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## GRANT SEEKS STUDENT AID IN ARTISTS COURSE

### Music Director Appeals to Undergraduates For Return of Cultural Programs

Disappointed by the lack of interest on the part of both faculty and students thus far, Director Richard W. Grant, of the music department, made a direct appeal to the student body in an interview yesterday to bring back the Artists Course of former years to the College.

"Generally speaking the broad cultural development of the students has been sadly neglected during the last two years," Director Grant declared.

"The time has come when the students should decide whether they are or are not to acquire proper intellectual knowledge outside their own particular sphere of activity."

The music director contended that students are becoming aware of the fact that their education will fall unless they make an attempt for richer and fuller living, such as is attained through an appreciation of art and culture, right here and now. He was of the opinion that action should be taken immediately to warrant a revival of the series.

As a means for solving the financial difficulties of the past, Director Grant endorsed a plan whereby the students would vote an extra fifty cent fee per year for the organization and perpetuation of an association whose work would be to sponsor things cultural on the campus.

"With this fund as a foundation the proposed association could be assured of sufficient support in order to bring annually to the College outstanding speakers, artists, and musicians. In this way a well-rounded program of entertaining, intellectual, and artistic interest could be offered at a ticket price so reduced as to be within the means of everyone," he declared.

The Artists Course in former years was a losing proposition mainly because the admittance charge was too high for the average Penn State student, Director Grant pointed out. The fault did not lie so much in lack of desire to attend the series, he said.

"A community, as isolated as ours, should by all means support and maintain an Artists Course. The faculty and students owe it to themselves, and to their duty of the class that fosters knowledge, to show an interest in such a necessity to a liberal education as art," he concluded.

## MUTCH WILL SPEAK IN CHAPEL SUNDAY

Supremacy of Character Selected As Subject for Address by Bryn Mawr Pastor

## PARENTS INITIATE LOAN FUND DRIVE

Association Sends Out Appeal for Payment of Membership Fees This Week

The first move in the accumulation of the \$10,000 revolving loan fund was started this week by the Association of Parents of Penn State, which organization sent out an appeal to all parents to pay the membership fee of one dollar.

Eight students have applied for aid this year, according to Mrs. Frank W. Haller, chairman of the student loan fund committee. Last year the association aided fourteen students.

The money loaned is obtained primarily from dues, along with special contributions. In past years the expense of the loans has been dependent largely upon the payment of dues.

"Every applicant for aid must have the endorsement of the dean of the school in which the student is enrolled, so that we know money loaned is going to conscientious students who are really in need," the committee chairman said in the appeal.

Lafayette College has conferred an honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity upon Dr. Mutch. After the services Sunday morning, the chapel speaker will remain in State College to address the evening service of the local Presbyterian church.

## FIRST ROUND OF I. F. BRIDGE TOURNEY TO END TOMORROW

First round contests in the Interfraternity auction bridge tournament will be completed by tomorrow, according to Ralph B. Vance '34, manager of the competition. Thirty-one teams are entered in the tournament. Entries for the non-fraternity tournament to be sponsored by Student Union must be filed at the Student Union desk in Old Main as soon as possible.

## MAZER GETS APPOINTMENT

Lawrence M. Mazer '35, inter-class and intramural wrestling champion in the 125-pound class last year, received an appointment to West Point last week.

## Brutzman Appointed Soph Hop Chairman

Franklin J. Brutzman '35 has been appointed chairman of the Sophomore Hop committee, Walter G. Benner Jr., 1935 class president, announced Wednesday night.

Additional members of the committee are James V. Baker, Charles E. Bartlett, Joseph A. Benner, John M. Bernat, Robert M. Brown, Robert B. Dambach, Edward M. Eberhard, Walter F. Gaynor, A. Kenneth Maiers, and Ralph P. Needle. The all-College dance will be held March 3.

## SOCIALISM UPHELD IN OPENING DEBATE

Wilson, of Oxford, Berbatis '35 Gain Audience Decision Monday Night

Upholding socialism, Geoffrey M. Wilson of Oxford University, England, and Angelo N. Berbatis '35 won an audience decision over A. J. Ervine of Oxford and Scott Keyes, graduate student, in an international split-team debate Monday night.

Nearly 600 people attended the opening contest of the forensic season. Of the 470 ballots cast by the audience after the debate, 200 voted for the negative of the question "Resolved, that socialism offers no remedy for the present economic disorder," while 112 voted for the affirmative, and 153 were unchanged in their opinion.

Control Necessary

Keyes, in opening the Philadelphia contest, the "Lion five" settled down for a long sojourn in their native health as seven successive games are scheduled to be played on the Recreation hall court.

Western Maryland will oppose the Nittany quintet on January 14 for the first of the string of home games while a tilt with Washington and Jefferson follows on January 21.

Army is scheduled to appear here on January 28, Lafayette on February 8, Temple, February 15, and West Virginia, February 18. This will mark the first Owl game on a Lion program since 1928 while the last time the Blue and White courtiers encountered a Lafayette team was in 1930.

Freshman Schedule Announced

In the last home attraction of the schedule, Penn State fans will have a chance to see Carnegie Tech in action when the Tartans appear here on February 25. The Lions will close their season with a New York trip including games with Colgate and Syracuse on March 3 and 4. A pre-season practice game with Lock Haven State Teachers College at Lock Haven on December 30 was approved by the Board of Athletic Control along with the regular schedule.

A freshman basketball card of six games, four at home and two away, has been arranged. The yearlings will open their season on February 4 against Newton Academy. Games with Dickinson Seminary on February 11, Wyoming Seminary on February 18, and Carnegie Tech freshmen on February 25 follow. On March 10, the freshman five will meet the Bucknell plebe team at Lewisburg while a return game with Wyoming Seminary at Kingston is scheduled for the following day.

LEWIS ATTENDS CONFERENCE

Willard P. Lewis, College librarian, represented Penn State at the twentieth annual conference of 160 Eastern College Libraries at Columbia University, Saturday.

## Penn State Men Chivalrous, Co-eds Favorable on 'Dutch Treat' Subject

Penn State men are still chivalrous! At least that was the impression given by the answers of many of the representative men students to the question of their opinion of "dutch treats" on dates.

Of the co-eds interviewed almost all were in favor of this practice, especially in college towns of the size of State College where the women students have about the same amount of spending money as the men.

Marjorie G. Groat '33 and Laura B. Lee '33 think the men should expect to pay all the expenses on a date unless the couple goes together steadily, and then they think it is only fair that the girl should pay her own share at times.

Emily R. Gans '34 and L. Isabel Loveland '34 are two of the co-eds

## 11 COURT CONTESTS INCLUDED ON 1933 BASKETBALL CARD

Cagers Will Face Susquehanna in First Encounter Here Wednesday, Jan. 4

### A. REDUCES SCHEDULE BY 4 GAMES THIS YEAR

Lions To Meet Colgate, Army, Penn, Temple; Syracuse During Season

By W. M. STEGEMEIER '34

Four games thinner than the customary fifteen-game cards of the past few years, the 1933 basketball schedule of eleven games was released by Athletic association officials Wednesday. The new court program includes contests with Penn, Army, Temple, Colgate, and Syracuse.

None of the opponents listed on this year's card will be entirely new to the Nittany Lion, although four schools, Susquehanna, Washington and Jefferson, Lafayette, and Temple, have not appeared on a Penn State basketball schedule for several years. Eight of the eleven games will be played in Recreation hall.

For the opening game of the Lion season, Susquehanna will appear in Recreation hall on Wednesday, January 4. Three days later Coach Spike Leslie's team will travel to Philadelphia to play Penn in a continuation of the series of tilts resumed last year after a two-year lull.

To Play Army Here

Following the Philadelphia contest, the "Lion five" will settle down for a long sojourn in their native health as seven successive games are scheduled to be played on the Recreation hall court. Western Maryland will oppose the Nittany quintet on January 14 for the first of the string of home games while a tilt with Washington and Jefferson follows on January 21.

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O'BRIEN SUFFERS OPERATION

Joseph F. O'Brien, instructor in public speaking and coach of the College debating team, underwent a major operation at Flemington Hospital, Philadelphia, last weekend. He will probably return to the College sometime during January or the early part of the second semester.

### Who's Dancing

Tonight  
Alpha Omicron Pi at Sigma Pi (Closed)  
Varsity Ten  
Scabbard and Blade at Omega Epsilon (Closed)  
Campus Owls  
Tomorrow Night  
Alpha Chi Sigma (Invitation)  
Bill Bottorf  
Phi Gamma Delta (Closed)  
Campus Owls  
Grange Dormitory (Closed)  
Blue and White

## Freshmen Will Hold Nominations Monday

Prospective freshman class presidents will be nominated at a meeting in the Chemistry amphitheatre at 7:30 o'clock, Monday night, John N. Rathmell, junior class head, has announced.

Four trial presidents will be selected at a meeting a week later, while the final election will take place immediately before the Christmas vacation, Rathmell said. Attendance of all freshmen at each of the three meetings will be compulsory.

## FLAGS TO FEATURE DANCE DECORATION

Military Ball Plans Include Use of Gold, White Draperies, Ceiling Streamers

Featuring a national flag on which are inscribed the names of all Penn State men who were killed in the World War, decorative plans for the Military Ball in Recreation hall next Friday night have been completed, according to George H. Grabe '33, who is in charge of the decorations.

A contract with a Wilkes-Barre decorating company was signed last week, Grabe said. According to the contract, red, white, and blue streamers will be employed to disguise the ceiling of the hall while lattices-work and gold and white draperies will cover the sides. The canopy above the orchestra will be draped with flags of other countries.

Willingness to cooperate with any effort to wipe out the practices was expressed by President Hetzel and the presidents of Pennsylvania, Pittsburgh, and Temple in a joint statement issued at Harrisburg Tuesday. "As heads of these institutions we deplore the practices which have been exposed and stand ready to cooperate fully and freely in any effort made by responsible legislative groups to eliminate such practices and prevent their recurrence," the statement said in part.

Holders Here Total 554

Senatorial scholarship-holders now enrolled at Penn State total 554, according to Adrian O. Morse, executive secretary to the President. These scholarships are good for the four-year course of study and exempt the holder from the incidental fee of one hundred dollars a year.

The charge for booths at the affair will be four dollars, with a three-dollar assessment for catering service. This is a reduction of three dollars from the cost of a booth and catering service last year, William C. Berry '33, committee chairman, said.

Drawings for booths will be held at the Student Union office in Old Main at 7 o'clock Wednesday night. Baron Lee and his Blue Rhythm orchestra will furnish the music for the dance.

Possible changes in the method of awarding the scholarships suggested by Mr. Morse were the establishment of a general average prerequisite or a more rigid examination of the applicant's financial condition.

EXTENSION WORK SPEAKERS WILL MAKE LECTURE TRIPS

Three of the speakers of the Extension Lecture Program series of the College have been engaged to lecture during December and January, Prof. J. Orvis Keller, head of the extension service, announced recently.

Prof. Harney W. Stover, of the department of economics extension, will address the Franklin Rotary club next Thursday on the topic, "Recent Trends in Retailing." On January 7, Prof. Harold E. Dickson of the fine arts division will give an illustrated lecture at Juniata College.

As the second speaker on this year's Forum series, Charles H. Corbett, lecturer and traveler, talked on "What Next in Manchuria" Tuesday night.

Mr. Corbett, who has been a close observer of affairs in Manchuria, gave a complete history of the "international sore." Besides the open lecture, Mr. Corbett conducted a number of special interest meetings on "Disarmament," "Race Relations," and "Christian World Education." The talks were also sponsored by the Penn State Christian association.

Born of American parents in the Far East, the speaker has had ample opportunity to witness the changing political situation in that part of the world. At present, he is international relations adviser to the national councils of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A.

In his talk Tuesday night, Mr. Corbett declared that a Japanese attack on the United States is highly improbable because as the aggressive party the Oriental nation would lose in the long run. Even now, Japan is finding that imperialism does not pay, he said.

CO-EDS TO USE GYMNASIUM

Recreation hall will be closed to men students from 7:30 o'clock on each night starting Monday, according to an announcement by Director of Athletics Hugo Bezdek. For the remainder of the indoor sports season the gymnasium will then be turned over for the exclusive use of women students.

## PRESIDENT DENIES 'RACKET' CHARGE

Dr. Hetzel Finds No Trace of Irregularities In Senatorial Scholarship Awards To Penn State Students

Charges that racketeering has crept into the distribution of senatorial scholarships to State-aided universities were declared unfounded as far as Penn State is concerned by President Ralph D. Hetzel in a press statement this week.

"So far as I know there have been no irregularities in connection with the granting of these scholarships to students at Penn State," the President's statement said.

Three scholarships covering tuition are granted annually by each of fifty State senators to students at this College and at the Universities of Pennsylvania, Pittsburgh, and Temple.

Investigation Threatened

Frauds in connection with the senatorial subsidies were exposed early this week when a Philadelphian was arrested on the charge that he had swindled several persons out of large amounts through the sale of "bargain scholarships." An investigation of the matter, unless it was cleaned up immediately was threatened by State Senator William D. Mansfield.

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effort to wipe out the practices was expressed by President Hetzel and the presidents of Pennsylvania, Pittsburgh, and Temple in a joint statement issued at Harrisburg Tuesday.

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May Check Awards

If the distribution of scholarships still remains in the hands of the State senators, there will probably be some check made by the governor's office, the secretary suggested. "Another possibility is taking the award of scholarships away from the senators altogether and placing them under the jurisdiction of some State department."

Mr. Beamish was of the opinion that the total abolition of senatorial scholarships, as advocated by certain authorities, would be undesirable. Many worthy students who could not otherwise come to college would thus be denied the chance, he said.

"I first heard of such practices about five years ago," Mr. Beamish said, "but they were not as widespread as they are now. The sale of scholarships is largely confined to the large cities and to awards which are worth more money than they are at Penn State."

CORBETT SPEAKS IN FORUM SERIES

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