

# SUMMER



# COLLEGIAN

## HENDRIKSON, BRUCE WILL GIVE DRAMA ON TUESDAY NIGHT

'Merchant of Venice' Selected As Single Performance At 8:15 O'clock

## 6 STUDENTS APPOINTED FOR SUPPORTING ROLES

Reserved Seat Tickets for Shakespearean Drama Now on Sale

From the outstanding Shakespearean dramas, James Hendrickson and Claire Bruce and their company, of New York City, have chosen to present "The Merchant of Venice" in their single appearance here in Schwab auditorium Tuesday evening, July 18, at 8:15 o'clock.

James Hendrickson and Miss Bruce, heading their own company for five years, have established themselves as among the foremost interpreters of the classic drama on the American stage. Their present success is the result of a sound apprenticeship under such dramatic leaders as Robert B. Mantell and Fritz Leiber.

**Students Fill Roles**  
The finest company assembled since the Players were organized will include in the supporting roles Frank Howson, Mary Glover, Stanley Cobley, Webster Patterson, Ruth Prouty, Charles Posner, Leonard Penn, Martin Wells, and Grace Nelson, all with many years of professional experience.

About six students will be chosen from the Summer Session classes in play production to support the cast as court ladies and lords. Entirely new settings have been designed for this season's tour, and the costumes and staging are correct in every detail.

**Ticket Sale Begins**  
This company has been able to play to capacity business and standing room during four of the most disastrous seasons the theatre has ever experienced. During this time the Players have appeared in forty-one states and have established a reputation for artistic excellence.

Tickets for the production are on sale at the Student Union desk at forty cents. All seats will be reserved.

## OFFICIALS CANCEL CHICAGO SONGFEST

Prof. Grant Originally Scheduled To Direct Singing Contest At World's Fair

Lack of finances on the part of college and university glee clubs has prompted officials of the Century of Progress Exposition to abandon the International student song festival scheduled at Chicago August 7, 8, and 9, according to word received this week by Prof. Richard W. Grant, head of the department of music.

Director Grant was to have led the combined student choruses of the American colleges and universities at the festival, having been appointed to the position last February. A quartet representing the College was also entered in the three-day competition.

Under the original plans each college was to have been represented by a quartet of male voices, with the combined group to offer a concert under Professor Grant's direction. Student quartets from several European countries were also to have taken part.

Inability of a large number of colleges expected to take part in the festival because of lack of funds prompted the action of the Century of Progress officials, Professor Grant was informed.

## Who's Dancing

- Tonight
- Sigma Nu (Closed)
- Bill Batorff
- Omega Epsilon (Closed)
- Blue and Gold
- Tomorrow Night
- Delta Sigma Phi and Theta Xi (Closed)
- Blue and Gold

## 35 Faculty Members Found In 'Who's Who in America'

30 Resident Professors, Administration Heads Listed--5 of Visiting Staff Included

By SUSAN PORTERFIELD  
Combing through the 2,544 pages of Who's Who in America, one is staggered by the endless list of prominent men and women who have contributed something to the progress of our modern civilization either in meritorious service to their country or in diligent intellectual research.

So it is not surprising that there will be found among these names more than a score from the Pennsylvania State College—educators, engineers, physicists, horticulturists, college leaders, architects, and psychologists. Among the resident faculty are listed thirty names, some of which are not widely known here for the prestige they carry in their own fields, while five members of the visiting Summer Session faculty are also listed.

Familiar to students on the campus are the faces of Dr. Hetzel, Dean Whitmore, Dean Sackett, Dean Chambers, Dean Watts, and Dean Stoddard. Besides being leaders in the administration of education, they have also become authorities in their own fields of study which extend beyond

## STUDENTS TO VISIT MEMORIAL FOREST

Regular Excursion Tomorrow Will Include Monument To Alan Seeger

The Alan Seeger Memorial forest will be the chief place of interest on this week's Summer Session excursion. Students interested will assemble in front of Schwab auditorium at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Preserved as a monument to the poet, Alan Seeger, this virgin forest offers one of the most attractive of recreation spots near State College. The forest is close to the College nature study camp and contains about thirty acres of the original woodland.

Other Excursion Planned  
Another spot of interest which will be visited by those taking tomorrow's excursion will be Bear Meadows, a unique and interesting mountain attraction near the College. Bear Meadows is noted for its interesting plant and animal life, and also for the unusual geological formations to be found there.

Next Saturday, July 22, an excursion to the Snyder-Middlewarth State forest park will be conducted by the College. The route of this outing will lead over the Seven mountains and through the Kishacoquillas valley. Approximately fifty students made the trip to Penn's Cave and the State fish hatchery last week.

Students who are interested in these trips should make arrangements with Prof. William R. White, of the School of Agriculture, in the lobby of the College library from 7:45 o'clock to 8:15 o'clock in the morning or from 12:15 o'clock to 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon. At other times he may be seen at his office, second floor, Agricultural Experiment Station building.

## CLASS TO PRODUCE PLAYS NEXT WEEK

Students in Play Production Course Will Give One-Act Dramas Saturday, July 22

Three one-act plays will be given by the class in Play Production on Saturday evening, July 22, in the Little Theatre, with a second program to be given the last week of Summer Session.

The students of the class have complete responsibility of the coaching and acting in the plays, under the general supervision of Darrell D. Larsen, instructor in English and Public Speaking, Franklin and Marshall College.

The plays to be given will include "One of Those Things," by George Kelly, "The Teapot on the Rocks," a comedy by John Kirkpatrick, "Saved," by John Rogers, Jr., and "Figurehead," by Louise Saunders. The class in Stagercraft, also directed by Mr. Larsen, will assist in the building of scenery and staging of the plays. Because of the limited seating space in the Little Theatre, only those with special invitations from members of the two classes will be admitted.

## Thomas To Replace Blanshard, July 27

Norman Thomas, socialist candidate for president in the 1932 and 1933 elections, will lecture here on Thursday, July 27, in place of Paul Blanshard, Summer Session officials announced Wednesday. Blanshard, who was to speak on the subject "Industrial Democracy and the Machine Age," has been called to Europe and is unable to appear here.

Mr. Thomas, one of the outstanding socialists of the country, is widely known as a lecturer and has addressed audiences at the College in the past. The subject for his address here has not been announced.

## FRENCH DIPLOMAT WILL SPEAK TODAY

Institute Celebration Includes Address by de Verneuil, Foreign Consul

Featuring an address by M. de Verneuil, French consul in Philadelphia, a festive program commemorating Bastille Day, the National holiday of France is being held today for students and faculty members of the French Institute.

A banquet at 7:30 o'clock will precede M. de Verneuil's talk which is scheduled for 8:30 o'clock in the Varsity hall lounge. The French diplomat is expected to arrive in State College some time this afternoon.

Barbe To Play  
Musical numbers and readings are also included on the program. Prof. Gladys Avery, of the Wellesley College music department, will sing several groups of French songs. One group will include songs by Lully, Rameau, Pampira, and David, while the second group of songs will comprise numbers by Bizet, Faure, Chausson, and Lalo.

Miss Avery will be accompanied at the piano by Miss Pauline Barbe, a member of the French Institute staff and special lecturer in the history of French music. Miss Barbe will also play Chopin's piano solo, "Polonaise Fantaisie."

Readings of the fables of La Fontaine by Miss Dora Schatzberg, another member of the Institute staff, and the annual contest of French literary costumes are also included on tomorrow night's program. The celebration of the French national holiday, Bastille Day, has become an annual feature of the institute here.

## POST-SESSION WILL OFFER UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

Undergraduate courses will be offered in the first annual Post-Session, August 14 to 25, providing fifteen or more students are enrolled in the course, Summer Session officials announced Wednesday. Only graduate courses in French and education are offered in the Post-Session at the present time.

Students desiring to take undergraduate courses in the Post-Session should report their desires in person or in writing to the Summer Session office, stating the course and possible substitute courses they wish to take.

## SETS READING ROOM HOURS

The library and reading room in the Engineering building will be open from 9 to 12 o'clock every morning except Saturday and Sunday during the Summer Session, according to Willard P. Lewis, College librarian.

## Beck Asks Teachers To Concentrate On Individual Requirements of Pupils

A plea to teachers to pay more attention to the individual needs of their pupils and strive for a better understanding of them was voiced by Cameron Beck, personnel director of the New York Stock Exchange, in addressing a capacity audience in the Home Economics assembly room Tuesday night.

Mr. Beck, recognized throughout the country for his work in personnel supervision, was the first of the lecturers who will speak here under the sponsorship of the department of vocational education. His topic was "The Necessity for Closer Relations Between Business and the Schools."

Devoting the greater part of his address to calling attention to the need for better understanding between teacher and pupil, Mr. Beck declared that "the way the pupil regards the teacher establishes the worth of that teacher. The average pupil may forget all that he learned in your classes,

## COLLEGE OFFERS 613 ADMISSION TO FRESHMAN CLASS

346 Officially Accept by Paying Entrance Fee--944 Apply For Right to Enter

## COLLEGE WILL ENROLL 1,400 IN CLASS OF 1937

Early Applicants Present High Scholastic Records, Says College Registrar

A total of 613 high school and preparatory school graduates have been offered admission to the freshman class for this fall since July 1 and 346 have signified their acceptance by payment of the preliminary fee, William S. Hoffman, College registrar, announced Tuesday.

With the College prepared to grant admissions to a class of 1,400 freshmen, 944 applications have been received by the registrar since July 1, the date on which general admissions began. This year's freshman group will number two hundred more than the total of 1,200 accepted by the College last year.

Rank High Scholastically  
The number applying for admission to date is approximately 250 under that of the same period last year, according to the registrar, but only 570 had been offered admission at this time last year, forty-three less than this year. The number paying the preliminary fee thus far is the same for both years, 346.

Of the 613 high school and preparatory school graduates offered admission this year, 149 are women and the remainder men. Sixty-three women have paid the preliminary fee necessary for admission to the College.

"Those applying thus far this year are of a higher scholastic rank than the group which had applied at this time last summer," Mr. Hoffman declared in explanation of the larger number offered admission this year. "The scholastic calibre of the applicants received thus far is indeed gratifying."

Letters Explain Move  
While the College plans to enlarge its freshman class by two hundred students, there has been no lowering of the entrance requirements, the registrar revealed. The additional two hundred students are expected to be those who normally would enroll at an endowed institution where the tuition is high, he said.

An explanation of the attitude of the College is contained in the following letter which was mailed to all 1932-33 regular session students and all subscribers of the Alumni News last month. The letters are a result of efforts of a committee on enrollment headed by Dean Edward Steidle of the School of Mineral Industries.

"One of the serious aspects of these difficult times is that many of America's most promising young men and women are finding themselves deprived of higher education because they can not meet the expense. In this emergency, The Pennsylvania State

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## NEYHART TO GIVE DRIVING LESSONS

Summer Session Students Offered Opportunity in Project of National Safety Group

An opportunity to learn to drive an automobile will be offered all Summer Session students through a project sponsored by the National Safety Council under the direction of Dr. B. V. Moore of the School of Education.

The lessons, which will be free of charge, will be taught by Amos E. Neyhart of the department of industrial engineering. The pupils need not even furnish a car for the instruction, the only requirements being that the pupil must be eligible for a driver's license and have a learner's permit from the State department of highways.

Believing that there may be a definite relation between the manner in which a person learns to drive and automobile accidents, Mr. Neyhart will attempt to work out a safety-instructing method of driving through the instruction. Four lessons will be given each pupil. Student or faculty members wishing to enroll in the course should telephone Mr. Neyhart at 740-R.

## Library Surpasses Circulation Record

All previous records for one day's circulation at the College library were surpassed last Thursday when 1,709 books were distributed for use of Summer Session students. A total of 1,006 books were distributed from the reserve book desk while the remaining 703 were issued at the desk on the main floor of the library.

## COLLEGE TRUSTEES WILL CONVENE AT HARRISBURG TODAY

Executive Group Will Discuss New Budget, Appointment Of Track Coach

## SALARY CUT EXPECTED FOR FACULTY MEMBERS

Uncertainty of Appropriation From Government Delays Budgetary Action

Two important issues, the appointment of a track coach to succeed N. J. Cartmell, and the College budget, which includes faculty salaries, will be decided this afternoon at a meeting of the executive committee of the Board of Trustees in Harrisburg. Although it was known Wednesday that the personnel committee of the Board of Athletic Control had arrived at a decision regarding the filling of the coaching vacancy, College officials refused to divulge the name of the man recommended for the position. However, the Board was expected to approve the selection of the personnel committee.

## Will Consider Budget

Hanging fire for over three months and still not definitely settled, the College budget for the coming year will be either approved or rejected at this afternoon's meeting. Final approval of the budget has been delayed because of the uncertainty of the federal appropriation.

Although the size of the cut in the State appropriation was settled, the federal appropriation has been threatened under the Roosevelt regime which allows the President to make the final decision. However, President Roosevelt sent a message to colleges and universities of the country last week saying that the appropriation would not be sliced for at least a period of three months. It is on this basis that the tentative College budget which the Board of Trustees will consider this afternoon has been built.

Salary Cut Expected  
Because of the uncertainty of the amount of money which the federal government will finally appropriate colleges, faculty members here have signed "open" contracts. Such an arrangement will permit the College to slash faculty salaries if it becomes necessary to do so.

A cut of approximately ten percent is expected by most members of the College staff to be incorporated in the new budget because of the ten percent cut in the State appropriation. If, nevertheless, at the end of the three-month period which President Roosevelt designates, the federal grant is reduced, then increased cuts in the faculty salaries may be necessary.

## KISTLER TO GIVE VESPER ADDRESS

Rochester Minister Will Speak Here on Sunday--Other Services Listed

Dr. Raymon Kistler, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church of Rochester, N. Y., will be the speaker at the regular vesper services in Schwab auditorium at 7 o'clock Sunday night, speaking on the subject, "Do We Need a New God Today?"

The vesper service speaker has appeared at the College on several occasions in the past, addressing a vesper service during the 1932 Summer Session on his last visit here. Sunday's visit will be his seventeenth to address chapel or vesper service audiences of the College.

Other Services Listed  
Dr. Kistler was graduated from Westminster College and the Western Theological Seminary of Pittsburgh. Following his graduation he held two pulpits in the city of Pittsburgh and for seven years was pastor of the Presbyterian church at Warren.

## ST. PAUL'S METHODIST EPISCOPAL

George Henry Ketterer, Pastor  
Rev. G. C. Weimer, Wesley Foundation Pastor  
Church school 9:30 a. m.; morning worship 10:45, "You Undermine Religion." Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Summer students and summer visitors are very cordially welcomed. You will find the classes taught by Prof. C. D. Champlin and Prof. F. T. Struck adapted to student needs. You are always welcome at St. Paul's.

## Presbyterian

Rev. Edward B. Jones, Pastor  
Rev. Donald W. Carruthers, Pastor to Students  
Sunday school and Summer Session student department at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 10:45 with a sermon by the pastor on the theme: "The Fellowship of the Cross." Mid-week prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7:30. This friendly church cordially welcomes you to its work and worship.

## University Baptist

Rev. Robert Allen Selby, Pastor  
Sunday school at 9:30. The special

## TWENTY-FOURTH SUMMER SESSION THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE

### Official Announcements

SATURDAY, JULY 15

8:00 A. M.—Bear Meadows-Alan Seeger Forest Excursion. Leaves from front of Auditorium. Individuals interested should confer in advance with Prof. W. R. White, Director of Excursions, Agricultural Experiment Station Building.

6:45 P. M.—Faculty Dinner. McAllister Hall.

SUNDAY, JULY 16

7:00 P. M.—Vesper Song Service. Address, "Do We Need a New God Today?" by Dr. Raymon Kistler, Central Presbyterian Church, Rochester, N. Y. Auditorium.

8:30 P. M.—Lecture, "Nature Poetry," by Oliver P. Medsker, Head, Natural Science Department, Lincoln High School, Jersey City, N. J. Room 110 Home Economics Building. Because of limited accommodations this meeting is open only to Nature Camp students, faculty members, and their families.

MONDAY, JULY 17

7:00 P. M.—Student Assembly and Group Singing. Direction of Prof. R. W. Grant. Auditorium.

TUESDAY, JULY 18

7:00 P. M.—Vocational Teacher Training Conference. Topic, "Correlating the Fine and the Industrial Arts," by Leon L. Winslow, Director of Art Education, Baltimore Public Schools, Baltimore, Md. Room 110 Home Economics Building.

8:15 P. M.—Play, "The Merchant of Venice," by the Shakespearean Repertory Company of New York City. Auditorium. Tickets on sale at Student Union Office, Old Main. Tickets, 40c, all seats reserved.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 19

6:30 P. M.—Annual Dinner for Graduate Students and Faculty of the School of Education. Tickets must be secured not later than Monday, July 18, at the Summer Session office, Education Building, or at Student Union office, Old Main.

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