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STUDENT BODY TO TRIPLE

Literary Club To Prove Culture's Fun

The first meeting of the Literary Club was held February 11 at the common hour. The purpose of the club is not only cultural stimulation but also to be helpful and enjoyable to the members.

Ed Mandel was elected president, Rita Panameroff vice president, and Mrs. Grace Davies secretary-treasurer. Dean Lane will act as advisor for the club. Meetings will be held every two weeks, alternating between the common hour and evening meetings at the homes of the members.

As yet, no definite program has been adopted, but there are many suggestions. The club would like to

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COUNCIL ELECTS

Recently elected Student Council members include Jim Altman, president; Jim Higgins, vice-president; Katie Johnson, secretary; Mike Mulligan, treasurer; Bonnie Campbell, activities chairman; Al Wnuk, Ike Sosnowski, Edward Mandel, Nancy McCabe, Richard Scott, and Linda Steiner.

Sixteen Students Attain Dean's List

The fall semester of 1959 has been very good for Behrend as far as grades are concerned. Sixteen students made the Dean's List with averages of 3.50 to 4.00 for the semester. Thirty-five students are on the Honor Roll with averages of 3.00 to 3.49.

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\$4 Million Facilities

Expansion Outlined

Plans for a multi-million-dollar expansion program for Behrend Campus were announced recently by Irvin H. Kochel, director.

Mr. Kochel disclosed that the project will be started in the near future and will provide facilities for an eventual enrollment of 1,500 students. He pointed out that a student body of 1,000 is forecast by 1970.

Mardi Gras Opens Spring Festivities

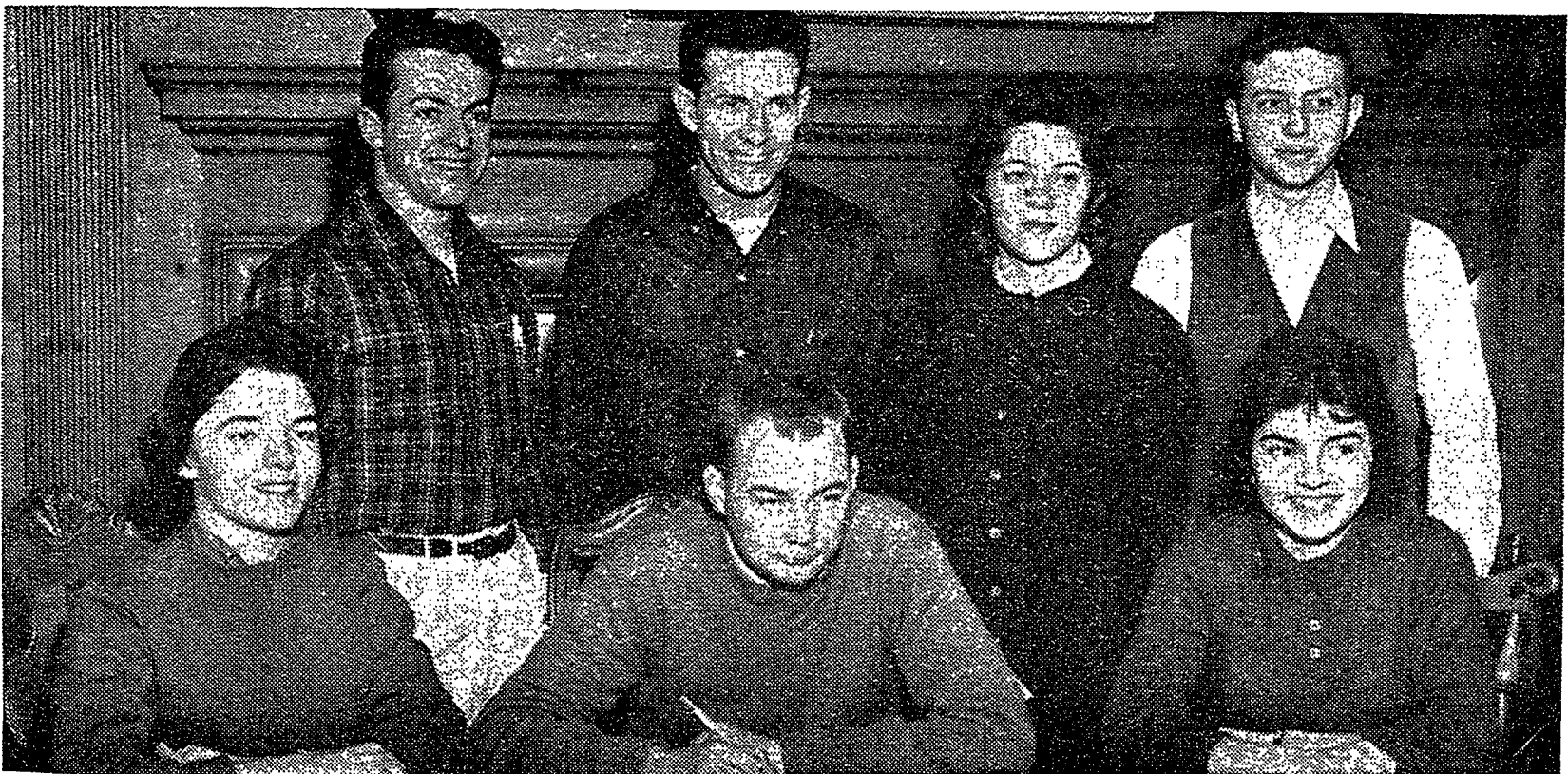
The annual Mardi Gras was recently held in Erie Hall. The Mardi Gras is a combination dance and carnival which is based on the Mardi Gras of New Orleans. The gymnasium was decorated in accordance with this idea. Prizes of stuffed animals were awarded for the funniest and most original costumes worn.

Don Freedman and his band

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The fact that the Penn State University plans to close some of its centers because of lack of funds from the state appropriations would seem to make this whole idea virtually impossible, but thanks to the generosity of the Behrend family, the first steps have already been taken. The board of trustees has approved the plans for a new science and engineering building, a new sewage system, and plans to increase the water supply. The construction work should begin this summer, probably by July, and is expected to be completed by the fall of 1961.

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From left to right, seated: Nancy McCabe, James L. Altman, President, Rossiter, Pa.; Katherine V. Johnson, Secretary, Bradford, Pa.; standing: Richard T. Sosnowski, North East, Pa.; Aian L. Wnuk, Pittsburgh, Pa.;

Linda Steiner, Edward Mandel. Absent when the picture was taken were: Michael J. Mulligan, Treasurer; James M. Higgins, Vice President; Richard G. Scott and Bonnie Jean Campbell.