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I.R.C. Conference Will Open Friday; 110 Coming Here

Delegates To Discuss 'Recent Trends in Nationalism' Jones, Tanger Direct Convention's Program

I. R. C. Conference Head



AMY HEMINWAY JONES

Plans Completed For L.A. Lecture

Stephens To Read Several of Own Works To Illustrate Comments on Style

Final arrangements have been completed for James Stephens' lecture here on "A Poetry Recital," to be held Thursday in the auditorium at 8:30 o'clock.

A charge of twenty-five cents will be made for the lecture and tickets may be obtained in advance at the Student Union desk or at Dean Stodard's office.

James Stephens comes here on a lecture tour that includes many colleges of the United States.

Dr. Otto Nathan, of Princeton University, and former financial adviser to the German Reich, will speak to the delegates on "Problems of World Recovery" at the final dinner in the Nittany Lion Inn at 6:30 o'clock.

International Relations Clubs have been organized in countries throughout the world in an effort to promote good-will between nations.

Syria, Palestine, Iran, India, and Siam have clubs of this nature. Other organizations in Asia are in Japan, Korea, Sumatra, China, and the Philippines.

Class of '38 To Hold Elections Tomorrow

Elections for freshman class officers will be held in the Chemistry amphitheatre at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night.

Elections were originally scheduled for last Monday night but were postponed when it was discovered that the Independent party had broken campaign rules by distributing printed circulars advertising their candidates.

No candidates have been disqualified, according to William D. Bertolotto, junior class president, who is in charge of the meeting.

Delegates From College Attend Labor Conclave

Prof. J. Orvis Keller, of the department of engineering extension, and Dr. Carl W. Hasek, of the department of economics and sociology, were delegates at the convention on labor compacts held in Harrisburg, Friday and Saturday.

About fifteen state legislatures sent nearly four-hundred delegates. The object was to reach mutual agreements on problems of social legislation so that similar bills on that subject may be brought before the various legislatures.

L. A., Education Schools Merger Revisions Approved by President

Hetzel Approves Recommendations for Drastic Reorganization, Introduction of New Upper, Lower Divisions

Recommendations for changes in the set-up of the Schools of Liberal Arts and Education, as originated last June when the Lower and Upper division system was suggested, were approved by President Ralph D. Hetzel late last week.

In order to relieve good teachers and investigators of the routine details of administration, to place more emphasis on merit in teaching and research; to bring about better integration among allied subjects; and to centralize and improve scheduling, the changes have been proposed.

It is planned also to devise better and more equitable methods of determining salaries, rank, the apportionment of travel funds, and to give all faculty members more voice in departmental policies.

As far as the organization is concerned, the present departments and their heads will be retained.

In the department of English composition, a division of English composition under Prof. A. Howry Eszpenhade, head of the department, and a division of speech, under Prof. John H. Prizzell, public speaking instructor, will be instituted.

Included in the division of Economics will also be the commerce courses in charge of Dr. Carl W. Hasek, head of the department of economics and sociology, while the other division, that of sociology, will be headed by Dr. Willard Waller, of the same department.

Prof. Wayland F. Dunaway, of the department of history and political science, will be in charge of the division of history in that department.

P.S.C.A. To Send 20 as Delegation

Student Christian Seminar Will Hold Meeting at Bucknell; Dr. Koo Will Preside

A delegation of over twenty students will attend the annual Student Christian Movement Seminar at Bucknell University next Monday afternoon and night, with several colleges of the Central Pennsylvania district participating.

Dr. T. Z. Koo, vice-president of the World Student Christian Federation, and considered by many an outstanding leader of student thought in America, Europe, and the Far East, is the principal speaker.

Students or faculty members interested in attending the seminar should register before 5 o'clock tonight at the Christian Association of offices, 304 Old Main, since the number will be limited.

Fraternity Advisors To Convene Thursday

"Promoting cooperation between the student body and the town" will be discussed at the November meeting of the Penn State Fraternity Counselors' association at the Theta Chi house, at 8 o'clock on Thursday night.

A committee composed of Prof. Leonard A. Duggett, chairman, Prof. Julius E. Kaufman, and Charles Schlow, merchant, has been appointed to lead a discussion of the topic.

A report of the recommendations on the rushing code which was discussed at the October meeting of the association will be made at this meeting. The meeting is open to all fraternity advisors and fraternity alumni.

Lewis Adopts Bookplate

A new bookplate, with the College seal, is now being used at the College library. It is the first time that decorative plates have been used and each branch library will have its special plate, Willard P. Lewis, librarian, said.

Phi Mu Alpha To Stage Fraternity Songfest

Phi Mu Alpha, honorary music fraternity, will have charge of the Interfraternity Songfest to be held next month.

2 Dramas Ready For Production

Orchestra to Reorganize Tonight, Tomorrow By Appointment

With two plays ready to go into production, try-outs for students not already registered at the office of the Penn State Players will be conducted tonight and tomorrow night by appointment.

"Counselor-at-Law" by Elmer Rice will be presented after the Christmas holidays. Frank S. Neubaum, of the department of English composition, will direct.

Complete reorganization of the "Players Orchestra is being undertaken by T. Robert Bassett, faculty director and Robert E. Carey '35, student leader.

Prof. Cloetingh is now making final selections for the cast of the York Nativity play which will be presented as a part of the annual Christmas program by the Artists' Course committee.

Women's Council Adds To Rushing Regulation

Freshmen women may now be entertained informally by women's fraternities with a maximum expenditure of \$1.50 per week, it was decided at a meeting of Pan Hellenic Council last Thursday.

The proposed shortening of the time after which a girl who has been pledged to one fraternity can be pledged to another from a year to one semester had to be dropped since some of the national chapters refused their permission.

The informal entertainment of freshmen was authorized in preparation for second semester rushing in case it is approved by the Student Welfare Board, according to Jeanne S. Kleckner '35, president of Pan Hellenic Council.

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Glen O. Bressler '35, Ann E. Fagan '35, Katherine B. Humphries '35, John B. Bott '36, Lester M. Benjamin '37, and Marjorie W. Barby '37 have been appointed by Albert E. Diem '35, chairman of the recent P.S.C.A. financial drive, to appraise the results turned in by the division leaders.

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Union Completes Plans for Initial All-College Dance

Committee Schedules Ball for Nov. 30 At 9 O'clock

Plans have been completed for the first Student Union dance of the year which will be held in Recreation hall, Friday night, November 30.

The dance will begin at 9 o'clock and will run until midnight. Bill Botter's orchestra has been scheduled to furnish the music.

Freshmen who attend the dance will be permitted to go without customs for that night. A check-up will be made by members of the hat societies and first year men who are caught without customs, but who are not at the dance, will be dealt with by Student Tribunal.

The committee includes Grier, Manlio F. De Angelis '35, Jean S. Kleckner '35, and A. Kenneth Maier '35. Two other dances will be held by Student Union later in the year if present plans are carried out, it was announced.

Hughes Says Moderns Reap Without Sowing

Emphasizing the debt which we owe to the past, Bishop Edwin H. Hughes, senior bishop of the Methodist church, spoke to the Houseparty chapel Sunday morning on "The Cost of Life."

We reap the things upon which we bestow no labor and then spend a lot of time in scorning the past which gave them to us," the speaker declared.

Men like Shaw and Bennett in England and certain writers in America, Bishop Hughes maintained, have been responsible for the charge of hypocrisy leveled against Victorianism.

"It is easy to make an attack upon the dead, but some of us find that it isn't very polite to shake our fists at our grandparents. We have no right to engage in wholesale praise or destruction without including some constructive element."

Describes Farm Areas

Pennsylvania contains twenty-five different farming areas, according to a bulletin written by Dr. Frederick P. Weaver, head of the department of agricultural economics, and Emil Rauchenstein, of the bureau of agricultural economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture. The bulletin has been published by the College agricultural experiment station under the title of "Types of Farming in Pennsylvania."

The Way to a Houseparty Queen's Heart Was Through Her Stomach Last Week-end

"An army moves on its stomach." That's what Napoleon claimed and if he's right, the army of Houseparty Queens and their escorts who danced, pranced and staggered here last week-end should still be marching onward, judging from the amount of victuals it consumed in the local cash bennies.

Over Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, 4,150 hamburgers, both fat and thin, rare and very rare were more or less digested. Almost a quarter of these "burgers" were made up "with" (onions to you). And up to the time that this edition went to press, the total number of gallons of Listerine and Pepsodent had not been compiled.

That the army was really a rugged soldiery crowd is indicated by the fact that of the 7,050 cups of coffee that were drunk almost a third of them were black. Nevertheless, 1,450 cups of hot chocolate were served.

However, the army showed its real stamina on Sunday morning when on 864 glasses of tomato juice and 673 glasses of orange juice were

Killed in Accident



EMANUEL PERKIN

Tragedy Darkens Houseparty Fete

2 Co-eds, 2 Former Students, 2 Local Residents Killed in Head-on Collision

Two co-eds, two former students, and two State College residents were among the seven persons killed in a blazing head-on collision on the William Penn highway, near Bellwood, early Friday night.

Emanuel Perkin '32, James Sanibel ex-'29, Ruth Jackson '35, Eleanor Webster '37, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin M. Musser, two local residents, and James Graver, student at the University of Pittsburgh law school, were trapped in the automobiles when they crashed and were killed instantly.

Funeral services, the tragic aftermath of the accident, were held Sunday and yesterday. Services for Mr. and Mrs. Musser took place in Tyrone, Sunday, while the services for the two co-eds, and Graver were held yesterday.

To the many students, faculty, and townspeople who were acquainted with the victims, their grim deaths came as a sudden shock. Phi Epsilon Pi, of which Perkin and Sanibel were members, called off their dance Saturday night because of the tragedy.

White in College, Perkin was active in campus activities. He was head cheerleader, junior class treasurer, chairman of the Interclass Finance committee, a member of the

Sackett Will Address Washington Engineers

Dean Robert L. Sackett, of the School of Engineering, will address the mechanical engineering students of George Washington University, Catholic University, and other institutions at a meeting tomorrow night, in Washington, D. C.

The meeting will also be attended by members of the A.S.M.E. Dean Sackett will also attend the Land Grant College association meeting during that week, where he will lead a discussion on "Industrial Contacts."

Dean Sackett spoke to the students of the University of Pittsburgh and Carnegie Tech, and to a group of professional mechanical engineers on a trip to Pittsburgh during this past week-end. As a member of the council of the A.S.M.E., he represented that society at the meetings which he attended. While at Pittsburgh, he also presided at the convention of the International Acetylene association, at its session on "Education and Safety in Welding."

Earthquake Recorded By M. I. Seismograph

Recording the earth's tremors for the first time on this campus, the recently completed seismograph of the School of Mineral Industries announced an earthquake of minor proportions Sunday morning at 10:13 o'clock.

Dr. Helmut Landsberg, of the mining department and in charge of the geophysical laboratory, reported that the shock was of two and one-half minutes duration and that it was imperceptible except by the delicate instruments.

The seismograph, which was constructed in the College shops last September under the direction of Dr. Landsberg, is mounted in an unused elevator shaft in the Mineral Industries building. The recording instruments were loaned by the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, with which the College is cooperating.

Varsity Harriers Win 8th Place in N.Y. IC-4A Meet

Olexy Takes 3rd Post As Yearling Team Comes in 7th

Harvey, in 33rd Place, Is First Lion To Finish

Penn State's varsity harriers took 8th place in the twenty-sixth IC-4A cross-country race run over the six-mile Van Cortlandt park course in New York City yesterday. Captain George Harvey, first State man to finish, was 33rd.

In the yearling race earlier in the afternoon, Pete Olexy, Lion yearling star, finished third in 15:46 to lead the freshman team to a 7th place with 163 points.

In the varsity race it was all Michigan State. Tom Otley repeated his performance of last year by winning the individual title in 21:51 and the Michigan State team totaled 77 points to win the team championship for the second year in succession, giving them two legs on the intercollegiate cup. Maine was second with 92 points.

Harvey's time was 34:01. Book was 35th in 34:07. Alexander ran the course in 34:26 to finish 44th, Crum in 47th place was clocked in 34:29, and Detwiler completed the Lion score of 204 points in 60th place in 34:42. Downey finished 74th and Trimble 89th.

According to Coach Chick Werner each man did his best and the poor showing was due to the unusually warm day and to what was probably the best competition in any IC-4A meet in recent years. In the varsity race Pitt was the only team which the Lions had beaten during the season which finished ahead of them. They were in sixth place with 178 points. The Nittany harriers had not met any of the other first seven teams.

In the freshman race Steve G. Columbia finished first in 15:38 to lead his team to a five-point victory over Princeton with a total of 61 points. Third place went to Manhattan with 113 points, and Syracuse and Cornell, both of whom the yearlings had beaten in dual competition, finished fifth and sixth, respectively.

Olexy ran a beautiful race and was always within striking distance of the leader. Near the finish he made a gallant bid for first place but fell under a sustained sprint on the part of Sharp of Columbia, who beat him by 8 seconds, and Williamson, of Lafayette, who cut him out by just a few strides.

Student Trials Held By Burgess Leitzell

While this edition of the COLLEGIAN was being printed last night, nine students were being tried before Burgess Leitzell on charges of disorderly conduct. Eight of them were arrested Alumni week-end when it is alleged they were caught tearing down decorations on Allen street, belonging to the Alpha Fire company, and which were put up at the request of the College Alumni Association.

The other student, Herbert R. Mackay '35, was arrested early Sunday morning by local police officers and was released after posting a \$15 bond on Sunday afternoon.

The only other arrest over the week-end by local police was the apprehending of a man, who gave his name as Stephen Rodgers, of Wilkes-Barre, and who, police say, was posing as a student and passing a number of bad checks through town. According to Officer Albert E. Yongel, Rodgers is also wanted in Wilkes-Barre on a similar charge. Rodgers was still in jail yesterday morning after a hearing before Justice Frank P. Miller, pending investigation.

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