

Legislature Gets \$5,509,545 Bill For Penn State

Special To The Collegian
HARRISBURG, April 2 — A bill for an appropriation to The Pennsylvania State College of \$5,509,545, the exact request of the College and more than a million dollars over the amount asked by Governor James, was introduced in the Senate and the House today.

In his budget message, delivered in February, Governor James asked that the College receive \$4,375,000. This was the amount of the appropriation made in 1939, under which the College is now operating.

Sen. A. H. Letzler (Rep., Centre-Clearfield) entered the bill in the Senate and Rep. Kenneth G. Haines (Rep., Centre) introduced it in the House. No action was taken on the bill.

The \$5,509,545 is the regular College maintenance appropriation and does not include the \$125,000 appropriation for Mineral Industries research in oil which passed the Senate on its third reading yesterday.

This bill is for \$75,000 with the provision that \$50,000 be contributed by the oil industry of the state. Research would be directed towards opening up new oil fields and finding new uses for oil.

Another bill, which would give \$75,000 for coal research, was introduced in the Senate on February 17 but still remains in committee. However, Sen. Robert A. Miller (Rep., Luzerne), said yesterday that he has been assured that the bill will soon come up for action.

The Draft Scholarships And The Draft

By JOHN A. BAER

Question—Will one year of a senatorial scholarship be lost by the draft?

Answer—If the senator is willing to have the scholarship held in abeyance for the year the student is in service and used in a later year, the College will make such an arrangement.

Q.—I expect to graduate either this August or next January and will then be qualified to teach vocational subjects essential to national defense. Can I be deferred until graduation?

A.—The decision lies with your local board.

Q.—Is it possible to get into the Quartermaster Corps? Is typing or 21 credits of accounting of any value in this connection?

A.—Our understanding is that each soldier will be asked to state his training and special abilities and that, in so far as opportunities exist, his qualifications will be taken into account in assigning him to duty. It seems likely that there will be opportunities for those with training in accounting and typing.

Q.—Can one be deferred if accepted for advanced ROTC?

A.—Yes.

Q.—If physically rejected, can one continue in College and prepare for service through ROTC?

A.—Yes.

Coal Movie Today

The story of bituminous coal will be presented in a film, "The Power Behind the Nation," by the Mineral Industries Society in the Art Gallery of the M. I. Building at 4 p.m. today.

ASCAP Representative



S. Stephenson Smith, above, educational counselor of ASCAP, will lecture on "The American Language—Words and Music" in Room 10 Sparks Building today at 4:10 p.m. The lecture is sponsored by Phi Mu Alpha and the Louise Homer Club, honorary music fraternities.

Debaters Attend National Meet

Three members of the Penn State debating squad, accompanied by Prof. Harold P. Zelko of the speech department, are in Chicago today where they are entered in the National Delta Sigma Rho Debate Convention being held April 3-5. Forty-three colleges in the United States will be represented at the tourney.

Thomas J. Burke '42, Gerald H. Doherty '42, and William E. Harkins '42 make the trip as the first team ever to represent Penn State. The convention is held once every two years.

Every school must submit a bill on the topic: "What Federal legislation should be adopted in regard to defense and housing." The convention is a parliamentary session that will adopt legislation. The representatives from the various schools will be appointed to different committees to work on the questions.

Booklet List Posted

A list indicating 800 newspapers, advertising agencies and other organizations to which the Journalism Placement Booklet was sent has been posted in Room 311 Old Main.

College Will Turn Over House Of Joseph Priestley To State

A famous international shrine of science, the home of Dr. Joseph Priestley, a property of the College since 1932, will be maintained by the State in the future if a bill introduced in the Senate by Sen. George Dietrick (Rep., Northumberland) yesterday is passed.

Located on the banks of the Susquehanna River in Northumberland, it is the same house in which Priestley, discoverer of oxygen, found refuge in America after he had been driven out of England because of his progressive religious and political teachings. He built the house in 1794, and lived in it until his death in 1804.

Although of general interest, the house and property of Priestley received no attention and was rapidly reaching a state where restoration and preserva-

Defense Theme Developed For College Circus

By ADOLF P. NAGELBERG

"Penn State on Parade," the third annual All-College Circus and the show that promises to top anything ever attempted on this campus, is now being whipped into production for its one night stand in Recreation Hall on Saturday, April 26, before an expected sell-out crowd.

With a red, white, and blue color scheme as the background, the Circus will represent the College's contributions to the national defense program in ala Billy Rose Aquacade style.

As an extra-added attraction, Bob Hoffman and his weight lifters will perform the feats that won them the world's weight-lifting championship. The star of the strong-man act will be John Grimak, selected as Mister America for his perfect physique. The York adonis will give an exhibition of his renowned muscle control act, and the way he controls them is worth the price of admission itself.

To avoid the usual last-minute rush, 2,500 reserved tickets at fifty cents will go on sale at Student Union on April 19. Out-of-town mail orders will be accepted. General admission tickets will be sold on the night of the performance.

EXTRA SPECIAL!

A 12-page issue of Collegian tomorrow, published for Interfraternity Ball weekend, will feature a complete list of out-of-town guests for the weekend, articles and special features on men's and women's fraternities, and complete dope on the weekend.

The copy will be one your IF Ball date will want to take home and one you will want to save, too. Plan now to get your extra copies at Student Union, the Sandwich Shop or the downtown news stands.

Blue Band Officers

Walter C. James '42 has been elected president of the Blue Band for 1941-42. Herbert F. Turnbull, Jr. '42 is manager; James W. Smith '42, secretary; and Albert A. Zimmer '42, librarian.

Meyers, McCrory Named Boxing, Wrestling Heads

Succeed Heck, Brand;
First Assistants Chosen

John H. Heck '41 will be succeeded by William O. Meyers '42 as boxing manager for 1941-42 and Raymond J. McCrory '42 will replace Jack W. Brand '41 as wrestling manager, it was announced yesterday.

Jerome H. Blakeslee, John W. Hanley, and Jesse J. Cohen, all sophomores, were named first assistants in boxing. Frank P. Mayberry '43 was elected freshman manager and Parker W. Finney '43 and Robert Lyman '43 were selected as alternates. Robert P. Brooks '42 and Robert F. Wilson '42 became associate managers.

The sophomores elected to wrestling assistantships are Robert Z. Torrence, William H. Scott Jr., and J. Edward Husted, first assistants; John L. Monks, freshman manager; Lynn Kippax and Robert H. Roy, alternates.

Varsity boxing letters were awarded to six seniors, three juniors, and three sophomores, and three special awards were made. Varsity wrestling awards were earned by five seniors, two juniors, and two sophomores, with four special letters also being awarded.

Ten freshman boxers and eleven yearling wrestlers were awarded numerals.

Boxing awards:
Varsity letters to Robert D. Baird '42, Lester H. Cohen '41, Victor W. Fiore '41, C. Homer Hoffman '42, James C. Lewis '41, Paul C. Mall '42, William C. Mazzocco '43, William T. Richards '43, Paul J. Scally '41, Frank W. Stanko '41 (captain), William F. Stanley '43, and John H. Heck '41 (manager).

Special boxing awards to William C. Salberg '41 and Andrew T. Walter '41 (associate managers).
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All Smoke, No Fire In Creamery

Billows of smoke in the Dairy Building were the major result of a burning belt on an ammonia compressor which was extinguished before the Alpha Fire Company arrived at the scene at 8:30 o'clock last night.

Although hot belts have occurred previously on the compressors which supply liquid ammonia for the refrigerating in the College Creamery, the trouble never before reached the alarm stage, according to George W. Ebert, superintendent of grounds and buildings.

Mr. Ebert said a stalled compressor or slipping belt may have caused the friction which resulted in the blaze.

Spring To Bring New Lion Coats

Now that spring's really nice weather seems here to stay, a change from the dull, heavy clothes of winter to the bright clothes of the season will soon be in order and the campus again will look fresh and colorful.

For the Seniors, a Lion's Coat, now on sale at downtown clothing stores, will be quite appropriate for campus wear. Although the sales for these coats have not been great up to now, the change to balmy, spring weather presents favorable outlook for increased sales.

Committeemen in charge of the sales suggest that Seniors purchase their coats before going home for Easter vacation. At home, they can decorate or have decorated their jackets with the usual adornments of feminine figures, cartoons, riddles, names, ditties, etc.

Then, upon their return to State College on April 16, they can blossom forth in their multi-colored, fanciful coats.

Pre-Meds Must Sign For Aptitude Test

The Association of American Medical Colleges' aptitude test will be given in Room 10 Sparks Building at 3 p. m. May 1.

All students who expect to apply for entrance to a medical school by fall of 1942 should take the test, which has been adopted by the association as one of the normal requirements for admission.

Pre-medical students should make application for the test immediately in Room 112 Pond Laboratory. A fee of \$1 will be charged upon registering.

Council Election

All students of the education and psychology department are urged to attend an election meeting of educational council representatives in Room 121 Sparks Building at 7 p.m. today. Freshmen and sophomores planning to enroll in the department are eligible to vote.

Portfolio On Sale

The new issue of Portfolio is now on sale at the Student Union office for ten cents. Copies may also be purchased from Portfolio staff members.

Bust On Display

"Friedel," sculptured bust recently acquired by the division of fine arts, is now on display in the Architectural Library, Room 301 Main Engineering.