

## Tourists Sign For College European Trip

The second Fontbonne Student-Alumna Trip to Europe scheduled to take place from June 13 to July 26, 1961 has many interested prospective tourists. At the top of the list are Miss Carmelita Schmelig, drama and theater department; Carolyn Osiek, junior; Borelli, alumna; Susan McIlty, junior; Joan Wavering, junior; Kathleen Munzinger, freshman; and Meredith Smith, St. Eph Academy's senior.

The trip is scheduled to sail on the American liner "America," and land at Cobh, Ireland, and visit Dublin, London, Paris, Lucerne, Heidelberg, Venice, Brussels, Rome, Madrid, among other cities, the travellers will fly home from Lisbon and stop at the Azores for refueling.

Interested students and their friends are asked to see Sister John Joseph or Sister Ernestine, who will accompany the group. The cost is \$1395, starting from and ending in New York. Regina Tours, in Chicago, is conducting the trip.

## Ruth Sinnett, Madelyn Forman Edit Magazine

Ruth Sinnett, senior English student, will edit the literary magazine, The Fountain, for the current year. Madelyn Forman, senior art major, will be the art editor. Members of the staff will include Ethyne (Terry) Nelson, Elizabeth Huber, Janice Steuer, Julia O'Neill, Mary Louise Langdon, Mary Ann Noonan, Barbara Kadlec, and Elnor Engelhard.

Containing short stories, articles, and poetry, the magazine will have contributors from the English literature classes and the creative writing group. Other students wishing to contribute are encouraged to do so.

Sister Mary Loretta is literary adviser; Miss Frances Troemel, art adviser.

## Chinese Fantasy At Assembly

On Wednesday, November 16, "A Chinese Fantasy" starring Averil Tong and Foo-Tan of the Imperial Theatre will be presented in the auditorium at 2:00 p.m. The presentation will consist of several Chinese dances, which are typical of Oriental grace and charm.

The program will be as follows: "Scarf Dance," "Sword Dance," "The Intoxicated Queen," "The Cripple and the Mute," and "The Buddhist Nun Seeks Love" performed by Mme. Tong; "Finger Ballet," "Chinese Street Song," "Story-Telling of the Chinese Theatre," "Plate Dance," and "Single Scarf Dance" performed by Foo-Tan; and "Duet in Swords" by Mme. Tong and Foo-Tan.

## Students Visit Historic Spots

Twenty-four members of the French and history departments took a day's trip, or to be more specific, "an audio-visual tour" to Fort Chartres, Fort Kaskaskia, and Ste. Genevieve Saturday, Oct. 29. They were accompanied by Mrs. Anthony Gelmi, Mrs. Richard Deck, and Miss Jacqueline Chellis, Fontbonne alumna.

Leaving Fontbonne by bus at 8 a.m., and returning at 6 p.m., the

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## Red Cross Blood Bank On Campus

The Fontbonne Unit of the American Red Cross sponsored its annual Blood Bank Thursday, Nov. 3, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Doctors and nurses were in attendance in the alumnae room.

Of the 67 persons who signed up for the program, 55 gave blood. Nine were rejected; 3 were absent.

Kay Koncen and Diana Johnson, co-chairman, were in charge. Donors were required to be at least 18 years of age; they likewise were required to have the consent of their parents for participating.

Officers for the current year of the Fontbonne Unit are: Susan Grannemann, president; Dixie Lee Moye, vice president; Linda Shamel, secretary; Elizabeth Messmer, publicity; Mary Stanford, production.

Sister Agnes Joseph, former instructor in biology at Fontbonne who is now a member of the faculty of the College of St. Teresa, Kansas City, and who was faculty adviser for the unit for eight years, has been succeeded as adviser by Sister Margaret Eugene, also in the biology department.

## Adrienne Musial On Board For TB Pins Sales

Adrienne Musial, Fontbonne senior, met with the other local college representatives last week and the Veiled Prophet Queen, Miss Sally Ford Curby, to discuss TB Pin Sales for the 1960 Christmas Seal Campaign. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Marcus Rice, 205 S. McKnight Road.

On this year's Pin Sellers board besides Adrienne are Dolores Legard, Webster College; Mary Stuart, Maryville; Lin Eden, Washington University; Nancy Anderson, Harris Teachers' College.

Miss Curby will act as chairman of the 1960 Pin Sellers Committee which will help direct the actions of the women students who will sell the double barred cross pins throughout the St. Louis area during the Christmas Seal Campaign of the Tuberculosis and Health Society of St. Louis.

## Frosh Elect New Officers

The freshman class recently elected officers for the 1960-1961 year. The class chose Margaret Murphy, president; Mary Beth Paul, vice president; Minerva Jun, secretary; Martha Holloran, treasurer.

Margaret, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Murphy, attended Rosati Kaine High School last year. Daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Raymond F. Paul, Mary Beth was a student at St. Joseph's High School in Farmington, Illinois. Minerva Jun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Jun, is an alumna of Marquette High School in Alton, Illinois. A graduate of St. Elizabeth's Academy, Martha is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Holloran, St. Louis.

## Mass For Deceased Alumnae

The annual Mass for the deceased Fontbonne alumnae and members of their families will be celebrated in St. Joseph's Chapel in Ryan Hall on November 19 at 5:00 p.m. The Reverend Edward Mullen, C.M., Fontbonne Chaplain, will be the celebrant.

## College Chooses Carole Sullivan CYA Candidate

Carole Sullivan was selected as Fontbonne's candidate for the 1960 Outstanding Catholic Youth Award last week by a special campus committee of NFCCS.

Each member college of NFCCS selects one student, who is personally interviewed on the basis of outstanding activity in parish, archdiocesan, and national service. The award will be announced before December 8 by judges selected from NFCCS national officers, representatives from National Newman Clubs Federation and Diocesan Councils of Catholic Youth.

Holding offices in National Council of Catholic Youth, a representative from her parish, St. Rita's, of the North County to the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Youth, and a director in the March of Dimes, Carole was also queen of the 1956 Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Youth Ball.

At Fontbonne she is vice president of the Fontbonne Legion of Mary and the Fontbonne Athletic Association.

A graduate of Mercy High School, Carole is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene J. Sullivan, 7851 Birchmont Avenue, University City, Mo. She will graduate from Fontbonne in May, majoring in physical education and minoring in biology.

## Art Club Releases Unique Program For Semester

Delta Phi's program for the current semester includes lectures and films. "The American Look" is the November 21st title. In October, the members discussed the Fred Conway Mural in the Brown Shoe Company building in Clayton.

Making copper jewelry will be discussed and demonstrated at the December meeting. Members will hear all about silk screening in January.

## Grads Sponsor South Pacific And Luau Feast

Sponsoring the "First Night Performance of South Pacific" will be the Fontbonne Alumnae, who are entertaining beforehand at a "Luau Feast" on Thursday, November 17, 1960. The dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. in Medaille Hall; the performance of South Pacific in the auditorium will start at 8:15 o'clock.

Two tickets to the dinner and the performance and a sponsorship will cost \$25. One ticket to the musical and the supper and no sponsorship will cost \$7.50. The proceeds will be placed in the New Library Fund.

South Pacific will see its amateur premiere at Fontbonne the nights of November 17, 18, 19, and 20. An annual all school production, South Pacific has been preceded in other years by Red Mill, Brigadoon, The Gondoliers, The King and I, and The Song of Norway.

Miss Carmelita Schmelig is directing the production, assisted by Sister Mary Antone, choral, and Sister Mary Teresine, business.

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## Sodalists Nominate L. Eckstein

LaVerne Eckstein, a junior, has been elected Fontbonne's candidate for queen of the Sodality Fall Festival. The annual affair is to be held at the St. Louis University gymnasium from 8 to 12 o'clock, Friday evening, November 18, 1960.

Along with Fontbonne Sodality the sodalities of St. Louis University, St. John's Nursing School, Maryville, and Webster each nominated a candidate. Tickets are sold as votes, and the candidate of the sodality with the most tickets sold will be queen.

Victoria Bayot and Carol Wolken are the chairmen of the arrangements for the Sodality's cake booth which will represent Japan, carrying out the 1960 theme, "Foreign Countries."

Student Directors for "South Pacific" hash out final Details. Marilyn Moss, Music; Hilda Bantle, Business; Patricia Cramer, Choreographer; Joan Wavering, Executive Director.



Principals in "South Pacific". Nancy Cowell, Bloody Mary; Mrs. Edgar Boedeker, chairman of the Alumnae Luau Feast and First Night Performance; Patricia Cramer, Liat Kenneth Thien, Lieutenant Cable; Richard Kaeser, Lieutenant Brackett; Suzanne McNulty, Nellie Forbush. The Cast and the Crew of the Production number approximately 125. The Performances are scheduled for November 17, 18, 19, and 20 at 8:15 p.m.



## Hope for the Future

(This is a guest editorial by Victor Riesel, noted labor and news columnist. Mr. Riesel is active in journalism despite his nearly complete blindness, resulting from an attack by hoodlums a few years ago).

This is a turbulent moment in history. The general public is being spoon-fed stories of depravity, delinquency, and immorality in all areas of community life. Thus it is a double pleasure to greet the young men and women who last year observed National Catholic Youth Week. For the story of their devotion to religious precepts and their adherence to truly spiritual principles provides the best possible answer to the shame of our times.

Often we have been told that the youth of today will guide the destinies of the nation and world of tomorrow. This is, of course,

true. It was especially heartening then to find so powerful an army of young people who, by their training and devotion to God and country, give all of us hope for a richer, happier, and more meaningful future.

I say "happier" future advisedly, for man can improve his social lot, his cultural and physical state, and even his economic status and still remain unhappy and unfulfilled unless he has, at the same time, guided himself along religious lines and anchored his life to strong spiritual motivation.

Therein lies the great forceful moral significance of this fine movement. Therein lies the invaluable contribution dedicated youth can, and are, making to all of us—today and tomorrow.

These young people deserve the gratitude and support of all of us who cherish the hope of a better world to come.

## Active College Chorus Numbers Twenty-Five

The Fontbonne College Chorus is composed of approximately twenty-five members who come not only from the music department, but from various other departments. College Chorus is basically a club; the members are in the chorus because they enjoy music and like to participate in creating music. As a club, the chorus has

## "Macbeth" Soon on TV

Fontbonne's students should take note that the Hallmark Hall of Fame will present Shakespeare's *Macbeth*, starring Maurice Evans and Dame Judith Anderson, in a new two-hour filmed production on NBC-TV November 20 from 5:00-7:00 p.m., C.S.T.

Authenticity and action are the two touchstones of the new presentation, according to the producer-director, George Schaefer. Glamis, a castle rich in Scottish medieval history, served as background for the Bard's conception of the tragedy.

The supporting cast represents some of England's finest interpreters of the Jacobean theatre, including Michael Hordern as Banquo, Felix Aylmer as the doctor, Malcolm Keen as Duncan, George Rose as the porter, Megs Jenkins as the nurse, and Jeremy Brett as Malcolm.

### Seniors

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Hilda Bantle, a graduate of Sacred Heart Central, Indianapolis, Indiana, is a dietetics major. An alumna of Ursuline Academy in Kirkwood, Rosalind Calcaterra is majoring in elementary education. Kathleen Gentile, who graduated from Laboure High School, is a psychology major.

A graduate of Xavier High School, Ruth Kloud is majoring in business administration. Marilyn Montleone, an alumna of Kirkwood High School, is majoring in English. Joan Wavering, who is a graduate of St. Elizabeth's Academy, is a speech major.

### Class Periods Change

The schedule for class periods on First Fridays is as follows:

8:10-8:55	8:10
9:00-9:45	9:10
9:50-10:35	10:10
10:40-11:25	11:10
11:40	Holy Mass
1:15-2:00	1:00
2:05-2:50	2:00
2:55-3:40	3:00
3:45-4:30	4:00

## How About It? Who Is Right?

On Wednesday, October 26, students in the American Government class were asked to vote for the presidential candidate of their choice. They were also requested to state who they thought would actually win, and why. Results: 18 for Kennedy; 4 for Nixon; and 2 undecided.

Following are some of the opinions:

*Sister Honora Joseph, C.S.J.*—Mr. Kennedy will win; because, in spite of Nixon's soothing lullaby that all is well, the people know all is not well and are anxious for a change.

*Patricia Boland*—I think Mr. Nixon will win, because he has all the qualities of a capable leader. Nixon has experience in handling our national affairs.

*Sister John Clare, C.S.J.*—Senator Kennedy will win, because he is offering America the best possible means for growth—economically, politically, socially, and morally.

*Marie Antoinette Quatmann*—I would vote for Nixon, but I think Kennedy will win. The Democratic party does more for working men, and there are more of them than there are executives.

*Sister Rita Michael, C.S.J.*—I believe that Vice President Richard M. Nixon will win the presidential election because of the religious issue. Catholics belong to the minority group, and religious bigotry will succeed in keeping a Catholic out of the White House.

*Sister Mary Carmelia, C.S.J.*—Mr. Nixon will most probably win because prejudices are running high in many areas and seemingly have made inroads into cities which have strong ministerial influence. A Catholic will never be elected until the people stop letting their emotions rule their thinking.

In the last days of the campaign each candidate had added help. Vice President Nixon was aided by President Eisenhower's speech-making throughout the country. Mrs. Jack Kennedy helped her husband by appearing on television with her daughter and answering questions submitted to her by women reporters in an informal session.

## Teacher Exams Scheduled For Feb. 11

PRINCETON, N. J., October 14. The National Teacher Examinations, prepared and administered annually by Educational Testing Service, will be given at 160 testing centers throughout the United States on Saturday, February 11, 1961.

At the one-day testing session a candidate may take the Common Examinations, which include tests in Professional Information, General Culture, English Expression, and Non Verbal Reasoning; and one or two of thirteen Optional Examinations designed to demonstrate mastery of subject matter to be taught. The college which a candidate is attending, or the school system in which he is seeking employment, will advise him whether he should take the National Teacher Examinations and which of the Optional Examinations to select.

A Bulletin of Information (in which an application is inserted) describing registration procedures may be obtained from college officials or directly from the National Teacher Examinations, Educational Testing Service, 20 Nassau Street, Princeton, New Jersey. Completed applications, accompanied by proper examination fees, will be accepted by the ETS office during November and December.



Academic Procession on College Day going to Ryan Hall for the Celebration of Mass.

## Recognize Red China? Here Are Some Opinions

Many reasons for and against recognition of Communist China have been advanced.

Five main arguments against such a step stand out. First, recognition would only increase the Communist power and opposition in the United Nations. Also it would indicate a weakness on the part of the United States to surrender on this issue. Next, the "overseas Chinese" merchants in other Oriental countries doing business with the Nationalists, would be given a bad example. Their trade would then go to Red China.

Fourth, Chiang Kai-shek would be reduced to ruler of the island of Formosa. He would no longer have a valid claim to the Chinese mainland. Finally, Red China by her action in Korea has proven herself unfit for membership in the United Nations.

Those in favor of admitting Red China to the United Nations and giving her legal recognition say the Communists have full control over China, whether by force or by democratic means. Second, Chiang has little hope (if any at all) of regaining power either by rebellion or by invasion. Another argument is that a large number of Asian countries, including India, resent American interference in what they consider an "internal affair" of China.

Communist power in the United Nations would not be increased, because it only takes one veto to block issues. Also, many European and Asian countries depend upon Chinese trade for survival. Also an important argument is that Western recognition of China might lead to an "independent" Communist state similar to Yugoslavia.

The final reason is that more and more we are forced to deal with Red China; and, if we could do this under the framework of the United Nations, it would leave her open to world opinion if she violated its laws.

Two instructors and three students were approached and asked to give their opinions concerning the Red China controversy. The following are their replies:

*Sister Dolorita Marie*—The United States cannot recognize the Red Chinese regime, because she would be breaking her treaty with the Nationalists on the island of Formosa. America is pledged to the support of Chiang Kai-shek.

*Mr. Francis Kege*—We are dealing with a complex problem in the practical order of international relations. I would have to place my faith in the considered decision of the statesmen who are by training and by duty better able to decide this issue in the total context of the present and future world situation.

*Senior Joan Wavering*—I don't believe in recognizing Red China

because the Communists took over that country by force and not through legal channels.

*Junior Kathleen Schoen*—Red China should not be admitted to the United Nations, because she holds views which are completely opposed to the principles of that organization.

*Sophomore Linda Shamel*—By recognizing the Red Chinese regime we would be granting more power to the Communist bloc in the United Nations.

## Summer Jobs Available In Europe

The American Student Information Service has just completed its second large scale year of operation in placing American college students in summer jobs in Europe. The demand for summer jobs on the European continent has prompted ASIS to enlarge its facilities to the extent that it can now offer several thousand paying summer jobs to American college students. The jobs pay the standard wage of the country in which they are located and are available in Germany, France, England, Israel, Spain, Switzerland and Scandinavia.

Openings include farm work, construction work, resort work, factory work, hospital work and a few selected office jobs for those who have a working knowledge of German or French.

ASIS, a non-profit organization, also helps American college students arrange low cost travel to and from Europe, provides a mail forwarding service, fascinating inside information on Europe, and many recreational and educational activities. Students interested in a summer job in Europe should write directly to: American Student Information Service c.v., Jahnstrasse 56a, Frankfurt/Main, Germany.

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