain Corvette) and in back of the Student Center. Thanks to these people, I have barely been able to make it to class because of the long distance I have been forced to walk.

I believe this situation is condoned by the M.S.C. police who, more often than not, do not ticket or tow these violators. They are just as much to blame for the blatant disregard shown to handicapped persons.

Fortunately, I get around better than I used to, but there are many students and faculty members who do not. Some are in wheel chairs while others have other physical problems which do not allow them to walk long distances.

What is wrong with the students, faculty and police at M.S.C.? I hope I have made you all aware that there are many handicapped people at M.S.C. and a shortage of handicapped parking spaces.

Show me that M.S.C. has a conscience. I am asking that all who are not handicapped not park in parking spaces designated for handicapped individuals. Also, I think the parking laws should be more strictly enforced and that means tow the violators (even faculty violators).

I feel more spaces should be allocated to the handicapped, as well as the spaces being large enough for those in wheel chairs.

It is a sad and shameful reflection on M.S.C. that most of the violators I have encountered feel little remorse. On the contrary, they pretend they do not know that they did something wrong.

For the non-handicapped individuals of M.S.C., I ask that you all show you have a conscience. Don’t park in handicap designated spaces.

Lisa Bresemann Glickman
Senior/political science

Library in the hands of planning committee

cont. from p. counted. This is just the beginning of those students’ efforts. They plan to go higher, and they have my support. Maybe a public forum will be next.

What is remarkable about their efforts is that they won’t even be around if their goals are met. After consultation and construction of the new library, many, if not all of these students will have graduated from M.S.C. They are not doing this for themselves, but for their school and other students to follow. This makes their cause that much more noble. They are even proposing the establishment of a business minor that would be open to all students. I’m sure there are many students, like myself, who would jump at the opportunity for a business background while not giving up their major.

Voices that will be heard, that’s what student involvement and student resolve is all about. So, business students, take heart because your efforts are getting attention. And those rumors are just that, rumors. Let the dean and others spread them, because I think they’re getting worried.

Tommy Mergola
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**Tube Talk**

**Raymond Eake**
**Editorial Page Editor**

Greetings and salutations TV friends, Eddie Murphy has been in the TV spotlight recently.

First, he spoke very candidly about his apparently bad relationship with director John Landis. Landis directed Murphy in his last movie, Coming To America. The two began feuding over some alleged racial remarks made by Landis’s wife.

Murphy said recently on The Arsenio Hall Show that he’d never work with Landis again. In fact, the Murphy said that Landis “has a better chance of working with Vic Morrow than with me,” referring to the late actor who died during production of The Twilight Zone, another Landis film.

In other Murphy news, he and Whitney Houston have apparently been seeing each other quite a bit. Following the taping of The Arsenio Hall Show, where they were both guests, the two, had dinner and sneaked off to a movie together.

More from the world of Murph, Eddie will be doing a cameo appearance on the small screen. What’s Alan Watching?

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**Apologies: Nothing to be sorry about**

**Kristine Roome**
**Business Manager**

Without Apologies, by Thom Thomas, depicts a society in which appearance means everything and morality is ignored.


Trouble begins when Ernest Beaumont, Algy’s brother, along with his wife, Cecily, and daughter, Brenda, lose all their money and are forced to take residence with the couple.

It was discovered that several years ago Ernest and Gwen were to be married, but on their wedding day, Ernest ran off with Algy’s love, Cecily, the maid of honor. Algy then stepped in and became Gwen-dolyn’s husband.

Although they seemingly despise each other, they haven’t spoken to each other since that day. The two couples live together for several years; that is, until Cecily and Algy run off together to France.

After four years, and the war in Europe heightening, Algy and Cecily lose everything and run back to London.

Edmund Lewis, as Willie Jukes, the live-in boarder at the Beaumont home, who Brenda eventually marries, gives a particularly amusing performance. He intends to become the next Jimmy Durante and does a very funny take on the traditional routine to demonstrate his talent.

Surprisingly, his new in-laws are appalled by his tasteless choice of occupations.

Pauline Flanagan also turns in a notable portrayal of the dependable and sturdy Gwen-dolyn.

The other members of this unconventional family are played by Kurtudson as Algy, Peter Pagan as Ernest, and Laura Britsum as Brenda.

The plot itself however, is a little farfetched. It’s hard to believe that so much betrayal and so many lies could be overlooked and even accepted.

But then again, it’s another time and place.

All in all, Without Apologies is a delightfully absurd comedy which can be seen at the Hudson George Theatre on 441 West 26th street.

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**Looking for more than art in African exhibition**

**Adrienne Fudge**
**Correspondent**

For many Americans, wood means nothing but paper and shade from the sun. People believe in this like we believe in our religion or lack thereof.

Wood is the most basic material, quite a bit. Following the release of two “Yes” albums, it may mean protection from evil spirits or happiness for those in the village or tribe.

Our favorite tree at the park can be turned into a mask, a protector of society.

What is at the gallery can not be explained. You have to go see it for yourself.

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**Rock fans ask: Will Yes be no more?**

**Dominic Pandiscia**
**Staff Writer**

The future of one of rock’s most innovative bands, Yes; is currently under question. Nothing like this has happened since singer Jon Anderson has departed from the current line-up of Yes to reform with some of the band’s most influential members from previous years.

After the release of the highly successful follow up album to 90125, Big Genera-
tor, Anderson released his first solo effort in some years; City of Angels.

The rumors circulating that Anderson had left the band recently proved true when it was reported that he will now be working with guitarist Trevor Rabin (who has played on 90125 and Big Generator) has left the band also, but there have been no conformed to this effect.

It seems that now both offshoots of Yes are in arbitration over the legal rights to retain the name Yes. Since both “new” bands consist of former and present members of Yes, both feel that they should retain the name of the band. The legal possibilities are seemingly endless.

For Yes fans the results of the split are subsequent re-groupings, could prove to be refreshing in the somewhat dismal musical climate of the eighties. George and Trevor decide to work together and join the battle to retain the soon to be infamous monicker of “Yes.” Will any good come out of all this? As far as a band, the only possible answer is YES!
Black and Blue shines as a brilliant musical extravaganza

Oren Silverstein
Correspondent

If you are a fan of R&B music, jazz, or 1930's dance revues, don't dare miss Black and Blue, currently appearing before packed houses at Broadway's Minskoff Theatre.

Fresh from its lengthy Paris run, it was brought to New York by Mel Howard and Donald Tarlton (a.k.a. Donald K. Donald), the men responsible for the smash hit Tango Argentino and its equally successful sequel Flamenco Puro.

While lacking some of the ethnic flavor of their previous works, Black and Blue stands on its own, nonetheless. It is a faithful recreation of the musical styles of the 1930's and 40's and will appeal not only to fans of that particular style, but to music lovers everywhere.

Because the production has absolutely no storyline whatsoever, only a series of music and dance numbers, it must rely on its spectacular production values and the force and personality of its performers.

The three featured singers: Ruth Brown, Linda Hopkins and Carrie Smith, do a marvelous job as that creative center to the show.

While Ms. Hopkins and Ms. Smith are given the opportunity to show off in their solo numbers, such as Linda's "Cry Like a Baby" and Carrie's "Am I Blue," they seem to perform better as part of a unit. Most notable was their performances in the stunning opening blues number "I'm A Woman" and the eponymous number "Black and Blue."

The true star performer of the entire production is Ruth Brown. She shines in both ensemble songs, as well as when she is alone. The musical enables her to show off her stylistic range, varying from the bawdy double-entendre of "If I Can't Sell It I'll Keep Sittin' On It," to the moving "Body and Soul."

In the Fifties, Ms. Brown's nickname was "Miss Rhythm," and she definitely lives up to that apt sobriquet.

Of course, the show features spectacular dancing as well. In solo numbers and group productions, the "Hoofers" are never anything less than captivating.

The production makes clever use of both set design and lighting effects, turning the dance troupe at times, into a single synchronized organism, and at other times into a wildly abstract pattern of motion. Older dance styles are synthesized into a modern context, giving it a fresh and original look of its own.

In addition, for lovers of more traditional dance, there are several old vaudeville tap numbers. There is also a performance by three young dancers, (Cyd Glover, Savion Glover and Dormeshia Sumbry), that come very close to stealing the show.

In short, Black and Blue is well worth the price of admission. The performers are first rate, and all involved are top-notch talents.

The orchestra used in the show is not hidden in front of the stage in an orchestra pit, but rather used on stage as part of the production.

The costumes worn by the singers and dancers are never anything less than stunning. One problem with them, however, was that they, at times, tended to take your attention from the performances.

The other problem that some people may have is the lack of a plot. Because the show consists strictly of music and dance numbers, some may be overwhelmed.

If you haven't guessed it by now, you have a strong recommendation to run-not walk over to the Minskoff Theatre and see Black and Blue.
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Gonzalez full of confidence going into Championships

By Scott Langan Correspondent

This past weekend, the MSC wrestling team traveled to Trenton State College for the Metropolitan Tournament. It came as no surprise to learn that Pete Gonzalez won his weight class and was named Most Valuable Wrestler of the tournament. What was a surprise was the weight class he was competing in.

Gonzalez is the number three ranked wrestler in the country for his 126-pound weight class. He jumped three weight classes at 126 pounds. This weekend, Gonzalez will represent MSC at the Metropolitan Championships.

Gonzalez, who is 3-2-1 on the season, has moved up as high as the 158-pound level this season to help out the team. He feels wrestling heavier opponents has been a good experience for him.

"They help me concentrate more on what I'm doing and it leaves no room for mistakes," he said.

Gonzalez now feels he has to concentrate more on himself, as both the Division III and Division I National Championships are coming up soon (March 4-6 and March 17-19, respectively). The Division I Tournament features only the nation's top 34 wrestlers.

"I really have to be ready for that," Gonzalez said. "I don't want to just win, I want to dominate.

As for the whole team, Gonzalez feels they have a good shot at winning the Division III Nationals. They will be attempting to qualify this Sunday at MSC.

"I don't want to just win, I want to dominate." Pete Gonzalez

Swimmers wrapping up seasons with 'Mets'

By Kenny Peck Sports Editor

With Metropolitan Championships next week (February 23-25), the MSC men's swim team has a lot of preparing to do in a short amount of time. And the fact that the pool in Panzer Gym was out of service and unavailable for practice yesterday didn't help things.

But the team will be ready next week as they conclude the second of two weeks of "tapering," where the swimmers gradually reduce distances in practice and rest for the Metropolitan Championships.

The women's team, on the other hand, concluded their season last week with a trip to the Metropolitan Championships.

Senior Andy Pecorarc is the Metropolitan Champions. Leslie DeLuca and Katie La Rosa made it to the finals for MSC, which pitted the top 12 finishers in each event.

Meanwhile, the men will head into the Metropolitan with three swimmers with a chance to qualify for Nationals. According to team captain Karl Angersbach, "two swimmers have a slim chance, and one has an excellent shot."

The outsiders, Angersbach and Mike Pavolony, swim the 50 and/or the 100 freestyle, while Pavolony swims the 100 and 200 butterfly.

"I have to understand mentally that it is possible. The training is done, but for the next week and a half, it must be done mentally," said Pavolony.

Senior Andy Pecorarc is the swimmer with the "excellent shot." The fourth-year swimmer is confident of his chances and his ability.

"I think I can do it," said Pecorarc. "I'm in the best shape I've ever been in."

The team is coming off a loss to Maritime Academy Tuesday night, but were able to come away with three individual wins. Duke Harding won the 50 freestyle event (23.59), Tim O'Connor won the 200 IM event (2:12.78), and Pecorarc took the 200 fly race (2:09.07).

Trivia Time-Out

Each week, The Montclarion publishes a list of sports questions and answers to test your knowledge of sports trivia. In addition, there is a sports stumper which will be answered in the following issue.

If you think you have the correct answer to the stumper, drop it off at The Montclarion office in Room 113 of the Student Center Annex. The names of those submitting the correct answer will be published in the next week's issue. Deadline for submissions is Monday at 3 p.m.

1. What Pittsburgh Steelers coach played seven seasons for the archival Cleveland Browns?
2. When putting lingo for the list of each boxer's vital statistics before a fight?
3. What Detroit Tigers slugger tended to his restaurant business while missing the first month of the 1979 season in a contract dispute?
4. What country has won the most Olympic field hockey gold medals?
5. What school's won the second-most NCAA Division I basketball titles?

Answer to last week's stumper:

What sport was the Wimbledon Tournament originally designed for? Croquet.

Submitting the correct answer:

Wild Bill Judge and the Swinging Salesmen.

This week's stumper:

What pitcher said of batters: "I want them to think I'd hit my own mother if she was up at the plate. And I would?"
Will face Trenton St. next week

Women clinch NJAC playoff spot

By Kenny Peck
Sports Editor

The MSC women's basketball team clinched a New Jersey Athletic Conference (NJAC) playoff bid and the NJAC B-Division title with a 64-47 victory over William Paterson Saturday afternoon at Panzer Gym.

The Indians will play Trenton State next Thursday night at Panzer Gym. Game time is at 7:30.

"We felt coming into the season that our NJAC games were going to be very competitive, that every game would be a challenge," said MSC head coach Jill Jeffrey. "We set our sights on this goal (getting into the playoffs) at the beginning of the season, and we felt it was a realistic goal, and a difficult challenge."

Co-captain Carolyn Savio

Another challenge facing the Indians coming into this season was the graduation of seniors Nancy Phillips and Sue Ehrmann, who served as co-captains during the 1987-88 season.

"After last season, we really didn't know what to expect," said senior co-captain Sue Becker, referring to the departure of Phillips and Ehrmann. "I don't think we expected to be as good as we are this year."

Co-captain Carolyn Savio points out that MSC is on schedule to match last season's 18-7 mark, but the difference is that this season, the Indians concentrated more on winning conference games.

"Last year, our problem was that we won all of our non-conference games, and lost a lot of conference games we probably should have won," the junior said. "We've done really well in the conference this season (9-2)."

Indeed. Last season, the Indians amassed an 18-7 overall record, but missed the playoffs largely because of an 8-7 conference mark. The Indians were determined not to let that happen again.

A key to MSC's success this season has been their play defensively. Out of the 23 games the Indians have played, there have been 10 games when MSC has held its opponent to 50 points or under.

"We're playing very well defensively right now, and we're able to set the tempo of the game," Jeffrey said.

"Our defense is 100% better than it was in the beginning of the season," Becker said. "We've worked hard, and everybody knows what they're supposed to be doing defensively."

Everybody certainly knew what they were doing Saturday against the Pioneers, as the Indians jumped out to an early lead and never gave the visitors a chance.

Sue Becker

"I don't think we expected to be as good as we are this season."  

MSC's Amod Field won the Intercollegiate Amateur Athletic Association of America 500 meter dash at the annual Vitals Invitational Track and Field Meet at the Meadowlands Arena Friday night.

The race was composed of Don Thrower of the University of Maryland, Marc Jones of Villanova, Seton Hall's David Jones, Mornez Rasdell from Philadelphia Textile, and Field.

Field, competing in the event for the second year in a row, ran a smart race, going out in third place behind Thrower and Rasdell.

With one lap to go, David Jones and Marc Jones collided and fell off the track. Jones of Seton Hall, a high school rival of Field's, was one of the two who fell. He was expected to finish ahead of Field. The accident had no effect on the rest of the field.

Field made his move going into the last turn with about 80 meters to go. He passed on the inside and finished strong, pulling away from the remaining two runners. Field's winning time of 1:05.1 was .5 seconds slower than his second place time from last year.

Field anchored last year's winning 4x400 meter relay team. "I would have liked to have run the relay again to take first in both events this year," he said.

Ramapo tops Indians, 92-88; Liddy: 31 pts.

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John Brown had 33 points last night as Ramapo College defeated the Indians, 92-88 last night.

Brown hit a three-pointer with 18:47 left in the first half to put the Roadrunners up 24-12. From then on, MSC never got closer than four points. The first half ended with Ramapo up by eight, 49-41.

Throughout the first half Ramapo used a fast, unremitting offense to take advantage of the slower Indians. Tim Liddy scored 12 points and Vince Gulbin added 11 to lead the Idians going into the second half.

The Indians appeared to be beat up by the time halftime came, as they were playing a much faster pace than they were used to. Ramapo was wasting no time on offense as they drove, down and shot immediately.

Another problem was MSC's lack of height and power under the basket. Ramapo was able to capitalize on this fact as they scored 14 points on second chance shots.

When the second half began, the Roadrunners again came out hot, with Tim Greene and Brown leading them. They lost no spirit during the break either, as their intensity remained high.

MSC, meanwhile, still looked like they were forcing shots and were unable to effectively attack the Ramapo lead.

The lead was 11 for Ramapo with 38 seconds remaining, but hard work on the part of MSC and a little luck in the form of missed free throws helped them cut the lead to four only to have time run out.

Freshman Lamont Halsey was one bright spot for the team, as he played 21 minutes and scored 12 points. MSC head coach Ollie Gelston was extremely happy with Halsey's play as well as Liddy, who he described as an "offensive machine."