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### TOWARDS UNITY

SLOWLY GAINING, momentum during the past five weeks has been the unprecedented move-ment to weld Penn State's thousands of non-fraternity men into a unified organization to paral-lel the present Interfraternity Council, a move-ment which promises to revolutionize the whole existing order of the student body, a movement which eventually will be regarded as'a landmark in the College's history During the early part of this century, when the

College was only beginning to emerge as one of the East's leading educational institutions, the student body was comparatively small and compret and personal relationships-fraternity and san-fraternity-were the order of the day

Gradually the influx of mass education began to he felt here and more and more fraternities came into existence in an attempt to answer the ocial and fraternal needs of an expanding student body

As the years passed on, however, there came in increasing numbers students who had not the necessary means or the necessary connections to join these fraternities. A larger and more complex student body evolved from the hodge-podge of mass education and soon the proportion of fraternity men in relation to non-fraternity men had dwindled to an amazingly low level

## NO FOCAL POINT existed—no focal point exists today—where these thousands of non-fraternity students could meet in common fellowship, where students denied the advantages of a traternity could assemble as members of a common society called Penn State to cultivate the social side of their lives and perhaps unconsciously to transplant and perpetuate the ideals of this institution in the outer world

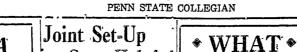
Under these conditions it is no wonder, then that the College should one day have awakened to the startling fact that the 50-odd fraternities represented no more than 30 or 35 per cent of the mon students here and that under its very nose (here har) arisen a problem undreamed of as recently as ten years ago-the problem of the non - fraternity men, strewn heiter - skelter throughout a small backwoods village, unable to their place in the fraternity world, removed from the ordinary social necessities of a modern

And out of this condition giew an even more pressing problem-the breakdown of the solidarity of a traditionally-united student body, the de velopment of a widening breach not only between students themselves but between students and the College

That the College cannot long hope to prosper and grow in the presence of such unhealthy con ditions is quite evident

TO THE END that these conditions may be, emedied, therefore, the Collegian has championed throughout the past year the creetion of a cen-tral zed Student Activities Building, the realign-ment of students with the administration, the democratization of student government, the bet-terment of student-faculty relationships

Today, despite doubts in certain quarters as to be feasibility of the plan or the motives behind it, the Collegian places itself unequivocally behind the movement to organize the non-frater-



OLD MANIA Seen Helpful New Government Will Offer Manuac's puze of a one-handed budge deck to

This Can't Be Love:

OF REMORSE LOVE STINKY

Best Joke Of The Week:

for I F

the recipient of the sorriest "sorry-but" goes to Howie Castrow, phi sigma delt, who received the

following telegiam from his prospective import

DEAR DRIP TWO MILLION AND ONE UN-

EMPLOYED IN NEW YORK AND I HAVE A JOB STOP NEED I SAY MORE STOP FULL

We heard the funniest thing the other day A we near the funnest thing the other any A couple of the boys were yowing because finten-nities were being taxed \$2.50 for each member attending I F Ball Last year they were charged two bucks to watch Lily Will O-bone lead his

sytupy hand, and this year the same gupples paid \$3.85 to listen to Ellington They screamed blue murder because Senior Ball committee didn't book

Goodman, Clinton, or Aitie Shaw, and now they

have the clust to glipe at paying a measily two and a half for Clinton That's really funny These

chronic discontents ought to be strung up by them ear lobes Personally, we can hardly wait to hear

Bea Wain sing Maitha and Deep Puiple We'll meet you at the business end of Ford Leary's

The possibility of getting 4961 on the first twirl

of the dual now hooms on the houron. We take

a great deal of pleasure in announcing herewith

the new pay phone numbers of the following wo-

Bea McKechnie, Maicella Anderson, etc.-2622 Maige Davies, Tat Wits, Lou Haines-64.

'Nita Chambers, Lucia Ohl, Evvie Work-660 Skippy Jennings, Lou Emmert, Washabaugh

There has been an unavoidable delay in the installation of Mary Jane Veil's, Betty Shaw's, and Helene Tully's private wire We'll give it to

Just a month ago Chailie Mattein, handsom

fish boxei and cigai-passei-outei, was telling us how immune he was to State coeds. It seems

there was a girl at home However, Chailie has taken a haid right to the heart and fallen heavily

We were under the impression that Cadet Col-

onel Robert Goerden went to Pittsburgh Friday to have his flat feet operated on, but a hitle bid

out of the west tells us that he went to Pitt's Mil

Ball and,took an import who few in from Chicago

An ounce of prevention and all that prompts us to give out a few precautions to observe dur-

ing this lovely Sping weather 1-Don't ask her to wear your pin Wait till she asks you if she can wear it. 2-Don't use Old Main Tower for privacy As the

3-Don't forget the old adage, "Keep 'em guess ing"-if you want to keep 'em

4-Don't go for a walk on the campus if you

want to stay romantic Wait till George Ebert

. are the Phi Kappa Taus, and we mean

When some foolish delta tau delts decided

to 1aid the former's trophy 100m about 2 a m

Fuday, they were surprised by the whole phi

tau house Of course, the laid was damnfoolish

ness, but we see no excuse for the five big brave

kappa taus who pources are a pulp delt and beat the hapless kid to a pulp —THE MANIAC

Formal Wear

• - for -

couple Friday afternoon learned—the girl's on-Mac Hall's 4th floor have binoculars

for Carolyn Moorehead, frosh biscuit

With Malice Toward None:

RX for Spring Fever:

gets through fertilizing a

Heels of the Week:

heels

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Calling Bryant 709:

men's fraternities

-2772

A. Young Man's Fancy:

you next week

Better Understanding, **O'Connor Believes** 

'I feel that the combined stu-ent government will help both en and women to understand men men and women to understand each other's problems more fully, said Mary H O'Connor '40, newly, elected president of Women's Rec-reation Association, yesterday "Atter one year under the re-lead measured to a under the re-

vised recreation system for wom en, we are now planning a large en, we are now planning a larger and more inclusive program' that 1 feel will be furthered by repre-sentation on such a student gov-ennent," she continued Women students, Miss O'Connor, believes, will have a chance to prove the carnestness of their pro-fessed desire for ennelity with the

vpensive affair " essed desire for equality with the nen, in campus discussions 151 ways

# off the records

date is the only thing necessary George Dejure '40, commerce and finance 'No' if Soph Hop-were held at a different time of the year instead of between the Thanksgiving and Christmas holl-days when most big bands are on location at holels, it would be a success? Decca gives us some more of what we want-Ella Fitzgeialdwhat we want—Eila Fitzgenid— two iecoids, fouy ides On the hist she sings MY HEART BE-LONGS TO DADDY and IT'S FOXY with another big hit, TAIN'T WHAT YOU DO Ard I CAN'T STOP LOVING YOU unbes four of 'em Cau Louberdo 41166644 Corky Darlington '49, conjuncte and finance '1' think Soph Hop should be held in conjunction with

makes four of 'em Guy Lombaido plays a little number we used to sing in Grammar school, LITTLE funior Prom to make one real big week-end out of it, such as is common on many other campuses There would be no financial loss this way, for the social calendar would not be too packed "

sing in Grammar school, LITTLE mon on many other campuses SIR ECHQ, and it's fast becom-ing popular again 'There would be no financial loss Decea also releases two Glen Gray records—with four more popular sides The first has I 'I really do An inexpensive af-PROMISE YOU parted with SHUT EYE, and the second 's THIS NIGHT, and HONOLULU Clyde Buyke is still subbing for, Kenny Saigent on the sweet voc-als I F Ball maesto of last year, Will Osbone, features mify voc-"Soph Hop is all light as it is, but if such bands as Altie Shaw on Benuy Gootman were obtained, they would be no financial diff-Will Osborne, features nifty voc-als by Lynn Davis on HAVE A HEART and IT TOOK A MIL-

IIEART and IT TOOK A MIL-IIEART and IT TOOK A MIL-Fats Waller appens on Blue-bird this week with a novelty number featuring his piano and bulftog vocal, PATTY CAKE, coupled with ARMFUL OF SWEETNESS Van Alexanden 1e-coids the two popular "Blackbur" Herb Doroshaw '40, pie med "I feet that either it should he made into an informal and less-expen-sive affait, on a different date should be, arranged for the affair"

Swing fans will be interested in, the first picture history of Swing musiciality, as pottayed in Geoige. Von Physter's book, DESTINY. The artist is an ex-musician who has spent years studying swing musicians at work and in relax-ation, and he pute the result of kis study into his sketches The con-tinuity of the book is written by Carl Cons, editor of JOWN BEAT, in the typical language, of swing, It belongs in every swing library. ) There was a lot of complaining after, 'ushing, season this year Everyone was taiking of the tiring

MacNeice Talk

To Begin At 8 Famous Irish Poet. Critic. Makes First American stons

Appearance Here,

Louis MacNetce, It ish poet, erite and itan'slator from the Uni-versity of London, will make his first appearance before an Amer-ican audience when he speaks'on "Modein Poetry" in Home Eco-nomics Auditorium at 8 pm to-night

night , A prominent figure in the lit-erary world, MacNeite was the subject of a Libernl Arts fecture last year and is scheduled to speak at Harvard, Wellesley and Columbia after his appearance base

and 1938 by members of the Lib-eral Arts faculty is planned by the library. The department of conomics and the department of history are each represented by eight books.

To Limit Discussion By request of student members of the College Poetry Society, MacNeice will confine his discus-sion to his own work and that of two of his contemporaries, W. H Auden and Stephen Spender Audan and Stephen Spender According to citics, these writ-ers are principal factors in a re-vival of English poety which is being recognized on both sides of the Atlantic Sponsors of MacNeice's lecture

night

\* WHAT \* DO-YOU SAY? By BERNIE NEWMAN Since Soph Hop these past few years has been a huge fi-nancial flop, do you think it should be changed to an informat and less expensive affair?

DO YOU KNOW?

Jimmie McAdam '42, music ed 'I think Soph Hop should be given one more chance, but with the ad-vantages of a more suitable date and a current top-notch hand If it fails financially after this, then

it should become an informal, less

Although Pitt's enrollment this real is ingher than 1937, it has hopped to 231d while State his isen to 20th.

will be held May 13 on front campus, where bleachers and chairs will be provided for spec-

We Women

second semester jushing All seemed to be in favor of first semester rushing Pan-Hel's questionnaire was an-

Pan-Hel's questionnaire was an-sweigt contaut to this, however. The great majority of freshmen favor unshing as is, with a little over half of the sorority women asking for a reversal of time in the unblue code. For Comfortable Rooms, 14 TheCOLONIAL 123 W.NITTANY AVE. - All With Running Water

the unshing code Perhaps the discontents had louder volces' The halloting told, and indications point to a recamp-ing of the old code with the reten-tion of most of this year's provi-sions-

Mortar Board's Leadership Con ference was responded to most favorably and deservedly so The speakers all had something to say and the attendance was good

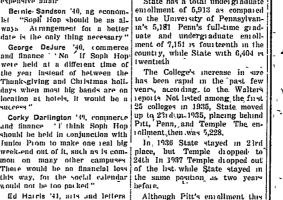
The women's junior class meet ng tomoriow night has an impor tant pulpose, and every class member should attend

Library Plans Exhibit An exhibition of books and pamphlets published between 1934 and 1938 by members of the Lib-

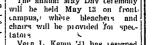
BE SMOOTH

FOR I. F. BALL

To Limit Discussion







man, will announce her su tomorrow Additional committee in have been announced by Chairman Winified M, Watson '40 Eleanor E Skinner '40' was announced as Budget Advisor Other additions are Ceremo -Eleanon Benfer '41, Waidhobe-Maigaret C Allan, '40, Helen B Cramei '41, Bhaabeth Mussei' '42, Jeanne A Smith '41, 'Helene Q Tully '41, Lillian R, Wallace '40, Pato Housent, Dick to B

Tully '41, Langas R. Whinde '40, Entertainment-Eloise F Rock, wéll '40, Decoration-Maytha E McCoumlek '41, Betty M 'Martin '42, Mind: A. Smith '41, Musio-Louise L Zierdt '40

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tators Vera L Kemp '41 has resigned as sub-chairman of May Day. Wimfied M Watson '40, chan-



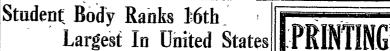


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Largest In United States

• Saddles

• Moccasins

• Huaraches

Crepe Soles

This is the belief expressed yesterday by Registrar William S Hoffman after a study of an article by President, Raymond Walters of the University of Cincinnati in the December issue of School and

Society Since not all schools list, then der of total enrollment are Cal forma, Minnesota, Columbia, N Y U; Illinois, Ohio State, Mich fiist year professional students eparately from the freshmen, the eparately from the freshmen, the [1, 0, 11100, 0110 cluck, Michi-cvact position of State's under-graduate body is not known, al-though it defunitely ranks below [Nebhaska, Boston U, Purdue and Coleforms Murgeadte N.Y.] though it definitely ranks below California, Minnesòta, N. Y U., Illinois, Columbia, Ohio State, Washington and Wisconsin Penn State

Undergraduate Total 5,913 State has a total undergraduate enrollment of 5,913 as compared to the University of Pennsylvan-ia's 5,181 Penn's full-time grad-In Girls' Sport Shoes

