The first conference meeting of the 1956 NAJAC was held in Benton Hall this morning at 9. Bill Moran of Chicago, vice president of NAJAC, served as presiding officer. Sergeant at arms were introduced as Joe Cronin, Bucky Griswold, Derm Kelleher and Dick Freedman. Conference Secretary Sonja Vukov was also introduced.

The president led in the pledge to the flag and Counselor John Witt, of Iowa led in the invocation. President Pat Oliver gave the welcoming speech in which he stressed the duties of the delegate.

John Witt again took the floor and gave an introduction to parliamentary procedure, after which Carlyle Kavadas explained the sporting program. The members of the resolutions committee were named: Norm Vargo, chairman, Dick Beebe, Carol Driecol, Barbara Endicott, Harry Glaze, Donald Hanson, Robert Reis, George Roberts and Arthur Traub.

Kathy Pitz moved that the NAJAC signature be fixed on a telegram to be sent to Ron Cody, a three-year NAJACer, who was planning to attend this year’s NAJAC, but who could not attend because of a serious back injury. Dave Johnson seconded the motion and Richard Rosenberg moved it be approved and the (Continued on Page Two)

Worried Delegates

Ten NAJAC delegates from Birmingham, Alabama arrived here Sunday morning only to discover that their luggage did not arrive with them. Jimmie Brooks, delegation chairman, inquired about the matter and found out that the bags had been left at the station in Cincinnati.

Eight hours after the departure from their buses, the marked luggage finally came through to its owners. But two of the achievers, Jimmie Brooks and Linda Faye Boling, as yet have not found their luggage and are wearing friends’ clothes.

Group One

Group 1 today divided into parts A and B to discuss the problems of production and sales, and tried to discover ways to overcome them. They spoke of the lack of interest in the more difficult work and how to master this difficulty.

Sue Deschenes, New Bedford, Mass., is the counselor for group A, and today Skip Weisman, Milwaukee, is the discussion moderator, while Kathy Rill, St. Joseph, Mich., is the secretary.

In Group B, Pat McClellan, Des Moines, is the counselor and Ed Pearlman, Brooklyn, is the discussion moderator, with Pat Fagen, Wethersfield, Conn., secretary.

Sports Roundup

In an all-out attempt to offer a sports for everyone program, NAJAC and Miami U. have set up a schedule which allows for participation in at least six different sports.

Handling duties of directing sports activities is Carlyle Kavadas, South Bend. Horse-shoes, softball, tennis, golf, volleyball, swimming plus games and contests are available for the delegates.

Tournaments are planned for the boys in softball, and girls in volleyball. Four groups will have playoffs, and the championship group will be crowned.

All aquatic aspirants have the facilities of the Oxford Municipal Pool as well as the new Natatorium, which has dressing rooms.

There are tennis courts, a golf course and plenty of space to enjoy M.U. campus.
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"I have your numba," said a boy from Mass. to me at lunch today. I asked him "what’s that last word?" "Numba, like what number do you want, or novaceine makes you numba."

Accents, accents everywhere and I am rally in a muddle. The guys from Mass. talk as if they have marbles in their mouth. The deep southerners talk as if each word was so important that they have to hang on to it. I simply adore Alabama’s dialect but it could put me to sleep if I listened to it long enough.

Those Texans sure have a way with girls.

Bozo Magillicutty

P.S. Be on the lookout for me, I am velly, velly nosy and love to write all the gook I hear.

The following people have passed the Validation Committee for national and regional offices:

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