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## POLICE-MOTOR POOL, FIREMEN, SOFT-BALL

### TEAMS BATTLE FOR LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP

CULTURAL ACTIVITIES PLANS PROGRESSING

"Ed" Nestor, Budget, reports that the formation of the various cultural activity courses is progressing rapidly.

The establishment of a lending library and the securing of educational films is being handled by a group headed by Mr. John Binnington, Library.

The orchestra is being organized by Mrs. Dorothy Lee, Physics. Miss Gilda Garritano, "Tom" Sheridan's secretary, isarranging the dance classes. The organizing of the choral group has been assumed by Alf F. Christoffersen, Photography.
Miss "Feggy" Stirton, offersen, Personnel, is arranging language classes and Allen J. McMahon, Photo Disintegration, is endeavoring to organize the mathematics and science courses. Accounting classes will be established by "Len" Heyman, Library.

The Cultural Committee is trying to have most of the cultural program in operation by Sept. 15. In order to insure success, Ed Nestor, chairman, states that all those who indicate their desire to take part in any activity, should arrange to attend the organization meetings that are to be called. For further information about any of the proposed activities, call John Binnington, Ext. 294.

DRAFTEES
ATTENTION!

At the request of the Local Draft Registration Board, facilities are available for registering at the Laboratory all employees subject to the draft. Registration will take place at the Personnel building between the hours of 1 and 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 31 thru Friday, September 3, and again on Tuesday, September 7. Employees may register at the Laboratory regardless of their place of residence. Although all eligibles, age 23-25, must be registered according to schedule by September 3, those between the ages of 18 and 22 inclusive, should register in advance of the published schedules by registering at the Laboratory some day this week or at the latest, on Tuesday, Sept. 7. If you have any questions please phone Ext. 344 or 260.

LATE NEWS! - The Firemen's soft ball team secured one leg on the BNL soft ball Championship on Monday night, by defeating Police-Motor Pool by a score of 1 to 0. Details next week.

Your Best Safety Device Is About Nine Inches Above Your Shoulders. THIS WEEK'S
GAMES MAY
PRODUCE WINNER

As we go to press, the Police-Motor Pool and the Firemen's soft ball teams are battling for the championship of the BNL soft ball league. Before last week's games were played, the odds were on Men's Dorm, and Materials Control as the two teams that would meet for the deciding games. But, Police-Motor Pool took Men's Dorm, over by scores of 13.0 and 4-2 and the Firemen downed Materials Control by a score of 9 to 2 in the first game and squeezed through to victory in the second game by a score of 1 to 0.

This second game between the Firemen and the Police-Motor Pool teams was one of the most hotly contested ball games of the season. Rooney pitching for the Fire Eaters allowed two hits and no runs while Pollack pitched what should have been winning ball for Materials Control. Pollack allowed only four hits but the Fire Eaters took advantage of every opportunity to get their men in scoring position. Up to the fourth inning no man on either team reached the home plate. With the Fire Eaters at bat, Newham hit a single. Texiera, the next batter, also singled. Mey-(Cont. on Page 3)

#### ATTENTION BOWLERS!

As you have undoubtedly heard, the bowling alleys here at the Laboratory have been removed to make room for a laboratory, and are to be reinstalled at another location at a later date. The Bowling Committee has investigated all possibilities in the surrounding community and feel that Fanny's Bowling Alleys in Mastic offer the best solution to our problem. Present plans are to bowl there until such time as our own alleys are replaced.

Fanny's Bowling Alleys offer the following facilities: 8 new alleys, plenty of seats for spectators, a good selection of balls and shoes, and a bar and restaurant. The rate will be thirty-five cents per game.

Bowling will start about the last week in September. If you are interested in joining in the fun, fill out the questionnaire below and return it to: Bowling Committee - Gym, as soon as possible. Teams will be made up by departments as far as possible. Starting time will be 8:00 -8:30 p.m.

For further information, contact any member of the Bowling Committee.

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I would like to bowl on	nights.

#### METEOROLOGY GOES HAYWIRE

After weird incantations to the gods of thunder, and violent dances around the towers during the dark of the moon, the Meteorology Group was assured of a bright clear night for its picnic, August 19th.

Group members and their guests assembled at the new weather office, and after a brief inspection of the equipment, badefarewell to George Mitchell, who remained on duty in accordance with the "we-never-close" policy.

Looking like a gay wake or a sad wedding, the group sped through a maze of roads to Patricia Safford's home at Wading River. Arriving an hour later were the David Antos and the Frank Scotts. They explained that their delay was due to a wrong left turn and the resemblance of the roads to a disorderly rat's nest. When everyone had arrived, the party shifted into high gear. "Barney" Bohnhorst, Don Kohl, Roger Syber and Pat Safford braved the waters of the L.I. Sound. After emerging from the waters, the trio chattered their teeth in unison.

Always in pursuit of science, Fhil Lowry and Dan Mazzarella skimmed flat stones through the water to test the laws of hydrodynamics.

Maynard Smith directed the cooking of frankfurters and hamburgers, until enough were done for Maynard Smith. Mrs. Sylvia Safford then took control of the gastronomic delights which included home-made oven baked beans that would have done the scions of Boston proud. Then came the ambrosia in kegs, and the nectarin bottles. Matthew Lefkowitz, who achieved the dubious distinction of running out of gas upon his arrival at the party, contemplated a careful mixture of the drinks as a suitable substitute but was convinced that a less potent liquid would be better.

All had a gay time. Fred Bartlett proved he couldn't walk a tight rope, Roger Syler attempted to sing expurgated Navy songs, while Blossom Lefkowitz attempted to sing. Norman R. Beers, group leader, led the group in some old German stein songs, and Bea Coheleach led the group in the vague direction of the Sound in an effort to determine whether the water was still wet. Pat Safford did an interpretive dance, although there is still some discussion as to what was interpreted. George Totts also danced, while Alice Peterson watched in obvious awe.

A happy evening, with no outside requests for weather information--

## GAS STATION IN FULL SWING

Joe Cardinal's Gulf gas station on Technology street opposite the bank is in full operation and offers complete maintenance and repair service to the motorist.

Joe will have an assistant soon who will be able to call for and deliver cars to any location on the site, enabling staff members to have their cars greased, washed, have the oil changed or have minor repairs made during working hours, without leaving their desks.

Application blanks are available at the gas station for Gulf credit cards.

We won a global war to insure the safety and dignity of human life. We who survived would be wasting the sacrifices of brave youth if we now permit carelessness and thoughtlessness to increase accidents.--Dr. Ralph W. Sackman, Minister, Christ Church, N. Y.

2ND CASTING!! LIFE & 1/2 LIFE!!

5:30 P.M.

SEPT. 2 -- TOMORROW

Flenty of Parts
Men and More Girls Needed

Transportation Guaranteed

lst casting brought out some good singers, dancers, actors. More are needed. No parts have yet been assigned. Everyone has an opportunity for an important role.

C'MON OUT AND TAKE PART -- WE NEED YOU.

You Have No Right To Take A Chance; The Other Fellow May Have To Take The Consequences.

SOFT BALL - Contd.

ers flied out to second base: with both runners holding their bases. Rooney singled to the in-field, loading the bases.

T. Newham, hit a hot grounder to third base-man McCluskey, but B. Newham reached home ahead of the throw, scoring what proved to be the winning run. With the bases still loaded, Kinney hit a liner to third baseman McCluskey, who threw to catcher Aviano for a forced out. Takats flied out to retire the side.

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In the first game, which the firemen won by a score of 9 to 2, Rooney, pitching for the Fire Eaters, scored a three hit game, two of these hits in the first inning producing one of the Materials Control runs. The score was 3 to 2 up until the fifth inning when the Fire Eaters broke out into a batting spree and piled up 6 runs.

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(Rooney & Takats)
The first game that the
Men's Dorm. lost was a
walk-away for PoliceMotor Pool, in which they
scored 13 runs on 5 hits
and 7 errors. The second
game, Thursday, which
ended with a score of 4 to
2, was a close game.
Garrett hurled for the Police-Motor Pool, while
O'Laughlin was on the

## "BUSY VEGETABLE LINES"

Back of the Telephone building, opposite Police Headquarters, there has been a thriving garden with cucumbers, lettuce, carrots, radishes, corn and tomatoes. Passers-by have wondered who maintained this garden. -- At last the secret is out. The Laboratory telephone operators, during their rest periods, spaded the garden, planted the seeds, and, of course, reaped the crop. The crop saved the girls many a penny that ordinarily would have been spent for buying vegetables.

It is rumored that next year the girls will club together and purchase a beef steer and stake him out back of their building so they will have steak to go with their vegetables.

mound for the Men's Dorm. The 3 runs scored by Police-Motor Pool in the second inning, together with the one that was scored in the first inning were enough to keep them in the lead and their pitcher, Garrett, helped to win the game by hitting two doubles and a single in the 3 trips to the plate. Men's Dorm. made one run in the first inning and seemed to be on the way to a larger score when Roman and Brown both hit for 3 bases but only one run was scored.

Men's Dorm-0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 R H E 0 2 7 (O'Laughlin, Heyburn & Gledhill)

Pol.-Motor -3 4 0 2 0 4 X Pool R H E 13 5 2 Pol.-Motor -1 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 R H E 4 7 0 (Garrett & Porteous)

Men's Dorm-0 1 1 0 0 0 0 R H E

(O'Laughlin & Heyman)

DRIPPING DANCERS
DISPORT DELIRIOUSLY

Despite a blanket of humidity and overpowering heat a group of intrepid square dancers gathered in the recreation hall in the Apartment Area on Thursday night determined to dance or die.

To the strains of many an old tune, pleasantly played by our local musicians, the Terpsichorean enthusiasts whirled and spun. No help was given to executing the pleasant dance figures by your editor, who suddenly developed four hands and six feet.

Refreshments, beer and "coke" helped to cool off the fevered brows.

It is the opinion of the writer that these square dances are the best method of introducing staff members to each other and that a square dance sponsored by BERA is a natural.

BUY - SWAP - SELL

Ride or Riders Wanted

From Rockville Centre -or Hempstead, Freeport
and points east -- to BNL.
Call Stearns, Health Physics, Ext. 552.

#### For Sale

Model A - 1-1/2 ton rack truck - 8 ply tires - new motor - extra low gear mechanically perfect -\$500. - Mrs. O.E. Reybert, Boston Rd., Bayshore, N.Y. - Phone Bayshore 4665W.

Chevrolet 2-door master sedan - 5 new tires - new paint job - mechanically perfect - \$650. - Mrs. O. E. Reybert, Boston Road, Bayshore - Phone Bayshore 4665W.

Safety Always - All Ways.

BUY - SWAP - SELL

### House For Sale

5 Rooms - bath - garage built 1946 - Property 77 x 157 ft. - Located in Bayport - Price: \$10,000 -Contact A. Benson - Ext. 99 for details.

#### Lot For Sale

In "A" Zone - Bayport 1 block from village 100 x 150 ft. - Price: \$500.
Contact A. Benson - Ext.
99.

### Ride Wanted

Ride wanted to BNL from Patchogue. Call Ext. 105-225.

### For Sale

Underwood noiseless typewirter - Used very little -Like new. - \$70.00 - A. Leber, Ext. 64.

1934 4-Door Chevrolet - New 51 p. - 110 amp battery - 2 new tires - \$100 - A. Leber, Ext. 64.

Electric Heater - \$20.00 A. Leber - Ext. 64.

### Wanted

Small orchestra needs bass viol, clarinet or any rhythm instrument player except drums. Call Ext. 225.

Lost - Pin with triangular turquoise set in silver. If found, please return to Mrs. Hofstadter, Apt. 5D.

#### Wanted

Ride from Islip Terrace. Call W. Vogelsang, Ext. 326.

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## FAREWELL PARTY FOR DR. LIVINGSTON

When Dr. M. Stanley Livingston, chairman of the Accelerator Project, acceded to Acting Director Dr. Leland J. Haworth's request that he "stop in at the Research Building for just a moment" he had no idea that a farewell party was the reason. Members of the Accelerator Staff and other staff members were awaiting his arrival with liquid and solid nourishment on tap.

The inviting buffet supper was arranged and prepared by Marge Chiuchiolo and Angela Scannell, and the baked Virginia hams were cleverly carved by Dr. William Higinbotham. The speed with which the food disappeared speaks for its quality, and also indicates that good cooks form part of the staff of Brookhaven.

Dr. Livingston returns to M.I.T. in September and he will be missed by all staff members, particularly those who worked with him on the Accelerator Project.

# CHORAL GROUP MEETING-SEPT. 9

YOU are invited to the first meeting of the Brookhaven Choral Group on Thurs., Sept. 9, 1948 at 5:15 p.m. in the lounge of the Research Staff Bldg. This meeting is to be an organizational meeting at which we hope to decide the type of club desired, type of music to sing, and other details relevant to the formation of a singing group.

Our club promises to be a lot of fun--so,--if you like to sing we'll expect to see you at our organizational meeting.

Fifty nine people have signified interest to date. A.P. Christoffersen Acting Chairman

#### FACT 'N FISSION

"I notice," siad the sage of Brookhaven, "that the Patchogue Advance carries Bellport news "Busy Ballport" "Why not be consistent," he continued, "and carry Brookhaven Blurbs, Medford Murmurs, Remsenberg Rumors, and Selden Sayings," "As to Coram," he concluded, "the readers can play around with that one, for after all, this is a family newspaper."

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Do you speculate on what the weather will be? So does the weather man if you should ask me. Sat. Eve. Post-

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Ray Wanta, head of the local U.S. Weather Bureau, says that he hunted for years for a girl named Ida, but finally fell in love with a girl named Barbara.

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Frank Walsh, AP Dept. of the well-known Pat-chogue Walshes was disappointed in the recent dance. He said that he thought we were going to fill the swimming pool with beer.

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Breathes there a man with soul so dead
Who never has climbed out of bed
With dark brown taste, and

With dark brown taste, and then did say,

"I'll smoke less cigarettes today?". (And then smoked the usual

two packs.)

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