

888 TO RECEIVE DEGREES AT COMMENCEMENT

Dean Notifies Fraternity Heads Of Ban On Drinking Parties In Chapter Houses

Liquor Control Board Lauds IFC Action On Problem

Dean of Men Arthur R. Warnock yesterday stated that fraternity chapter presidents are being notified that the practice of holding drinking parties in fraternity houses and of setting aside social rooms for this purpose will be banned by College action. Dean Warnock stated that such action will be effective next year.

Praising the steps taken by the Interfraternity Council on alleged drinking practices in fraternity houses, J. H. Reiter, a representative of the Pennsylvania State Liquor Control Board visited the campus Tuesday afternoon and conferred with Dean Warnock.

Reiter explained that this college is peculiar in that it is an institution of the Commonwealth continually in the public eye. Students here, he said, should, from a sense of pride for their school, take care of the manner and methods in which they might use intoxicants.

Reiter felt that definite knowledge of the state law in regard to the use of intoxicating beverages would be helpful to house presidents in cooperating with IFC and the College administration. He pointed out that Section 602, paragraph 5, of the Liquor Control Act of 1933 as amended in 1935 states that it is unlawful to sell, furnish, or give liquor, malt, or brewed beverages to any minor.

Section 608 of the act states that "any room, house, building, boat, vehicle, structure, or place, except a private home, where liquor is possessed, sold, offered for sale, bartered, or furnished in violation of the act, and all liquor and property kept or used in maintaining the same, is declared to be a common nuisance; and any person who maintains such a common nuisance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be subject to the penalties provided."

In the second paragraph of this section of the act it is declared that upon the decree of the court ordering such nuisance to be abated, the court may order, upon proper cause shown, that the room, house, building, structure, boat, vehicle, or place shall not be occupied or used for one year thereafter.

Freshman Entry Standard Raised

'42 Application Rate 21 Percent Higher Than Last Year, Registrar States

Because applications for admission to next year's freshman class are already more than 21 percent ahead of last year, William S. Hoffman, registrar, advised members of the faculty that he would have to continue to enforce objective standards of admission, making absolutely no exceptions.

The number of applicants for entrance will constitute a more serious problem for the administrative officers of the College this year than ever before, Mr. Hoffman stated.

Last year, with an entering class of 1400, the Registrar was forced to turn away more than 1000 and to discourage hundreds of others from making formal applications.

"There are two things which keep the institution from accepting a larger number of students," Mr. Hoffman stated. "One is the size of the present staff. The other is the size of the present physical plant."

"With the completion of the building program expected by the fall of 1939, the College will be in a position to provide physical facilities for accommodating a larger student body."

Mr. Hoffman pointed out that there will have to be an addition in the personnel before any considerably larger number of students will be admitted.

Candidates Must Report Today

All Collegian editorial and business candidates must report to Room 312, Old Main, at 4 o'clock this afternoon. It has been announced by Francis A. C. Vosters, business manager. Senior subscription campaign blanks must be returned at this time.

Registrar Issues N.Y.A. Petitions

Student Employment Group Makes Blanks Available 10 a. m. Saturday

Although the College has not been officially notified that there will be Federal funds available for part-time student employment through the National Youth Administration for the academic year 1938-39, the Committee on Student Employment under N.Y.A. has decided to issue application blanks to undergraduates now in college in order to facilitate action when and if the funds are again appropriated.

The application blanks are now in the hands of the printer and may be obtained from the Registrar's Office, 109 Old Main, after 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. In case of a delay in printing, they will not be available until next Tuesday.

No Applications To Freshmen No applications will be given to new freshmen or other new students until they have been granted admission to the College.

College authorities announced that students who wish to apply for N.Y.A. work should obtain these blanks, fill them out properly, and return them to the College anytime after August 10, 1938.

Frizzell To Conduct Speech Group Here

A series of speech courses especially organized for juniors and seniors in high school and for recent high school graduates will again be offered by the Division of Speech at the regular summer session of the College, June 27 to August 5.

The All-State High School Speech group will be conducted by Prof. John H. Frizzell, head of the Division of Speech, assisted by Profs. Joseph F. O'Brien and Herbert Koop-Baker, of that division, and Miss Janette Burns of State College High School.

Miller, Nichols Head Journalism Honorary

Dean C. Miller '39 was elected president of Sigma Delta Chi, national honorary journalism fraternity, at the recent meeting for elections of next year's officers.

Others elected were: Roy B. Nichols '39, vice president; John A. Troanovich '39, secretary; Dallas R. Long '39, treasurer; and Salvatore S. Sala '39, reporter.

College Dispensary Treats A Person Every 2.5 Minutes

One person every two and one half minutes drops into the College Dispensary to receive treatment for this, that, or the other, according to a summary tabulation of the monthly reports issued by Dr. Joseph P. Ritenour, College physician.

Calls totaling 35,450 kept the Health Service staff exceedingly busy at the Dispensary this year with a steady flow of patients from early September until the middle of this month, when the last report was released. The infirmary handled 3,030 cases during that period.

January proved the most popular month for ailments, as 4,566 persons called at the Dispensary and 505 students were admitted to the infirmary.

9 Appointed For Advisory Health Group

Acting on a suggestion by Dr. Joseph P. Ritenour, College physician, '39 class president, Joseph A. Peel and Doris Blakemore '39, president of W. S. G. A., named six men and three women to a Health Service student advisory committee yesterday.

"In an effort to get the students' point of view and to formulate practices to conform to the desires of students, I asked Miss Blakemore and Peel to appoint one woman and two men from each class to such a committee," Dr. Ritenour explained.

The student group of 12, one woman and two men to be added from next year's freshman class, will discuss health service problems with the staff in order to give the students what they want, it was pointed out.

Louise A. Haines '39, Alice R. Beal '40, and Elizabeth D. Yost '41 were the three women named by Miss Blakemore. Peel appointed Alan G. McIntyre '39, Raymond H. Hammel '39, Earl E. Folkenroth '40, Henry M. Harris '40, Arnold E. Fenerlicht '41, and Louis A. Sipes '41.

Geuder Manages Stickmen In '39

Brigman, Clarke, McMillan Are Elected To 1st Assistant Managerships

Robert E. Geuder '39 was elected manager of the 1938-39 lacrosse team, it was announced Tuesday by Joseph A. Proksa, A. A. president. Geuder succeeds Robert B. Blum '38 as manager.

Lindo Brigman, Jr. '40, Houghton W. Clarke '40, and Howard McMillan, Jr. '40 were named first assistant managers. J. Parker Russell '40 was chosen first alternate and Robert B. Bass '40 was elected freshman manager. Harold W. Bove '39 is associate manager.

At a dinner held Tuesday night members of the 1938-39 team celebrated the most successful season any lacrosse team has had since the sport was organized here in 1913. The team won six out of eight games during its current campaign. Coach Glenn N. Thiel will be given the ball which was used in the Syracuse game as a token from the team. It was announced at the dinner. The trophy will be mounted on a black onyx base. Five seniors, nine juniors and three sophomores were awarded varsity letters in lacrosse. Numerical awards have not yet been made.

Varsity letter awards: Joe A. Andrukitts '39, John S. Beckman '39, Capt. Selig E. Cohn '38, Capt.-elect Raymond S. Coskery '39, Alexander F. Cowan '39, Warren Dattelaum '40, Ralph B. DeFalso '39, John A. Kentler '39, Andrew Krause '39, Harold N. Meyer '39, Joseph P. Proksa '38, George E. Ritter '40, Roger C. Sharp '40, Allan G. Simpson '38, Joseph A. Snook '38, Olinor B. Wuenschel '39, and Robert B. Blum '38, manager.

Sala, Boal Co-Editors Of Summer Collegian

With this issue, the Collegian suspends publication until September 1. As usual, however, the Summer Collegian will be published weekly during the summer session. Salvatore S. Sala '39 and Thomas A. Boal '39 will serve as co-editors.

Ag Students Will Pay For Judging Team

Board Approves \$1.00 Addition To Fees Of Farmers

Beginning next semester there will be a \$1.00 fee charged all students in all curricula of the School of Agriculture, Dean Ralph L. Watts announced yesterday.

This fee, which will be added to students' bills at the beginning of each semester, will be used for a fund to provide transportation and hotel expenses for students participating in intercollegiate judging contests.

Plans for enabling agriculture students to enter judging competitions have been proposed for the last twenty years, Dean Watts said, but not until this year has a suitable one been offered.

The present plan was suggested by interested students to Dean Watts through various professors and department heads. It was acted upon and approved by the Board of Trustees of the College after Dean Watts had submitted the suggestion.

This fund, expected to be about \$1,000 next semester, will not be used for any other expenditures except those incurred by students entering intercollegiate judging competitions. If there is a balance at the end of any semester, there is a possibility, according to Dean Watts, that the fee will be decreased to an amount that will meet judging contest expenses with no surplus.

In the past, Dean Watts said, students entering judging contests had to meet their own expenses, thus prohibiting many from entering who may have brought additional honors to the campus. Agriculture students have long felt this to be unfair, he added, especially since several other extra-curricular activities on the campus are supported wholly by student assessment.

The new fee will allow agriculture students to benefit from the training they are receiving in the various judging courses by enabling them to secure the practical training that competition in intercollegiate judging contests will give them, according to Dean Watts.

Bell Will Feature Class History Of Seniors

Featuring "Leaves of the Past," a history of the Class of 1938, and announcing the winners of the popularity contest, the last issue of the Bell, which will go on sale on Tuesday, is dedicated to the members of the senior class. Jeanne M. Walker '39, editor, announced yesterday.

The winners of the contest, named by popular vote as the outstanding seniors who participated in various activities, will find their pictures among the group of twenty-two most popular seniors. Short sketches of the five men and women who were elected are included.

The class history covers the past four years, pointing out highlights in both class and College affairs. Names and achievements of outstanding athletes are mentioned as well as names of sports managers and editors and business managers of publications. The rise and fall of the class politicians is brought out in the section on political affairs, while class participation in dramatics, musical organizations, and other activities are also recorded.

Recreation Association For Women Stated As New W.A.A. Name, Bechdel Announces

W. A. A. will be known next year as the Recreation Association for Women, it was announced at the W. A. A. meeting Tuesday night by Rachel Bechdel '39, president.

Under the new organization, with clubs for each activity, there will be opportunity for socialized recreation and the development of skill in various sports and activities. The old point system will be done away with, and in its place will be honorary awards. No numerals will be given, only cups and blazers to women selected by the board.

All women students will be members of the R. A. W., but can belong to only two clubs, with the privilege of taking part in the activity of any other club.

Activities board manager will be Mary Ann Rhodes '40, and manager of the non-major activities will be Mary O'Connor '40. Presidents of the clubs are Ruth J. Shtasel '41, dance; Dorothy M. Pearce '40, tennis; Barbara E. Lewis '39, outing; Marjorie Govier '39, swimming; Cynthia D. Tompkins '40, riding; Ruth F. Barker '40, fencing; Helen E. Adams '39, rifle; M. Elizabeth Flock '39, golf; Katherine Quackenbush '40, archery; Eloise F. Rockwell '40, indoor.

Cornerstone Layings Take Place June 4

Laying of the cornerstones for Frances Atherton Hall and the Women's Activities Building will take place at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of Alumni Day, June 4, directly following the Alumni luncheon.

Dean Charlotte E. Ray will preside at the first ceremony which will be at Frances Atherton Hall. Following the address by Dean Ray, J. Franklin Shields, chairman of the Board of Trustees, will speak. President Hetzel will represent the administration; Miss Julia Gregg Brill, the alumnae; Doris Blakemore '39, the women students; and Mrs. C. E. Govier '98, daughter of Mrs. Atherton, will give a brief life history of her mother, wife of Dr. George Atherton, president of the College from 1882 to 1906.

At the dedication exercises of the Activities Building, Dr. Carl P. Schott will preside, with Miss Marie Haidt speaking for the faculty; Mrs. Janet Browne Gross '31, for the alumnae; and Rachel M. Bechdel '39 for the women students.

A sealed lead box containing a copy of the Penn State Collegian, The Bell, and Co-Editor, a College Catalogue, a Freshman Handbook, a faculty-student directory, and the Alumni News will comprise the cornerstone for the dormitory. The box will also include copies of the rules for women students from 1872 to the present day, pictures of women's activities and present dwellings, and statistics of alumnae and women students. Swatches of materials and newest dress styles will be contained.

The Activities Building cornerstone will hold a history of the W. A. A. cabin, a list of former officers of the organization, a representative compilation of women's names now in college, rifle emblems, clippings from the Penn State Collegian and Co-Editor, and pictures of all activities.

The committee in charge of arrangements, headed by Edward S. Hihman, alumni secretary, is attempting to provide for an exhibit of the contents of the cornerstones in first floor lounge of Old Main before the ceremonies.

Peel Names New Student Tribunal

Five Juniors, Including Blue Key Member, Get Posts From '39 Class Head

Five juniors, including a member of Blue Key, junior honorary society, were named to next year's Student Tribunal by '39 Class President Joseph A. Peel yesterday.

Granting the request made by Blue Key in a letter to the Collegian Sunday night to have one of its members placed on the Tribunal in order to aid in the enforcement of freshman customs," Peel appointed George W. Veckler, who also is manager-elect of the varsity football team and a member of Lion's Paw.

Others named to Student Tribunal were Herbert B. Cahan, Joseph F. Cohan, Victor E. Gentilman, and Bernard A. Briggs, all juniors. The Tribunal was empowered to elect its own chairman, with the office to be rotated among the members each week.

On the recommendation of the Penn State Christian Association, Peel also appointed three members to the Penn State in China Committee, naming Willard D. Hoot '39, Harry N. Glenn, Jr., '40, and W. Bradley Owens '40.

Largest Class Will Be Graduated June 6; 71 Higher Degrees Listed

Presents Class Gift



EMMETT E. RHOADES

Class Gift Is Not Fully Sanctioned

Hetzel Says That Observatory Murals Are Both Subjects For Investigation

No official approval by the Board of Trustees has been granted to either the nine-wit multiple observatory or the proposed murals for Old Main, President Ralph D. Hetzel has advised John D. Kemmer, senior class head, it was learned yesterday.

"The Board of Trustees has not formally acted upon either of the proposed projects," President Hetzel wrote. "Both have been informally discussed by the executive committee of the Board of Trustees and have been referred to a special committee of the Board for investigation and report. These committees have not yet formally reported back to the Board of Trustees."

President Hetzel explained that the Executive Committee voted "to approve the project in principle provided the Committee on Educational Matters is satisfied that the educational objectives are sound, and to refer to the Committee on Architecture the question of location and design of the group."

The proposal for murals, meanwhile, has been referred to the Committee on Architecture, headed by Trustee Vance C. McCormick.

The president added, however, he was certain that the Trustees "will receive the tender of any gift from the class with complete sympathy, and that every effort will be made to meet the wishes of the donors."

New Members Initiated

Seven students were initiated into Delta Sigma Rho, speech honorary, at a recent meeting in the Hugh Beaver room.

Entire Program Announced For Commencement Week

The complete program for Commencement Week follows:
Friday, June 3
12 Noon—Trustee Election by delegates, Nittany Lion Inn.
8:30 p. m.—"As Husbands Go," Penn State Players, Auditorium.
9:30 p. m.—Fraternity Dances.
Saturday, June 4 (Alumni Day)
Class Reunions—All day.
8:30 a. m.—Alumni golf tournament, College golf course.
10:00 a. m.—Annual meeting, Alumni Council.
11:00 a. m.—Election of Alumni Trustees.
12:30 p. m.—Alumni Luncheon, McAllister Hall.
2:15 p. m.—Alumni parade.
2:30 p. m.—Meeting of College Board of Trustees, Old Main.
2:30 p. m.—Baseball, Bucknell University, New Beaver Field.
3:30 p. m.—Cornerstone laying, Recreation Hall.

220 Candidates Listed For B. A. as 597 Is Total for B. S.

Climaxing a week-end of graduation activities, approximately 888 seniors and graduate students, the largest class in the history of the College will receive degrees at the seventy-eighth commencement exercises in Recreation Hall beginning at 11 o'clock Monday morning, June 6.

Seventy-one of the 888 students will receive advanced degrees. The remainder, 817, are candidates for baccalaureate degrees. Although it is possible that not all the candidates will be graduated, the number to receive degrees will probably exceed last year's total of 862.

Four years ago the present graduating class numbered 1528, the records of Registrar William S. Hoffman show.

Among the seniors, 220 are candidates for bachelor of arts degrees, while 597 are candidates for bachelor of science degrees.

The academic procession will form in the football stands, New Beaver Field, at 10:30 a. m. under the direction of Clarence E. Bullinger, chief marshal of the College. The order of the procession will be as follows: candidates for bachelors' degrees, candidates for advanced degrees, members of the College Senate, members of the faculty, deans of the schools, trustees and official guests, president of the Board of Trustees, and president of the College.

Faculty marshals will be Professors Norman R. Sparks, Harold F. Alderfer, Robert A. Hussey and Warren B. Mack.

Each school will have a faculty and a student marshal. The students are chosen on the basis of scholarship. The marshals are: Agriculture—Prof. Adam L. Beam, Frank W. Smale '38, Chemistry and Physics—Prof. Marsha W. White, Donald B. Broughton '38, Education—Prof. Robert G. Bernreuter, George W. Stein '38, Engineering—Prof. Albert P. Powell, William E. Dieferderfer '38, Liberal Arts—Prof. Franklin B. Krauss, Christine M. Kaufmann '38, Mineral Industries—Prof. Carl H. Samans, William J. Parton '38, Military Department—Edgar D. Seymour '38, Graduate School—Prof. R. Adams Dutcher, Polly B. Kessinger '38.

The program will open at 11 o'clock with the invocation by Prof. John H. Frizzell, College chaplain. This will be followed by a violin solo.

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