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**STUDENT COUNCIL REORGANIZATION**

**THE MACHINERY** of reorganization for Student Council has swung into action. It is the time for those who have advocated reform with fairer representation of students in government to support this reorganization. It is time for them to cooperate.

Many students are familiar with the history of the movement. It came to a climax last April during the political campaign to elect class officers. Student government reform became the pledge of each man running for office. Each one elected was pledged to reorganize Student Council. The movement was supported by the Collegian.

Now it seems that definite action has materialized. Actual reorganization is being attempted. It can fail. But it will not if those who are interested in student government support it now. And it will succeed if it received the support of the individual person in each school. They voted for reform. It is their duty, as well, to support. There is the final analysis government.

Students and student leaders alike have the opportunity of performing a great service to the future of student government.

Hesitancy in attending discussions and meetings may prove fatal. Student leaders may become disgusted and ignore the voters, taking the work entirely into their own hands. It will be diffidence on the part of the general student body that will be to blame if this happens.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO LA VIE**

LA VIE IS TO BE congratulated upon her first-honor rating for last year. LaVie has always been a top-notch in her field. It is fine that she has maintained her position. Last year's editor, Walt Peterson in particular is deserving of commendation. This year's staff, we feel confident, will maintain La Vie's position.

**SOUR NOTES**

IN THE MAIL comes another of the numerous complaints the Collegian has received about the following subject:

"Going to amplify those chimes so that they can be heard five miles in the country? Why amplify? Why not just take the infernal, discordant jangle five miles out in the country or even ten—and leave it there!"

Objectors to the terrific jangling of the Old Main clock every 15 minutes have been so numerous, and our reverie so utterly shattered upon numerous occasions that we agree that the noise is tremendous and annoying.

Without casting any aspersions upon the boys and girls whose class gift they represent, we do think that the ringing of them might be modified to twice an hour or so, and still keep everyone informed as to what time it is.

**NOT OVER YET**

TO FRESHMEN WHO may be heartened by the announcement that there will be but two more R. O. T. C. parades this fall we wish to say that this silliness will be followed by belly-rubbing on the Armory floor where you will learn to splutter all over one side of the structure.

Then there will be dry lectures where the teacher will be as mystified as the student as to why a parallel should be drawn between an azimuth and intestinal fortitude. Then there will be more shooting, and in the spring, parades again.

The show never closes down. It has a full-season run.

**LABOR PAINS**

THE A. F. of L. CONVENTION in Denver has been an interesting thing to follow. The A. F. of L. is unquestionably much stronger in the field of labor organization than it has been for some time. Clever politics by William Green added to an overdose from the public standpoint of John L. Lewis have been driving numbers into the old line fold.

Now the A. F. of L. brings forth an interesting argument in saying that the NLRB shall not have to mediate union disputes. It would appear that they have something there.

It brings to mind the case at Ambridge, Pa., recently when an A. F. of L. majority walked out because the company wouldn't deal with them when the NLRB had ordered an electric company to deal with the CIO. The NLRB in this instance overruled a court order that demanded recognition of the A. F. of L.

It appears that a perfect set-up has been provided all the way along the line for a cagey old bird like Green.

**CAMPUSEER**

BY HIMSELF

**The Old Main Bell:**  
 Lou Bell, journalism prof, had a frosh visitor the other day in his Old Main office. It seems the fellow was sent down from Eng Comp building. Lou asked him what he wanted. The fellow didn't know what he wanted; he was just told to come. Finally Lou called Eng Comp and found the fellow had been sent down to the Old Main Bell. So Lou feels quite distinguished.

**Throwback From Last Week-end:**  
 We wonder what could have been the matter with the little house the delta sigma phi pink elephants built on their front lawn for the Alumni Day display. We understand college officials didn't like it.

**How About A Buggy:**  
 Some whip called Besides Taxi the night of the Collegian dance and asked how much it would be to take his girl and himself to the dance in a taxi. When told it would be 25 cents apiece, he replied, "Oh, hell. I'll hire a horse." Besides would like to locate the boy.

**Philosophy Is Great Stuff:**  
 If we hadn't seen it ourselves the other night in the Corner we wouldn't believe it. But the Drukman, intellect and philosopher supreme, came traipsing down to the counter to pay his dinner check with a napkin tucked in the last button hole of his vest. Had he not been a great thinker, we would have passed him by for a waiter.

Perhaps, as philosophy goes, it was just a figment of the imagination. Maybe we just thought it was there. But as figments go, this was a reality.

**And Speaking of Brains:**  
 Who was the babe in whose psych 1 class, who after the prof had explained that morons should be sterilized, especially pretty girl morons, asked why?

**Kicked Out:**  
 Johnny Metzger, football first, is still thinking about what he did last Saturday at the game. It seems that John went over to a man standing out on the field and told him he'd have to get off the field. The gent said he would, but when John looked again he was still standing there. John told him this time he'd have to move. Still the gent hung around. Later John learned that the guy he'd been trying to kick off the field was none other than Col. Shields, president of the Board of Trustees.

**Collegiana:**  
 We learn that Doris Mauch, last year with Townsend and now Bottorf's torch maiden, is still that way about graduated du, Hinky Haines. It's daily letters now, and Friends are waiving. . . Howard Knox has an original formula for a 2.5 average—2 trips a week to Bellefonte. . . it seems this eng student has the average and makes the trips. . . Jake Kovalich, whose affection for Janie Gruber is still embarrassing him, is understudying Howard and makes the trips with him. . . And speaking of Janie Gruber, it seems that she has still another admirer that dates back to freshman week in '35, E. J. (Figgy) Newton. . . It seems, Miss Locklin's eng lit class insists, she read that Robin was in his underwear the other day in class. . . Ex-ed Johnson Brenneman has been reported performing seab duty in Canonsburg by delivering newspapers when the carriers were on strike. . . he denies it emphatically. . . but, if true, would be a queer twist of destiny.

—CAMPY

**Drama Institute Planned By Dept.**

**Colleges, Community Theaters Will Cooperate In Program Handed By Cloetingh**

The division of dramatics plans to take to the road again this year and extend its program into at least six sectional dramatic institutes.

The first of these is scheduled to be at Allentown October 30, where five colleges and universities, four community theaters, and the Jewish Community Center of Allentown are cooperating with the school in an all-day presentation of the various phases of the theater. Other conferences are planned for Temple University at Philadelphia, Wilkes-Barre, Greensburg, Sharon, Collegeville, and State College.

These institutes were inaugurated last spring by Prof. Arthur C. Cloetingh, director of dramatics. It is the hope of Professor Cloetingh that the institutes will raise the level of dramatic productions and enlarge appreciation of the art of the theater. He hopes to create opportunities and the media for the exchange of ideas of everyone concerned with drama. This includes teachers, women's clubs, and other social amateur groups interested in the field.

**Physicists Will Hold Annual Meeting Here**

Physics professors from all parts of the northeastern states will meet here October 29 and 30, when the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Conference of College Physics Teachers will be held. Dr. Wheeler P. Davey of the department of physics and chairman of the conference, announced today.

Among the institutions to be represented are Columbia University, University of Pennsylvania, Swarthmore College, University of Pittsburgh, West Chester State Teachers College, Cornell University, and Indiana State Teachers College.

By vote of the conference, a meeting is held each fall at Penn State, thus taking advantage of the easy accessibility of State College from all parts of the state. The membership of the conference reflects the various types and locations of colleges and universities in Pennsylvania.

**Quality Shop Awards Summer Course Prize**

Janet Story and Jean Taylor were the super-seamstresses who received first and second prizes, respectively, given by Charles Schlow of Schlow's Quality Shop for the best dresses made by freshman clothing students as summer practicum.

Honorable mention in this class was given to Kathryn Keith, Eleanor Skinner, Annamary McCracken, and Emily Bechtel.

Doris Blakemore took first prize in the sophomore class, and Jean Rishel received second. Honorable mention went to Dora Harner, Mary Kathryn Thiele, Mary Ann Frits, and Elizabeth Boyer.

Dresses of the junior students are on display in cases on the second floor hall of the Home Economics building. Sophomore dresses will be shown there next week.

**Who's Dancing**

**TONIGHT**  
 Phi Delta Theta  
 Bill Bottorf  
 (invitation)

**TOMORROW**  
 Deaux Arts Ball  
 Bill Bottorf  
 (subscription)  
 Kappa Sigma  
 Booth Watmough  
 (formal)

**Tickets For Lehigh Game On Sale**

General admission tickets for the Lehigh game tomorrow afternoon are now on sale at the Athletic Association ticket office in Old Main. The price is \$2.20.

For students and members of the faculty holding A. A. books, coupon No. 4 will be used tomorrow. Reserved seat tickets for the East stands are available for Lehigh rooters, also for \$2.20.

**Dr. Scott Seeks Light, Strong Plane Wings**

To produce airplane wings which are both lighter and stronger than those now used in military craft is the aim of Dr. Meritt Scott, who has recently been appointed to an associate professorship of physics.

Six years ago, shortly before coming here, Dr. Scott invented the inflatable leading edge used to prevent ice from coating on wings. At that time he was associated with the Gugenheim Foundation for the Promotion of Aeronautics.

Dr. Scott is himself a pilot. He does a considerable amount of research on airplane structural design, and in devising methods of stress analysis.

In order to further his experimental work, Dr. Scott spends his summers with airplane companies. Last summer he was at the naval aircraft factory in Philadelphia, working on a problem involving aircraft testing problems.

**Co-Edits**

Alumni week-end now over, co-eds settle down to their regular pre-winter social swing. Teas, receptions, pledging, and parties come on the scene to brighten the lives of fraternity and non-fraternity women.

The highlight of the week was the formal reception held by A. O. Pi for five national officers at the Nittany Lion Monday night. It's the kind of thing we need more of. Anon national officers, Theta expects to entertain their vice president here next week.

Transfer students are brought from the background and are being entertained at teas by the various fraternities. Theta and Chi O held transfer teas Tuesday, and Gamma Phi Beta will be at home to transfers Sunday.

Alpha Chi O has recently pledged Ruth Kennedy, Stella Cayas, and Margaret Barnett. Thelma Praetner is a new Gamma Phi Beta pledge.

This week-end Phiotes will journey to the 'W. A. A. cabin' for a cabin party.

With "little sister" teas transcending the custom of upperclass girls taking their freshman sisters to the movies, Gamma Phi Beta and Theta entertained their new relatives Wednesday.

Kappa celebrated Founder's Day in memory of their first national president with a dinner at their house Wednesday night.

Ruth Eckles, Paula Wohlfield, and Mary O'Connor were hostesses to House of Representatives members in Grange playroom Wednesday night. The three girls are the Grange delegates to the House. Miss Burkholder gave a short talk on the history of W. S. G. A.

Noretta Allen, Cody Manor resident, we hear, is taking aviation lessons at the local airport as the first step towards becoming an airline hostess. Babs Clark, also from Cody Manor, competed in the recent national swimming meet.

An important date for all women to remember is October 29; the night of the Cwen dance. Bill Bottorf will play and there will be a fashion show during intermission. Tickets may be purchased from any Cwen.

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List of Winners of the PHILIP MORRIS E. B. 50¢

Mr. Bayard Bloom	Kappa Sigma
Mr. Kent Heppel	Alpha Chi Rho
Mr. J. Kovack	Tau Sigma Phi
Mr. Jack Kaufman	Delta Tau Delta
Mr. E. C. Butcher	Tau Kappa Epsilon
Mr. Russell A. Williams	Tau Kappa Epsilon
Miss Mary A. Hooper	314 Grange Dormitory
Miss Betty Brecht	359 Grange Dormitory

Come On! Cast Those Ballots for the Group Prizes Now on Display at the Corner Room.

**Author To Speak On Dictatorship**

**Life Under Rigid Limits To Be Overstreet's Topic; Forum To Follow Lecture**

"Human Behavior Under a Dictatorship" will be the subject of the lecture to be given by Prof. Harry A. Overstreet, noted psychologist and author, under the sponsorship of Forensic Council, next Friday night in Schwab auditorium.

Social problems, customs, influences, and characteristics of life in modern dictatorships will be the keynotes of his lecture. A feature of the occasion will be the forum to be held immediately following the talk.

The brief forum will be held upon the subject of the lecture. During this time questions may be asked of the speaker, or opinions can be expressed from the floor. The chairman of the forum will be Fred L. Young, president of the Forensic Council.

Overstreet is at present professor of philosophy and head of the philosophy department at the College of the City of New York, where he has been since 1911. He attended the University of San Francisco and the University of California, and received a bachelor of social science degree at Oxford University in England.

Overstreet gained national prominence in 1925 when his "Influencing Human Behavior" appeared on the market. His most recent book appeared this year under the title, "The Declaration of Interdependence."

**Limitations Chosen As Sunday Chapel Sermon**

The Rev. Arthur J. Pfohl, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church in Indiana, Pa., will be the speaker at the regular Sunday morning chapel service in Schwab auditorium Sunday. He will speak on the subject, "Accepting Our Limitation."

Reverend Pfohl is a graduate of Warner College and Mt. Airy Lutheran Seminary. He has studied at the University of Pennsylvania. For the past two summers he has been a member of the Sherwood Eddy party for three months of study in Europe.

Dr. Pfohl has been a pastor in St. James Lutheran church in Lebanon and the Parkside Lutheran church in Buffalo.

**Year Book Again Wins National Recognition**

The 1937 La Vie, edited by Walter L. Peterson '37, was awarded First Honor Rating in a nation-wide contest of college year books sponsored by the National Scholastic Press Association. This award, the same as that won by the Collegian, is second place, All-American Honors, being the top award.

In commenting on the book, the student art work was termed as "excellent" by the committee of judges. All art work was under the supervision of Prof. Andrew W. Case, art critic. Margaret R. Giffen '37 was art editor last year.

The 1937 edition was built about the theme of a golden anniversary, it being the 50th volume of La Vie. The layouts were patterned after the old family album while a touch of the modernistic 20th century was introduced with the style of type and the art work, chiefly the main dividers.

Last year's book was the second in recent years to receive national recognition. In 1934, La Vie was awarded the All-American Honor rating. The book, edited by William M. Stogmoir '34, used a theme of industrial progress.

**Hetzel Holds Annual Reception For Staff**

President and Mrs. Ralph D. Hetzel held their annual reception to members of the faculty and staff in Old Main last night at 8:30 o'clock.

In the receiving line were: President Ralph D. Hetzel and Mrs. Hetzel; Mrs. Edwin Earle Sparks; J. Hansell French, state secretary of agriculture, and Mrs. French; Trustee John C. Cosgrove and Mrs. Cosgrove; and Trustee Furman Gyger and Mrs. Gyger.

Heads of the various schools who were in the receiving line were: Dean Ralph L. Watts, agriculture; Dean Charles W. Stoddart, liberal arts; and Mrs. Stoddart; Dean Frank D. Kern, graduate, and Mrs. Kern; Dean Edward Steidle, mineral industries, and Mrs. Steidle; Mrs. Frank C. Whitmore; Dean Marion R. Trabue, education, and Mrs. Trabue; Dean Carl P. Schott, physical education; and Mrs. Schott; Dean Harry P. Hammond, engineering, and Mrs. Hammond; Dean of Men Arthur R. Warnock and Mrs. Warnock; and Dean of Women Charlotte E. Ray.

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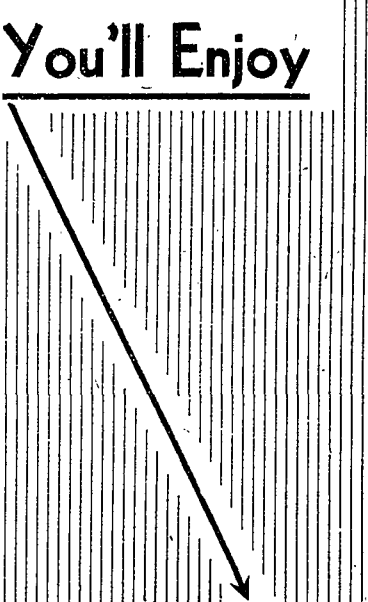
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