

Five Freshmen Baffle Experts At Mass Meeting

Five freshmen foiled campus experts at the "Information Please" program at the second freshman mass meeting in Schwab Auditorium last night. Four faculty and administrative representatives failed to respond five out of thirty times to queries on campus facts. The faculty panel had forgotten which year Penn State played in the Rose Bowl, the opponent and the score, which Frank Sanders wanted to know. Fred Ellsworth stumped them by asking who was governor when the College was founded.

Additional winners and their questions include:

Donald Bornman, "How many windows are there in Grange Dormitory?" Estelle Simon, "Which door do freshman women use to enter McAllister Hall dining room?" and Ray Geher, "How many milking cows does the College own?"

Winners had choice of a semester subscription to The Daily Collegian, a ticket to the Penn State Players' production of "The Male Animal," or a ticket to the Thespians' fall show.

Joseph F. O'Brian, associate professor of public speaking, was interrogator. Panel members included Adrian O. Morse, assistant to the president in charge of resident instruction; Harry P. Seamans, PSCA general secretary; Robert E. Galbraith, associate professor of English composition; and Mrs. J. Ewing Kennedy, wife of the Thespians' director.

Also included on the program were announcements by A. John Currier '42, PSCA co-president and master of ceremonies; a song session with James McAdams leading and John W. Harkins '42, accompanying on the piano; and piano selections by Andrew P. Szekeley '42.

Mr. O'Brian said, "Spirit at the meeting was pretty good as freshmen showed interest and cooperation."

Late News Flashes

ANKARA, Turkey—Turkish officials reported the movement of large German mechanized units from Greece into Rumania for use on the Russian front to replace heavy tank losses suffered in the campaign by the Nazis.

ANKARA, Turkey — Germany threatened to break off trade relations with Turkey unless Turkey yields to German demands for a monopoly on Turkish exportation of chromium.

BERLIN—German hostage executions throughout Europe were greatly increased tonight with the execution of twelve Rumanian officers and hundreds of Greeks, Belgians and Czechs.

WASHINGTON — Secretary Hull announced tonight that Finland will be considered a belligerent enemy of the democracies unless she discontinues fighting beyond the Finnish territories recaptured from Russia.

No Dinks In Library

It is not necessary for freshman men to wear their dinks in the Library or other campus buildings, Raymond F. Leffler '42, chairman of Tribunal, announced last night.

ROTC Will Let Juniors Audit Advanced Course

Colonel E. D. Ardery announced last night that the military department will accept a limited number of auditors for the advanced ROTC course. Applicants must be regularly enrolled juniors who have completed the basic course.

No college credit will be given, and the auditors must pay their own expenses. If there is a withdrawal in the advanced course, an auditor may secure a commission if he meets the mental, physical, and leadership requirements of the War Department.

Anyone desiring additional information should contact Lieut. Jack H. Weske, Room 3, Armory.

Hort Show Here Alumni Weekend

The 14th annual Penn State Horticultural Show will be held in the Stock Judging Pavilion from 6 p. m. Friday through 5 p. m. Sunday as a feature of Alumni Weekend. Admission will be free.

Sponsored by the departments of horticulture, landscape architecture, and home economics, the show will have exhibits in fields ranging from highway planning to special nutrition.

Officers in charge of the show are Robert A. Powers '42, manager; Coleman J. Duell '43, assistant manager; Wayne Cronk '43, treasurer; James B. Vosters '44, publicity; George H. Armstrong '43, materials.

Chairmen of committees are John M. Phillips '42, pomology; Drew Schwartz '42, vegetable gardening; Finley B. Jones '42 and Henry J. Eavis '42, ornamental horticulture; William J. Brown '42, plant breeding; Wayne Cronk '43, flower arrangement; Robert J. Mueller '43, landscape architecture; Samuel G. Fisher, naturalistic exhibit; Harry J. Furman '43 and Stanley Pietzman, home economics exhibit; John H. Knode '42 and Robert S. Weitzenkorn '42, textile chemistry; Thomas F. Becker '43 and W. Bradford Johnson '43, concessions.

Hebrew Classes Offered

Hebrew classes will be sponsored this semester for beginners and intermediates by Rabbi Benjamin M. Kahn, Hillel Foundation Director. The non-fee courses will be open to all students on campus. All those interested should sign up this week at the Foundation, 133 W. Beaver ave.

21st Alumni Homecoming Starts Friday

Hundreds of Penn State "grads" will take over the town on Friday to celebrate their 21st annual Alumni Homecoming, the fall season's first big weekend which will be complete with a pep rally, cider party, golf tournament, dinners, alumni meetings, and three athletic contests.

Alumni registration is scheduled for the first floor lounge in Old Main on Friday and Saturday. The annual Varsity Club Dinner will be given at 6:30 p. m. Friday, with special recognition to the football team of 1911-12. William Hollenbach, of the University of Pennsylvania, who coached the team, will be the guest speaker. "Pete" Mauthe, "Shorty" Miller, and "Al" Wilson, grid stars of those seasons, will be present.

O. F. Smith, 57, Retired Dean, Dies In Boalsburg

O. F. Smith, 57, retired assistant dean of the School of Chemistry and Physics died early yesterday morning at his Boalsburg home after an illness of nearly a year.

A graduate of the College in 1911, Professor Smith was appointed an instructor of physics in 1912. After teaching at the University of the Philippines for three years, he returned to the College as assistant professor of physics.

He lectured at Queen's University, Canada, during the World War, returning in 1920. He became professor of physics and assistant dean of the School of Chemistry and Physics in 1928.

Professor Smith was a Fellow in the American Association for the Advancement of Science and a member of the American Association of Physics Teachers. He belonged to Sigma Pi Sigma, Alpha Epsilon Delta, and Phi Kappa Phi, professional societies.

An advisor to pre-medical students and societies, Professor Smith brought many outstanding medical men to the campus. He retired last May.

Funeral services will be held at his Boalsburg home at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mildred B. Smith, and five children. They are Oscar F. Smith, Baltimore; Mrs. Howard L. Peck, Lewistown; Mrs. Robert L. Glenn, Lock Haven; and David F. Smith and John F. Smith, Boalsburg.

Relations Club Invites Students To Meeting

Organized for discussion and analysis of foreign and domestic affairs, the International Relations Club will hold an open meeting for all students in 3 Sparks Building at 7 o'clock tonight.

Proposed amendments to the neutrality act will be discussed. Supervised by John A. Ferguson of the political science department, the club will take part in an exchange panel discussion with Lehigh University during Thanksgiving vacation.

Banquet Postponed

The annual banquet of the Campus Center Club, originally scheduled for tonight, has been indefinitely postponed by the club's faculty advisor, David B. Pugh, supervisor of the undergraduate centers. No reason was given.

Co-chairmen Announce Formal Soph Hop

Soph Hop, in keeping with fall houseparty standards, will be formal this year, Jack J. Bard '44 and R. Kemp Noble '44, dance co-chairmen, announced yesterday.

To better insure the financial success of Soph Hop, the dance has been scheduled for the same weekend as fraternity houseparties. The Hop, featuring Jan Savitt and his Top Hatters, will be Friday night, November 7. Most of the fraternities plan to hold formal closed dances Saturday night.

Admission for Soph Hop will be \$3.85 per couple. Dancing will be in Rec Hall from 9 p. m. to 2 a. m.

First IFC Meeting Set For Tonight

A reorganization meeting of the Interfraternity Council will be held at the Phi Kappa Tau fraternity at 7:30 o'clock tonight, Thomas J. L. Henson '42, president, announced last night.

A report of the annual pledge banquet, held at the Nittany Lion Inn Sunday night, will be given by committee chairman Robert F. Wilson '42.

Discussion of the rushing code will be held with recommendations and suggestions to cure faults found in the code this year brought out. Action will probably be taken on the recommendations.

IFC advisor, Prof. Sheldon C. Tanner, will report on the scholarship cup question which would divide the social fraternities and the semi-professional fraternities into two groups with a cup to be given to the highest ranking fraternity in each group.

A rushing season resume will be given by Prof. John H. Ferguson, and a report of the Judiciary Committee will also be given.

Struck Named Advisor To New Magazine

Dr. F. Theodore Struck, head of the department of industrial education, has just been appointed to the advisory board of a new professional magazine, "School Shop."

The magazine is sponsored by the publishers of the "Education Digest." Lawrence W. Praken is the editor.

Officers Elected

Recently elected Miles Street dormitory officers are Claire Bernstein '42, president; Martha J. Haverstick '44, vice-president; Hannah L. Peebles '44, secretary-treasurer.

Doherty Appoints Traffic Board, Senate Groups

Appointments to the Senate committee, Traffic Board, and the Scholarship committee, made by Gerald F. Doherty '42, All-College president, were among those approved by Cabinet at its second meeting last night.

Senate committee appointees include: Calendar committee—Claire Bernstein '42, and Robert V. Kelley '42; Student Welfare—R. Glenn Alexander '42, and Betty A. Bischoff '42; Public Occasions—Coleman Bender '42, and Elizabeth C. Rose '42.

Students appointed to the Traffic Board were Warren W. Parke '42, chairman, Neal C. Bitting '42, Gladys E. Fitting '43, John J. Long '42, Harold J. Raab '42, Thomas E. Wilcox '44, and Gilbert D. Zuccharini '43.

Scholarship committee appointments made by Doherty were John B. Cramp '44, Frank R. Flynn '43, and Robert W. Wasser '42. Other selections also approved by Cabinet include: Betty L. Zeigler '42, secretary pro-tem; Robert B. Jeffrey '42, Cabinet liaison officer to Samuel K. Hostetter, assistant to the president in charge of business and finance.

Following a discussion of the budget for this year, Cabinet decided to invite Neil M. Fleming, interclass treasurer, to appear at next Tuesday's meeting to explain and discuss the interclass budget system.

To study a preliminary set of by-laws, which may be later added to the constitution, will be the purpose of the committee composed of Ross B. Lehman '42, Jean C. Babcock '42, A. John Currier '42, Doherty, H. Leonard Krouse '42, and Elden T. Shaut '42.

Doherty announced that all school councils must meet prior to the next Cabinet meeting, in order to draw up a tentative budget and plan a list of activities for this year.

A resolution to commend the services given by Fred Waring to Penn State will be drawn up by a committee including Lehman, Babcock, Jeffrey and Richard N. Stevenson '42.

Fewer Dispensary Calls Last Month

The number of patients treated at the dispensary in September dropped from 3791 last year to 3059 this year, probably because of the week's postponement of College, Dr. Joseph P. Ritenour, health service head has reported.

However there were 32 patients in the infirmary for a total of 89 days last month as compared with 25 patients for 54 days a year ago September. A large proportion of these patients were football players.

There were 572 out-patient calls made last month and 36 excuses issued. The largest number of dispensary calls were for physical examinations, which totaled 1700 as compared with last year's 1648.

One reason for the increase in the number of patients treated at the infirmary, Dr. Ritenour suggested, was that because of the infantile paralysis scare, the students were willing to go to bed if they were sick.

Hold Exchange Dinner

A Wiley Dorm-Penn Haven exchange dinner has been arranged for this evening by a committee from both houses. Dinner will be served at 5:30 o'clock.