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DANCE COMMITTEE BUSY WITH PLANS

The committee in charge of the Midsummer Dance to be held Friday evening, July 29, in the Research Staff Lounge is busily engaged completing plans for this annual event and hopes to place entrance cards on sale the latter part of this week.

The donation fee to be charged this year has been set at \$1.25, a small sum in consideration of the fact that in addition to the opportunity to dance to the strains of orchestral music, free beer and setups, as well as appetizers, will be provided. Greco's Orchestra will furnish the music and those who have attended previous dances will know that this promises a pleasant evening.

Last year more than five hundred staff members attended this annual event and it is probable that this year's dance will attract a larger crowd. The committee in charge of arrangements for the dance consists of Marge Chiuchiolo, Geraldine Bishop, Ralph Maust, Robert P. Brown and Marilyn Hoopes.

THEATER TICKETS

The Recreation Office has made arrangements with the Bellport Summer Theater to obtain tickets at reduced prices. Reservations may be made by calling Extension 391.

BASS THIS MONTH'S PRIZE FISH

A freshwater bass contest is being held all this month by the BERA Fishing Club and all members are eligible to enter their catches. Entry blanks may be obtained from Charles A. Larson, Ext. 2376. Fish to be entered in the contest may be taken to any official weighing station and the completed entry blanks forwarded to Frank Jelley, 60 Brookhaven Avenue.

CAMERA CLUB MEET- ING WEDNESDAY

The BNL Camera Club will meet next Wednesday at 5:15 p.m. in Building 317 in the Apartment Area. Dr. Seymour Katcoff will entertain the members by showing a series of color slides.

COMING EVENTS

Listen-To-Music Group -
July 12

Camera Club Meeting -
July 13

Film Study Group -
July 26

Midsummer Dance -
July 29

CHILDREN'S SWIMMING CLASSES START

The walls of the swimming pool echoed the sound of many youthful voices last Wednesday morning, as amid a great deal of splashing and cries of "who has my bathing suit" the first of a series of swimming classes for children got under way.

About twenty five children were on hand and Mrs. Marjorie Moog, A. R. C. Instructor, who will conduct the classes, formed them in groups according to their knowledge of swimming.

The beginners, starting at about five years old, were instructed from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m., learning to overcome fear of the water, buoyancy, position in the water, balance and coordinated stroking. Between 10:00 and 11:00 a.m. the older children were instructed in the proper arm and leg strokes, underwater swimming, diving and rescue skills.

Many of the children show great promise of having their names added to the list of BNL championship swimmers.

Any staff members interested in having their children join the swimming classes, which will be held each Wednesday morning, may enter them by calling the instructor at the pool, Ext. 211.

SOFTBALL RESULTS - Week Ending July 1, 1949

Nuclear Reactor 5 - Chemistry 0
Materials Control 11 - Phubars 9
Machine Shops 7 - Drafting-Fiscal-Purchasing 2

STANDING OF THE CLUBS AS OF JULY 1, 1949

	Won	Lost
Materials Control	6	2
Chemistry	4	2
Machine Shops	4	4
Nuclear Reactor	4	4
Phubars	3	4
Drafting-Fiscal-Purchasing	0	5

GAMES TO BE PLAYED - Week of July 12

Tues., July 12 - Chemistry vs. Machine Shops

Wed., July 13 - Nuclear Reactor vs. Phubars

Thurs., July 14 - Materials Control vs. Drafting-Fiscal-Purchasing

MUSIC LISTENING
PROGRAM

The program for the Music Listening Group for Tuesday evening, July 12, was arranged by Joseph Silverman of the Chemistry Department. The group will assemble in the Research Staff Building at 8:00 p. m. to hear the following:

Mozart - Quartet for Piano and Strings in E Flat.

Selections from Die Meistersinger by Wagner.

Selections from Die Walkure by Wagner.

South Rampart Street Parade.

Selections from Boris Godounov by Moussorgsky.

RIFLE SHOOT
POSTPONED

The Upton Rifle and Pistol Club shoot, originally planned for Saturday, July 9, has been postponed and a new date will be set at a meeting to be held Friday, July 8, too late to be announced in this edition. Information regarding the new date may be obtained by calling Arnold Runge, Ext. 2376, Robert Brouwer, Ext. 2342 or Edward Nicholson, Ext. 483.

SOFTBALL ANALYSIS

By Walter Thorne

The first half of the BNL League will end this week with Chemistry and Materials Control having monopolized 1st and 2nd places alternately for ten weeks. However, the other teams have been closing in, creating a league race hotter than a turkish bath.

It is still evident that BN Lites are showing a lack of interest in their department teams. Come on out and spend an hour enjoying some good ball playing. The grandstand is shaded and it is a good place to relax after a hot summer's day of work. Who knows, if enough interest is shown, Dick Vogt might establish a peanut and soda concession.

While talking with one of the league umpires the other day, it was suggested that there be an Umpire's Trophy awarded every year. It is rumored that the umpires have a record of all the games they've won thus far this season. They haven't lost one yet.

Warning to Chemistry - Drafting-Fiscal Purchasing are still building up their team. They recently added two good men to their roster, Ted Jasson and Jimmy Walsh. With Chemistry having two make-up games with this team, it looks as though Drafting - Fiscal - Purchasing is pointing towards an upset.

The game to see this week is Chemistry vs. Machine Shops on Tuesday, July 12.

BOOKS ON BERA
RENTAL LIBRARY
SHELVES

"PRAIRIE AVENUE"
by Arthur Meeker

Prairie Avenue is a story of the men of great wealth who made Chicago, and of their wives, children and grandchildren.

Ned Ramsey, whose father had periods of affluence followed inevitably by long dry periods when only the bare necessities of life were available, is twelve years old when the story opens in 1880. His father is on the verge of another time of needed economy and his parents have decided that Ned must live with his mother's brother, Uncle Hiram Stack, a wealthy lumber yard owner.

Uncle Hiram and his wife, Aunt Lydia, live on Prairie Avenue where all the wealthy families reside, in a house that once belonged to Ned's father, and it is with a feeling of utter lonesomeness that Ned arrives there on a winter night and is escorted to bed without having seen his three young cousins.

Before the first winter has passed, Ned has adjusted himself to the family ways and has grown fond of his cousin Almira who is six months younger.

The tale of Ned's fortunes from 1880 to 1919 is a small part of the book. Aunt Lydia, a charming woman, dominates the story as well as the characters and her love affairs, which never are publicly disclosed, the tragic death of Uncle Hiram after an unexpected return home from a business trip, and her social

NEW BOOKS
IN LIBRARY

Fiction

The Time Is Noon - Hiram Haydn
Limbo Tower - William Gresham
Stranger In The Land - Ward Thomas
World Full Of Strangers - Davis Alman
Elephant Walk - Robert Standish
Tomorrow We Reap - James Street
The Man Who Made Friends With Himself - Christopher Morley
Quench The Moon - Walter Macken
Spring Fever - P. G. Wodehouse
The Wind Cannot Read - Richard Mason
Raintree County - Ross Lockridge, Jr.

Non-Fiction

Death Be Not Proud - John Gunther
Behind The Curtain - John Gunther
Low And Inside - H. Allen Smith

triumphs over her critical rivals provide the main interest.

The growth of Chicago and the gradual migration of families to the "North Side," away from the factories and railroad tracks that border Prairie Avenue, adds to the interest of the story of Ned and his relatives.

Meeker with his outlines of the modes and manners of the times and his descriptions of the houses and furnishings, provides a lifelike picture of Chicago in the early days. Altogether, an enchanting novel.

NUCLEAR SCIENTIST'S
JOB: TO HIT BULLSEYE
IN DARK

Dr. Robert D. Fowler, nuclear scientist from Johns Hopkins University, gave this definition of a nuclear scientist to a group of Government officials at a symposium recently.

A man standing in a field in absolute darkness with thousands of baseballs around him on the ground. Somewhere in the field, invisible to him, is a barn with but one window and some kind of animal inside.

The man picks up a ball and throws it in any direction. If, by some chance, it goes through the barn window and hits the animal and then bounces back out again so that the man can catch it in the darkness, he may try to identify the animal by smelling the ball.

PING POND LADDER
STANDINGS, JULY 6

1. Joseph E. Smith
2. George Snow
3. Lloyd O'Laughlin
4. Robert McKee
5. Arthur Dick
6. Martin Plotkin
7. Edward Sperry
8. John Risley
9. Arthur Tellefsen
10. Chris Ruvola

FACT 'N FISSION

A salesman was preparing for a trip and his wife was downcast.

"What's the matter, honey?" he asked.

"When you're away I worry," she said.

"Darling," he said, "I'll be back before you know it."

"That's what worries me," said his wife.

A lady travelling with a friend said to the airplane pilot, "Now don't start going faster than sound. We want to talk."

Octopus: An eight sided cat.

In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to what some girl has been thinking about all winter.

A truthful woman won't lie about anything except her age, weight and her husband's salary.

The most important qualification for an aspiring poet is a small appetite.

Setting a good example for your children takes all the fun out of middle age.

A Thoughtless Moment May Cause An Accident A Lifetime Can't Repair.

TIDETABLE

<u>Place</u>	<u>AM</u>	<u>PM</u>
Freeport	8:30	8:50
Babylon	10:55	11:15
Bayshore	10:25	10:45
Patchogue	11:25	11:45
Bellport	11:50	12:10
Shinnecock O.	7:00	7:20
Shinnecock Canal	12:01	12:12
Montauk Pt. North	8:06	8:17
Montauk Pt. Harbor	9:06	9:17
Orient - Shelter Island	10:06	10:17
Noyack Bay	11:21	11:32
New Suffolk	11:46	11:57
Sag Harbor	10:21	10:32
Greenport	10:26	10:37
S. Jamesport	11:06	11:17
Promised Ld.	9:16	9:27
Northport	11:23	11:36
Stonybrook	11:08	11:21
Port Jeff.	11:43	11:56
Mattituck Inlet	12:03	12:16

(Daily Increase-55 Min.)

WANTED

Ride to Laboratory from East Hampton Monday mornings and ride back on Friday nights. Call A. F. Humm, Ext. 593.

Ride wanted from Bayview Avenue and South Country Road East Patchogue to the Laboratory - John Maiello, Ext. 2158.

LOST AND FOUND

Whether your loss occurred ten hours ago or ten months ago, be sure to check with J. Benson, Ext. 393. We have quite a stock of glasses, gloves, keys, smokers' accessories, knives, jewelry, religious medals and wristwatches.

CLASSIFIED

Houses For Sale

Two houses - Located on Northcliff Drive and Posidean Road in Rocky Point - Price: \$6500 each - 5 rooms, 2 bedrooms, one bath. One bedroom and the living room are done in knotty pine. Modern kitchen with ample cabinet space. Heatator fireplace. Venetian blinds throughout, tiled bath and full cellar. White asbestos shingle construction - fully insulated. Houses located on attractively wooded lots - 40 x 100. For further information contact Mrs. Wesley Sherman (broker) at Shoreham 2324 or the Housing Office Ext. 2218.

For Sale

Kalamazoo pipeless furnace with automatic controls - coal burning water heater and water tank - Perfect condition - \$40 - Call Mike Jarem, Ext. 577.

1941 Chevrolet Sedan Deluxe - heater - new paint job - 4 new tires - Call Ext. 577 or Patchogue 3891J after 6 p. m.

1936 Buick-7 passenger - 4 good tires - radio - heater - Call Ext. 577 or Patchogue 3891J after 6 p. m.

1947 Special Deluxe Flymouth - 4 door sedan - radio - heater - slip covers - perfect condition - Price: \$1175 - Call Ext. 423.