Ten Seek Crown

The annual Quadrangle Ball will be held on February 16, 1968, in the LaGrange College gym. This event is one of yearly significance on our campus. Ten lovely candidates who have been selected by the Quadrangle staff will vie for the title of Quadrangle Queen for 1968.

The candidates are Jeffrey Agans, Pam Burch, Susan Blaney, Jeanne Marie Blackburn, Susan Godfrey, Judy Kooy, Louise Lane, Carolyn Mitchell, Pat Pharis, and Sandy Tyler. They will be featured in the beauty section of the yearbook, along with the reigning queen.

These girls are to be judged on the basis of beauty only by Mr. Lou Erickson, Editorial Cartoonist for the Atlanta Journal.

This event promises to be one of the biggest all year. The music will be furnished by "The Different Strokes" out of Atlanta, Ga. The Ball will last from 8:00 to 12:00 p.m. Tickets will be $1.50 per couple and $1.00 single. These will be sold at the door only. We'll come.

Vietnam Forum Scheduled

Four viewpoints on Vietnam will be presented in LaGrange by noted experts from various parts of the United States during the week of Feb. 12.

The unique series of lectures, to be entitled, "Public Forum on Vietnam," will be sponsored by a group of local citizens and LaGrange College.

The Vietnam programs are scheduled in LaGrange on four consecutive nights, Monday, Feb. 12 through Thursday, Feb. 15, announced Dr. William W. Price, an associate professor at the college and chairman of the forum's steering committee. It is composed of LaGrange business and professional people.

In announcing plans for the Vietnam public forum, Dr. Price said, "The purpose of this particular public forum is to assemble interested people in order to discuss the pertinent facts and viewpoints of the Vietnam situation. The forum is intended to inform the public on the different aspects of this war from several varied positions."

"It is not the intention of the committee, however," he continued, "to represent any specific political opinion. Yet it is hoped that the information presented by these qualified speakers will assist individuals in formulating their own opinions more objectively."

Speakers in the series, according to the group's spokesman, are Thomas P. H. Dunlop of the U. S. State Department, currently serving in Saigon but due to return momentarily to Washington, D. C.; Dr. Donald Weatherbee of the University of South Carolina in Columbia; Dudley Weeks of the Center for the Study of Teaching about Peace and War, Detroit, Mich.; and Dr. Mose A. Harvey, director of the Center for Advanced International Studies, Coral Gables, Fla.

"These speakers are not politicians with an axe to grind but highly informed research people who are among the most knowledgeable men on Vietnam in America today," Dr. Price stated.

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As almost everyone already knows, "My Fair Lady" concerns the transformation of a Cockney flower girl into a duchess by a scruffy phonetics professor and what to do with her after the experiment.

The delightful and record-setting musical comedy ran on Broadway for six and a half years, and although it has been performed in every corner of the world, it still packs them in. Never a dull moment, this show will be a winner all the way.

Academic News

By Omar Humphrey

Of interest to the students and faculty alike will be the following academic regulations and/or changes. First, the Academic Advisory Council has stated that "two hours of laboratory must replace one hour of lecture or class." Though this may not please some faculty members, and some students as well, it is in keeping with Southern Association standards. This applies to languages as well as to other areas.

Also of importance, to the freshmen and sophomores in particular, is the current policy of testing followed by many professors during the seven-day period directly preceding final exams. According to Dean Harwell, this practice is in direct defiance of prescribed regulations. In fact, the Academic Advisory Council just recently unanimously approved a motion that this seven-day period indeed be a "dead week."

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Many of our regulations are in accordance with neither contemporary personal practices nor educational philosophies. Therefore, our conclusion is that these rules are attempts to regulate morality. Simply to accept these morals is to admit oneself of the right to establish a personal character. As John Milton pointed out in one of his works, a select group and mature as a functioning part of the educational institution can and should be imposed, and serves mainly as an instrument of protective thinking. For a student to accept this protection automatically is a grave mistake. Surely this is the best way to miss the lesson that is more important than the knowledge gained from textbooks, which is the chance to grow and mature as a functioning part of an intricate system that hopefully someday will emerge as a part of our larger body of the country.

If we are just mature enough to leave the protective surroundings of our homes and venture forth in the outside world, we should be guided mature enough to accept the responsibilities of our own actions. We are both students and citizens, and have responsibilities as well as rights in both capacities. To be successful, one must have the freedom to act as an individual is an essential and irrepressible aspect of the free movement of ideas, another important part of education. Sometimes college decisions may overlap students' personal regulations and venture into other areas involving attempts at regulating the private lives of students. We feel that this is both unfair and unjust. We ask that LaGrange College in her "charge" not look to the trustees or the alumni, but to fellow institutions which have moved beyond the world of today. Emory University according to an ACP release has gone so far as to permit room-sharing and has thrown out the unhealthful liquor law. We understand the need for change in our present society. But, we must not lose sight of the fact that there is a world beyond us and that courage and leadership is needed.

Vietnam Forum Scheduled

Topics for the four lectures will be: "Anatomy of Southeast Asia," "The Communist Menace," "Vietnam Nationalism," and "America's Position Now?"

The steering committee chairman said there will be a period for questions and discussion after each address. Dr. Price explained that the idea for the forum grew out of a recent meeting of the LaGrange Great Books Club. Local businesses and other citizens are contributing approximately $2,000 to finance the series of Vietnam programs. Not only is the forum an educational project, but it is also a social improvement which is, in our society, partly determined by monetary worth. Can this be an example of an economic motivation?

And, you will have thought. However, those who are aware of the many issues involved in the comparative study of the Black Power movement seek social improvement. We must, lefts objectively try to determine and to compare the characteristics of American socialism and the Marxist type. First, is it possible that the class struggle that we now witness is the direct result of the historical development, and that what we observe is an approximation of the communist struggle between the bourgeoisie and the proletariat? Those who favour neutrality will conclude that the main distinction is that the Negro-white situation is an ethnic conflict and not a class struggle. Is it? Isn't the motivation actually the same? And, if so, why are the wheels of the Black Power movement set in motion? The problem of the Negro-white conflict and the Marxist type. Isn't the motivational factor of capital an economic motive? Are these riots just the catalytic agit the communist need to stimulate already-existent class war?

In the stated purpose of the forum, the committee said, "We believe that the Vietnamese exist in one of the most perplexing world problems which of the United States has often been asked. Is it the war taking the lives of many of our youth and draining millions of dollars, or is it the war taking the lives of many of our youth and draining millions of dollars, or is it the war taking the lives of many of our youth and draining millions of dollars? We are seeking to determine the extent which the United States has been engaged in the past.

There are many who believe that the American involvement in the Vietnam War is due to the lack of clear information on the many issues involved in this complex situation. For these reasons the committee decided that public forum will be an important event for us.

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For What It's Worth

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Most colleges and universities are not blessed with a president who passes value judgements on how the Hippie generation looks.

With the coming of nice weather we wish to remind our readers that St. Peter will get you if he finds you on the tennis courts before 1:30 p.m. Sunday.

Rumor has it that the campus policeman is the swivel-shit Dean of Students. This rumor is unfounded. He is nothing more than a night watchman. Or, if you will, an armed parking attendant.

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PANTHERS HOST BRAVES TONIGHT

By Buddy Sullivan
Hilltop News Sports Editor

Tonight our LaGrange College Panthers play host to West Georgia in a game which will definitely make or break the team's chances in its attempt to regain top spot in the Georgia Intercollegiate Conference.

After losing the eight-team league for better than two weeks, the Panthers got some bad breaks which they certainly did not deserve, losing two straight games to last-place Armstrong and a thrilling tie-0-0 overtime battle to Berry.

After that, LaGrange suddenly found themselves relegated all the way down to third place in league standings, and it appeared even to the most dedicated Panthers follower that the road would be uphill for the rest of the season.

Mathematically, the Panthers are not out of the race, LC has only two teams standing over Armstrong, however, Vaught with Vaught and another rematch with Berry at Rome. Of course, it is asking a lot to expect victories in all three of these games, but if it could be done, the Panthers are definitely "in the game."

I think our team has to be given a lot of credit for their effort this year, for it is doing much better than anyone ever dreamed of before the season began—and it is certainly not over yet.

One thing that concerns me more than our chances in the league is the question of talent. The answer is, all the support the Panthers have not been getting this year. I have only attended this school for two years but I have already seen enough, as far as support of varsity athletics is concerned, that one of our greatest needs is team spirit. The team spirit by which I mean, in this context, is, not enough social support is in evidence at home games and 

The Panthers play an exciting brand of basketball, running up high scores on opponents. The least we could do is give them a little moral support, for they deserve it.

However, from what I've seen, those winning Panthers could post a 20-0 season and win a national title, and I still don't think they would be supported as they should be.

At any rate, to those who don't attend home ball games, get out and try it sometime. Anything is worth a try one time at least. I don't think you will be disappointed.

GARLAND GUDGER

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He still believes the school spirit...it has picked up and in turn has boosted the ball players' enthusiasm.

Coash Al Marcelli's LaGrange College Panthers return to the friendly confines of their home court tonight, hosting arch-rival West Georgia in a big Georgia Intercollegiate Conference game.

Saturday, the Panthers played host to league-leading power Valdosta State in a "must" game if the Panthers are to realize their ambitions in the conference.

LaGrange, after leading the league for over two weeks, hit a cold streak in dropping consecutive games to cellar-dweller Armstrong State and second-place Berry. The Panthers are currently riding in third place still holding a slim chance to cop the conference title.

West Georgia's Braves, who come in tonight, sport a 6-6 overall record, and are 1-1 in the GIC. The Panthers have already played the Braves once this season, winning at Carrollton, 73-64. If LaGrange can repeat its stride tonight, an easy victory should be expected, although no one is committing himself after the Armstrong debacle.

Saturday's game will tell the story and determine the hopes of LC, as always-only Valdosta State will come to call and the Panthers must beat the Rebels or be eliminated from the race.

For the season the Rebels stand 17-7 but have faced some of the toughest teams in the Southeast this year. Valdosta has lost games to Tampa, Georgia Southern, Pembroke and Florida State, while defeating Hanover, Baptist College, and ruling over Piedmont in the high marks of the season, 112-77.

Last year Valdosta won the GIC title rolling up a 27-4 record, and went on to win in the opening round of the national championships at Kansas City.

The Rebels returned four starters from last team, with Mike Terry leading the individual team scoring with a 20-point average. Bryan Phillips is averaging 13 while Ron Forbush is hitting for 12.5.

After rolling to six consecutive victories and holding first place in conference standings the Christmas break, LaGrange hit a cold spell against visiting Armstrong State of Savannah last Saturday and dropped a 74-64 decision. Five days later, Berry moved into the Panther den, with second place in the league going to the winner.

The result was a heartbreaking loss to Armstrong, 97-98 in overtime, relegating the Panthers to third place.

LaGrange led the entire game, at times holding up to a thirteen-point advantage, before hitting a cold streak midway in the second half. Berry slowly caught up and tied the Panthers at the end of regulation play, 97-98. With the score knotted at 77-77, and with four seconds left in the extra period, Berry's Eddie Hatcher sank a free-throw to win the game for the Vikings.

Talent scout: "I just discovered a girl with 73-24-36 measurements. She's got a fantastic act."

Agent: "What does she do? Dance?"

Scout: "No, she just crawls out on the stage and tries to stand up."

Phoenix