

Winter Sports Carnival Planned For February 8

Plans are now being formulated for the first Penn State Winter Sports Carnival the week-end of February 8, it was announced last night by Edward J. K. McLorie '41.

According to the sketch plans, the Carnival will comprise intramural competition in skiing and figure skating, a varsity ice hockey game probably with the Hershey Cubs, and ice sculpture competition between fraternities or other interested groups.

Ski manager Henry A. Beers '42, who will have charge of all ski competition, has announced that a list of events will be published later. He stated that the Pennsylvania Amateur Ski meet is scheduled for February 1 and 2 with alternate dates the following week-end. If the meet is postponed and occurs on the latter date, intra-mural competition will be restricted but the spectator angle of the Carnival will be enhanced.

The varsity hockey game will climax a varied program of figure skating and spectator participation following the game. This of course is all dependent on the weather conditions. Richard W. May '41, ice hockey manager, will have complete charge of that part of the Carnival.

Regarding ice sculpture, McLorie stated that although this is a new idea for State it should meet with success if cold weather prevails. There will be a trophy awarded to the winner which will be chosen by a faculty committee. He also stated that student opinion will be sounded out on the matter of a dance which will serve as a climax for this first Winter Sports Carnival.

George Donovan, Student Union, will also serve on the committee in an advisory capacity in addition to the aforementioned.

Extension Enrolls Defense Trainees

Over 4,300 trainees, 1,300 in the Pittsburgh area alone, have enrolled in the defense training courses that are to be sponsored by the College Extension Service in 41 towns and cities throughout Pennsylvania.

Deadline for applications has been tentatively set for next Friday, while classes are scheduled to begin January 20 and will continue for 24 weeks.

In order to formulate organization and teaching plans, over 200 inspectors who are to be in charge of the courses in the various districts will meet here this week-end.

Most of the new trainees will be men already employed in defense industries and will comprise about one-half of the estimated total to be trained in Pennsylvania. Paid for by the \$9,000,000 government appropriation, the courses are open to anyone who is a high school graduate.

College Verse Society Meeting Slated Sunday

The first 1941 meeting of the College Verse Society will be held in the lounge of the College Book Store at 11 a.m. Sunday.

Last spring the Society sponsored the visit of William Carlos Williams, noted American poet and essayist, who lectured here.

Check On Vacation Cuts Jumps; Petitions Deadline Noon Tomorrow

Coincident with the deadline set tomorrow noon for presenting petitions for exemption from the Christmas 48-hour cut fine period, the Senate Committee on Vacation Absence already has received more reports from classroom instructors than the 628 handed in at Thanksgiving holidays.

Although the committee has not compiled the total student absences, the Christmas absences may not equal the Thanksgiving class cuts because more persons may have gone home early to work.

Probably another reason for the increase in faculty reports may have been the gradual falling into line of instructors who took roll-

call the 48 hours before and after vacations.

President Ralph D. Hetzel personally instructed the faculty in a recent Faculty Bulletin that they must present a class report in the cut fine period despite perfect attendance records.

Action has not been taken yet on the fifty student hunters who petitioned the Senate Committee on Rules for exemption because of pre-Christmas hunting. The All-College Cabinet endorsed the petition Tuesday night.

All exemption petitions for the Christmas holidays must be given either to A. R. Warnock, dean of men, or Miss Charlotte E. Ray, dean of women.

Average Student Sleeps 7 Hours

Parents who worry about their college sons and daughters not getting enough sleep will find comfort in the figures compiled in this study of Student Opinion Surveys of America. Collegians who say they sleep less than seven hours each night constitute only one fifth of the national student body. The other four-fifths get at least seven hours, and of the total 7 per cent say they spend nine or more hours under the covers.

Turning from the field of attitude measurements, the Surveys through its national polling machinery has asked a sampling of all types of students, "How many hours a night do you usually sleep?"

It was found that women, by their own admission, sleep more than do men. Lower classmen (freshmen and sophomores) spend more time in bed than do upper-classmen (juniors, seniors, and graduates).

Note in the following breakdown how the percentages tend to increase among the longer sleeping periods for women, while they tend to decrease in the column for men:

Sleep per night:	All	Men	Women
5 or less hours	4%	19%	3%
6 hours	17	19	15
7 hours	37	38	35
8 hours	33	31	36
9 hours	7	6	10
10 or more	2	2	1

The survey revealed no evidence that during the normal college day there is any wholesale studying in the "wee small hours." The majority of students sleep seven or eight hours daily.

Seamans To Head Group

Harry Seamans, PSCA secretary, has been elected chairman of the Middle Atlantic Regional Committee in charge of the staff conference for student Christian movement, it was announced yesterday. The conference will be held in Harrisburg on January 27 and 28.

Shevock And Backenstose Named Ball Co-chairmen

William J. Shevock '41 and Thomas C. Backenstose '41 have been named co-chairmen of the committee in charge of Senior Ball, William B. Bartholomew, president of the Senior class, announced last night.

Aiding the co-chairmen on the dance committee are: Howard E. Foulkrod '41, Samuel Virgilio '41, Michael Bebel '41, Margaret Gillette '41, Robert M. Nonemacher '41, Hazel Strobe '41, and William E. Ciccarella '42.

The ball will be held in Rec Hall on Friday, February 28.

What Do They Know? What Do They Say?

On which side does wrestling coach, Charlie Speidel, part his hair?

That cranium cracker among 50 others submitted by hopeful students on the back of "3" blue-books might net its owner from \$2.50 to \$30 at the "Information Please" program in Room 121 Liberal Arts at 3 p.m. Sunday, depending upon the number of queries which stick the four-man board of experts.

Robert E. Galbraith, associate professor of English composition, will fire the questions at Hummel Fishburn, associate professor of music education; John R. Fredland, instructor in English composition; Warren B. Mack, head of the horticulture department; and Charles S. Wyand, assistant professor of economics.

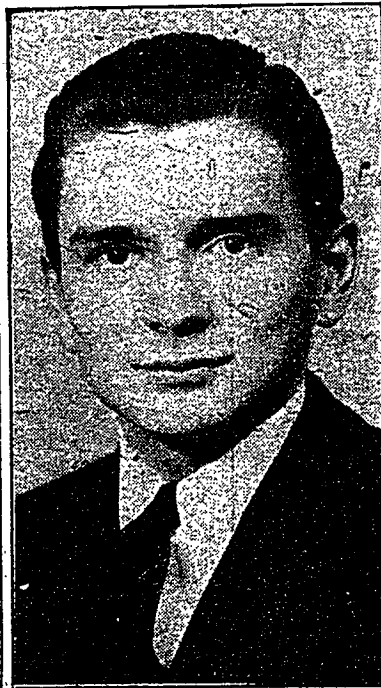
Seven students outsmarted the wizards in last year's session to win a total of \$17.50 from the freshman women's honorary.

Student's Car Damaged

A car driven by Sanford W. Kalin '43 was damaged in the rear when Philip Vonada failed to slow his car as Kalin turned from Atherton street onto Foster avenue. Police estimated the damage under \$50.

Dr. Lewis, Senator Ruth May Talk At Convention

Heads Convention



Thomas C. Backenstose '41, above, president of the Pennsylvania Student Government Association, will be in charge of the group's conference here February 21, 22, and 23.

Unit Heads Say IMA Outlook Good

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Exhibiting the same enthusiasm for the Independent Men's Association that was in evidence at Wednesday night's meeting of the IMA Central Council, four unit presidents last night expressed their confidence in the organization's future success.

The previously lethargic IMA has definitely been rejuvenated and will henceforth play an active part in providing non-fraternity men with extensive social and recreational programs. This was the contention of Robert E. Graul Jr. '42 of the Lion Club, Boyd C. Gartley '41 of the Blue and White Club, Robert F. Jones '42 of the Mac Hall student help, and Elden E. Shaut '42 of the Pioneer House.

The unit heads said that the IMA's biggest obstacle, lack of cooperation, has now been largely overcome and that each unit now has the full backing of its men.

Arrangements for the appearance of an IMA news sheet early next week were made at Wednesday's meeting, and plans were drawn up for second semester activities. Three units paid up delinquent dues.

Last Day For Payment

Journalism students who intend to be included in the journalism placement booklet should make payment today to Miss Corl in the journalism office.

Program Outlined For Government Association

Dr. William Mather Lewis, Selective Service Director for Pennsylvania, and State Senator Frank W. Ruth have been invited to speak at the Pennsylvania Student Government Association convention here February 21, 22, and 23, Thomas C. Backenstose '41, president, announced last night.

Backenstose also released the tentative program for the conference which is organized along the lines of the first conference held on the campus last year.

Dr. Lewis, who is also president of Lafayette College, has been asked to speak on "How the Student will be Affected by the Draft." If he accepts the invitation he will talk at a convention dinner Friday night, February 21.

Senator Ruth's subject will be "Absentee Voting for Students." It was Senator Ruth who unsuccessfully introduced a bill before the State Legislature two years ago to permit absentee voting in Pennsylvania.

Delegates from all Pennsylvania institutions have been invited to the convention, Backenstose said. He added that he expects a larger attendance than at last year's convention when 17 colleges and universities were represented.

The first general conference is scheduled for the afternoon of February 21 and will be followed by round table discussions later that afternoon and all day Saturday. Senator Ruth's talk has been tentatively set for Saturday night.

The round table discussions will be led by student leaders, most of whom will be from the College. In some instances they may be aided by administration staff members, according to Backenstose.

The final business meeting of the convention will be held Sunday when resolutions, adopted by the round table groups, will be presented to the entire convention.

Backenstose said that all students on the campus, delegates or not, will be permitted to attend the round table discussions. He said that an attempt will also be made to have Dr. Lewis and Senator Ruth conduct open, informal discussions Saturday and Sunday.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

Notices for this column are run without charge but must be received at the Collegian Office, 313 Old Main, no later than 6 p. m. the day preceding publication. Faculty members are urged to use this column to announce exams, class cuts, and similar material.

TODAY:

PSCA Committee meeting on the World Reconstruction Seminar, Hugh Beaver Room, Old Main, 8:15 p. m.

The deadline for orders of invitations and announcements will be 12 noon Saturday, instead of 1 p. m. as was previously announced.

Sophomore Board of Collegian meets in Room 312, Old Main, at 4:10 p. m. Important.

Samuel S. Board, U. S. Board of Agriculture, will speak on "Opportunities in the Federal Government for Graduates in Agriculture" in Room 109, Agriculture, at 4:10 p. m.

All freshman candidates for the editorial and business staffs of The Daily Collegian are requested to report to Room 405, Old Main, at 8 p. m. Tuesday.

Ski club meets in Room 318, Old Main, at 7 p. m.
Frear Laboratory open House from 3 to 5 p. m.

Exams On File In Library Reference Room

An examination file, containing examinations in 29 different subjects in 155 courses has been opened in the reference room of the library, and is now open to students.

David I. Finkle '41, chairman of the committee that filed the examinations, suggests to the students that the file be used for its value in studying for final and not as a pony.

Examinations on file are as follows:
Ag Bio: 20, 425
AH: 1, 3, 6, 12, 22, 28, 29, 211, 229, 415, 426.

Art: 74, 77.
Botany: 14.
Chem Eng: 1, 3, 5, 402, 403.
Chemistry: 1, 2, 3, 4, 10, 16, 20, 21, 22, 27, 30, 31, 32, 40, 41, 52, 434, 436, 437, 470, 471, 535, 536, 538.
Commerce: 90.
DH: 7, 10, 11, 23, 26, 215, 430.
EE: 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9.
Ent: 2.
Forestry: 87, 89, 91, 94, 97.
French: 3, 4.
Geography: 20, 24, 470, 471.
Geol: 31.
German: 1, 2, 3, 4, 55.
Hist: 19.
Hort: 8.

Ind Ed: 350, 251.
Journ: 1, 13, 14, 15, 16, 21, 35, 40, 42, 70.
Math: 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 20, 29, 30, 100, 431.
Mech Eng: 5.
Metal: 54, 57.
Mineral: 40, 55, 468, 485.
Mining: 463, 464, 493.
Phys Chem: 541.
Phys Sci: 1, 7, 8, 390.
Phys: 211, 212, 217, 218, 231, 232, 240, 261, 262, 267, 268, 281, 282, 356, 290, 305, 306, 413, 451, 467, 486.
PH: 1, 2, 3, 4.
ROTC: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8.