



LIBRARIAN MRS. FERRY HELPING IN RESEARCH — Under the efficient supervision of Mrs. Mary Ferry, our library offers many facilities in research and general information to students and faculty.

Popular Upperclassman



Frank A. Cermak, upperclassman, comes from California where he attended U.C.L.A. Recently transferred from the regular Navy, he is continuing his academic efforts at Highacres in the chemical-engineering field. He lives near Barnesville with his wife Mary and his daughter Heidi. As a Navy Lieutenant, Cermak received intensive expert instruction in the Russian language, provided by the U.S. Navy, later served as a translator-interpretor for a period of four years. Cermak was persuaded by members of the faculty to lead an informal course, via seminar, in the Russian language for them. The versatile Cermak was one of our three representatives at the recent Tenth Annual Interpretative Dramatic Reading Festival at the University Park Campus.

Meet Highacres' Future Authors of America

By Rita Sappe

THE HIGHACRES BELLES-LETTRES SOCIETY has been flourishing under the direction of Professor Andrew Kafka, faculty adviser. This literary group, organized only this year, is already well on the way toward achieving these objectives: (1) The encouragement of creative writing; (2) criticism of all students work submitted; (3) analysis of literary writings for the purpose of examining writing techniques and craft; (4) the extension of invitations to people who are authorities in the world of literature; (5) the taking of trips to hear lectures by literary figures; (6) the submission of student writings for ultimate publication. Among the Belles-Lettres Society's active members are Rita Sappe (President), Frances Werp-

shaw (Secretary), Frank Cermak, Pasquale Collura, Olga Markus, Marlene Ferrari, Stanley Cierlitskey, John Bodnar and Thomas Maxwell. At the moment a number of members of the Society are engaged in different literary endeavors which include short stories, a novel, a poem, and an essay.

The Belles-Lettres Society's first project was the sponsorship with the English Department of students for participation in the annual Intercollegiate Interpretative Reading Festival at the Main Campus. The sponsoring of students each year will be the responsibility of the Belles-Lettres Society with the aid of the English Department. This year, Frank Cermak, Dorothy Melley, and Theodore Minor participated.

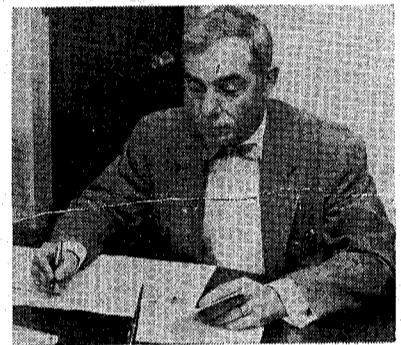


STUDENT COUNCIL—Left to right. First row: John Cappello, Vice-President; Betty Ann Ficek, Secretary; Ted Minor, President. Back row: Professor John Longo, advisor; Al Hinger, Harry Spayde, Council members; John Zisek, Treasurer; Professor Richard Mattern, advisor.

Awards For Our Athletes

We are proud to list the winners of our Intermural Teams in bowling and basketball. **BOWLING TEAM:** The Pin Splitters — Roger Bowers, Captain, Richard Betterly, John Antolick, James Antolick, James Rutolo, and Bernard Moro. **BASKETBALL TEAM:** Tar Heels—Richard Lazurick, Captain, Martin Jacobs, Thomas Drusa, Wayne Hettinger, Edward Ecker, Lou Romano, and John Potochney.

A Visit With Our Versatile Assistant Administrator



Mr. William Schneider, our Assistant Administrator at Highacres is well-known by all of our students. However, did you know that he is a District Representative who helps organize academic courses around Greater Hazleton that covers the Danville-Bloomsburg-Berwick and Weatherly Area? We approached him to ask about this part of his responsibilities. He told us that this year a number of formal and informal extension activities gave training and pleasure to approximately 413 adults in 12 programs which emanated from the Highacres Campus.



IN THE "REC" HALL—Our popular nurse, Mrs. K (Mrs. Leah Kaustenbauder, R. N.) joins the students in a game.



Ground-Breaking Ceremony—Three students at the Penn State's Highacres broke ground for the new Student Union building. From left: Frances Werpshaw, Hazleton, a Student Council Member; Betty Anne Ficek, McAdoo, Council secretary and Ted Minor, Kelayres, Council president. In background are Mrs. Roland Edmunds, a member of the Penn State Auxiliary, and Mary Beth Bommer, Auxiliary president.

WANTED: Memories of Former Highacres Studens. As we approach our Silver Anniversary, we would appreciate that all faculty and former students who recall interesting anecdotes and developments to send in comments to the editor.

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