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DANGER SIGNAL

BECAUSE OF the peculiar nature of this institution, when the time finally will come to change the name from College to University, the charter under which it has operated for a half-century will have to be revised to permit this change.

While, ordinarily the name change could be accomplished by mere act of court, changing the name of Pennsylvania State College will require a detailed procedure, leading from the Board of Trustees to the Department of State to the County Prothonotary to the Court of Common Pleas to the Superintendent of Public Instruction to the State Council of Education and back to the Court of Common Pleas and the Prothonotary.

Such flagrant trespassing upon the independence of our educational system is not only a disgrace to this commonwealth but also an unmistakable danger signal to all other schools in Pennsylvania to guard zealously their own interests against the encroachment of political knaves bent upon corrupting the strongest bulwark of this nation's democracy—the unadulterated freedom of the educational system.

REVOLUTION

AMERICA'S BLOODLESS revolution has been on since the advent of the New Deal on March 4, 1933—a revolution which has with amazing swiftness resulted in an about-face of political, economic and social philosophy.

Last week the new constitutional philosophy hit directly home as the Senate Finance Committee reported favorably a bill empowering the federal government to tax salaries of state employees and vice versa.

Once passed, the act would bring under the federal income tax laws the salaries of every employee of this College, now exempt despite the Income Tax Amendment which states specifically that the federal government may tax income "from whatever source derived."

That the bill will pass and be signed by the President, who himself urged the adoption of such an act, seems almost a foregone conclusion. Whether it will be declared constitutional, however, remains a moot question.

For, although the 16th Amendment empowers the government to tax income from "whatever source derived," the Supreme Court, slowly but surely, limited its meaning to exclude salaries of state employees.

OLD MANIA

Now That The Ball Is Over:

It was a pretty good dance. We enjoyed it very much, but then a lot of people go to dances to dance, and from all the comments they couldn't do so to the Duke's world assortment. He was good to watch, though. Personally, we have an idea that he got the pullman porter at Lewistown to play the bass fiddle for him.

Mary Kay Council enjoying the Duke's piano with John Gold. George Yeckley with his good-looking sister, Peg, which reminds us that we promised to take our kid sister to Jimmie Prom if only we could track a fraternity brother.

DU Dave Swabk with Ruth Pease—one of the most recent campus romances and brother DU Lee Thione with his perennial inport from Philly, Dotie Pfeiffer.

Disappointment of the Week: That there was no fire in Bellefonte this weekend.
Add News Items: The Annual Winter Dance of the Birmingham School has again been postponed indefinitely.

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Dust off your old piano, Mr. Ellington and make your melody a little bit hotter, Mr. Goodman for Artie (I've Got All Kinds of Rhythms) Shaw is on your trail!

Picture above, your jitterbugging, is your new idol who was recently crowned "King of Swing" as a result of a national poll conducted by Downbeat. According to Huey Taylor local swing entrepreneur, Little Shaw was responsible for the music room's 135 per cent sales increase of Bluebird records over the past three months.

off the records

Larry Clinton, after swinging grand opera arias, finds a new bird in Gilbert and Sullivan. From the operetta "HMS Pinafore" Ford Leary sings SWEET LITTLE BUTTERCUP, and from "The Mikado" Ben Wann sings I'VE GOT A LITTLE LIST.

Two fast-becoming hits are the subject of Richard Humbert's latest wax work. Stuut Allen sings the vocals for LET'S STOP THE CLOCK and ROMANCE RUNS IN THE FAMILY. At the Shaw records another sure hit this week on Bluebird, DELIGHTFUL DELIRIUM, featuring one of those rare Tony Pastor vocals Helen Foriest sings I WANT MY SHARE OF LOVE on the coupling Glenn Miller, who possesses one of the most beautiful of radio theme songs, returns to Bluebird with SHUT-EYE and HOW I'D LIKE TO BE WITH YOU IN BERMUDA, two nice tunes.

556 Enroll At Four Penn State Centers
Enrollment at the four Penn State undergraduate centers reached a total of 556 for the second semester of the current academic year, according to David E. Pugh, supervisor of undergraduate centers.

WHAT DO YOU KNOW? WHAT DO YOU SAY?

By BERNIE NEWMAN
Do you think that the College Senate should contain a student representative?

Len Cooper '40, general major: "Definitely. The need for such was recently demonstrated by the farcical manner in which the request for a mid-year vacation was flatly rejected."
Jeanne Walker '39, Journalism: "Yes. If this committee makes rulings concerning students, by all means students should have something to say about them. Such a system would fit in with the policy of the College—that student legislation be as democratic as possible."
Joe Peel '39, education: "No, not a representative. But there should be at least three students, two men and one woman, to sit in on all meetings which are directly of student concern. These students would not dictate any policies, but merely view student opinion to the Senate."

Howard Anderson '40, advertising: "I think so. The students could have some one who could present their ideas or viewpoints to the Senate, and who would be able to settle any points of doubt in the minds of this body."
George Yeckley '39, commerce and finance: "Yes. I think the senior class president is head of the student body, therefore, he should act as an intermediary between the students and the administration."
Jack Clark '40, Journalism: "Yes. I don't think the students have enough power to bring about any changes they see fit under the present governmental setup. But through a powerful body like the Senate, students could put through measures they see fit."

Parkinson Never Acted Yet He Has Lead Role

He never set foot upon a stage, never spoke a line for any audience, but he did have the elusive comedy touch, and so Prof. Frank Neusbaum cast him in one of the leading roles of "Excursion," next production of the Penn State Players.

His name is Leonard Parkinson, a senior, and he'll appear in the chief comedy portrayal in Schwab Auditorium, March 17 and 18, in the role of Mr. Fitchell, a hilarious (though he's really serious) Jewish laundryman with an even more hilarious dialect.

Home Ec Cafeteria Schedule Announced

The Home Economics cafeteria service is again available daily except Saturday evening and Sunday, Laura W. Drummond, director of home economics, announced yesterday.

Varsity Debaters See Action On 2 Fronts On Friday

Members of the varsity debate squad, together with a coach who acts as a conductor and discussion leader, have been touring nearby towns as a "Traveling Town Meeting" group.

2 Pan-Hel Officers Attend Convention

Vivian S. Doty '39, president, and Juanita M. Chambers '40, vice-president, represented Pan-Hellenic council at a district convention held in Washington, D. C., on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Summer Enrollment Slated March 10, 11

Registration for summer camp and practicum courses will take place March 10 and 11 at the Registrar's office. Courses for which students must register at that time include agronomy 14, dairy husbandry 17, horticulture 17, forestry camp, poultry husbandry 9, landscape architecture 16 and 17, home economics 315, surveying 48, geology 72, mining 60, and geology 70.

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Co-Edits

Among the week's plodgings and initiations the Phi Mu's pledged Sunday afternoon and the A. O. P.'s last night. Theta Phi Alpha initiated Jeanne Bride '41 and Mary Lou Trunk '40 on Sunday night.

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