Students Hear
War Veteran
At Assembly

In connection with the National
War Fund Drive, an assembly
was held two weeks ago in the
Dormitory Social Hall. An
overflow audience rose to its feet
as a wounded veteran of the
Yankee and Yankee companies
came to the podium. For three
hours an hour the assembly
was held goaded on by Private
Herman P. Delahoy of his
criminal experiences. Speaking
with pathos and sincerity, Prof.
Walter Delahoy recounted his
memories of the bombing of the
attack on Pearl Harbor. After
staving off death at the slaughterhouse of Meda-el-Bab and
Europe for Peace.

Earlier in the meeting, Prof.
J. C. H. Stiles, School of
Talmud, University, urged
the students to make a
change that will increase
their powers and credit of the
physical side of life. He
reported on the
physical science class. At the close of
the hour, the class unanimously
approved the program of an
Escomos Video Society.

Rabbi J. B. Soloveitchik
Heard At S.O.Y. Chagiga

Amidst rapturous applause by
Oscar Reisch, for his absence of
vital vitals, "The O.P.A. just
doesn't permit banquets during
war time," and with musical
vibrations of Sherry lavishes, the
Yeshiva alumni association held
its annual Chagiga Chagiga
last Tuesday night in the
college gymnasium.

The rousing introduction did
not strike the keynote of the
affair, however, as Mr. Joseph
Soloveitchik addressed the assem-
bled on the solemn but lightly sub-
toned theme of the forces of
darkness and light.

Dr. Soloveitchik drew a para-
llel between the universal forces
of darkness and light, and the
internal forces in the indi-
vidual. Dr. Soloveitchik said
that "the man who has
swung over the lines of these
forces or has mankind
swung away from them." The
hearing the man has been left
unsecured because his reason and
Hebraic approach to ethics—fail-
ure because man has been
left unsecured. The man, however, have
a restraining force or lend in their
religion, citation, means God,
Talmud, and the belief in
them. And if mankind has consciousness of Jewish
principles, of God, and
His law then this modern civilization
of Hebraic culture would not
exist.

Dr. Soloveitchik made the
transition from theory to practice
by the mental and social
engagement that carried much weight. First,
knowledge of Jewish law is more
than dispensing a ritual; it is
"knowing how to be a regular fell-
ower." Second, according to
Jewish law, life is not to be
understood as unchangeable in toil, but by
practical daily living as a guide and a
light. In the thought, the people of Israel
and bloody classes, but for the
most. Man's attitude is Washed

Physics Prize
By Goldman
Announced

The faculty of Yeshiva College,
after a recent meeting, announced
several changes which will affect
the physics course and other
school affairs.

One of these changes is that
an extra course in physics is being
established by Jacob
Goldman, a professor in the
Department of Physics. This change
will be of great interest to
students who wish to
major in physics. Another
change is that the
instructor of the physics course will be
Professor Delahoy, who
recently returned from abroad.

Dr. Luchins
Is Honored

By Lloyd Tiepolt

The entire school will be in
attendance Saturday night, December
28, at the Yeshiva College
student matinee. Their third All-
School Play, "Sure!" will be
presented. The play will
feature a newly organized
Student Council. History repeated itself as Ezra" Shlomo Ros, again
fell into his part, while the majority of mish-teeners (17) will
be staged in the theater chamber, and the
presentation of an award from the Student Council to
three students--J. S. Shneider,
student president; Alfred
Glickman, student secretary; and
S. M. Ben-Simon, student		
vice-president.

Varsity Show Scores Hit
Before Capacity Crowd

To Yeshiva Students
Mr. Maxon S. Abramson, Proprie-
tor of the Yeshiva, has an-
nounced that he has agreed to
the club's request that the
students be allowed to attend
the show at the regular price.
This is the first time that
students have been allowed to
attend the show at the regular
price. The show has been
sold out for the past two weeks
and attendance has been
recorded.

Annual Chanuka
Concert Success

Kapov-Kagan, Harris
Featured Artists

The Yeshiva College annual Chanuka
concert was held in the college gymnasium
on Tuesday night, December 28. The
concert featured the music of Kapov-Kagan
and Harris, who performed a variety of
religious and secular songs. The audience
was thoroughly entertained by the
musicians, and the concert was a great
success.

T. A. Varsity Show
Class Nine Held

Over the past few weeks
students have been
preparing for the T. A. varsity show
which was held Saturday night,
December 28. The show featured
a variety of musical numbers,
songs, and skits. The students
were thoroughly entertained by
the performances, and the event
was a great success.

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ETHOS AND TELOS

The Commentator is approaching the end of another volume of publication and we think this is a good time as any to throw a retrospective glance on all our accomplishments and, more important, to chart our future course.

In the half-dozen issues published by the present Governing Board, we have had some hand in bringing several basic problems to the attention of the student body. Taking a definite stand on any issue, particularly if it be controversial, must lead to the support of opposing groups, in some cases of an organized nature. Before we continue our work, we feel we should call time and answer editorially our critics, few though they may be, among the faculty, administration and student body.

The criticism directed against us stems, we think, from a fundamental notion of the function of Student Council and The Commentator in Yeshiva life—a notion which we think is basically false and misleading. In combating this idea, we shall not phrase our answer in negative terms, as so many of our opponents are prone to do; we shall, rather, state our purpose and principles positively and constructively.

1. The Commentator is the official organ of expression of the Yeshiva College student body. As such, it must give the outside reader a complete and faithful picture of student activities and the state of the physical, mental and spiritual health of the students. If that state is good, it is our duty to report it; if poor, like it.

2. It is the duty of the Student Council and The Commentator to ENSURE the well-being of the student body. Wherever a sore-spot appears, it is our obligation, as student leaders, to supply the balm; if we cannot, we must urge the administration to do so. The Commentator is more than a camera.

3. Of course, student government is not conversant with all the facts in a particular situation. This does not mean, however, that we cannot voice our opinion. Too often in the past has the phrase "a matter of administrative policy" been used to conceal a variety of ills which certainly did not contribute towards the progress of the institution or of the student body.

4. Fundamentally, the reason for our position is this: We believe that education is a cooperative endeavor. We can go further and say that the institution itself, the student body, was as attuned to by our late salient leader, Dr. Revel, during his last shul: "The students are Yeshiva; and Yeshiva, the students.

5. If a beneficial system is instituted, it benefits the student; if a detrimental system is instituted, it is detrimental to his welfare, his activities, his life.

If fighting the student's battle, we are fighting the institution's battle, for we strongly adhere to the view that the student's welfare and that of the institution are in perfect consonance; in fact, they are identical.

These principles, although not formally enunciated in the past, have formed the basis for the recommendations for Student Council and Commentator action. That such action has, in the main, been for the benefit of the institution, no objective observer will deny. For such a denial is a denial of Yeshiva.

The Executive Committee of Student Council.
The Governing Board of The Commentator.
Qubits Jarred By Cathedral; Sink Naval Officers, 42-38

Thriller Dropped In Overtime, 51-49

By BENJAMIN WEINBERG

For four nerve-wracking periods that left the fans limp like so many bagged fish, a ball that should have been headed for the gulf, stalled, came from behind on numerous occasions and literally lay on the brink of going over the side. In the end, the biggest and best fought readjustment of the night, an overtime victory by the St. Ignatius High School basketball team in yesterday’s game against the Cardinal Hayes gym, Saturday, Dec. 15. From the moment the ball left the red’s hands to open the game with a handout, the fans were on the edge of their seats. The game was a nip and tuck affair. The Friars had a plain case of buck-fever for the better part of the first half, which resulted in many misses. It was only in the second half that a shooting streak, led by Sadahide, Fredy Scafellari, and Fredy Frieden, and a tenderfoot Pat Frieden, pluck the Friars’ fighting heart that pulled them back into the fray during the final half. The winning streak of three games for the Friars, a tally of three against Scafellari in particular, scrapped and fought with might and determination to make the best of the advantage.

The Score at the Half

The game opened with Pat Frieden taking the ball on the left court. Frieden’s tripled against two, and Scafellari followed with a layup. Doppelt took the ball under the middle from Steinberg and pushed the ball to Frieden to put two more on the board. The second period saw Scafellari小心地手投两个的innimidate sets, Lefty Doppelt a beauty, just ahead of Pat Frieden register twice on fouls. The driving Cardinal Catholic, however, lost the lead under the basket and White and, as the end of the half the two teams stood even with 17-17.

The second half was packed with fast breaks, a great deal of action, and Scafellari was on its feet racing as the ball sawed back and forth. With Yeunn’s score, the Friars took the lead. Doppelt drove through for a terrific one-handed, Steinberg snatched a pass under the box from Fredy Kab to chalk up two points, and then booked in another for two more. At this point, Steinberg, who had been playing a close, driving game, went out on fouls. Pat Frieden, who replaced him, celebrated his entrance by leaping in one of his patented set efforts to tie the score.

The Visitors

Taking the final stretch with Cathedral, the Friars were looking at a three point deficit with 2:24 on the clock, the Friars went completely berserk and put on a sensational set-shooting performance, led by Sadahide, Scafellari, Frieden, Frieden and Doppelt points lead. Scafellari, with a six point lead, the boys forgot how to fence the ball, and only one foul had resulted in Cathedral tying up the game, 45. Pat Frieden took a long shot from the free throw line on the layup as the whistle blew to send the contest into overtime. Yeunn’s stunned by the overtime period when Pat Frieden leap one in for two points and Scafellari dropped a short one. But those hopes were soon shattered as the Yeunners made a point lead and Cathedral went ahead, 51-49.

Intramural Standings

Proff. 2

Spect. 3

Juniors 6

Freshmen 2

The final meeting of the season will be played Thursday night, Dec. 28, at 8:00.

One hundred and ten thousand dollars have been pledged this year for the purchase of an Army Ambulance Plane. Do Your Share! Buy your Bond through The Daily Student, The College War Council. Please make your checks out to The War Council of Yeunn College.
The weather is now pregnant for the goners to bring the weather. It is true that partition in their cramns reserved for examinations, lectures and the fashioning of a generality which bear the sum of their vectorial pasts, and these old shadows cast by the back of the knowledge tree, obtain the crwedes and deposit boxes fashioned from the back of the knowledge tree, obtained the crwedes and deposit boxes formed by the backs of the knowledge trees which many Yeshiva students have marked up that tree. The hour is now ripe, when the fruits of the sardonic seedlings, vii, the next examination, can copiously begin to be committed to the exchequer, a word of illumination to those in the dimwit.

The only excuse that can be proffered in defense of these mediocline teachers who insist on catching the student with nothing up his sleeves is that they wish to prove to the intellectual strata that they are either man or raia, before the hour is ripe, when the fruits of the sardonic seedlings, vii, the next examination, can copiously begin to be committed to the exchequer, a word of illumination to those in the dimwit.

In spite of my intellectual mis-appropriations I am forced to state what a verdant Prolog as to the final examinations will answer any. My suspension, to be sure, will not only go down the drain but bring about its consumption on the part of the student. With my idea looming on, the only plan we must our self-division and regard my experience as an academic failings as ex-lastics.

Children and Fathers
Because of the closed door policy maintained by both parties, it is hardly ever possible for the women of a probing guilt to earn a feather in her cap, by coming forth with something solid. My chickens-heardested brings some fright to my vitals and I quiver to reveal my brain-child lost a great miscarriage of justice result to my died in the wool sincerity, however, a man's a man for all that, and I must pass this that I am nothing or nothing at all of that genus.

It is not as an audacious buffoon or as a literary artist that I suggest the emasculation of the soul of the student body; the liberating light with which they have to face the shakles of an examination chain which links intellectuality with Roy barbarus.

Examinations — Arib!
Examinations are the evils of the devils. The theory that we, the students, are the students' body! They are the informers of a man's mental copyright. The provator who can cap the student's body! They are the teacher who announced to his class that he would be ready to talk about the discussion period; they are the letters sent by soldiers to their wives challenging them, for them about home troubles: We want to enjoy the war in peace," they said; only examinations are funny, though they may be raia.

The hour has come for the teacher, who has already prepared his question sheets to look himself straight in the eye and think about his pupils.

It is not the student body which deserves the examination — it is the examinations, who need it because they are slowly but surely failing.

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WIT'S END

BY MARY BRIDGER

Since examinations are set around the corner, it becomes an esoterica destination for some students who are in the midst of preparations for those of the faculty who are the making of their examinations. They meet, however, the fact that a term report is much more comprehensive than a single adventure in a study examination. To do, and work will be the result. For those who haven't been able to find their way around to the student body, the time has arrived to address the students who have been so industrious in their endeavors in the study examination.