The Executive Board and Members of BABA met recently to discuss black culture and history education at Marist.

Black Organization Formed

by Tom Buckley

The aims of BABA, as outlined in the first meeting, is to promote academic and cultural endeavor at Marist and in the community; to administer, social functions and to further strengthen the life of the Black student on the Marist Campus. The past year has been constantly set at five dollars per year payable by the first quarter of each academic year. BABA plans for the future are currently centered in the educational rather than social endeavors. They plan to bring speakers to Marist to talk on Black History and culture. Also in its early stages are plans for courses in Black History, culture and literature.

The first public meeting of BABA was mainly organizational. Membership was enrolled and the aims of the organization were set forth by President, Mr. Austin Randolph, Vice-President, Ronald Pearson, Secretary, and Jeff McDaniel, Treasurer. It is the product of the efforts of the Black students of Marist to educate the student body in the History and culture of Black people.

The letters BABA stand for Black Afro-American Brotherhood Association and is also the spelling of the Swahili word for father. Membership in Marist College is open to all students of Black origins.

New Core Modified

by Brian Flood

Changes in the new core requirements were decided upon this week by the APC in the areas of Philosophy and History. Brother Brian Desilets, Chairman of the APC, announced that for “the sake of uniformity,” Philosophy requirements for those majors in Economics and Sociology, which was set at six credits in the Education Bill of “The Circle,” has been altered to nine credits. The History requirement has been lowered from twelve to nine credits for Economics majors and from nine to six for those majoring in Business and the Natural Sciences.

No other alterations in the new core have been made by the APC to date. The next meeting of the APC will be the initiation of a detailed study of the curriculum. The study is expected to take about a year and a half.

Presently, Brother Desilets does not foresee another meeting of the APC until Friday, January 31. The faculty voted unanimously to give the APC the power to make “minor modifications” in the changes in the new core curriculums.

Regular meetings of the APC are held each Friday.

Clayton Expresses Thoughts on Marist

by Woody

Joining the faculty this semester is Dr. Marcus Clayton, associate professor of Paine College and member of the Marist-Paine exchange program. Dr. Clayton is a philosophy professor whose courses, day and night division students.

This very amiable professor who takes a serious interest in his subject is ready to invite anyone to discuss their opinions on philosophy with him. In an interview Dr. Clayton one finds a genial tone in some of his perspective looks at our institution.

One of the first impressions that he received on his arrival to the college is its general sense of community. Dr. Clayton, being blind, appreciates the cordiality of the faculty along with its willingness to introduce him to some of our colleagues.

When asked about the value of exchange program Dr. Clayton was a bit hard-core philosophy. Being professor of philosophy at Paine for ten years, he feels it would be difficult to broaden his teaching experience with both social and academic dimensions.

Paine College, an affiliate of the Methodist Church, is primarily attended by black students. In the exchange program, the Georgias based institution, also involved some students in the company Dr. Clayton in his enterprise. The actual program was formulated by Dr. Cashiri and Mr. Wade of Dr. Clayton.

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Skau Granted Ph.D.

by Philip Glennon

Mr. George H. Skau, chairman of the Department of History and Political Science, recently received his doctorate from St. John's University. The topic of Dr. Skau's dissertation was Woodrow Wilson and the American Presidency: Theory and Practice.

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Students Attend Afro Conference

by Lawrence Basrico

Three Marist College Students, Austin Randolph, Ken Thompson and Murray Milligan, attended a meeting at Howard University, dealing with the formation of a Black University or TABU, Towards A Black University. The three students, contacted Mr. Cyran Earle, who is presently involved with the African Studies program at Howard, who gave them assistance while they were at the four day meeting.

This large-scale meeting of black people from all over the country included speakers such as Stokely Carmichael, Dr. Ousou and Ron Kagan. It was a type of organizational meeting to organize the aims of the many different factions within the Black Movement. There was strong emphasis on the Black economic power or Black enterprises. The success of these efforts is seen now in the formation of several organizations, such as the Marist-Paine exchange program.

The organization of Baba seems to be a result of the new black movement towards a black university encompassing the entire country.

EDITORIAL

NEXT WEEK: BLACK STUDENTS ON CAMPUS

By Tom Buckley

The direct result of these meetings can be seen in the formation of a new campus organization dealing with the education of Marist students in black history and culture and the furthering of Black interest on campus.

Concert Planned

A new student organization, the Hudson Area College Council (BACC) will sponsor a concert on May 9 featuring artists Stokely Carmichael and The Critics. BACC is composed of six colleges: Marist, Good Counsel, Mount Saint Mary's, Ladyhill, Dutchess and Vassar. Its co-chairmen are Terry Mooney and Pete Virolrillo, both of whom are students at Marist.

The purpose of the multi-campus concert is to delay costs, so that the students can benefit from the music. The performances of Stokely Carmichael and The Critics will be held at the Hudson Area College Council's center on Main Street.

Coach Ron Petio presents Bill Gowen with the game ball, after the co-captain Gowen scored his 1000th point in the Marist victory over W. Conn. The direct result of these meetings can be seen in the formation of a new campus organization dealing with the education of Marist students in black history and culture and the furthering of Black interest on campus.

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On Faculty Help

As in the previous edition which deemed much of the liberal arts a necessary evil, this edition deftly avoids the pitfall of discussing the merits of the liberal arts in the context of the student body.

On Election '69

Last year the 1967-1968 Circle experimented with an "Election Special" that appeared the evening of the election, including the actual results in the same issue. This year we do not plan to print such a special.

For More Of Les

As a result of the Student Government's decision to be taken seriously, the 1969-1970 Circle will feature more articles on campus life and events.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

A Local Guru

Dear Sir:

To all who have suggested adopting a steady diet of your affairs for the betterment of the community, we would like to commend on the following example.

You are suggested that two or more individuals volunteer to help staff, and that they have much work to do, and that there are many who have

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lacked enough wrestlers to even attempt a meaningful contest against the Cadets. The match against the powerful and skilled Bakersfield team was a one-sided affair, with the Gauchos falling to a 40-15 defeat.

The Gauchos had a chance to make some noise in the conference standings when they faced off against the

Cagers Face Southampton Sat.

Western Connecticut State University hosted a wrestling match last week, drawing a solid turnout of spectators. The visiting team, the Seton Hall Pirates, arrived with high expectations but were met with a determined home team. The match was a test of endurance and strategy, with both sides displaying their best efforts.

The first round saw the Pirates secure two quick victories, with captains
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Two Fakes Later

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