Spring Rite Tax Bite

(CPS)--Taxation even with representation can be tyranny as many people are discovering again this winter. To get those tax refunds in plenty of time for spring frolics, wage-earners must first do a mad scramble with forms, instructions and tables.

Students are not exempt from this annual rite. Even students under 21 years who have a gross income of at least \$2350 or have any other unearned income (like interest on savings accounts) must file returns.

Smart taxpayers will file their returns in January and early February when refunds will be mailed in four to five weeks. Procrastinators who file just before the April 15 deadline might be waiting two or three months for their refunds.

New tax laws passed in 1975 mean slightly less tax for many people. The standard deduction has increased from 15% to 16%. Also, the low-income allowance has been raised from \$10,000 to \$15,000.

Students who have worked on and off for the year can take the standard deduction and in many cases, so can their parents. If the student is over 19 years old, ws a full-time student for five months of the year, both students and parents can claim him as a deduction.

If you didn't have an income tax form sent directly to you, contact the state or federal revenue office. Ask for a short form, 1040A, if you have an income less than \$15,000 or earned less interest than \$400. It's simpler and can sometimes save the taxpayer money.

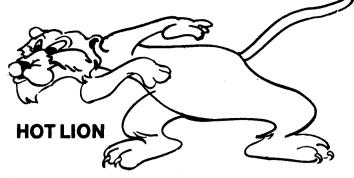
Chief Paul Suggests

Turning Off

In conjunction with the efforts of The Executive **Energy Conservation Com**mittee at the University, Chief Paul of the Dept. of Safety, Security Police requests that all members of the staff, faculty and student body make every effort to conserve on energy in the form of heat and electricity.

Chief Paul stated he learned from reports from left burning in unoccupied classrooms and other areas in the Main Building, and it is not until midnight or later that these lights can be turned off by the Security Police. If the last person out of the room or area would iust turn off the lights, a fantastic saving in resources could be realized.

Another savings can be easily realized if occupants of rooms and houses would be careful about open doors and/or windows when the heat is turned up and if Meade Heights would please extinguish their night lights outside their houses, some noted to be burning for 24 hours.



The Hot Lion is published to inform the Capitol Campus community of all activities on, or concerned with, the Campus. Everyone should feel free to use this service by completing the entry cards available in the Student Affairs Office [W105]. Deadline is Thursday Noon, the week prior to date of publication.

February 20

6:00 P.M.-Annual visit to Coatesville VA Hospital-XGI

HACC-8:00 P.M.-Film "Rebel Without A Cause"-Aud.

NTE Test.

February 22

12:30 P.M.-Mass-Student Center.

February 23

5:00 P.M.-Fencing Club-Rec/Ath Bldg 6:00 P.M.-Aviation Club-Cross Country Flight Planning-E-209.

7:30P.M.-Martial Arts-Rec/Ath Bldg.

February 24

10:50 A.M.-BSU meeting-BCAC.

1:00 P.M.-Martin Best-"Troubadour"-Aud.

7:30 P.M.-Varsity Basketball-Capitol Campus vs. Lehigh County Community College-Home. 9:00 P.M.-XGI meeting-Tiltin Hilton.

February 25

12:00 noon-Maranatha Bible Study-W-202. 7:00 P.M.-Co-ed Volleyball-Base Gym. 8:00 P.M.-SGA meeting-Gallery Lounge.

1:00 P.M.-Film/Lecture-"Urban Transportation Ready for Tomorrow"-presented in cooperation with General Motors Corporation-Aud.

2:00 P.M.-9:30 P.M.-CRI Class-Quilling-B-223. 2:00 P.M.-9:30 P.M.-Capitol Campus Model U.N. 76-sponsored by International Affairs-Aud. and 216. 6:30 P.M.-Slimnastics-Rec/Ath Bldg.

HACC-7:00 P.M.-9:00 P.M.-CRI Class- Quilling-B-223.

February 27

9:00 A.M.-9:00 P.M.-Capitol Campus Model U.N. '76-sponsored by International Affairs-Aud. and 216. 7:30 P.M.-Varsity Basketball-Capitol Campus vs. Spring Garden College-Home. HACC-8:00 P.M.-Film-"The Heart Is A Lonely Hunter"-Aud.

February 28

9:00 A.M.-11:00 P.M.-Capitol Campus Model U.N. '76-sponsored by International Affairs-Aud. and 216. GRE Test.

12:30 P.M.-Mass-Student Center. If Mass is cancelled on campus, students are welcome at Seven Sorrows. Below is the schedule for Mass.

Sat.-5:30 P.M. Sun.-7:00 A.M. 8:30 A.M.

10:00 A.M.

11:30 A.M.

7:00 P.M.

Preregistration Info Is On Its Way Now Currently enrolled under-

graduate students may pick up registration materials in the Records Office, W101, by presenting a valid I.D. Card, according to the following schedule (term standing as of Spring 1976).

Monday, Feb. 16--12th and 12th† term

Wednesday, Feb. 18--11th

Thursday, Feb. 19--10th term Monday, Feb. 23--9th term Wednesday, Feb. 25--8th and returning 7th term

No early preregistration will be permitted. Students should follow instructions printed in the Master

Deadline. for Schedule. undergraduate preregistration is Feb. 27.

Spring 1976 registration materials for degree and nondegree graduate students were mailed form the Records Office, Feb. 13. Special nondegree students will register on Mar. 22. Information will be mailed from the Admissions Office later in the month.

All students preregister. The preregistration becomes final only after all tuition, fees, and fines are paid in full. Preregistration will be canceled for any student who does not pay tuition in full and /or release all holds by Mar. 5.

Three Receive Scholarship

Dr. Robert McDermott, mittee of the Engineering provost, has announced the names of the recipients of the R.T. Brown Scholarship for the winter term.

were presented with the award by the Committee on Academic and Athletic Standards, Awards and Scholarships. The three students were recommended by the Scholarship Com-

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An Oriental studies trip is

According to Dr. Donald

being offered to interested

persons by the Department

of Geography at Edinboro

P. Brandt, professor of geography at Edinboro State

College, the Asian experi-

ence will consist of study at

the National Taiwan Univer-

sity for three weeks, then

excursions around the island

of Taiwan and Hong Kong.

San Francisco June 23,

1976, and will leave Hong

Kong on July 28 for San

Francisco. The cost is

\$865.00 excluding tuition,

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Donald P. Brandt are the tour

write: Department of Geo-

graphy, Edinboro State

College, Edinboro, Pa.,

and course directors.

Drs. Chuen-tyi Chow and

For more information

The trip will start from

Technology Department. Jorn Jenson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Jenson of Arnold, is married to the

Jorn Jenson, Todd former Roberta Masse of Malpass and David Wolf Tarentum. He is a transfer student from the New Kensington Campus and is majoring in Mechanical Design Engineering Technology.

Todd Malpass is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Malpass of Forty Fort. He is a transfer student from the Wilkes-Barre Campus and is majoring in Building Construction Technology.

David Wolf, majoring in Electrical Design Engineering Technology, is a transfer student from the Hazelton Campus. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl L. Wolf of Lebanon.

The R.T. Brown Scholarship is awarded to Engineering Technology students demonstrating academic excellence, leadership and potential ability. The scholarship was conceived by the XGI fraternity in memory of R.T. Brown, adviser to the fraternity, and assistant professor of engineering. The scholarship was funded by donations from faculty, staff and students following the death of Dr. Brown in November

R.T. Brown was an innovative and demanding educator who was highly respected by the entire campus community.

Want To Help?

The Harrisburg Area Rape Crisis Center desperately needs volunteers.

We provide escort and 24 hour hot-line service for the rape victim.

If you desire more information, please call 234-4169. Our next training session begins on February 9, at 7:30.

