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THE LITTLE GIRL WITH THE CURL

To say that the proposed revolution in the College calendar for 1928-29 is causing a ripple of comment over the sea of campus opinion would be putting it mildly indeed.

The Christmas vacation slice and the granting of a respite of one week to the period between semesters is the one proposed change that has caused the loudest squawking from the student body.

A vacation period of one week between semesters appears decidedly useless to all except the College Administration. The one week would enable the first semester grades to be formulated before the second registration starts.

A DOZEN OF ONE AND TWELVE OF THE OTHER
No one would ever be forced to take the short end of the bargain if he were to trade ten dimes to his neighbor for four quarters...

half-day increase in the date of the ending of the Christmas vacation for the holiday to end on Tuesday, January 3, 1928 at noon instead of Tuesday, January 3, 1928 at eight o'clock as it now stands.

In order that the petition will carry more possibility of meeting with the favor of the "jury," there is a clause stating that the student body would be willing for the vacation to start on Saturday, December 17, 1927 at noon instead of Friday, December 16, 1927 at five o'clock as it now stands.

The inaccessibility of State College to the home towns of the majority of the student-body at Penn State, is the main reason for the agitation.

The wishes and hopes of the entire student body, or at least of the vast majority, will be behind the petition for the two-way change in the Christmas vacation schedule.

The Bullosopher's Chair

"If one may forecast, judging by the presentation of 'The Family Upstairs,' by the Penn State Players in the Auditorium last Wednesday evening, State College audiences may expect a good season in college dramatics.

"The play itself is one well suited for amateur production and is full of humor, wit and satire. It depicts a bit of pre-war day, middle class family life with its affections, its bickering, ambitions, trials and pretenses, in such a realistic way that the audience is kept laughing appreciatively throughout the piece, and saying 'Haven't you seen 'em just like that?'"

"This critic isn't going to mention each player, to praise inordinately or to lambaste him, after the usual manner of dramatic critics. It will be enough of praise to say that each actor comprehended the part he assumed, and portrayed the character well."

"If later in the season, and after a little more training, this play can be offered to us again, it should crowd the house. There is in it and in the cast the possibility of one of the best productions that the Players have attempted, looked at from the standpoint of the popular audience.

Session Two

"Well, Smither, I had another of my pet beliefs knocked for the proverbial law the other day."

"No I always thought a statistician would be the dumbest speaker one could possibly listen to."

"Yes. Did you hear his talk on 'Optimism' at the Interfraternity smoker last week?"

"He would be an excellent chapel speaker."

Examination Schedule

All recitations and practice tests for the first semester will end Saturday, January 28, 1928, at 11:50 a. m. Examinations will take place from January 30 to February 4, inclusive.

Any student having two examinations scheduled at the same time or any student having three examinations scheduled on the same day, is required to report the fact in person at the Office of the Registrar on the special form provided there.

Notices of adjustments will be available to students at the Office of the Registrar and mailed to the Heads of Departments on January 16, 1928. Appointment examinations should not be scheduled until after notices of adjustment have been sent out.

Examinations will be of two hours' duration, beginning at eight and twenty a. m. and two p. m.

The schedule of examinations is as follows

Table with columns for course numbers and times. Includes courses like ABCH 1-F 2, ABCH 13-F 2, ABCH 25-W 8, etc.

Continuation of examination schedule table with course numbers like HE 103-W 10, HE 105-W 8, HE 201-M 10, etc.



Nittany Theatre

PLEASE NOTE—Because of the Christmas holidays, the Nittany Theatre will be open Tuesday night only next week.

FRIDAY—Matinee at 2:00
Clara Bow in 'GET YOUR MAN'
Charley Chase Comedy

FRIDAY—Nittany—William Haines, Joan Crawford, George K. Arthur in 'SPRING FEVER'
Our Gang Comedy

SATURDAY—Matinee at 2:00
Virginia Valli in 'LADIES MUST DRESS'
Fox News and Fable

MONDAY AND TUESDAY—Matinee Monday at 2:00
Richard Dix in 'THE GAY DEFENDER'

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