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PARNASSUS TO HOLD NOMINATING ELECTION MAY 13 FOR ANNUAL AWARDS

Parnassus will hold an election Wednesday, May 13, in the lobby of the Main Building during the third, fourth, fifth, and sixth periods to nominate candidates for the society's annual awards to the most valuable freshman and sophomore, it was decided at a meeting of Parnassus Wednesday, May 6. This decision was reached after the committee appointed to study the problem -- Mr. Campbell, chairman, Mr. Steel, Marie Jacko, Bill Coll, Joe Belovich -- gave their report.

All students are eligible for the nominations. In the balloting, freshmen will vote for freshmen, sophomores for sophomores, while the faculty will cast their ballots for both freshmen and sophomores. Parnassus anticipates that every student will take advantage of his voting privileges and VOTE.

The five students from each class who receive the largest number of votes will be on the nominating list. Both the faculty and Parnassus can make additional nominations to the list. Members of Parnassus are automatically nominated.

Then from the nominating list, which will probably comprise about 20 names, Parnassus will select the recipients of the awards by a system of voting against those who they feel are least qualified to receive them.

The awards will be presented at the Convocation Dinner on May 28. At Wednesday's meeting the pledges for the last eight weeks were also chosen. The new pledges will receive invitations to join Parnassus this week.

The annual Parnassus Initiation will be held May 15.

MAY DAY DANCE TOMORROW

On Wednesday, May 6 the Student Activity Committee completed plans for the May Day Dance to be held tomorrow, May 9 at the Eagles Ballroom on North Wyoming Street. As most students know, Art Wendel and his orchestra will provide the music for this affair, which will be the finale for the May Day Crowning celebration at Highacres.

At the dance, the Committee plans to honor May Queen Marie Jacko with all the respect and honor due a queen.

Headlining the entertainment for the evening will be one of our own students--Ralph Sirota -- who is a professional entertainer in his own right. He will put on a varied form of vaudeville entertainment. Punch -- made from a secret recipe -- will be served at the affair.

The Student Activity Committee -- under the chairmanship of William Burcin -- has worked hard to make this dance the most successful social event of the year. Anticipating a large attendance at the Eagles Ballroom, the Committee feels that all who attend will enjoy themselves.

ALL-COLLEGE PICNIC SET FOR SUNDAY, MAY 17

The annual All-College Picnic has been set for Sunday, May 17 at Rumbel's Grove. The Student Activity Committee -- which will have charge of the affair-- feels that this is the only practical date to hold the picnic. The committee, like most of the students, prefer to hold it during the week, but because the spring semester is on a fifteen-week schedule instead of the usual sixteen-week schedule, the college was unable to declare a half-day holiday.

Headlining the events for the day will be such group-participating sports as volley-ball, baseball, football, and quoits. There will be such refresh-
