

Ritzie, O'Dowd To Head Lion Sports Teams

Robert K. McQuiston '37 Elected Manager Of Ring Team

J. Lloyd Larkins Named Swimming Head for '37

Lou Ritzie, Eastern Intercollegiate senior, welter-weight champion in 1935, was elected captain of next year's Lion boxing team...

With an impressive string of victories in his two years of varsity boxing, Ritzie suffered a hand injury early this season which handicapped him for the balance of the year...

O'Dowd Leads Wrestlers O'Dowd, while his two-year record has not been impressive as Ritzie's, contributed greatly to the success of the Lion wrestling team...

Robert K. McQuiston '37 was selected as boxing manager for the 1937 season at a meeting of the executive committee of that sport yesterday afternoon...

10 Men Given Letters Ten men, including John L. Howarth '36, manager, and Captain J. Russell Criswell, were given major sports letters...

J. Lloyd Larkins '37 was elected manager of swimming, Penn State's newest varsity sport, at a meeting of the executive committee of that sport yesterday afternoon...

Lettermen Selected Fifteen men, including manager Henry D. Brown Jr., '36, were given the first swimming letters that Penn State has ever awarded...

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Western State Teachers' Team To Meet Pacicello, Zarger On Court Question.

As the last debate of the current season, the Penn State debating team will meet the Western State Teachers' College orators in Room 101, North Liberal Arts, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in a panel discussion of the Supreme Court question...

Joseph A. Pacicello '36 and S. James Zarger '36 will meet two of the four Western State Teachers' debaters. These are Gardener Ackley '36 and Stanley Wheeler '36, who comprise the visitors' affirmative team...

The audience is invited to discuss the question and those participating in the discussion will deliver three-minute speeches.

Penn State is one of the nine institutions at which the Western State Teachers' College debaters have discussed the Supreme Court question.

6 Students Withdraw From School in March

Six students have withdrawn from the College during the month of March, it was announced today by Registrar William S. Hoffman.

Those who have withdrawn are Cameron Brown Jr. '37, John Brodhis '38, Myer E. Greenfield '38, Richard S. Bennett '39, Valera D. Henderson '39, and Philip F. Hoffman '39.

Anti-War Strike Plans Discussed At Open Meeting

Co-op Book Store, NYA Continuance, ROTC Ban Planned.

Seek Aid of Churches, Peace Action League

Preparing for the anti-war strike on this campus, which will coincide with similar strikes in colleges all over the country, the Penn State chapter of the American Student Union held an open meeting last night in Old Main to discuss issues of the strike.

Other subjects discussed were a co-operative bookstore, the abolition of compulsory R. O. T. C. on this campus, continuation of student aid under NYA, with special emphasis on the American Youth Act pending in Congress now, and the building of a strong, united student movement on this campus.

The immediate objective of the American Student Union chapter is to secure the cooperation of other peace groups on the campus as well as in the town for the anti-war strike.

Although official recognition has not yet been given for holding the demonstration on April 22, it is believed by the strike committee that recognition will not be withheld since it was given for the two previous anti-war demonstrations.

The tentative plans for the strike include a morning mass meeting on the steps of Old Main at 11 o'clock. Student and faculty speakers, who have not yet been selected, will speak on the war menace confronting the college student today.

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Dugan Changes Date For Organization Of VFW

Post Commander James T. Dugan '37, of the Nittany Lion Post No. 1, Veterans of Future Wars, stated in an interview last night that because of the approach of Easter vacation, the organizational meeting of the V. F. W. here has been postponed until after that period.

Dugan said that if proposed plans materialize the V. F. W. will be the largest and best organized society on the campus. It is planned that platoons will be formed in each fraternity house on the campus and others among the unaffiliated groups.

Asked about recent national developments within the group, Dugan said that William Randolph Hearst was invited to become honorary national commander but refused saying that he was more effective editorially when not occupying any office which might indicate bias.

Although the movement is new, there are some elaborations already. At Cornell, students of the College of Engineering have decided to establish a Future Munitions Workers Post.

Osterlund, Shaffer, Tibbot Elected Presidents Of 3 Upper Classes as 3-Day Ballotting Ends; Voters Approve of Blanket Hospital Payment

New Senior, Junior, Sophomore Class Heads



Frank A. Osterlund '37



Ross P. Shaffer '38



Fes W. Tibbot '39

2 Mining Classes Plan State Tour

Seniors, Juniors To Make Study Of Coal, Iron Sections In Pennsylvania.

Senior and junior classes in mining engineering will make an extensive tour and inspection trip of the mining districts in Pennsylvania during the week of April 5th, Edward D. Stedell, dean of the Mineral Industries School, announced recently.

The juniors, with Prof. William R. Chedsey, head of the department of mining, in charge, will visit the mines around Hazleton and Lansford. They will also inspect a large steam electric power plant at Hazleton and the iron-ore pit at Cornwell.

The seniors will study the bituminous coal fields under the guidance of Prof. John W. Stewart, of the department of mining. Barnesboro, Spangler, the Kittanning, and Pittsburgh areas are the regions selected to be visited.

Among the underground operations they will inspect are the mechanized mines at Butler and Pittsburgh. A feature of the tour will be demonstrations of the explosibility of coal dust and the testing of explosives at the experimental mines of the United States Bureau of Mines at Bruceton.

Beman, Wunderlich '36 Elected Queen's Aides

Janet M. Beman and Selena A. Wunderlich were named senior attendants to the May Queen by the committee composed of the senior members of W. S. G. A. and the co-chairmen of the May Day program.

Ruth B. Evans and Margaret R. Giffen were named junior attendants. The sophomore class will be represented in the May Queen's court by Amy F. McClelland and Ida R. Rainey, while Dorothy A. McAuliffe and Cecile Metz will be freshmen attendants.

Spanish Decorations Will Feature I. F. Ball Tonight

Amidst a setting of Castilian splendor, designed and executed by Silverstein Brothers of Scranton, the affable, versatile Buddy Rogers and his California Cavaliers swing into "Twelfth Street Rag" as another Interfraternity Ball opens in Recreation hall tonight at 10 o'clock.

Featuring Jack "Screwey" Douglas in a diversified comedy routine and lovely Jeannie Lang, charming songstress, Rogers will entertain his listeners with such unique numbers as "Jake the Snake," also providing rhythms which will lighten the feet of the soberest "frat men."

Rogers will be among his own element when he plays here tonight. For it was while a student at the University of Kansas where he was a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity that the idol of radio and screen organized his first orchestra.

Rogers and his band come here from a record-breaking engagement at the Westwood Symphony Gardens in Detroit. Making his belated debut as a bachelorette in Ziegfeld's production, "Hot-Cha," the youthful maestro followed this with a successful appearance at the Hotel Pennsylvania in New York. Then came more engagements, climaxed by appearances at the World's Fair in Chicago.

Chapel-goers To Hear Easter Music Sunday

A special program of Easter music, sung by the College choir, will be offered at the Interfraternity week-end chapel service in Schwab auditorium at 11 o'clock Sunday.

Under the direction of Prof. Richard W. Grant, head of the department of music, the choir will sing five numbers. Irene O. Grant, instructor in music, and Henry K. Beard '36 will accompany at the piano and organ.

Selections to be offered by the choir will include "The Trees and the Master," by Protheroe; "Christ the Lord is Risen Today," by Thiman; "Alleluia," by Kopyloff; "Lost in the Night," by Christiansen; and "Unfold Ye Portals from Redemption," by Gounod.

W.S.G.A. Names Officers To Organize '40 Class

Genevra C. Ziegler '37, president of W. S. G. A., announced the officers to be in charge of the class of 1940 at the W. S. G. A. meeting on Tuesday night.

Frieda M. Knepper '38 is to be in charge of the campus sister project. Clara E. Jones '38 has been appointed chairman of the organization of the Class of 1940. Italia De Angelis '39 will be in charge of freshman customs.

Bertha M. Cohen '37 was named chairman of the Activities Committee, and Mary E. Taylor '38 will be in charge of the W. S. G. A. scrapbook.

LA School Plans Advisory System

Dean Stoddard Approves Plan To Stimulate Scholarship Among Fraternities.

To meet the challenge of declining fraternity scholarship, the School of Liberal Arts is developing a fraternity resident advisory organization, Dean Charles W. Stoddard proposed the plan at a meeting last week of fifteen fraternity presidents, and it is his suggestions are favored by the fraternities, definite steps will be taken after Easter.

Dean Stoddard's plan would be for graduate students, recommended by the fraternity and approved by the School of Liberal Arts, to live in the house and attempt to stimulate activity both in studies and other activities. These advisers would be mature, a member of the fraternity, and scholastically capable.

Through personal contact with each member of the fraternity, weekly meetings with other advisers, and cooperation with parents, faculty, and fraternity officers, the School of Liberal Arts hopes to make the plan successful.

If the plan is accepted, Dean Stoddard will recommend that College graduate scholarships be given to the chosen advisers. The fraternities will do their part by giving their adviser room and board.

Dean Stoddard emphasizes that the plan is merely experimental. The plan need not be accepted by the fraternities, it being rather an entirely voluntary proposition. All fraternities will not be allowed to try the plan. Probably a representative number of fifteen will be given the opportunity.

P. S. Club Will Sponsor Easter Dance April 18

An all-College Easter dance, sponsored by the Penn State club, will be held in Recreation hall Saturday night, April 18. Lynn Christy and his Penn Statesmen will play for the dance, the first to be held after the Easter vacation.

The admission price will be 75 cents a couple. This will include the amusement tax and checking privileges. The inclusion of checking service with the admission ticket is expected to eliminate much of the confusion at the entrance to the dance floor.

An added improvement for this affair will be the special treating and proper surfacing of the dance floor. During the intermissions several boxes of Easter candy will be given to the holders of the lucky checking stubs.

Members of the committee are James W. Shoff '36, chairman, William G. Balderston '36, Richard E. Heyl '38, Robert J. Shaffer '38, and Arthur D. Veghte '36.

Parking Rules Issued Captain William V. Dennis, director of the Campus Patrol, announced that there was to be no parking in the rear of Recreation hall during Interfraternity Ball tonight.

Thanksgiving Vacation Favored Over 2 Grid Holidays.

Students Have Choice Of Football Week-end

Frank A. Osterlund, Locust Lane candidate, defeated George M. Hacker, Campus, to win the presidency of next year's senior class by fourteen votes in the official count Wednesday afternoon. Osterlund polled a total of 396 ballots to 292 for Hacker.

Students voted in favor of retaining Thanksgiving vacation with one optional half holiday for the Pitt or Penn game, and decided in favor of adopting the plan of paying a blanket fee sufficient to provide free hospitalization for students for a limited length of time.

Campus Takes Major '38 Offices The Campus clique won all major '38 class offices. Ross P. Shaffer, Campus nominee, polled 400 votes to 249 for Dan A. DeMarino, Locust Lane, to win the class presidency.

Locust Lane showed strength in the class of '39 by triumphing in the major offices. Fes W. Tibbot, Locust Lane, was elected president of next year's sophomore class with 359 votes, defeating John P. Ritenour, Campus, with 321 votes.

John H. Calvin, Locust Lane, was elected secretary of the senior class by 309 votes to 243 for John B. Ferguson, Campus. Louis J. Ritzie, Campus, received the treasurership of the class of '37 with 311 ballots, defeating Thomas R. Brislin who polled 245 votes.

John F. Jageman, Campus, defeated Donald H. Dickinson, Locust Lane, for secretary of the class of '38 by 369 to 244 votes. John P. Sartz, Campus, was elected treasurer of next year's junior class by 355 ballots to 244 for Jack L. Reichenbach, Locust Lane.

Robert C. Butcher, carried on the Locust Lane wave, received the post of secretary of the class of '39 with 345 votes to 308 for Arthur R. Neary, Campus. Lewis J. Shollenberger defeated Walter Scott, Campus, to become class treasurer, with 351 votes to 301 for Scott.

Drama Class To Play In 'Another Language'

"Another Language," by Rose Franken, will be presented by the advanced play production class under the direction of Mr. Neusbaum and Mr. Cloetingh Monday and Tuesday nights at 8:30 o'clock in the Little Theater in Old Main.

This will be the second three-act play to be presented by the class. Free tickets may be procured in Room 413, Old Main.

Among those having roles in "Another Language" are Mary Louise Frear, Israel Shulman, Jack Platt, Harriet Bartges, Francis Wood, Nellie Gravatt, Richard Allen, Dorothy Weidner, Donald Geiger, Theresa Maravintz, and Edward Binns. Another set of two plays, yet unselected, will be given later in the spring.

Fosa, Woman Unhurt As Autos Collide Here

After turning over and landing against a tree at the corner of Burrows street and Center drive Tuesday following a collision with a Chevrolet coupe, Prof. Joseph W. Fosa, of the department of romance languages was only considerably shaken. The Chevrolet was driven by a woman who gave her name to the Campus Patrol as Miss Laura Clark, Cecilton, Maryland.

Although Miss Clark's car was little damaged, Professor Fosa's Buick is believed to be beyond repair. Miss Clark claimed that she did not see Professor Fosa coming down from Recreation hall as she was crossing the street from the west. Of the many students who soon gathered, none were eye witnesses.

Thespian Costume Musical Ready

'Stocks and Blondes' Features Romantic Theme About Life of Jim Fiske.

"O. K., gang, on stage for the opening number. Set up your overture, Jay."

And another Thespian musical enters the final stages of production as "Stock" Kennedy gives the commands that start the choruses and cast through their routines for "Stocks and Blondes," which will make its premiere Saturday night before an Interfraternity Ball audience.

The most auspicious Thespian show in several seasons, built around a romantic theme of the unscrupulous activities of the "Robber Barons," is ready for its Penn State debut before embarking on a state-wide tour.

One needs only to view the opening scene, which reproduces the lavish splendor of Jim Fiske's "New York headquarters," the ornate offices of the Erie railroad in the Opera House.

The entry of Fiske, played by Charles C. Walters '38, with a bevy of beauties on each arm, is truly a colorful opening for any show. Fiske and his partners in crime, Daniel Drew, played by James P. Unangst '38, and Jay Gould, played by Arthur W. Johnson '36, lose no time in getting their stock market machinations under way and the groundwork of the plot is laid early in the first act.

The villain enters the plot in the person of Commodore Cornelius Vanderbilt, played by Ross B. Smith '39. Bill Marlin and Fran Gates team together in several dance routines throughout the show as "Caesar" and "Angie." The love interest is furnished by the team of Tilden and Murray. Jay Lodsun, in addition to his task of assisting in arrangement of the music for the show, plays the part of Senator Leckowitz of New York and in this role promises to outshine his performance in "Don't Let 'em" last fall.

Jin Unangst, who "wowed 'em"

Spring Show To Be Presented Here Tomorrow Night Before Road Tour.

with his "Minnie the Moocher" in last fall's show, should be outstanding in the role of Dan! Drew—the chorus girls' weakness and source of income. A bit of charm is injected by Gina Swart, who plays the part of Lucy, Jim Fiske's wife, while Clara Jones, in the role of Josie Mansfield, stands out as the vocalist.

The book is by Binns and Allen, the musical score by Hum Fishburn and Don Dixon. The show, directed by J. Ewing Kennedy, gets under way at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow night in Schwab auditorium.

Tickets may be obtained at the Student Union office today and tomorrow morning and also at the Corner Room today and tomorrow afternoon. There will be a limited selection available at the box office just prior to the performance tomorrow night.

- Who's Dancing SATURDAY Alpha Gamma Rho Charlie Sharp (Closed) Theta Nu Epsilon Ted Brownagle (Invitation) Phi Epsilon Pi Ray Brown (Invitation) Sigma Chi Norm Houschamm (Open) Phi Kappa Sigma Delta Upsilon Newell Townsend (Invitation) Phi Kappa Tau Red Witherson (Invitation) Delta Chi and Sigma Pi Norm Park (Closed)