

SUMMER COLLEGIAN



NEW RECORD FOR ENROLLMENT EXPECTED

'Accent on Youth' Picked By Division of Dramatics For Summer Presentation

Will Hold Try-Outs for All Summer Plays Tonight at 7.

Prof. Larson Will Pick Summer Session Cast

Try-outs for "Accent on Youth," the play which has been selected by the dramatics division as its only full-length production of the summer, will be held in the Little Theatre of Old Main tonight from 7 until 9 o'clock, according to Frank S. Neusbaum, who will direct the play.

These will also be general try-outs for all the dramatic productions of the summer and Prof. Darrell Larson, director of dramatics at Franklin and Marshall College, will select casts for the plays which he will direct here during the Summer Session.

Anyone is eligible to try-out for these shows, since it is not necessary that they be taking dramatic courses. Likewise anyone interested in technical work may report at that time, although most of the work will be handled by the class in stagecraft. Final trials will be held tomorrow and anyone interested who is unable to attend tonight should telephone the dramatics office today or tomorrow.

"I am especially interested in having some of the older students here try-out for the play," Director Neusbaum said. "Usually only young people turn out, but in 'Accent on Youth' one of the principal characters is a middle-aged man. An old movie actor and butler also have prominent roles. While the cast for this play is rather small, we expect to present a total of about thirty-six productions—the same number as last summer—and for that reason anyone with any degree of talent may be assured of appearing in at least one play."

Play Planned for July 23
"Accent on Youth," a smart sophisticated comedy by Samson Raphaelson, had a long run on Broadway during the season of 1934-1935, with Constance Cummings in the lead. Last year it was made into a movie with Sylvia Sydney. It will be given here in Schwab auditorium on July 23. Rehearsals will start immediately, according to Neusbaum.

Hoffman Gets Record Number Who Wish To Enroll Here

Receiving a record number of applications for the class of 1940, College Registrar William S. Hoffman reported that 951 applications for admission into the College had been received up to June 20.

On paper, Registrar Hoffman said, the class of 1940 will be the largest freshman class in Penn State's history. Last year, the record, which exceeded all previous years, was 692 applications received by July 19.

The heavy month for applications, Registrar Hoffman said, was July. He expects to receive hundreds more applications during the next two months. Total number of applications are estimated to reach 3,500.

'Collegian' Announces New Feature Series

Presenting six issues for the current summer session, the COLLEGIAN takes pleasure in announcing a new series of features in addition to complete campus news coverage.

The COLLEGIAN offers service to the students in the capacity of a community newspaper. It is the best medium through which you can receive official announcements of campus activities and events in the college community.
For your entertainment and information, the COLLEGIAN presents the following features: A consumers' column will be featured each issue, written by a faculty member; Prof. Edward J. Nichols, who is writing an introduction to a new Victor record album of Beethoven recordings, will contribute reviews of latest recordings; Prof. Robert E. Galbraith presents the new books in review.

Lawther Picked As Court Coach

Ray Conger, Star Miler, Also Named to Post Here; Staff Completed

With the appointment of John D. Lawther as head basketball coach and Ray M. Conger as a member of the staff of the School of Physical Education and Athletics, the athletic set-up here for next season is virtually completed.

While it had been known for some time that Lawther would in all probability get the basketball job, his appointment became official last week. He and Conger, along with Marty McAndrews, Earle Edwards, and Al Michaels (nee Mikolonis), are the new additions who will replace Earle E. "Spike" Leslie, Herman Everhardus, and Nels S. Walke.

Served as Athletic Director
Lawther comes here with one of the finest records of any basketball coach in the country. He has spent the last ten years at Westminster College in New Wilmington and at that time his teams have won 168 games and lost 35. He has won six conference championships, his team being runners-up in the conference the other four years. They have captured four district championships and been runners-up in the district four times.

This record is rather remarkable when the fact is considered that Westminster is a school with an enrollment of about 500 and that included in the district are Pitt, Duquesne, Carnegie Tech, West Virginia, W. and J., and twelve smaller colleges.

In addition to coaching basketball Lawther coached football for several years; he has been head of the department of psychology and education since 1934; and since 1931 he has been director of athletics. He has also coached tennis, track, and baseball, although he does not specialize in any of these sports.

Conger (whose name probably sounds vaguely familiar to you) was the greatest miler in the United States about eight or ten years ago. He was a member of the 1928 Olympic team and held six national championships running for Iowa State and the Illinois A. C. During his career he defeated such stars as Lloyd Hahn, Dr. Otto Peltzer of Germany, Paavo Nurmi, and Gene Venzke.

At present Conger is a member of the staff of Iowa State where he is head coach of cross-country and track and serves as an instructor in animal biology, hygiene, and physiology. While no official announcement of the fact has been made, he will probably assist Charles D. "Chick" Werner, track and cross-country coach here.

White To Direct Summer Session Outings, Picnics

Will Offer Information On Local Points of Interest.

First Trip to Caverns Set for Sat., July 4

Trips to points of interest throughout the County, excursions, and picnics have been planned to run throughout the summer session.
Director of summer excursions is Prof. William R. White, associate professor of agricultural education. Professor White will organize general excursion every Saturday. On Friday nights, there will be picnic trips for girls.
Trips or picnics will be organized any time a group makes a request. Those requiring information should see Professor White in the College library. He will be there daily, except Saturday, from 7:45 to 8:15 o'clock in the morning and from 12:15 to 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon.
The first major excursion scheduled will go to the Alexander caverns and will leave in front of Schwab auditorium Saturday morning, July 4, at 8 o'clock. Alexander caverns are about thirty miles from State College and are among the largest and most beautiful caves in the state.
Another excursion will be organized to visit Penn's cave, which is located in Penn's Valley about eighteen miles from the College. Stalagmites and stalactites present numerous diversified forms. The cavern was formed by the disintegration of limestone rock, which is the prevalent formation in Centre County.

King's English Fugitives Gather at Institute For French Course

Its enrollment reaching a new high this year—higher than its highest figure of all time in 1931, the French Institute, a summer colony of refugees from the English language, has prepared a complete calendar of events for the summer months.
Head of the colony since 1929 and director of the institute is keen, amiable M. Frederick Ernst, professor of French at New York University. M. Ernst was a member of the Sorbonne detachment of the A. E. F. in 1919. He served in the American Army commission for damages in Belgium in the latter part of that year. For two years, he wrote for a Parisian newspaper until 1925 and the following year he came to N. Y. U.
Among the visiting celebrities in the university world is Prof. Albert Guerdar, who scarcely needs introduction to the American college public. Professor Guerdar is one of the most prolific writers of all French scholars in America. He has written several hundred papers and articles in professional and popular magazines. Among his numerous books is the well-known "Literature and Society."

Another outstanding visitor, is young, brilliant M. Pierre Brodinin, who has taught in the French lycées of Condorcet and Lakanal in Paris and in the Lycée Glemeneau at Nantes. For the past year, he has filled the position of professor at the new French Lycee in New York City. One of his outstanding works is his translation, in collaboration with A. Bourguin, of the two volumes of A. A. Vasiliev on the History of the Byzantine empire.
Penn State's French colony is one of the most unique centers of education in the Eastern part of the country. Annually, it harbors about 100 students, who forget English for

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Summer Sessions Head



DEAN WILL GRANT CHAMBERS

Editors Issue Call For 'Collegian' Candidates

Having taken the opportunity to hang out the welcome sign in various portions of this sheet, the co-editors, not wishing to monopolize all the fun, extend a cordial invitation to Summer Sessions students interested in the nebulous art of journalism to come out for the staff.

Those interested in editorial work may apply to Room 312, Old Main building, the COLLEGIAN office, Friday night at 8 o'clock.
A full program has been planned for editorial candidates. It includes both theoretical and practical work for students who are interested in institutional journalism, particularly collegiate or high school publications.
Candidates will receive instruction in news-writing, headline writing; copy reading, proof reading and newspaper make-up. In addition, actual practice in gathering news in odd sections of the College will be given.
There is no pre-requisite for membership on the staff. Anyone with a fair knowledge of the language and a lead pencil is eligible. Although the initial staff meeting will be for instruction of those unacquainted with college newspaper work, candidates will do actual work in putting out the paper.

Speech Division Offers Contests

Students In Public Speaking May Enter Competition; Clinic to Open

The All-State High School speech group, a series of courses especially organized for high school juniors and seniors and for recent high school graduates, will be offered this summer by the department of speech. Information in debating, after-dinner speaking, public speaking and clinical instruction for students with speech defects and deficiencies will also be given.

At the conclusion of the courses, students will be given the opportunity to enter a series of contests in debating, extemporaneous public speaking, poetry reading and after-dinner speaking.
Winners of first and second places in all four contests will receive a certificate. In debating, winners will be judged on the basis of individual excellence rather than team performance.

Major Topics Announced
The major topic for the debating contest will be: Resolved that all electric utilities should be government owned and operated. This topic will be developed in the course and will be used as a debate question next year in intercollegiate competition. It will be subjected to analysis, briefing and debate by speech group students.
The extemporaneous speaking contest is not yet definite, but it was indicated that the topic will be, "Choosing a Career." Finals for the after-dinner speaking contest will be held at a banquet, the date to be announced in a later issue of the COLLEGIAN.
Tentatively, this year's after-dinner speaking contest topic will be "Reflections on Speakers. Speeches and Speech Training." Judges for the contest series will be members of the division of speech and of the English composition department.

Students Will Register Today; Total of 3,500 Seen by Officials Here

Classes Will Begin Tomorrow Morning at 8; Faculty Staff of 230 Will Teach During 6-Weeks' Course.

Anticipating the largest enrollment in the history of the Summer Session here, officials of that office expect that approximately 3,500 students will attend the six weeks course. Registration will be held in Recreation hall today from 8 o'clock until noon and from 1:30 to 5 o'clock this afternoon.

Regular classes will start at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning and will continue every day except Saturdays and Sundays until Commencement, Thursday, August 7. Classes will, however, be held Saturday, July 11, to make up for the day that is missed because of registration.

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TWENTY-SEVENTH SUMMER SESSION THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE Official Announcements

MONDAY, JUNE 29
8:00 a. m. to 12 m. and 1:30 to 5:00 p. m.—Registration, Recreation hall. Attention is called to the following changes in the complete Summer Sessions Catalogue:
Agr. Ec. 407S will meet in Room 200 Horticulture building.
Agr. Ec. 512S will meet in Room 200 Horticulture building.
Ec. 416S, Agriculture in Pennsylvania. The instructor will be Dr. John L. E. McCord.
Ed. 450S will meet in Room 214 Main Engineering.
Hist. 422S will meet in the second class period instead of the third as originally scheduled.

TUESDAY, JUNE 30
8:00 a. m.—Main Summer Session classes begin. First meeting of special intensive courses in:
General Agricultural Chemistry
Agricultural Education
Inorganic Chemistry
Adult Education
Problems in Administration and Supervision
Spoken and Written English
Elementary and Intermediate French
Frontier Problems in Vocational Industrial Education
Amateur Telescope Making
Football Coaching
Swimming for Men
Basketball Coaching for Women
Hockey Coaching for Women
Statistics in Education and Psychology
The Speech Sciences and the Speech Arts
7:00 p. m.—Student Assembly and Group Singing. Direction of Prof. Richard W. Grant. Auditorium.
THURSDAY, JULY 2
7:00 p. m.—Lecture, "The Development of Ethics in the Old Testament," by Rabbi Julian B. Feibelman of Philadelphia in Schwab auditorium.

NOTICES
All events are scheduled according to Eastern Standard Time.
Graduate students doing work to apply on the master's or doctor's degree must have their schedules approved by and register with the Dean of the Graduate School, Buekhout laboratory. On Monday the Dean may be consulted in Recreation hall.
Cars are to be parked only in the specific parking areas on the campus. Students are requested, because of the dangerous conditions created, not to bring cars to nor park them on the campus.
Social dancing classes offering instruction in modern dancing for elementary and advanced groups will be held during the Main Summer Session. Ten lessons with no credit attached are given for a fee of \$2.50. Classes meet in Recreation hall at 7 o'clock two evenings each week. The first meeting will be held Wednesday evening, July 1.
Players are entitled to the use of the tennis courts for one hour and will be required to surrender a court at the end of that time when other individuals are waiting to use it.
The division of dramatics will stage several plays during the summer. Tryouts, open to all Summer Session students, will be held Monday, June 29, at 7:00 o'clock in the Little Theatre. The division also offers training for a limited number of children in the Children's Theatre. Parents wishing their children to receive this training should call at the office of the Penn State Players any afternoon from 1:30 to 5:00 p. m.

350 Attend Meetings

Over 350 Pennsylvania chemists, engineers, and authorities on sanitation were guests of the College at two three-day conventions held here last week. One-hundred and ninety-eight attended the ninth annual conference of the Pennsylvania Water Works Operators' association, held the first three days, and over 150 registered for the tenth annual conference of the Pennsylvania Sewage Works association held from Wednesday to Friday.

Iota Lambda Sigma To Meet Wednesday

Six meetings of Iota Lambda Sigma, national industrial engineering fraternity, are scheduled to take place here during the Summer Session, according to George H. Resides, secretary-treasurer. The first meeting will be held in the Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity on Thompson street, Wednesday night at 7 o'clock.
At this meeting the group will organize and hear as a speaker Mr. L. H. Dennis, executive secretary of the American Vocational association. He will discuss "Standards of Leadership in Industrial Education."