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COURSE IN OIL, GAS PRODUCTION PASSED BY TRUSTEE BOARD

College Creates New Curriculum For School of Mineral Industries Work

ADVISORY GROUPS AID IN PLANNING SPECIAL STUDY

Professors Bonine, Barb, Shelley To Supervise Teaching And Research

Installation of a new curriculum in oil and gas production under the administration of the geology department in the Mineral Industries school was authorized last week by the Board of Trustees.

The new curriculum was planned with the help of the Petroleum and Natural Gas advisory boards composed of leading executives and engineers. A degree of Bachelor of Science in oil and gas will be offered to those students who enroll in the course.

Prof. Clark F. Barb and Prof. Paul G. Shelley will be in charge of research and instruction in the new courses. They will be under the supervision of Prof. Chesleigh A. Bonine, head of the geology department.

"An exhaustive survey of the needs and requirements in this portion of the mineral industry resulted in the discovery of an inadequate supply of technically trained engineers to meet the demand in the Pennsylvania oil fields," according to a statement from the Mineral Industries school.

"Two percent of the men engaged in the industry have had engineering training as compared with the five and six percent for the older engineering professions," Dean Edward Steidle claims. "The industrial concerns must be content with employing men working up from the ranks. This has proved inadequate," he continued.

Explaining the economic conditions of the industry, Dean Steidle asserted: "Oil and gas resources of the state are practically two-thirds intact after seventy years of development. Present plans of operation in the Bradford fields call for a fifty-year intensive period of development. There is, therefore, a great opportunity for young men of the State to succeed in the oil and gas industries."

PLAYERS COMPETE FOR TITLE TONIGHT

Represent College in Fifth Annual State Collegiate Dramatic Tourney at Bucknell

A four-character cast of "The Eternal Song" plays a dramatic contest entry, will be at Bucknell this morning to represent Penn State in the fifth annual tournament of the Pennsylvania Intercollegiate Dramatic association to be held at Lewisburg high school auditorium tonight and tomorrow.

With the late entry of Misericordia institute, of Dallas, the number of contest entries has been brought to eight. Misericordia will present a dramatization of one of Cable's short stories, Maryood, Franklin and Marshall, Juniata, Drexel, Grove City, and Bucknell colleges complete the entry list.

"The Eternal Song" necessitates a cast of but four characters, all of whom have appeared in Player's productions this season. Miss Juliette M. Burns will enact the feminine role. The male characters will be played by Arthur A. Cunningham '31 and Saul O. Sher '32, Frank S. Neubaum, assistant director of dramatics, will direct the production.

ELIZABETH BELL IS ELECTED WOMEN'S 'HANDBOOK' EDITOR

Elizabeth C. Bell '32 was named editor of the 1930 Women's Handbook and Rosemary Forbes '32 was selected business manager in elections by the W. S. G. A. senate Monday night.

Doris E. Hazelton '33 will become assistant editor, and Marjorie E. Smith '33 will assume the assistant business manager position.

A. A. material will be edited by Marie E. McMahon '32 while H. Louise Marquardt '32 will take charge of the W. S. G. A. section.

ATTENDS SCHOOL CONCLAVE

Prof. F. Theodore Struck, of the industrial education department, is attending the seventeenth annual schoolmen's meeting at the University of Pennsylvania this week.

Anne Gillouly, Helen Keepers, Mary Woodring, 'Unknown' Try for May Queen Crown

Helen Buckwalter and Louise Hoeffditz Seek Presidency of Women's Student Government Monday

Anne E. Gillouly, Helen S. Keepers, and Mary C. Woodring were the three seniors chosen as candidates for the 1930 May Queen, who is to be selected at the women's elections in McAllister Hall Monday.

Provision is made on the ballot for the insertion of another name if the voter's choice differs from the list of candidates submitted. Phyllis E. Beidler and Grace C. MacCartney are nominees for the freshman attendant to the Queen.

Helen Buckwalter '31 and E. Louise Hoeffditz '31 head the ballot for the W. S. G. A. presidency. F. Romaine Chapman '31 and Anne E. McQuire '31 are W. S. G. A. presidential candidates, while Mary T. Davenport '31 and M. Isabelle Yackel '31 will compete for the Y. W. C. A. head.

Candidates for W. S. G. A. vice-presidency are Elizabeth C. Bell '32 and Anne A. D'Olier '32. Muriel E. Bowman '32 and Marie E. McMahon '32 are aspirants for vice-president of W. S. G. A. with Elizabeth Everett '32 and H. Louise Marquardt '32 as nominees for the same office in Y. W. C. A. cabinet.

Laura E. Deiser '32 and Jean E. Simmons '32 will vie for the office of W. A. A. secretary. Phyllis E. Bond '32, Myrtle R. Bingham '33 and Doris E. Hazelton '33, are seeking the secretaryship of Y. W. C. A. On the W. A. A. ballot Marjorie G.

THESPIANS OFFER REVUE TOMORROW

Stage 'Le Cafe Noir,' Campus Parody, in Auditorium At 7 O'clock

The Penn State Thespians, male dancing and dramatic club, will stage "Le Cafe Noir" in Schwab auditorium at 7 o'clock tomorrow night as the second annual Campus Revue. "Le Cafe Noir," under the direction of Hummel Fishburn, of the music department, will differ from any show that the Thespians have attempted before. It is a musical show with the setting in a night club, supposedly located somewhere near State College.

Like last year's Revue, tomorrow night's production will satirize and burlesque college celebrities, both student and faculty. Fraternities, campus happenings and organizations, and townspeople will also receive their share of attention in the show.

Blackface Acts "Le Cafe Noir," the mythical night club, is the habitat of many college students. It is owned by Boscoe and Opus, two negroes played by Kenneth L. Holderman '31 and George H. Little Jr. '31.

The proprietors are supported by Chester and Field, two blackface dancers who also act as waiters. Chester is portrayed by Herbert G. Sapp '30 and Field by Eugene C. Kelley '33.

DRUIDS AND FRIARS HOLD DANCE TOMORROW NIGHT

Coxs Irvin's Orchestra To Play for Societies' Annual Affair

With Coxs Irvin's orchestra furnishing the rhythm, Druids and Friars will prolong the merrymaking of Interfraternity Ball week-end at their annual dance in the Amory from 8 until 12 o'clock tomorrow night.

Blue and white bunting will decorate the Amory for the affair. The dance is informal and is a subsequent event generally scheduled for some time later in the month, though sophomores societies advanced the date at the request of Archibald M. Holmes '30, chairman of the Interfraternity Ball.

Basil C. Clare '32 heads the committee in charge of arrangements. Completing the group are Fred C. Brand Jr. '32, Robert W. McKune '32, and James S. Norris '32.

WILL ADDRESS EDUCATORS

Dr. Carol D. Champlin, professor of education, will address the Millin County Teachers' association at Lewistown tomorrow morning. Dr. Champlin spoke before the Hazleton Town Teachers' institute at Hazleton yesterday afternoon. Both talks deal with the teacher's responsibilities and expert guidance of the learning process in the classroom.

Lasich Reported 1932 Locust Lane Nominee

George T. Lasich will be the candidate for the Locust Lane clique for the junior class presidency in the coming May campaigns, political reports held yesterday.

Lasich was chosen over Robert G. Snyder at a clique meeting Wednesday night, it is reported. His opponent has not yet been selected by the 1932 Campus faction, but will be chosen from Fred C. Brand Jr., Alfred E. Lewis, and Jack Staley, according to present opinion.

M'CONN EJECTED BOXING MANAGER

Mitten, Patton Receive Similar Posts for Basketball and Wrestling Next Year

J. Neely McCown '31 was named manager of Penn State's boxing team next year at Athletic association elections held yesterday afternoon. Paul A. Mitten '31 will manage the Nittany basketball quintet with Paul B. Patton '31 in charge of the wrestling.

Paul W. Henderson '32, Herman C. Weber '32, and J. Fred Winstead '32 were elected assistant boxing managers. Basketball assistants will be William T. Davis '32, Robert C. Hileman '32, and Alfred C. Thorpe '32. Hobart P. Shultz '31 was named freshman basketball manager.

SIGMA XI INSTALLS GROUP HERE TODAY

Union College Dean To Perform Induction Ceremonies in Schwab Auditorium

With eighty-two faculty members forming the petitioning group, a local chapter of Sigma Xi, national scientific research fraternity, will be installed on the Penn State campus in the foyer of Schwab auditorium at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Dr. Edward Ellory, dean of Union college and national secretary of the fraternity, will perform the induction ceremonies. Dr. David F. McFarland of the metallurgy department will respond on behalf of the newly-formed chapter. An election of officers is to be held at the conclusion of the installation.

Who's Dancing

Interfraternity Ball McKimney's Cotton Pickers Tomorrow

Alpha Phi Sigma (Closed) Jersey Shore Seniors Delta Chi and Delta Sigma Chi at Delta Sigma Chi (Closed) Yawaty Tau Phi Delta Theta and Sigma Pi at Phi Delta Theta Bucknell Blue Band Phi Pi Phi (Closed) Tommy and His Troubadours Phi Kappa Sigma Gey's Alouians Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Delta Tau Delta at Sigma Alpha Epsilon (Closed) The Revue Tau Kappa Epsilon Formal (Closed) Blue and White There's Nu Epsilon and Kappa Delta Rho at County Club (Closed) Riggs Blau-mount Orchestra Druids-Friars at Amory (Subscription) Cory Irvin's Orchestra

BOWERS, VREELAND ELECTED AS Y. W. C. A. CABINET HEADS

Raymond A. Bowers '31 was elected president of the Y. W. C. A. and Frederick F. Vreeland '31 was named first vice-president as a result of the elections held Tuesday and Wednesday.

The second vice-presidency was won by Richard J. Detwiler '31, Richard L. McKee '31 was chosen secretary, and Wilbur H. Zimmerman '32 was named treasurer.

GIRL WANTED: MUST HAVE THAT INDEFINABLE SOMETHING, IS PI DELTA CONVENTION PROBLEM

WANTED a girl, brunette, slender, a good dancer, good-looking, white, American, intelligent, and a fast stepper.

"I prefer the description of the 'preferred girl,' one of two-societies of qualifications written by Pi Delta Epsilon convention delegates in 'ordering' co-eds who will accompany them to the Interfraternity Ball tonight.

The specifications are those of Raymond J. Evans, delegate of Saint Lawrence university. Similar descriptions submitted by college representatives attending the annual convention of the honorary journalistic fraternity indicate strong preferences in the selection of "blind dates."

"Five foot two, eyes brown or blue, vivacious but not effervescent, blonde." This was the laconic request of a second delegate, Leonard L. Tolkie. In contrast, Joseph A. Porter and Edward K. Ellsworth, of the Michigan State college chapter, asked for brunettes, with the stipulation

that they be as intelligent as possible, and possess "that indefinable something."

"Would like girl, not taller than five feet eight inches, learning rather toward the scholarly type," Walton Forrest Jr., of Lehigh university, wrote. Forrest was the only delegate who stressed intellectuality as a prerequisite.

"I realize that it will be hard to get just what we delegates desire individually," K. E. Meek Jr., Georgia Tech representative, admitted, adding, "Here are my specifications: A girl who is not too tall, pretty of course, not fat, but it doesn't matter about blonde or brunette."

Penn and Penn State Break Athletic Ties, Effective This Fall

Strained Relations First Evidenced Following Football Game

HORNE'S DEATH IS NOT INFLUENTIAL IN DECISION

Baseball, Lacrosse, Golf Matches On Schedule This Spring Remain Unchanged

Athletic relations between Penn State and the University of Pennsylvania will not be resumed after the close of the present scheduled events, Nels M. Fleming, graduate manager of athletics, announced yesterday.

This decision was reached after a mutual understanding with James H. Swartz, acting graduate manager of athletics at the Philadelphia institution. Officials of both schools emphatically denied that incidents connected with the death of Oliver Horne, Penn boxing captain, had caused the break.

The final step to eliminate Penn from future athletic schedules, Fleming stated, was made after several months of negotiations with officials from that college. Following the Penn-Penn State football game last fall, the Quaker authorities revealed that Penn State would not be included on Penn's 1930 schedule.

Spring contests—Unchanged Although no definite reason was offered for this action, it is believed that the move was prompted by rough playing in the contest. Matters decided not to include Penn State on its basketball schedule next winter.

Three days before Horne's death a telephone conference between Fleming and Swartz resulted in definite action to cancel all pending contests for at least a season. No all-fencing has resulted between the two schools from the death of Horne, it was made clear by athletic officials.

We feel that no definite break has been incurred with Pennsylvania," Fleming commented, "but merely a postponement of arrangements for future athletic contests. It is unfortunate that the trouble came to a head at the time of Horne's death."

Six scheduled events between Penn State and Pennsylvania will take place this spring. The rival meets will be in a three-game series in Atlantic City April 18, 19, 21, and later in the season a fourth game will be played in Philadelphia. The Lions will also oppose the Quakers in Lacrosse and golf next month.

TRIANGLE ATTAINS AVERAGE OF 1.63

Leads National Social Fraternities in Scholarship—Nita Nee Heads Women Societies

Triangle led all national social fraternities at Penn State in scholar ratings for the first semester with an average of 1.63, while Omega Epsilon was high for the local Greeks with a grading of 1.44, according to statistics compiled by the registrar's office. In women's scholarship, Nita Nee, with a 1.64 average, leads over Laetamerudente by .02 and Chi Omega by .01. All of the women's organizations hold a 1.36 average or better.

Alpha Zeta, professional fraternity, ranks above all Greeks with 1.81. Average grades for men students show a 1.17 mark, while women students exceed this with grades computed at 1.30. The all-college average is set at 1.22.

In the national group Phi Sigma Delta, Sigma Tau Phi, Beta Sigma Rho, Alpha Xi, and Theta Chi closely follow Triangle in the race for scholarship honors. Fourteen fraternities in this group rank above the all-college average.

Lions, Omega Delta Epsilon, and Tau Theta Phi are close competitors in local fraternity honors. Three of the nine locals have a record higher than the all-college average of 1.22.

MENTALITY REGULATES BEHAVIOR, STATES PIKE

Danville Physician Will Deliver Third Psychology Talk Wednesday

"Mental functioning is the regulation and control of the actions of an individual to serve him best in the environment in which he is placed," declared Dr. Horace V. Pike, director of clinical psychiatry at the Danville State hospital, in the second lecture of his annual course in the Chemistry amphitheatre Wednesday.

With "The Abnormal Functioning of the Conscious Mind" as the subject, Dr. Pike cited cases under his charge at the Danville clinic to illustrate his lecture. He described the effects of illusions, hallucinations, and amnesia upon the patients at the hospital.

In closing, Dr. Pike appealed to his audience to aid in the curing of the aged in a home environment instead of placing them in state institutions.

The next lecture of the series, on "Personality and Its Disorders," will be given Wednesday night in the Chemistry amphitheatre.

DELIVERS GERMAN LECTURE

Prof. George J. Wurf, of the German department, spoke on "Hofmann'sthal" in the seventh of the German lecture series held Tuesday afternoon in room 16, Liberal Arts building.

Professor Wurf reviewed the modern dramatic and discussed symbols as found in Greek and modern drama.

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NORMAN BAXTER

PI DELTA EPSILON OPENS TWENTIETH CONVENTION HERE

60 Delegates Assemble Today From 11 Colleges—Begin Conclave at 9:30

NORMAN BAXTER, PRESS CLUB HEAD, TO SPEAK

Adrian O. Morse Will Welcome Journalists at Dinner This Afternoon

Sixty Pi Delta Epsilon delegates from forty-four chapters throughout the country will assemble here at 9:30 o'clock this morning for the first business meeting of the honorary collegiate journalists' fraternity.

The twentieth anniversary convention opened last night with a smoker at Alpha Sigma Phi.

Penn State, acting as host to Pi Delta Epsilon for the first time, will entertain grand officers of the fraternity, representatives from four petitioning groups, and several prominent journalists in the combined 1929-'30 convention today and tomorrow.

Norman Baxter, president of the National Press Club, will be the principal speaker at a banquet to be held at the Centric Hills Country club at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Baxter is managing editor of the Washington Post and a member of Pi Delta Epsilon.

Adrian O. Morse, executive secretary to President Ralph D. Hetzel, will deliver the welcoming address to the delegates at the dinner. Dean Charles W. Stoddard, of the Liberal Arts School, will act as toastmaster. Joseph C. Patten, grand president, and Henry G. Doyle, grand vice-president, will speak as representatives of the grand council.

Eleven pledges of the local chapter will be initiated by members of the grand council at the banquet this afternoon. Winners in the annual editorial and reportorial contest will be announced by Dean Stoddard, and three prizes will be awarded. After the banquet the delegates will attend the Interfraternity Ball in Recreation Hall.

Convention committees are scheduled to meet at 8 o'clock this morning to discuss the upcoming address to the delegates when they assemble at 9:30. The first business meeting will adjourn shortly before noon. The afternoon will be devoted to a tour of the campus and golf on the College links.

Four officers of the grand council will be elected in the final business meeting of the convention tomorrow morning. Requests from four petitioning groups for charters will also be considered at that time. Lunch will be served the journalists by the Home Economics department in Women's building.

In the afternoon the delegates will visit Woodward cave. Tomorrow night they will attend the Thespians' production "Le Cafe Noir," where a special section has been reserved for them.

COLLEGE AIR ENTHUSIASTS ORGANIZE AVIATION SOCIETY

The Penn State Aerial club was organized by College aviation enthusiasts at a meeting in room 205 Engineering B Wednesday night.

The club was organized by Lester N. Yohe '31, who is endeavoring to develop interest in glider building at Penn State. Prof. Harold A. Eviott and Prof. Charles L. Allen, of the mechanical engineering department are backing the organization.

Members of the club will be given instruction in glider building and other aviation subjects.

"After all, beggars can't be choosers," was the state statement of Edward B. Steinhilber, representative of Washburn college, who expressed the consensus of opinion in doubting that his exact specifications would be followed.

"We'll leave it to you and trust to luck," was the rebuttal of another delegate.