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GLEE CLUB IN 1ST CONCERT

NEWS and VIEWS

by Jim Keating

Exams! Quizzes! Tests! Most of us had a hard time of it last week. One fellow complained that on one day he had a Religion test, an English test, and a Spanish quiz. Previous to that he had had two other tests, a quiz and a book review. And his situation is comparable to others. What can be done about it?

Here's a system for the perusal of the faculty: possibly it could be worked out that the Professors could let one another know when they are giving tests to their sections and then limit the number of tests to one a day, and not more than three a week. If there were only one test a day, I think it would eliminate the possibility of receiving answers to a Religion test written in Italian.

The rec room has welcomed the appearance of a juke box in the form of "You sing 'em, I'll play 'em" John O'Connell. Keep it up, John, it sounds swell.

Bob Hall (whose name keeps working its way into this column) is heading the dance committee.

The word must be getting about - add John Sullivan's name to that growing list of those who speculate in Howland's.

Have you seen what has happened to the heads of "Lovers, Inc."? Is that you, Lamb? You, Riley? You, Schaefer?

Does Bill Lynch know what a valinch is?

That loud whistle, well-deserved, that went up last week in the rec room was for Bill MacInnis' sister. Unfortunately after Bill had received many fabulous offers for introductions, we learned that she is engaged.

Some one tells me that Mr. Donna-
rumma, our History instructor, will give a speech on Communism at the next meeting of the Social Club.

I am short this week, but the "Tenets for Readers and Reviewers" is long.

HOWIE HITCHED

Howie Gonzalez of Section E was married this morning to Eunice Angiono of Bridgeport at St. Teresa's Church. Dannie Salvio of Section D was one of the ushers in the wedding party.

After the reception, the bride and groom will honeymoon in New York. It is rumored that the groom does not intend to bring his textbooks along.

The Glee Club, under the direction of Mr. Simon Harak of Derby, will present its first concert this coming Wednesday, April 21, at 8:00 P.M. in Berchmans Hall. The guest speaker at the occasion will be the Reverend Daniel J. Linehan, S.J., famed seismologist of Weston College, Weston, Massachusetts.

Although the affair is primarily for the Bellarmine Guild and Fathers' Club, it will be open to any member of the student body. The program will include Bullard's "Winter Song," O'Hara's "Close Harmony," Katchen's "When Day is Done," Sibelius' "Chorale from Finlandia," and Romberg's "Stouthearted Men." Solos will be offered by John Saccho, Thomas Davis, and George Keane.

FAIRFIELD AT NFCCS

At the National Federation of Catholic College Students' meeting in Boston last week-end, Neil Gearin and T. Emmet Murray, Fairfield's representatives, found that the initial constitution and the student-power at Fairfield were better than in other colleges.

His Excellency Most Rev. Richard J. Cushing opened the congress with an address urging all Catholic college graduates to challenge current labor problems.

Many of the students who attended the conference were interested in the progress of Fairfield U.

HEADS AT MEETING

Rev. James H. Dolan, S.J., Rector, and Rev. Lawrence Langguth, S.J., Dean, attended the State Department of Education meeting at Wesleyan University in Middletown, Conn., last Wednesday. The purpose of the meeting was to form a council of higher education in the state.

SOFTBALL FIZZLES

Fr. Francis Buck, S.J., Frank Prior, and Jim Evrard have thrown up their hands despairingly. With the complete lack of student cooperation and the subsequent failure of the softball meeting yesterday, they have decided to cancel further operation of the league.

Pledges for those who plan to attend the May 7th Prom and for those who will dine at the dance will be distributed next Monday.