

Sno-Ball Starts Rolling

The committee for the annual fall prom, the Sno-Ball, met recently to begin plans for the December 9 dance.

Joe Sostarich and Bob Vincent are Chairman and Vice-chairman respectively. They formed several sub-committees including entertainment (Mike Mulligan, Jim Reichard, and John Christ), ticket and favor (Pat Narducci, Marilyn Sponsler, Sharon Haise, and Bob Arkangel), and decoration (John Tinsley and Gary Agnew).

TO CUT OR NOT TO CUT —

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scholastic attainment and should make this fact known to the student at once. A student whose irregularity in attendance causes him, in the judgment of the instructor, to become deficient scholastically may run the risk of receiving a failing mark or receiving a lower grade than he might have secured had he been in regular attendance.

Instructors should provide, within reason, opportunity to make up work for students who miss class for regularly scheduled, University-approved curricular and extra-curricular activities (such as field trips, debate trips, choir tours, and athletic contests). However, if such scheduled trips are considered by the instructor to be hurting the student's scholastic performance, he should present such evidence for necessary action to the head of the department in which the course is offered and to the dean of the college in which the student is enrolled.

You are reminded that those students who are doing well on our campus are permitted, with the consent of the instructor being visited, to sit in or audit courses other than those for which they are officially enrolled.

THE LAST WORD

Employer—"Yes, I advertised for a good strong boy. Think you can fill the bill?"

Applicant—"Well, I just finished whipping nineteen other applicants outside the door."

"I can't bear a fool," said the lawyer to a farmer.
"Your mother could," said the farmer.

"Is this dance formal or can I wear my own clothes?"

The Great Turkey Returns

by PAT NARDUCCI

At this rather dramatic juncture in the calendar year, Americans are asked to recall with fondness the Mayflower, Miles Standish, and the courage and fortitude of the first settlers.

Needless to say, the modern American's reflections do not normally run along such idealistic lines. Thanksgiving is but another date night for over-zealous steadies, a chance to televise a Game of the Week, and an opportunity to contract cancer from contaminated cranberries.

The newspapers and television newscasts will be filled with pleasantries about how the new President-elect and family enjoyed the holiday. Undoubtedly a Turkey-Tide message will drip as honey from his lips into our homes and hearts . . . so to speak.

All hail, the Great Turkey Cometh!

ENGLE'S LANCERS —

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The closing game of the season pits State against arch-rival Pittsburgh, in their annual battle of Pennsylvania's supremacy. Note that every year State seems bowl-bound, Pitt has played the role of spoiler, and vice-versa. We hope that State continues to follow tradition and smashes Johnny Mia-losen's squad by a large margin. And as that great philosopher, Zelda Schwartz, once said: "To win, or not to win, whether 'tis nobler, oh the hell with it, Fight On State."



The launching of the H.S.M. Thomas was successfully accomplished November 9, 1960 at Port Behrend. Although the weather proved unsuitable for the occasion, a relatively large local crowd gathered to witness the christening by Miss Constance Gibson and the ship's first plunge into the murky depths.

Campus Clubs Commence

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The Literary Club, under the supervision of Dean B. A. Lane, has met twice to elect officers and to form a Program Committee which has devised a semester schedule of meetings designed to expedite business and to present a program evolving around a central theme to be read and discussed.

The officers of the Literary Club are Ed Mandel, President; Anita MacCallister, Vice-president; and Gene Nutter, Secretary-Treasurer. Also formed was the Program Committee consisting of Mary Lloyd, Anita MacCallister, Kathy Dayton, Grace Davies and Gene Nutter. Having adopted the plan that there would be two meetings a month, one business and one cultural, the Program Committee submitted the following, approved schedule:

Sunday, November 13 — A study of the book and lyrics of four Broadway plays, namely: The Music Man, Most Happy Fella, My Fair Lady and West Side Story.

Sunday, December 11 — A study and reading of the works of Dylan Thomas.

Sunday, January 8 — A reading and discussion of the Short Stories of Edgar Allen Poe.

* Thursdays, December 1 and 22, and January 5 during Common Hour the Business Meetings will be held.

In addition to the program schedule, the Committee compiled a list of cultural events being offered in the Erie area.

Playhouse —

Nov. 9-29—Look Homeward, Angel

Nov. 29-Dec. 17—Pajama Game (Playhouse closes until Feb.)

Philharmonic —

Nov. 15-16—Jorge Bolet, Pianist

Dec. 11—Annual Messiah (Church of the Covenant)

Jan. 17-18—Benno Moiseiwitsch, Pianist

Feb. 7-8—Music of Lerner and Loew

Mar. 21-22—Toshiya Eto, Violinist

April 18-19—Sarah Fleming, Tosca

Temple Men's Club (Lecture Series) —

Nov. 16—Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., "Africa Unrehearsed"

Feb. 1—Rear Admiral Donald MacMillan, "Beyond the Northern Lights"

Mar. 22—John Temple Graves, "I'll Take My Stand"

April 12—Dr. Solomon B. Freehof, "Some of the Outstanding Books of 'Past Year'"

YWCA Lecture Series —

Dr. Paul Cares, Allegheny College, on a subject yet to be selected

International Institute —

350 W. 7th St.—Activities designed to promote understanding and goodwill between native and foreign born, and to assist the immigrant, visitor or foreign student in adjusting to life in Erie and America.