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Rockwell And Blasingame Lead 86 Seniors Who Will Graduate With Academic Honors June 10

Group With Better Than 2.4 All-College Averages Includes 14 Winners Of Evan Pugh And John W. White Scholarships And Medals

Martin V. Rockwell was named valedictorian of this year's graduating class and B. Paul Blasingame, salutatorian, today as Registrar William S. Hoffman announced the 86 seniors who will graduate with honors, having an average of 2.4 or higher and at least two academic years of residence.

Among the honors group are the following 14 winners of scholarship awards: Rockwell, Evan Pugh Scholar, Sylvia L. Bernstein, Evan Pugh Scholar and John W. White Medalist; Seymour S. Epstein, John W. White Scholar, Frank J. Fry, John W. White Scholar, Mary E. Hatton, Evan Pugh Scholar, Marianne C. Hessemer, John W. White Fellow, George E. Inskip, John W. White Fellow, Leon M. Knezt, Evan Pugh Scholar; Elmer D. Longfellow, Evan Pugh Scholar, George B. Lucas, John W. White Scholar, Calvin D. McCarthy, Evan Pugh Scholar, John J. Trentin, John W. White Fellow, and Robert S. Voris, Evan Pugh Scholar.

Campus Calendar & News Briefs

(All contributions for this column must be received at Student Union Desk by 1 p.m. the day preceding publication.)

Today:
Final meeting of Freshman Counselors Dr. Kingsley R. Smith, professor of psychology, will speak on "Hints on the Art of Counseling," in Room 316 Liberal Arts, 8 p.m.

Sophomore and junior women room selections, second floor lounge, Old Main, 6:30 p.m.

The Penn State Farmer's annual banquet, the Allencrest, 7:15 p.m.

Subscriptions to the daily Collegian go on sale. Orders taken at Student Union, or may be mailed.

House of Representatives meets in Room 305 Old Main, 5 p.m.

Campus Center Club meets in Room 405 Old Main, 7 p.m.

Louise Homer Club meets in Room 411 Old Main, 7 p.m.

German Club meets in Room 418 Old Main, 7 p.m.

International Relations Club meets in Room 412, 7:15 p.m.

Liberal Arts Student Council meets in Room 318, Old Main, 7 p.m.

Grange Club meets in Room 405 Old Main, 8 p.m.

Seniors call for announcements, invitations, and programs, Student Union.

Names of new officers of all fraternities, clubs, honorary societies, and other organizations should be handed in at Student Union immediately.

Tomorrow:
Last PSCA Cabinet meeting at 8:15 p.m.

Freshman women select rooms, second floor lounge, Old Main, at 6:30 p.m.

Sale of Lion's Coats ends at 4 p.m.

Exhibition of works of Henry Varnum Poor opens in College Art Gallery. Open daily except Sunday from 8:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Mozart Board meeting, WSGA Room, White Hall, 9 p.m.

Freshman Commission meets in Room 304 Old Main, 7 p.m.

Honor Society Council meets in Room 318 Old Main, 7:30 p.m.

C. I. P. Committee of the AAUP meets in Room 305 Old Main, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday:
Meeting of fraternity rushing chairman at Tau Kappa Phi, 7:30 p.m.

Miscellaneous:
Movies on murals, sponsored by fine arts division, College Book Store, 129 West Beaver Avenue, admission free, 7:15 to 8:45 p.m., all week.

Poor's Work Exhibited In College Art Gallery

A special exhibition of work by Henry Varnum Poor will be shown in the College Art Gallery, Room 303 Main Engineering, beginning tomorrow morning and continuing until June 1.

Part of the exhibition will consist of preliminary studies in pencil and color for the Old Main mural now in progress, including some of the sketches Poor made in Pennsylvania last year.

Another section will be devoted to pictures done during the past several years.

The showing is made possible through the courtesy of Poor and his dealer, the Rehn Gallery in New York. The College Gallery will be open daily except Sunday from 8:30 a.m. until 8:30 p.m.

RETIRING JUDGE



G. WARREN ELLIOTT '40

Joe '44 To Wear White Socks, Bows

Skull-Cap Replaces Dink; Can Speak To Coeds

Changes in the freshman dink, and the style of the tie, and a regulation compelling freshmen to wear white socks were added to freshman customs for next year by Student Tribunal Thursday.

G. Warren Elliott '40, retiring Tribunal chairman announced yesterday.

The dink will revert to the skull-cap variety worn last by the class of 1940. A black bow tie will be worn instead of a black four-in-hand. Freshman men will be permitted to speak to women but only for a two minute period.

Customs will continue until Christmas vacations, for all freshmen except two-year students who will be permitted to drop customs after Thanksgiving.

Violations may be reported at Student Union or to a member of Tribunal. Freshmen may report violations by other freshmen.

Complete Customs Listed:
The complete list of customs follows:

- 1 Freshmen shall carry copies of the Student Handbook, known as the "Freshman Bible." Information requested on the identification page must be filled out.
- 2 Freshmen shall wear dinks, black bow ties, and white socks except on trips, holidays, when escorting women to house parties, house dances, or all-College dances. The period between midnight Saturday and 8 a.m. Monday will be a holiday concerning dress customs only, i.e., the dink, tie, and socks. The dink is to be worn at all indoor athletic contests and mass meetings.
- 3 Freshmen shall not date within a three-mile radius of Old Main until after Thanksgiving vacation. Freshmen shall not associate with women longer than two minutes at a time.
- 4 Freshmen shall attend all class meetings, athletic contests, and mass meetings and shall not leave until they are closed unless an excuse is issued by Student Tribunal.
- 5 Freshmen shall carry matches.
- 6 Freshmen shall not walk on the grass of the campus. Freshmen shall not be permitted to walk on "Senior Walk."

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Others on the honors list are Frederick B. Augustine, Marguerite C. Beach, Benjamin P. Blasingame, David E. Brennenman, J. Robert Brunner, Robert R. Blumentstein, Dan M. Boyer, Emmet F. Bredenberg.

Helen L. Camp, Robert L. Casseberry, Jesse W. Calum II, Floyd P. Coyne, Maynard H. Dawson, James V. DeLuke, Herbert S. Durushow, Brenda M. Eld, Mary E. Fletcher, Richard A. Fletcher, George E. Gard, Emma Jane Gilmitt, Marian E. Goodley, John R. Graham Jr., Robert W. Green, Philip W. Harland.

Sara E. Hileman, Katherine O. Horn, David H. Jenkins, George R. Keehn, Josephine A. Keeney, Florence C. Kilgore, Pauline Kirshner, Kenneth K. Klingensmith, Charlotte S. Knabb, Ruth Koehler, Barbara A. Kohman.

Rose Kozak, Marian E. Lathrop, Dorothy L. Lesh, Maurice M. Lipnick, Jean Livermore, John L. McCray, Murray C. McJunkin, William P. Malasky, Josephine B. Miller.

Helen R. Moore, John W. Myers, Lois T. Myers, Dorothy E. Neff, Marjorie L. Peck, George H. Pyle, Pierce M. Reed, Herbert N. Reitz Jr., Seymour N. Resnick, Willard B. Robinson, James R. Sausser Jr., Marguerite R. Schaeffer, Leonard S. Schneider, Harry M. Shank, Harold E. Smith.

Robert K. Smith, Richard B. Steele, Lillian M. Straka, Naomi J. Turover, Wilber W. Ward, Andrew D. Watson, Joseph Welker III, Edward M. Willstott, Ruth E. Wint, Stanley A. Wykes, Mildred J. Yearick, Norman W. Young, and Frank R. Zumbro Jr.

Parrish Elected To Head Thespians

Initiation And Banquet Close Successful Season

Thespian season closed with initiation and banquet in Old Main Sandwich Shop last Monday. New officers are George L. Parrish '41, president, D. Ned Startzel '41, Paul V. Goldberg '42, John H. Heck '42, Robert J. Lyman '42, and James McAdam '42.

Braçolets awarded for service went to E. Elizabeth Groff '40, Harriet E. Sherbon '40, Jane A. Fulton '41, Alice M. Janota '41, Bettie L. Long '41, Dorothy B. Reeves '41, Barbara R. Thiele '41, Audrey R. Dice '42, and Martha I. Stringer '42.

Pledges are Lindsey Arison '41, William D. Bogar '41, Edwin I. Carson '41, William S. Kirkpatrick '41, Walter E. Llewellyn '41, Donald J. Stutzer '41, John E. Phillips '41, Jerry Schwartz, John M. Arnold '42, D. Garth Dietrick '42, W. S. Gelsler '42 Jr., Henry F. Daley '43, Harry C. Herbert '43, Herman K. Klauk Jr. '43, and Leon Rabinowitz '43.

Graduate Begins Practice Before Supreme Court

Milton I. Baldinger '33, was recently admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court on the motion of Francis Biddle, United States solicitor general.

PSCA Names Counselors; Smith To Address Meeting

Ninety-two sophomore and junior men, selected for their outstanding scholarship and leadership ability, were named as Freshman Student Counselors by the PSCA Executive Committee on Counselors, Paul M. Doty '41, chairman, announced yesterday.

During Freshman Week, the counselors will instruct the incoming students on various phases of campus activities, customs and college regulations. Dr. Kingsley R. Smith, professor of psychology, will address the final counselor meeting on "Hints on the Art of Counseling" in Room 316 Liberal Arts at 8 p.m. today.

- The counselors listed by schools are:
- Agriculture**
Alfred H. Austin '41, Thomas C. Backenstose '41, William B. Bartholomew '41, Edgar M. Barton '41, Samuel F. Crabtree '41, W. Lewis Corbin '41, David I. Finkle '41, John C. Good '41, Stewart A. Gross '41, Charles I. Horrocks '41, Edward E. Lewis '41, John T. Maleuc '41, John H. Mendenhall '42, Andrew Paton Hugh T. Peeling '41, Frederick H. '41, Hugh T. Peeling '41, Frederick A. Slezak '41, William R. Young '41, and Warren D. Ziegler '42.
 - Mineral Industries**
Lewis C. Cavalier '41, John C. Conte '41, John M. Fullman '42, Donald D. Foucart '41, W. Rae Herrmann '41, Allan J. Heyl '41, and Edward W. Nestor '41.
 - Liberal Arts**
Harold L. Arison '41, Paul R. Baird '41, Robert D. Baird '42, Robert N. Baker '41, Richard Bitner '41, Ralph Blasingame '42, John M. Capozzola '42, A. John Currier '42, John W. Dague '42, Gerald Doherty '42, Lawrence S. Driever '41, William E. Fowler '41, Edgar V. Hall '41, William E. Harkins '42, Philip E. Hotzel '42, Harold G. High '42, Oscar Kranich '41, Arnold C. Laich '41, Charles F. Mattern '42, Marshall D. Miller '41, Eris S. Moeller '41, Arthur Peskoe '42, Charles A. Reed '41, Robert Robinson '41, Ralph C. Rotusong '41, Adam A. Smyser '41, Frank W. Slanko '41, John H. Thomas '41, H. Edward Wagner '41, Malcolm W. Weinstein '41, and Howard W. Yates '41.
 - Chemistry and Physics**
Thomas H. Answorth '41, Robert C. Clark '41, William J. Dorworth '41, Martin H. Fritch '42, Edward M. Griest '41, Vincent N. Hurd '41, Paul E. Moyer '41, Max S. Peters '42, Theodore Rice '41, Hugh J. Rogers '41, William L. Sandston '42, Joseph R. Scalzo '41, Murray L. Schwartz '42, William S. Slootman '41, Frank J. Stahak '41, and Robert T. Struck '42.
 - Physical Education, Clan L. Hess '42, and Donald R. Yoho '42.**
 - Engineering**
Douglas K. Adams '41, Robert G. Alexander '42, Howard R. Alt '41, Byron B. Blank '41, Charles R. Clemson '41, Jack R. Cunningham '42, Lloyd F. Engle '41, Eugene W. Fickes '41, Robert K. Fiske '41, Emmett H. Fletcher '42, Richard M. Gessinger '41, Charles L. Hamilton '41, Albert H. Kaiser '41, Louis E. Laushey '42, Christian L. Martin '41, Milton Schwartz '42, Walter M. Shambach '42, John C. Williams '41, and Harold G. Wilson '41.

War Coverage Accounts To Feature Press Confab

Authoritative accounts of the current European war coverage will feature the annual Pennsylvania Press Conference which more than two hundred newspapermen are expected to attend here Friday and Saturday.

Meeting under the joint sponsorship of the Pennsylvania Newspaper Publishers Association and the College's department of journalism, the conference will present first-hand accounts of the present high-speed war coverage by W. W. Chaplin, International News Service correspondent who has just returned from the French battlefield, Miles Vaughn, night news manager of United Press, and William Haskell, assistant to the president of the New York Herald Tribune. Chaplin will speak Friday morning, and Vaughn and Haskell on Saturday.

Raymond Clapper, veteran Washington correspondent of the Scripps-Howard Alliance, and Mark Sullivan, renowned columnist who started his newspaper career in West Chester, will feature the concluding dinner meeting Saturday night. Clapper will give a "behind the scenes" account of the nation's capital, and Sullivan will be given an honorary citation by the P. N. P. A.

Prominent Writers To Attend
Among the prominent Pennsylvania newspapermen to appear on the program will be Dwight Perlin, managing editor, Philadelphia Bulletin, Harry Keck, sports editor, Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph, William Haggard, picture editor, Philadelphia Inquirer, Dean Hoffman, editor, Harrisburg Patriot-Evening News; Cy Hungerford, cartoonist, Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, J. T. Barber, Sunday editor, Lancaster Newspaper, Inc.

Florence Fisher Parry, columnist, Pittsburgh Press, C. M. Bomberger, Jeannette publisher and president of P. N. P. A., John E. Person, president, Williamsport Sun-Gazette, George D. Stuart, Tarentum editor; Hiram G. Andrews, editorial director, Johnstown Democrat, John L. Stewart, Washington publisher, Herbert Eymann, Sharon telegraph editor, and William Thomas, Clearfield editor.

Questions Stump Profs As Students Win \$17.50

With questions about college and county, campus biases foiled the board of experts to win a total of \$17.50 in Alpha Lambda Delta's "Information Experts" program in the second floor lounge of Old Main at 3 p.m. Sunday.

Experts Warren B. Meeck, Kingsley R. Smith, Joseph J. Rubin, and Charles S. Wyand missed only seven of the difficult questions fired at them by Robert D. Galbraith, who selected them from over 75 submitted. Dean J. Clyde '43 replied in answers of from 100 to 2,000 on his campus acreage query to win \$2.50.

Governor Bigler, who signed Penn State's charter, is not only gone but forgotten to the delight of Quentin R. Fehr '41. Although given a strong hint that a nearby town bore his name, the experts decided in favor of Pine Grove Mills and Mr. Fehr.

Four quotations to complete from Browning, Coleridge, Franklin, and Shakespeare rang the bell for another prize to Gertrude H. Hecht '41.

Although two of the experts are Penn State graduates, the board (and the audience) was stopped by the first college custom as listed in the Student Handbook—Every student shall greet the President, submitted by Ellis A. Kaplan '42 Michigan, the state with the longest shoreline, had every-

IFC Renominates Tanner 1940-41 Faculty Advisor; Judiciary Group Chosen

Prof. Sheldon C. Tanner was renominated by Interfraternity Council to succeed himself as faculty advisor. The nomination will become permanent when approved by President Ralph D. Hetzel.

A Judiciary Committee, formed at a meeting Thursday, includes Prof. Edward L. Keller, Prof. March W. White, Prof. Henry H. Gosh, and John Doty.

IFC voted to present a gift to the retiring president, Frank C. Anderson '40, and a selection committee was appointed by H. Edward Wagner '41, new president. The committee consists of Roger S. Findley '41, Robert L. Elmore '41, and Ernest C. Wright '41.

Wagner announced that there will be a meeting of all rushing chairmen at the Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity, 7 p.m. Thursday night, to discuss the new rushing code.

FIRST STATE PREXY



THOMAS C. BACKENSTOSE '41

Medical Talks Will Teach Prevention

13 Groups Plan Program For Summer, Next Year

Talks on preventive medicine, scheduled for this summer and next year, will be sponsored by 13 College and town groups in conjunction with a Pennsylvania Department of Health committee headed by Mrs. Edna M. Keck of Altoona, former president of the Women's Auxiliary of the American Medical Association.

During summer school, Dr. Joseph P. Ritenour will illustrate his talk, "Tuberculosis," with two movies, "Let My People Live" and "Cloud in the Sky."

Dr. Gilson C. Engel of Philadelphia who spoke this spring on "Cancer" will return by popular demand to speak to summer school students and townspeople on the same topic, July 16 and July 23.

First of the three talks next year will be "The Common Cold and Pneumonia," November 13. A talk on "Tuberculosis" will be given December 4 in connection with Christmas Seal sales and illustrated with the two movies.

To Discuss Social Diseases
During National Social Hygiene Week in February a program on syphilis and gonorrhoea, their early symptoms and cure, will be given. This part of a program to educate people about venereal diseases so infected individuals will apply for early treatment.

Cooperating groups are the College Health Services, the health department of the School of Physical Education WSGA, all-College Cabinet, WSGA Junior Service Board, Penn State alumni PTA, American Association of University Women, State College Women's Club, pre-medical group, American Legions, Kiwanis, and Rotary Club.

Hillel Foundation Presents Awards

Roth, Dankner, Hertz Given Honor Keys

Hillel Foundation presented honor keys to three seniors, made three competitive awards, and elected two students to the executive committee of its first representative student council and 12 more to the council at a senior social at Phi Sigma Delta Sunday night.

Seniors who won national Hillel honor keys for outstanding service to the Foundation were Emanuel Roth, president, Claire Y. Dankner, social chairman, and Robert L. Hertz, special projects chairman.

Harkins '41 Elected Head Of Glee Club For 1940-41

John W. Harkins '41, former accompanist for the variety quartet, was selected president of the Glee Club and Rodney E. Sachs '41, named vice president Wednesday night.

The Glee Club will sing at Sunday Chapel this week in place of the College Choir. Frank Gullo, Glee Club director, has announced. Other officers elected include Daniel A. Swope, Jr. '42, secretary, Arthur C. Jenkins '41, business manager, and William F. Christoffers '43, librarian.

Backenstose Appointed President Of Student Government Association; To Head Organization For One Year

All-College Cabinet To Meet Weekly Next Year; Tribunal Members To Be Selected Tonight; Fate Of Politicos To Be Decided At Cabinet Meeting

Thomas C. Backenstose '41 has been appointed first president of the Pennsylvania Intercollegiate Student Government Association which was organized by 17 colleges and universities here on March 2, Arnold C. Laich '41, all-College president, announced yesterday.

Backenstose will hold office for one year. The vice-president will be selected by Lafayette College and the secretary-treasurer by Muhlenberg College.

Reede And Davis Get Fellowships

Absence Leave Granted To Conduct Research

Arthur H. Reede, of the department of economics, and Dr. Kingsley R. Davis, head of the department of sociology, have recently been awarded research fellowships by the Social Science Research Council, associated with the Rockefeller Foundation.

Professor Reede will be on a special committee on Employment from June 1 to August 10. The work of the committee, to measure business trends since 1920, will be of importance to social service boards and unemployment-compensation divisions in several states.

30 CAA Fliers Get Wings For Soloing

State's Youngest Pilot Honored By PS Airmen

Wings were presented to 16-year-old Charles Neyhart of State College, the youngest flier in the state. Alice Shutt's and 30 students who have soloed under the CAA at the Penn State Airman's annual dinner in the Sandwich Shop Saturday.

In Intercollegiate Flying Club competition at Philadelphia on May 4, Miss Shutt's glasses accidentally fell from her plane and were the only thing to hit the bombing target. In humorous recognition of this she was presented with an ordinary tin cup inscribed "Alice Shutt's, Champion Bifocal Bombardier."

Alfred L. Wolfe, president of the Private Pilots Association, spoke on "Flying in Europe Before the War." Other speakers were Harry P. Hammond, dean of the Engineering School, and Prof. Harold A. Everett, local CAA director. Dr. Richards Hoffman, CAA medical examiner, was toastmaster.

'85 First Class To Hold 55th Reunion

Class Of '90 Will Mark 50th Year Alumni Day

When the class of 1885 holds its reunion on Alumni Day, June 8, it will be the first time that a Penn State class celebrates its 55th anniversary. Six '85 graduates are expected to attend the reunion.

Mrs. Louis E. Reber '85 and her husband, Dr. Reber '80, former Dean of the School of Engineering, are coming from Florida for the celebration. Other '85 graduates coming with their families are Mrs. A. L. Miller, Williamsport, Cummings C. Chesney, Pittsfield, Mass., vice-president of the General Electric Corporation, J. C. Barrett, Youngstown, Ohio, David E. Roberts, chief of the division of fine arts in the Library of Congress in Washington, and Dr. Dugald C. Jackson, Cambridge, Mass., former head of the department of civil engineering at MIT. Mrs. Jackson '87 is a sister of Mrs. Reber.

Fee To Be \$5 Per Credit

The instructional fee charged in the summer sessions is \$5 per credit for courses of undergraduate level, and \$6 per credit for courses in the "400" and "500" series. Regardless of course level the fee in the Inter-Session and Post-Session is \$6 per credit.