



PATTEE WILL OPEN LECTURES MONDAY IN LITTLE THEATRE

Professor Emeritus To Talk on American Literary Plots At 4:10 O'Clock

AUTHORS' GROUPS PLAN 2 DINNERS FOR VISITOR

Speaker Held Position as Head Of English Department Here Until 1929

Speaking on the general subject, "Uncultivated Plots in American Literary History," Dr. Fred Lewis Pattee, professor emeritus of American literature, will open his third annual series of lectures in the Little Theatre at 4:10 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Five lectures will be given in all, each taking up a different phase of the general topic. Dr. Pattee will discuss "things very frequently not considered in the history of early American literature," according to Dr. William S. Dye, jr., head of the department of English literature, in charge of arrangements.

Dinners Planned Arriving late today, Dr. Pattee will be the guest of honor tomorrow at a picnic of the Literary club, of which he is a charter member. Other plans to entertain the visitor include a dinner to be given by Purple Quill at 6:30 o'clock Monday night, and a dinner sponsored by the Authors' club Tuesday night.

Dr. Pattee served as head of the English department here for thirty-four years before he resigned in 1929 to accept a position as part-time lecturer at Rollins College, Florida. Since that time he has continued as speaker emeritus of American literature at Penn State and has returned each year to lecture.

Author of Several Books In addition to editing several literature collections for use by college classes, the former English department head has written several novels and works of criticism and some poetry, including the words to the Alma Mater. His most recent work, "The New American Literature," a history and criticism of the works of leading American authors in the period from 1890 to the present time, was led by Adrian O. Morse, executive secretary to the President, O. W. Eshbach, American Telegraph and Telephone company, and Herbert Wettrich, Public Service Electric company.

NEW CO-ED SOCIAL GROUP RECOGNIZED

L'Amite, Jewish Women Students' Fraternity, Secures Senate Committee Sanction

L'Amite, a newly organized social fraternity for Jewish women students, was recognized by the Senate committee on student welfare last week. Complete campus recognition will not be granted until Panhellenic council approves the action.

At present, the group is petitioning Alpha Epsilon Phi, national women's social fraternity, for membership. The local group was originally formed as a club two years ago.

Dr. Teresa Cohen, of the mathematics department, is acting as faculty adviser to the group. The active members of L'Amite include Gertrude G. Cohen '33, Sylvia A. Epstein '33, and Caroline Kalin '33. Additional members of the organization are Mildred S. Kahn '33, Rosalyn Nieman '33, Gertrude E. Loverson '34, Bernice Roubert '34, and Ruth H. Swerman '34.

P. S. C. A. WILL COLLECT OLD CLOTHES FOR DISTRIBUTION

Old clothes for distribution to the needy of State College and vicinity will be collected from fraternity houses and homes by the Christian association Tuesday afternoon, according to Harry W. Seaman, secretary. Thomas A. Adams '34 and Gayle V. Strickler '34 will be in charge. Students and townspeople are asked to bundle the clothing and place it on front porches. Members of the committee assisted by the State College H-Y club will canvass the town in cars beginning at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

'La Vie' Distribution Set For Next Week

Copies of the 1932 La Vie will be ready for distribution by the end of next week, according to word received from the publishers by Charles W. Rice '32, editor of the annual.

With an Egyptian theme as the motif, the yearbook will feature a section of senior "belles" and a snapshot section of campus events.

INDUSTRIAL HEADS OPEN CONFERENCE

Conclave Sponsored by School Of Engineering Will Close With Dinner Tonight

Sponsored by the School of Engineering, the thirteenth annual industrial conference for business, industrial, and education heads opened yesterday morning and will close with a dinner at the Nittany Lion tonight.

The theme of the year's program centers around engineering economics and planning for the future. With Col. R. L. Rees, of the American Telephone and Telegraph company, presiding, speakers on this morning's program are W. J. Donald, of the American Management association, Steele R. Seiles, of the West Penn. Appliances company, and L. P. Alford, of the Ronald Press company.

President Hetzel Speaks Prof. Clarence E. Bullinger, head of the industrial engineering department and secretary of the conference, will give the closing talk at a luncheon in the Nittany Lion today. As a new feature of the conference, alumni of the Engineering school will hold special meetings this afternoon and tonight.

In the opening session yesterday morning, speakers and discussion leaders were J. S. Egelow, New York Telephone company, C. S. Coler, Westinghouse Electric company, E. W. Kempton, American Steel and Wire company, R. V. Rickard, New York City, and C. R. Beall, Union Switch and Signal company.

Dr. William B. Kouwenhoven, assistant dean, John Hopkins University, acted as chairman of the session yesterday afternoon. Discussions on "Training for the Young Engineer" were led by Adrian O. Morse, executive secretary to the President, O. W. Eshbach, American Telegraph and Telephone company, and Herbert Wettrich, Public Service Electric company.

President Ralph D. Hetzel, Fred M. Pecker, director of the Bureau of Forestry and Domestic Commerce, Washington, D. C., and Dean Dexter S. Kimball, College of Engineering, Cornell University, spoke at the conference dinner last night.

9 STUDENTS APPOINTED TO '33 FORENSIC GROUP

Wood Selects 4 Seniors, 3 Juniors, 2 Sophomores for Council

Nine students were appointed to Forensic council, College public speaking organization, for the coming year, by John A. Wood '33, president of the senior class, Wednesday night.

Seniors who will serve on the body are Milton L. Baldwin, Frederick W. Cramer, Ruth H. Niebel, and Robert T. Tschan. Members of the junior class for next year include Albert M. Bilevitch, Ernest C. Miller, and Leslie A. Seaman.

Angelo N. Berbaty '35, and Sarah A. McKee '35 conclude the list of members. The council is composed of members of the debating squads and of students interested in public speaking, appointed annually. The chief function of the organization is to stimulate interest in debating and the forensic arts in the College.

2 FRATERNITIES TO MEET IN 1. M. DEBATING SEMI-FINALS

With only three teams, all negotiations remaining in the intramural debating competition, representatives decided to continue the eliminations with a debate between Omega Epsilon and Delta Upsilon Monday night at the Omega Epsilon house. A split-team debate, the argument will be conducted on the examination exemption question. The winner, determined by the percentage score of the teams, will meet the Penn State club in the finale.

'PLAN AND PURPOSE' CHOSEN AS SPEECH BY DR. M'CRACKEN

Director of American Council On Education Will Talk At Graduation

FORMAL EXERCISES SET FOR MONDAY, JUNE 6

1932 Commencement Speaker Held Lafayette Presidential Post During Long Period

"Plan and Purpose" has been selected by Dr. John H. MacCracken, director of the American Council on Education, as the topic for his address before the 1932 graduating class at the commencement exercises in Recreation hall, Monday, June 6.

The Washington educator's speech will culminate the formal ceremonies preceding the awarding of the diplomas to the seniors, which will begin with the traditional procession of the graduates at 3:15 o'clock in the afternoon. The topic for the baccalaureate sermon, which will be given by Dr. Joseph R. Sizoo, pastor of the New York Avenue Presbyterian church, Washington, D. C., on Sunday, June 5, has not been chosen as yet.

Active In Foreign Countries Dr. MacCracken has been very prominent in education activities in foreign countries as well as in the United States. Positions held outside this country include the presidency of the board of the American College at Teheran, Persia, and a trusteeship of the American University of Cairo, Egypt.

For the year 1929, Dr. MacCracken was president of the Phi Beta Kappa alumni organization of New York. Other honorary fraternities of which he is a member are Psi Upsilon, Tau Beta Pi, and Kappa Phi Kappa. He is the author of "College and Commonwealth," which was published in 1920.

Former Lafayette President Receiving his bachelor of arts degree at New York University in 1897, Dr. MacCracken remained there for his master's degree, and then studied at the University of Halle-Wittenberg where he received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy. In 1903 he was made a Doctor of Laws by Westminster College, while the title, Doctor of Science, was conferred upon him by Lafayette College in 1926, upon the completion of his eleven-year term as president of that institution.

Other educational institutions with which Dr. MacCracken has been affiliated include Lehigh University, Rutgers University, and the University of Pennsylvania. From 1899 to 1903, the educator was president and professor of philosophy at Westminster College. He served as a delegate to the Lausanne Conference in 1927, and was president of the American Institution of Christian Philosophy.

LOCAL AIRPORT PROJECT PROGRESSES THIS WEEK

Federal, State Officials Expected To Make Inspection of Site

Removal of rocks by blasting and the piling of a large acreage brought the State College airport site near Boalsburg nearer completion last week. Federal and State officials are expected to make a preliminary inspection of the field this week.

Planes and pilots will be provided and the field will be available for student flying when the College opens next fall, according to Sherman Lutz, local aviator and one of the backers of the project. Several students hold pilots' licenses which will lapse if they do not spend a certain number of hours flying each year.

KINSLOE CHOSEN PRESIDENT

Margaret W. Kinsloe was elected president of Alpha Lambda Delta, honorary scholastic fraternity for freshmen women, at a meeting of that group Tuesday night. Other officers are Elsie M. Douthett, vice-president, Mary C. Elliston, secretary, and Margaret E. Zerby, treasurer.

Young Receives Nomination At Model Convention Here

General Electric Official Wins Presidential Choice on Fifth Ballot-Prohibition Repeal Gains Approval

Owen D. Young received the presidential nomination on the fifth ballot, when one hundred and ten delegates bolted from Franklin D. Roosevelt and Norman Thomas in the model national Republican convention Monday night.

After trailing the leaders in the first two ballots, Young advanced second to Roosevelt on the third and fourth counts, and secured 244 votes to receive the nomination on the fifth ballot. Great shouting and waving of banners accompanied the victory of the General Electric president, who was proposed by delegate Maimed of Nevada.

Prohibition was the most important issue of the convention, and an amendment to the majority platform for the repeal of the Eighteenth amendment was passed with cheering. Another amendment to establish a government commission for the operation of all government-owned industries was rejected.

With the exception of the prohibition plank, the complete majority platform was approved by the convention. This platform included proposals for a lower tariff, a graduated income tax, recognition of Russia, a war debt conference, soldiers' bonus, unemployment insurance, federal aid to farmers, and federal commission to control public utilities.

NATIONAL SORORITY TO INSTALL GROUP

Gamma Phi Beta Will Initiate 18 Members of Laodolphia Here Tomorrow

Gamma Phi Beta, the ninth national sorority to come to Penn State, will install Laodolphia as its Alpha Upsilon chapter in the Hugh Beaver lounge of Old Main at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Millicent Lees Hoffman, grand president of the sorority, and Mary Herold Easterbrook, province director, will have charge of the installation. The chapters at Ohio Wesleyan and West Virginia Universities will each be represented by four members.

Will Pledge 18 Women Eighteen women will be pledged at a service in the Wesley foundation at 7:30 o'clock tonight, and will become charter members of the chapter tomorrow. These include Miss Jean D. Anderson, Mrs. Leonard A. Deggart, Miss Anne Eschert, Miss Geraldine Cook, Miss Heloise Fye '28, Miss Gladys Quigg '28, Miss Katharine Rishell '31, Helen M. Patton '32, Lilian E. Brighton '33, Sarah A. Pearce '33, C. Elizabeth Jones '33, Elsa P. Karger '33, Catherine E. Mahoney '33, Ruth L. Stover '33, Charlotte E. Summers '33, Helen A. Wood '33, J. Marie Prather '31, and Viola V. Van Noy '34.

The program for tomorrow included a morning preparatory service from eight until ten o'clock, conducted by the national officers. An examination will be held from ten until eleven o'clock, initiated from 1:30 until 5:30 o'clock, and an installation banquet at the Nittany Lion at 8:30 o'clock. A model chapter meeting will be conducted at 9 o'clock Sunday morning, and in the afternoon the new chapter of Gamma Phi Beta will give a reception for faculty members and Penn State fraternities at the Alpha Tau Omega house. Local members of Omega Phi Beta are Mrs. Charles W. Stoddart and Mrs. Harry W. Seaman.

6 ORATORS SPEAK IN FINALS TONIGHT

Entrants Select Topics for Annual Sophomore Extemporaneous Contest at 8 O'Clock

With six speakers in the finals as a result of last night's eliminations, the annual sophomore extemporaneous speaking contest will be held in the Schwab auditorium at 8 o'clock tonight.

Twenty-four sophomores entered the contest and selected preliminary speaking topics at a meeting Wednesday night. Six elimination groups were held last night, with members of the faculty as judges.

Each of the six finalists selected a subject on which he will speak tonight. General headings from which specific topics could be chosen were aesthetics, American business, campus questions, education, ethics, government, religion, science and sports. Prizes awarded to the victors tonight include one of fifty dollars given to the winner by the College, and another of twenty-five dollars presented to the second place winner by Forensic council.

DISPLAY CASE OF CLIPPINGS PLACED IN COLLEGE LIBRARY

A display case in which are exhibited clippings concerning the College from representative daily and weekly papers, has been placed in the College library by the department of public information, for the purpose of acquainting students with publicity accorded the College in the press.

The display will be changed twice weekly, according to present plans. Students having access to Penn State clippings are requested to turn them in at the public information office in Old Main for display purposes.

Time Extended For Cap, Gown Ordering

Senior caps and gowns may be ordered at the Student Union office in Old Main from 7 to 9 o'clock Tuesday and Wednesday nights. This time extension has been made in order to accommodate those who were unable to place orders this week.

'36 Class Will Fill Usual Quota in Fall

Approximately 1235 freshmen, the usual quota, will be admitted as the class of '36 this fall, according to William S. Hoffman, College Registrar.

This figure includes 1,000 men, 185 women, and 50 students at Mont Alto. The final number admitted depends on conditions early next fall, Mr. Hoffman said.

'BELL' ANNOUNCES CONTEST WINNERS

Nace '34, Zern '32 Gain Prizes For Best Short Story, Article Printed

Winners of the Pi Delta Epsilon contest for the best article and best short story appearing in Old Main Bell this year, were announced in the last issue of the literary magazine for the year which was released this morning.

Edward G. Zern '32 received first mention for his article, "Institutions and People," while Elizabeth D. Nace '34 was awarded first prize for the best short story of the year, "Trees into Plovers." Both winners were awarded fifteen dollar prizes by Pi Delta Epsilon, national honorary journalism fraternity.

Features College Stories Honorable mention was accorded to William Muhlman '31, Coleman Herpel '32, James S. Norris '32, Ralph D. Hetzel '33, Joseph J. Rubin '33, and Francis Imman '31. The contest which was open to all student contributors to the College literary magazine, was judged by a student-faculty committee.

College life is the main topic for articles and stories in the current issue according to Ralph D. Hetzel '33, editor. Sketches by Rose K. Braunstein '35 and by Carl R. Ingling '33, feature the May edition.

An added feature the magazine has included a page of light verse by Edward G. Zern '32 and Jeanne G. Barwis '33. In the first of a series of two articles on the College library, Willard P. Lewis, librarian, envisions a library for the future.

CHAPEL AUDIENCE TO HEAR VINCENT

New Jersey Congregational Pastor Will Give Last Address Of Year Sunday

Giving the last chapel address of the year, Dr. George C. Vincent, pastor of the Union Congregational church, Upper Montclair, N. J., will speak at services in Schwab auditorium, 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

Dr. Vincent received his bachelor's degree from Westminster College in 1901. He was selected as the recipient of the Rhodes scholarship from Ohio the same year, and attended Oxford University, England, until 1907.

For several years the chapel speaker also studied at Queens College, England. In 1925 he was graduated with a doctor's degree from Monmouth College.

Before accepting his present position Dr. Vincent held a number of important pastorates in Pennsylvania, including the Shady-side United Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh. He has been serving at Upper Montclair since 1928.

COLLEGE DELEGATES HEAR DR. ALLEN, ORNITHOLOGIST

Delegations from eight Pennsylvania colleges, including Bucknell and Juniata, attended the illustrated lecture on "Instinct or Intelligence in Birds," given by Dr. A. A. Allen, professor of ornithology at Cornell University, here last night.

Dr. Allen gave an account of the more peculiar habits of bird life, illustrating them with slides and motion pictures. He also spoke on the conservation program of State officials in protecting wild game species.

DAVIS TO DEDICATE BUILDING

With "Physical Education and the Life of Freedom," as the topic, Dr. Elwood C. Davis will deliver the speech in dedication of the new athletic building at the California Teachers' College, California, Pa., at 10 o'clock, Saturday morning.

HISTORIAN TO TALK AT MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONIES HERE

Dr. Fredrick Godcharles Will Give Annual Address, Faculty Group Announces

SPEAKER HELD POSITION AS LIBRARIAN OF STATE

Student Committee Plans Service Before Plaque in Old Man, On Front Campus

Dr. Fredrick A. Godcharles, noted historian, will speak at the annual Memorial Day exercises here May 30. Prof. J. Stanley Cobb, chairman of the faculty committee on arrangements announced yesterday.

Born at Northumberland, Dr. Godcharles was graduated from Lafayette in 1893. He then entered the Pennsylvania National Guard, seeking service in the Spanish-American War, and as captain of ordnance on the staff of Major-General Leonard Wood during the World War.

Held Senate Seat The speaker was a member of the State House of Representatives in 1900, and held a seat in the Senate in 1904. From 1915 to 1923 Dr. Godcharles was Deputy Secretary of the Commonwealth, and from 1910 until 1926 was editor and publisher of the Altoona, and the Milton Morning Bulletin.

A member of the American Legion, the historian is also a member of the Manufacturer's club, the Union League, the Aeacian social fraternity, and a number of historical societies. He has also held the position of State librarian.

Volunteers Enter Parade The annual services here will open at the Memorial Plaque in the rear of Old Main, in charge of the student committee. From there the voluntary group will proceed to the Memorial trees on the front campus where further services will be held.

Three hundred volunteers from the R. O. T. C. corps will enter the parade which will begin at Barrows street, and continue past the reviewing stand at the intersection of College avenue and Allen street, ending at the speaker's stand in front of the Stone House on Holmes field. The College Blue Band has volunteered to furnish the music for the ceremonies.

SENIORS TO RATE P. S. C. A. PROJECTS

Christian Association Distributes Questionnaire To Plan for Next Year's Program

To aid in planning a program for next year, the Penn State Christian association is sending out questionnaires concerning its work to all seniors and some junior, sophomore and freshman students this week.

Space is provided for individual ratings and opinions on the value of the projects which were carried out in this year's program. The blanks must be returned to the association office in 301, Old Main by Monday.

Included in the program projects listed on the inquiry are friends sessions, annual religious series, student handbook, life work week, and the Andy Lytle cabin. The topics which the Christian association speakers chose this year are also listed.

Other projects on the questionnaire are student service, Hugh Beaver club, intercollegiate conferences, inter-national relations, cabin retreats, and special features such as the Byrd lecture. Space for suggestions is provided.

LEE MADE SOCIAL CHAIRMAN

K. Jane Lee was elected social chairman of the junior class defeating Betty B. Thompson by a vote of 62 to 53 in the re-election held in McAllister hall Wednesday. This ballot was the third cast for the office of social chairman, the first two resulting in ties.

2,191 OBTAIN HEALTH SERVICE

During the month of March the College Health Service treated a total of 2,191 persons, 2,171 of which were men and 320 women, while during April 2,201 students were treated, 1,292 men, and 909 women.