

Second Mass Meeting Scheduled Next Tuesday

Organization Heads To Be Introduced

Freshman participation in extra-curricular activities will be explained by campus leaders in Schwab auditorium Tuesday evening, September 30, in the first of a series of five freshman mass meetings.

Constructive tips on activities, what they are, what they mean, and how freshmen will engage in them will be the theme of the program, Gerald F. Doherty, All-College president, and chairman of the planning committee, announced last night.

In addition to the introduction of student leaders, singing and cheering will be led by John W. Dague '41, head cheerleader.

Organization heads to be introduced are:

Gerald F. Doherty, All-College President; H. Leonard Krouse, senior class president; Jerome R. Blakeslee, junior class president; Jack R. Grey, sophomore class president; Thomas Henson '42, IFC chairman; Jean A. Krauser '42, Pan-hellenic president; Elden T. Shaut '42, IMA president; Mary Ellen Diehl '42, Philotes president; Jean Babcock '42, WSGA president; Arthur Peskoe '42, Penn State Club president; A. John Currier '43, PSCA co-president; Betty L. Zeigler '43, WRA president; Ross B. Lehman, Daily Collegian editor; and James W. Ritter, AA president.

Second class meeting planned by the Freshman welcoming committee, WSGA, PSCA, and All-College Cabinet, will be an information-please program when freshmen will have the opportunity to stump a board of experts composed of administrative heads and faculty members with questions concerning the campus.

87th College Year Starts Tomorrow

The College will start its 87th year tomorrow when more than 7000 students, including a new class of over 1500, begin their classwork.

The freshman class has been on the campus for nearly a week taking part in Freshman Week activities. This period is planned to acquaint new students with college life through campus tours, mass meetings, talks by College officials, and conferences with prominent upperclass students.

Registrar William S. Hoffman reports that Penn State's enrollment will not be seriously affected by the national emergency. The freshman class is approximately the same size as last year, and the enrollment drop in the upper classes is expected to be less than 500.

Alumni Homecoming Plans Completed

Plans were completed for Alumni Homecoming on October 10 and 11 at the fall meeting of the executive board of the Alumni Association Saturday evening.

In the absence of alumni president Earl E. Hewitt '02, vice-president B. C. "Casey" Jones '19 presided. The board decided to hold its next meeting on Friday evening, October 10, and scheduled a meeting of the Alumni Council for Saturday morning, October 11, at which G. W. "Daddy" Groff '07, back on the campus after representing Penn State at Lingnan University in China, will be honored.

All-College President Gerald F. Doherty '42 was present at the executive meeting Saturday night. The All-College Cabinet will meet with the board at its October 10th session.

Latin American Courses Offered

In conjunction with increased interest in Latin America on the part of American universities, two new courses dealing with the sister Americas are being offered on the campus for the first time this year.

History 22, taught by Dr. William H. Gray, will deal with Latin American history to 1820, to be followed next semester by History 23, Latin American history from 1820.

The second new course, offered by Dr. Henry J. Bruman, is Geography 410, the geography of Middle America, which will be followed next semester by Geography 411, dealing with South America.

Students interested in Latin America also have the choice of many other courses dealing more or less directly with the subject. Among these are courses in Commerce, Geography, History, Political Science, Spanish, and Spanish Literature.



NEW PROF—Dr. Stuart A. Mahuran, former director of the Creighton University School of Journalism, will replace Louis H. Bell as assistant professor of journalism. Mr. Bell is the new director of Engineering Defense Training publicity.

High Holiday Services

High Holiday services will be conducted at the Hillel Foundation, 133 W. Beaver avenue, at 9 a. m. today under the direction of Rabbi Benjamin M. Kahn, director.

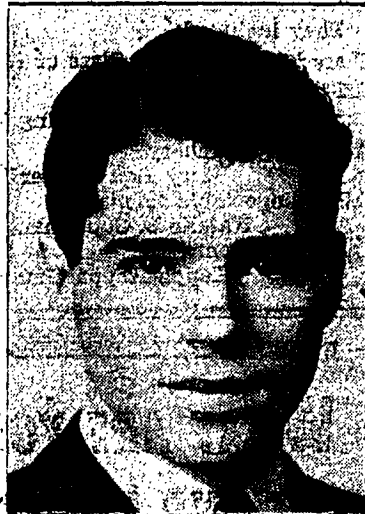
College Will Play Host To Accounting Clinic

Accounting problems related to the new state and federal tax laws as well as questions arising from the recent regulations on installment buying will receive consideration at the fourth annual Accounting Clinic to be held here October 3 and 4.

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NEW PREXY—Gerald F. Doherty, new All-College president, will be introduced to the freshmen at their second mass meeting next Tuesday evening.

Northern Lights

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form of a quiet arc extending from ESE to WNW, it quickly covered the northern half of the sky and finally took a rapidly pulsating drapery form.

The center point of the corona was 73 degrees elevation from the south and the display covered the whole sky down to 12 degrees elevation from the south.

The phenomenon lasted from early Thursday morning until 5:30 Friday morning.

"The September, 1938, display was more colorful but not so bright or rich in various forms," Dr. Neuberger said. "Nor was it as rapidly pulsating as the most recent one."

A display which probably escaped the layman's notice was visible at State College April 24, he added. Frequently such displays are merely a faint glow in the sky.

"Northern lights are more frequent and more brilliant near the spring and fall equinoxes," he explained, "because the magnetic equator of the earth is in a more favorable position in relation to the sun, and the electron rays of the sun are more readily caught by the magnetic field of the earth."

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