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HOME COMING 1948

CORTLAND BOOSTERS PLAY ITHACA FRIDAY; BEAT ARMY, SIENA, LOSE TO SPRINGFIELD

Although the Cortland Red Mules were unable to continue to hold the Springfield squad scoreless for the last quarter of the game when the visiting team booted in the two goals which won them the game, the Mules' record so far is good, and the Ithaca game promises to be a good contest.

There are several Beta men on the squad and among them are: Thomas, Mahon, Meisenzahl, McEachron, Amrod, Witzel, Ainsworth, Dolat, VanKleek, Dick, Sennett, Peck, Clark, Flint and Slawson.

RED DRAGONS ARE UNDEFEATED TO DATE; FACE ITHACA ON SATURDAY

Coach "Chugger" Davis' football squad which has remained undefeated in three starts this year, faces its long time rival, Ithaca College, as the main feature of the '48 Homecoming Weekend.

Among the Beta men on the squad are: Erickson, Head, Jackson, Lipsius, Murray, Westerman, Grandinette, Stedge, Molnar, Holloran, Gibbons, Galarneau. Mike Branning is Manager for this year. "Pete" Corey and "Tony" Tesori, both Beta alumni, are working with the squad as Assistant coaches.

DR. SMITH'S MESSAGE

Through the years the men of Beta have enjoyed the reputation of being Cortland's strongest boosters. The college is proud of the record that Beta men have established and sustained throughout the years. It is, therefore, with genuine welcome that I add my voice to that of the men of the chapter in welcoming you to the annual Homecoming game. Hank von Mechow, a fraternity brother and chairman of the Homecoming Committee, has arranged a most excellent program for your enjoyment.

Chugger and the other coaches will have the team high for the Ithaca game. If you miss it, you'll miss the biggest event since your graduation. We all look forward to your return.

Donnal V. Smith

BETA MEN NOMINATED TO "WHO'S WHO"

Several Beta men have been included in the list of nominees to "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities". Who's Who is a book which is published annually and contains the names and short biographical sketches of the students voted most outstanding on the campuses of American Colleges and Universities. Nominations were made on the basis of scholarship, contributions to the school, and personality.

Results of the elections will not be available for several weeks because they must be verified by the National Who's Who committee.

BASKETBALL PROSPECTS GOOD

Prospects look very bright for another great basketball season this year as several top lettermen from last year's squad are back in school, and the Frosh team which ran up an impressive 10-4 won-lost record for last year's campaign is back almost intact.

Three of last year's starting varsity '15' will be back in harness again, including Walt Przybylo (high scorer last year), Ed Clout, and Ray Williams. Also returning are Al MacGamwell, Ed Kellman, Sheldon Maskin and Art Wright.

The Dragon Cagers open up on December 4, playing host to Brockport State. One of the season's highlights is the New York trip during Christmas vacation when they will visit Fort Schuyler and Iona.

MASQUERS PRODUCE "I REMEMBER MAMA"

The Hilltop Masquers Guild will produce "I Remember Mama" Thursday & Friday of the week after Homecoming. The play is relatively well known since a movie bearing the same title was released. Beta men active in the Masquers Guild are Charlie Berchen, who is also President of the organization and student director of the play, and Bob Berberich who is working as assistant stage manager.

HILLTOP PRESS OUT FRIDAY

Be sure to pick up your copy of the Hilltop Press in the main foyer when you register. This Homecoming issue will be used to aid in the college recruitment program. Manus O'Donnell, Beta, is now news editor of the school paper.

On behalf of the Dept. of Athletics, I should like to take this opportunity to welcome you on your return to the campus for Homecoming this year. No doubt some of the fondest memories include those associations you have had with your own Beta brothers and this is as it should be. On the other hand, any ties you have with any part of Cortland tends to make existing bonds within our college stronger and for that we are grateful. May your stay on the campus be a pleasant one which will cause you to want to return often.

Here's wishing you the best of luck and all the success in the world!

D. C. Moffett
Director of Athletics

Homecoming once again -- time for renewal of old friendships and recollection of fond memories, many of which, we hope, are connected with Beta. The Frat looks to its alumni with pride and pledges its efforts to uphold the traditional high standards which you, as members, helped establish. May the Spirit of Beta Phi Epsilon glow within you always and its memories never dim.

Bill Williams,
Frat President

FRAT NEWS

The Beta directory is being published under the chairmanship of Tony Grandinette who is assisted by his committee. Late frosh registration was an important factor in delaying the publication date. Other contributing factors were the paper shortage, a printer's strike and unavailability of the necessary information.

When the Homecoming Queen is crowned Friday night, it will be the result of the labors of Otis Sennett, John Clark, and James McIntyre, the '48 Homecoming Queen committee.

The fraternity officers for the first term are: Bill Williams, Pres.; Charlie Berchen, Vice-Pres.; Bruce Dick, Sec.; and Ray Williams, Treas. The men on this year's Homecoming committee are Beta members. They are: Hank von Mechow, chairman; Tony Grandinette and Manus O'Donnell.

GREETINGS!! Another year has rolled around -- another Homecoming celebration. This one finds me back on the job after a most pleasant year of study and fun. What changes one finds in only one year of absence from Cortland -- temporary gym, new women's dormitories, increased enrollment and staff, a new college camp at Racquette Lake, and Beta Phi bigger and better than ever. These are only a few of the changes which have taken place during the past few years.

Why not come back and see for yourself? This is the year for Cortland over Ithaca in football -- Wouldn't you like to see that? The gang joins me in urging you to return to 14 James Street. Date -- October 23rd - 24th.

Be seeing you!

F. J. Moench

SPORTS RESULTS & SCHEDULE

Varsity Football

	46	Cortland at Clarkson	6
	0	Cornell "B" at Cortland	33
	6	Brockport at Cortland	19
Oct. 23		Ithaca at Cortland	2:30
		(Homecoming)	
Oct. 30		At Hartwick	night
Nov. 2		At Springfield	2:00
Nov. 6		Stroudsburg at Cortland	2:00

Cross Country

	37	Cortland at Alfred	18
Oct. 23		Ithaca at Cortland	
Oct. 30		At Lock Haven	
Nov. 6		Hartwick at Cortland	

Frosh Soccer

	5	Cortland at Ithaca	1
Oct. 22		Syracuse at Cortland	3:30
Oct. 29		Manlius at Cortland	3:30

Varsity Soccer

	2	Cortland at Army	1
	1	Cortland at Springfield	2
	1	Cortland at Syracuse	0
Oct. 22		At Ithaca	2:00
Oct. 27		Brockport at Cortland	3:00
Oct. 30		Rochester at Cortland	2:00

Frosh Football

	6	Cortland at Manlius	31
	6	Cortland at Cornell	66
	0	Cortland at Ithaca College	14
Oct. 30		At Morrisville	2:00

MORE FRAT NEWS

Several hundred dollars was paid off on the house mortgage last June and the frat hopes to be able to pay off a similar sum next June. A large portion of the sum paid off was raised by the boys in the fraternity who sold Christmas cards to their friends and relatives.

KAPPA DELTA PI HAS BETA OFFICERS

The Cortland chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, national honorary society, has completed plans for the coming year. Projects of educational rehabilitation for European schools, and educational forum radio program for WKRT, guest speakers for assemblies, and a Kadelphian sponsored assembly have been planned and approved.

Beta members include: Ray Williams, Vice-Pres.; Bill Williams, Treas.; and Al Fondacaro, who was recently pledged to the society.

GYMNASTICS EXHIBITION AT AUBURN OCT. 29

The baby sport of C.S.T.C. Gymnastics is starting early this year on its exhibition schedule which will open at Auburn on October 29. Not all of the team members are making the trip because many of them are participating in the fall sports program. Beta men making this trip are Hal Childs and Jim Houlihan. The team's competitive schedule begins in December with a meet with Syracuse.

COLLEGE ASSOCIATION IS REVISED

A revision of the Cortland College Association took place last spring and replaced the old College Governing Board with an Executive Council and a representative House of Delegates elected by the student body. The House will make up the budget and determine the allocation of funds to the various organizations. Several Beta men were elected to this governing body; among them are: Jim Grady, Tony Grandinette, Mike Branning, and Tom Jackson.

AAPHER UNIT ACTIVE

Cortland's chapter of the AAPHER, the professional organization in Health, Physical Education, and Recreation, has as its president, Beta Hal Childs. Under his direction the organization will bring researchers in the field in to speak at its meetings. Coffee and doughnuts will be served in the college cafeteria this Saturday morning by the AAPHER members.

CROSS COUNTRY MEET WITH ITHACA

Cortland's Cross Country team has a good representation of Beta Men on it. The Ithaca meet, which is scheduled to finish at halftime of the football game, will be the harriers' second meet of the season. Beta men out for the team are: Charles Berchen, John Watkins, Wallace Blanchard, Al Fondacaro, and Manus O'Donnell.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL HANDLES LARGE BUDGET

The M.A.A. Executive Council is made up of all Beta men this year. Mike Branning is president of the organization and the following frat brothers are also members: Jim Grady, Tony Grandinette, Tom Jackson, Ray Williams, Ed McEachron and Bernie Dolat.

The Men's Athletic Council has in the past set up the Varsity letter system, and every year it elects the managers and assistant managers of all sports. It also apportions each sport's share of the \$20,000 athletic budget.