



55 Students To Get Loans Through Fund

Applications Approved For \$50 Grants to Upperclassmen

Payments Already Paid On Faculty Loan Fund

Applications of fifty-five junior and senior students for Student Loan funds have been approved for the current semester...

No More Available
No more loans are available at the present time, and applications for loans for the second semester should be submitted early in January...

A portion of the funds loaned this semester comes from repayment of student loans from the Faculty Student Loan funds set up three years ago...

Student loans are granted on a promissory note signed by the endorser and payable two years after graduation. The loan must be used entirely for the payment of fees, the Student Loan Fund committee has ruled.

Kennedy To Instruct Student Dance Group

J. Ewing "Soek" Kennedy '26, director of the Thespians, will give instruction in tap dancing for students and others who may be interested this year.

Mr. Kennedy has been director of the Thespians, a musical comedy group which puts on two shows a year, for the last five years, and has taken part in several Broadway productions himself.

Because of the demand for instruction in tap dancing here, he has offered to take a class which will begin October 1. The class will meet one hour a week. In addition, Mr. Kennedy will instruct in folk dancing.

17 Co-Ed Dormitories Operated in Borough

Seventeen women's dormitories, including two cooperative houses, have been opened in town by the College this semester because of the crowded conditions in the dormitories on the campus.

They are: 426 E. College avenue, and 125 Miles street (cooperative dormitories); 140 S. Pugh street; 300 S. Pugh street; 108 E. Foster avenue; 212 W. Fairmount avenue; 404 S. Allen street; 306 S. Allen street; 233 S. Allen street.

Other dormitories are: 228 S. Allen street; 236 S. Frazier street; 138 S. Frazier street; 301 W. Beaver avenue; 119 S. Burrows street; 345 W. College avenue; and 148 W. Prospect avenue.

Head of Presbytery To Speak in Chapel

Dr. Frank L. Janeway, general presbyter of the Presbytery of Buffalo-Niagara, will speak on "God's Backsliders" at chapel in Schwab auditorium Sunday morning.

Dr. Janeway is a graduate of the Rutgers Preparatory School, Lawrenceville School, and Princeton University. He received his A. M. degree from this latter school in 1903. He was ordained Presbyterian minister in 1906 and was assistant pastor and pastor of the Church of Christ, Dartmouth College, between 1906 and 1912.

In 1918 he became chaplain of the U. S. Naval Reserve, Bremerton, Washington and the U. S. Naval Academy. He held these positions until 1921. The following year he was a member of the Lieutenant Chaplains' Corps, U. S. Navy. The next two years found him chaplain of Dartmouth College.

S. Tanner To Arbitrate Rushing Code Violations

All violations of the Interfraternity Council rushing code should be reported in writing to Prof. Sheldon C. Tanner, of the department of economics and sociology, who is faculty adviser of the Council.

If any questions arise in the minds of the fraternity rushing chairmen concerning the code, Professor Tanner may be reached at his residence, phone 271-R.

88 Chosen for Freshman Band

Players for 1st-Year R. O. T. C. Organization Selected by Director Thompson.

Eighty-eight freshman students were selected to play in the Freshman R. O. T. C. band after tryouts conducted Monday and Wednesday evenings by Bandmaster Wilfred O. Thompson.

Those selected include: Robert Adams, Frank M. Anderson, Carl Arberg, John Beaber, Donald A. Beadell, J. Allen Beagle, Billy Beck, Robert S. Bogar, Robert W. Brown, George E. Butterfield, James E. Campbell, Donald C. Cramer, Leonard W. Coleman, Robert H. Corman, Alex F. Cowan, James W. Cunningham, William T. Davis, Franklin J. Diehl, Melvin W. Diehl, Frank O. Donaldson, Robert H. Dunsmore, James O. Dutt, Richard Enyart, William C. Foust, and Frank B. Derryshire.

Others include: Alan Gamble, Bruce T. Garner, Fall Garson, Isaac C. Golab, Anos A. Goss, Don H. Graham, J. P. Guseman, James T. Hamilton, Robert H. Hasek, John Heiman, Edward V. Henson, John W. Hinebaugh, John C. Horn, Edward W. Hignitz, James L. Keller, John R. Kimlin, Robert E. Kirby, A. H. Kunkel, Jr., Arthur W. Lohman, Vito Lettieri, Jr., George K. Levan, Ian G. MacDougall, Jack R. McGuffey, Charles E. Miller, Robert W. Miller, Elmore J. Newton, Don C. Nokes, James A. Noonan, Arthur L. Oplinger, Norman E. Pascul, Robert H. Peterson, Joseph H. Pownall, William R. Pratt, George W. Ratcliffe, Horace J. Reynolds, Oscar C. Rice, Donald M. Richards, George T. Ritter, William C. Rittman, Dell H. Shearer, and William S. Shira.

The complement of the organization concludes with Francis J. Sitok, Jack C. Smith, Roscoe B. Smith, Jr., Charles W. Smith, Walter A. Snow, Hubert E. Snyder, George M. Spangler, Louis Stein, Eugene T. Stiles, Robert G. Teisher, W. Harold Todd, Francis Vosters, Charles E. Walley, Charles W. Weikert, Mortimer E. Weiss, William B. Williamson, Theodore B. Winkler, Eugene A. Woona, Robert M. Yahres, William R. Zern, William H. Zeswitz, Jr., and Charles Zimmerman.

PSCA Outing Planned

All freshman women are invited to attend the freshman open house to be held at the Andy Lytle Cabin tomorrow, according to Anne M. McCaughy '36, who is in charge of the affair, which will be sponsored by the Christian Association. Meeting at MacAllister hall at 1:30 o'clock, the women will hike to the cabin, where supper will be served.

'The Last Mile,' Players Selection, Started Clark Gable in Pictures

"The Last Mile," which the Penn State Players will present in Schwab auditorium on Dad's Day, October 12, served Clark Gable as a vehicle on which he could ride to fame in the movies.

It was in the Pacific coast production of that play that Gable performed creditably enough to get his first real chance as an actor in the movies.

John Wexley's thought-provoking play, "The Last Mile," has had, at one time or another, some of the greatest actors in its cast. The original New York cast included Spencer Tracy, Joseph Spurrin-Gallea, James Bell, Henry O'Neil, and Allen Jenkins, all of whom have since appeared in numerous moving pictures. Warden Lewis E. Lawes, of Sing Sing prison, says of the play: "The Last Mile" may be a drama or a tragedy, but to me it is an epic. It is more than the story of the prison or the condemned. The men within those barred walls... crushed physically, mentally, and spiritually, by an unrelenting force of man-made law and man-fixed death... are they not the victims of man's in-

Exemption Made To 59 Freshmen In Composition 1

Lower Division Group With 21 Excused Leads Schools

Highest Total Reached In History of College

Fifty-nine freshmen were exempted from freshman English composition on the basis of two placement tests given to entering freshmen last week. This is the largest number of freshmen English composition exemptions in the history of the College, according to Prof. A. Howry Espenshade, head of the department of English composition.

Two placement tests were given to the freshmen during freshman week, including one test in grammar, spelling, punctuation, and vocabulary; and one test in straight composition. Those who made a score of 195 or above and showed considerable skill in theme writing were given exemptions. Fourteen more exemptions were made this year than last year, when forty-five freshmen were exempted.

No Credit for Composition
The purpose of the tests, Professor Espenshade said, is to give freshmen with superior background in English an opportunity to take journalism or English literature courses. Those who take advantage of this opportunity, he said, will not, however, receive credit in English composition 1.

Eight exemptions were made in the School of Agriculture. They are: David S. Anthony, Jack R. Cobb, Justin C. Fuller, William W. Galbreath, Frederic E. Griest, Herbert L. Heberlein, Pauline M. Kalin, and John D. Moore. In the School of Chemistry and Physics, twelve freshmen were exempted. They are: David D. Bohn, Roy B. Funk, Robert H. Hasek, Silom S. Horwitz, James L. Keller, Harry W. Lang, Arthur M. Longacre, Walter J. Lord, Philip J. Marling, Robert W. Miller, George F. Rumer, and J. Jerome Spandau.

21 L. A. Students Exempted

Eight were exempted in the School of Engineering: John P. Bowlius, Abraham George, Nicholas Kay, Robert F. McFarland, V. Lewis McKelvey, E. Thomas Rowland, Roscoe B. Smith, and Bruce M. Trahan. From the lower division of the School of Liberal Arts and Education, twenty-one were exempted. They are: Thomas C. Bloomfield, Joseph P. Erkes, Robert L. Goerder, Barbara H. Hanson, William B. Joachin, Francis J. Kessler, Ruth V. Koch, Harvey Levin, Margaret J. Lloyd, Florence E. Long, Grace E. McCloskey, Carolyn L. McConnell, Frederick E. Machmer, Lillian R. Marion, Robert C. Mullen, Elizabeth M. Reburn, Ellis Schein, Wendell G. Swope, Edwin K. Taylor, Joyce Titelman, and Florence V. Watkins.

Those in the department of home economics are: Martha L. Anderson, Marjorie F. Davies, Ruth E. Huston, Bessie J. Igoe, Margaret E. Jarvis, Jean H. Sommerville, and Kathleen L. Wirts. Two exemptions were made in the School of Mineral Industries: Harold N. Meyer and Kenneth E. Weaver. One was exempted from the School of Physical Education. The student was Janet E. Broberg.

'38 Women Editorial Candidates to Meet

A meeting of all Sophomore women editorial candidates for the COLLEGIAN will be held in the COLLEGIAN office, Old Main, tonight at 7:30 o'clock, according to L. Marybel Conabee, women's editor. The meeting will be for the purpose of reorganization and all women sophomore candidates are urged to be present.

Groff, Students Leave for China

Load of Florida Citrus Plants Taken Along For Tests At Lingnan School

"Daddy" Groff, a load of newly rooted plants, and four Penn State students took the same boat to China, their final destination being Lingnan University, where they will try to further the Penn-State in China movement.

Upon their arrival at Lingnan, "Daddy" Groff will resume his official position as director of the School of Agriculture; the plants will be used in the agricultural experiment station; and the four students will continue their studies in the university. "Daddy" Groff has been on a year's leave and has been spending most of his time in Florida where he has been experimenting with citrus plants. His task has been to try to develop plants that will thrive in China, thus adding to the comfort and development of agriculture in China.

Dean Ralph L. Waits, of the School of Agriculture, said: "Daddy" Groff's task has been a very difficult one and has been highly successful. His work will probably do much to help the people of China, and will also relieve the food situation there, inasmuch as eighty percent of the people never have enough to satisfy themselves."

The four students who received exchange scholarships at Lingnan are, Mildred Vargo '36, Lester M. Benjamin '37, Emma J. Foster '37, and Marvin O. Lewis '37.

Scooparino Travels Leisurely South Toward State

Scooparino, who is to take over the job of getting dates for freshmen who will attend the COLLEGIAN subscriber's dance, which will be held on Oct. 11, rather than Oct. 12, as originally planned, informed us in a letter today that he has successfully crossed the New York-Pennsylvania line and is heading lethargically southwestward. However, he does not know the time of his arrival as he is unpredictable, even to himself. It has been decided to hang a red flag at the corner when he arrives. I had written asking him to send something forward for his Penn State fans. He has this to say about his job:

"Furthering the art of love is the greatest job a man could tackle. Love is a wonderful thing, regardless of the uncertainty of its result and the mischievousness of its product. Love is a swelling, undulating passion. One moment it exhilarates and the next enervates. It runs the gamut of sensations. Under its influence one experiences triumph and defeat, melancholy and hope, despair, distress, morbidity, sadness, fear, and then back again to hope, certainty, and, if lucky, victory. Also there is desire in love, desire for the multitudinous benefits of love (and subconscious, perhaps, a desire for the equally multitudinous defects of love. For the bodily sensations need to experience defects as a tomato needs salt). Yes, love is a quivering passion, the greatest thing on earth."

Despite this defense of love, Scooparino himself never saw fit to marry. His reason is much the same as that of any other man who is completely immersed in his work. He became acquainted with girls and women in a thousand towns and cities covering practically every country in the world. He admits that he has known personally, even intimately, yellows, blacks, whites, browns, and reds, and finds that each type has something to offer in the way of love. He has made a close study of the methods and mannerisms, likes and dislikes of all and has kept records so complete as to discourage the most careful and methodical research worker in the sciences. But through it all his mental and physical beings have been so absorbed in the mechanisms of love that he has had no time for the civilized world, its marriage, its civilization, its progress. Always he has plumbled the depths of one person or race and has then gone on to the next, urged forward by that insatiable curiosity in the art of love.

Student Tribunal To Hold Election Of New Officers

Douthett Appointed to Membership by Pruitt '36

Group Will Consider Customs Exemptions

Officers, including a president and secretary, for the Student Tribunal will be elected at the first meeting of that body in Room 305, Old Main, Tuesday night at 7:30, J. Briggs Pruitt '36, chairman of Student Board, announced yesterday.

Pruitt also announced the appointment of Elwood M. Douthett '36 to a position on the Tribunal. He and Phillip G. Evans '36 are the other two senior members.

Action on Exemptions
The Tribunal, which is in charge of the enforcement of freshman customs, will take its first action in this capacity when it meets on Thursday night to consider exemptions.

All freshmen who feel that they should not wear customs should attend this meeting, Pruitt said, and present their excuses. The Tribunal will act on these and announce all exemptions.

Those who have attended school elsewhere before coming to Penn State and have thus previously taken customs are eligible for exemption. Others may be excused who are over twenty-three years of age.

Ceramists Meet At Country Club

5 Speakers To Present Papers On Refractories Needs During Conference

The Refractories Division of the American Ceramics Society opened their first meeting after a lapse of several years this morning at the Centre Hills Country Club. The meeting will continue throughout today and tomorrow with technical discussion and recreation.

There will be a luncheon in the club at noon today, after which the group will gather in another room and Dr. Nelson W. Taylor, head of the ceramics department, will open the meeting. The topic for discussion will be "Problems and Trends in Refractories Requirements." Five speakers will present papers on the various problems connected with the industry.

Tonight the Pittsburgh Clay Workers Club will hold an outing at the Bear Meadows Clay Pits. All guests of the meeting who are sympathetic to this organization's ideals are invited.

Tomorrow is completely set aside for sport and recreation. The guests may play golf, tennis, or go swimming, all of which sports are available at the country club. There are several excursions planned, such as to Penn's Cave, Fisherman's Paradise, Greenwood Furnace, or Shingletown Gap.

College Radio Station To Increase Schedule

The College radio station, W8YA, and Army Control station, WLMA, has resumed operation on an increased schedule, according to Gilbert L. Crossley, instructor in radio engineering, who is in charge of the station. Work in controlling the army net, scheduling each of the nine corps areas, Canal Zone, Philippines, and Hawaii was begun last week.

Information received by Mr. Crossley from the Chief Signal Office at Washington indicates that an increase in work may be expected from WLMA in connection with the Third Corps Area during the coming year, in addition to being alternate control station for the Army, which appointment was made last May.

Any students wishing to affiliate with W8YA and WLMA should apply at once to Mr. Crossley at the department of electrical engineering, giving experience, station call letters, grade of license and other pertinent facts. Eligibility is not limited to engineering students. Amateur operators having no definite interest in joining the staff, are also urged to visit the station.

Beaver House Averages 1.9 To Rank 1st in Fraternity Competition in Scholarship

Table with 2 columns: College Averages, and values ranging from 1.40 to 1.48.

All-College Mark Hits 1.4; Ratings of Groups Drop

Alpha Zeta, Triangle Tie for Second at 1.69

Leading all men's and women's fraternity groups by 1.6, the Beaver House ranked first in fraternity scholastic standing for last semester with an average of 1.91, the highest mark ever reached in fraternity scholastic competition, according to figures released from the Registrar's office yesterday.

In most cases, group averages were lower last semester than those of the corresponding semester of 1933-34. The all-College average stood at 1.40, which was 2 points lower than last year. The all-fraternity average dropped .4 points from last year's mark of 1.35 to 1.31. The non-fraternity average was set at 1.48, a drop of .11 points from the second semester of 1933-34. The all-College women's rating was 1.50 and the rating for all-College men was 1.37. The highest group average was 1.63 made by the fraternity women, while the lowest group average, 1.25, was compiled by the fraternity men. Non-fraternity men averaged 1.50 while non-fraternity women averaged 1.41.

Alpha Zeta and Triangle tied for second place with an average of 1.69, and Phi Chi Sigma and Phi Sigma Kappa tied for fourth with 1.57. Alpha Zeta was ruled out of the competition formerly because of its high scholastic requirements but is included this year.

Averages Rise Over Decade
Among the women's fraternities, Kappa Alpha Theta stood in first place with an average of 1.75. Chi Omega ranked second with 1.71 and Kappa Kappa Gamma third with 1.68. All women's groups compiled an average over 1.

In order to be rated in scholastic competition a fraternity must include a minimum of ten members, a ruling which excludes some groups with high averages. Among men's national social fraternities, Phi Sigma Kappa ranked highest. Acacia ranked second with 1.54 and the Associated Commons Club third with 1.40. Alpha Zeta headed men's national professional fraternities, Triangle placed second, and Alpha Chi Sigma third.

Last semester's top average is .06 points higher than the corresponding average for the second semester 1933-34 which was 1.85 compiled by Triangle. According to figures given out by William S. Hoffman, College Registrar, fraternity averages have risen steadily during the last ten years, with the exception of a drop in the second semester of 1933-34. Ten years ago, the highest average was 1.5, compiled by Acacia, and the lowest stood at .5. Last semester's lowest was .8, and increase of .3 points over the year, 1924-25.

C. A. Leaders to Meet

Members of the executive committee of the Student Christian Movement in the Middle Atlantic States, made up of 250 student religious organizations in New York, New Jersey, Delaware, West Virginia, and Pennsylvania, will meet here next Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Rushing To End Monday Evening

52 Fraternal Groups To Pledge Freshmen at that time; Free Period Begins.

With the first silent period ending this morning at 8 o'clock, the fifty-two social fraternities on the campus today began an intensive three-day period of free rushing which will close with the pledging of freshmen Monday night at 6 o'clock.

During the next three days freshmen will be permitted to be entertained at the fraternities of their choice which they have designated on their rushing cards. Preference cards, indicating the first three choices, were filled out by freshmen yesterday.

An innovation in the rushing code was decided upon by the Interfraternity Council committee at a meeting Monday afternoon. Rushes may be entertained in the houses or outside the houses between the hours of 10 a. m. and 1 a. m. on Friday and Saturday.

Formal pledging will take place on Monday night at 6 o'clock when the rushes will present themselves unattended at the houses of their choice. As the second silent period extends from Sunday at 8 p. m. to Monday at 7 p. m., any attempt to contact rushes before the latter hour will be considered as a violation of the code, according to the rushing committee.

2 New Librarians Join College Staff

Miss Dorothy Lowder, circulation assistant on the staff of the College, and Miss Barbara Parsons, catalogue librarian, have resigned from the library staff and will be succeeded by two new members who were added to replace them.

Miss Lowder has resigned to be married, and will be succeeded by Miss Margaret Knoll '31, a graduate of the Pratt Institute Library School. Miss Parsons tendered her resignation because of illness. She will be succeeded by Miss Beverly Ruffin, a graduate of William and Mary College in 1925 and the Columbia University School of Library Service in 1928. Miss Ruffin has served for five years as head catalogue at the University of Florida library.

Get R. O. T. C. Posts

Major Charles S. Ritchel, formerly instructor of the Illinois National Guard, and Major Arthur F. Bowen, who came here from Hawaii, have been appointed to fill the places vacated by Captains Ernest E. Tabscott and Ralph P. Cook who were transferred to Hawaii last spring.

Fraternity Averages

Table with 2 columns: MEN'S FRATERNITIES and WOMEN'S FRATERNITIES, listing various fraternities and their averages.