

Baird Regains All-College Presidency

Dan DeMarino Named Assistant Dean Of Men

Dan A. DeMarino '38, formerly part-time assistant in physical education, was appointed to the newly-created position of assistant dean of men yesterday by President Ralph D. Hetzel.

The position was made necessary by the growth of the College from 3000 men students in 1919, when A. R. Warnock first became dean of men, to the present enrollment of 4761 men students on the campus.

"Mr. DeMarino's primary duties will be to maintain contacts with social organizations and organize student activities to an extent not possible before," Dean Warnock commented yesterday.

"He will not be held to office duties for any considerable period during the day, but will do most of his work outside. Personally, I am glad to have this opportunity to make Danny useful not only to the College staff, but also to the student body."

The office of assistant dean of men will be in 305 Old Main, where also are located the offices of Robert D. Baird '42, All-College President; Elden T. Shaut '42, IMA President; and Raymond F. Leffler '42, Student Tribunal head.

Agitation for an assistant dean of men was begun last October by the Student Housing Board to better coordinate housing, fraternity, and non-fraternity problems.

The Housing Board's proposal was then considered by All-College Cabinet and presented to President Hetzel, who stated he was convinced that the problem of additional help in the dean's office was of genuine significance. In addition Dean Warnock had already asked for two field workers or one trained assistant.

As an undergraduate at Penn State, DeMarino was a varsity football letterman three years, and a member of Druids, Parmi Nous, Student Board, Student Council, and Phi Epsilon Kappa.

English Teachers To Meet Here

Between 100 and 200 teachers are expected to attend the first conference on the teaching of English in the secondary school to be held here on November 1, it was announced today by Miss Mary Jane Wyland, associate professor of education, chairman of the committee arranging the program.

Sponsored cooperatively by the Pennsylvania branch of the National Council of English Teachers and the School of Education, the conference is described as "a day of shop talk for teachers, supervisors, and principals in the secondary schools."

Featured speaker at the luncheon meeting will be Dr. Dora V. Smith, past president of the National Council of English Teachers and professor of education at the University of Minnesota.

The morning program will include demonstrations of what happens to a pupil at the College reading and speech clinics, how a teacher uses choral speaking, and new uses of motion pictures, phonograph records, textbooks, and other materials of instruction.

Defense Training Program Topic Of Radio Discussion

A 15-minute transcribed round-table discussion of the fall engineering defense training program of the College's extension services will be broadcast over station WMRF in Lewistown, 1490 kilocycles, at 7:15 p. m. tonight.

Those who will participate in the discussion are Dr. Joseph W. Bird, in charge of placement for the training program; Dean Harry P. Hammond of the School of Engineering; E. L. Keller, director of engineering extension; J. Orvis Keller, assistant to the president in charge of extension; and Raymond W. Tyson, instructor in public speaking, who is the announcer. The transcription was made by Dr. Herbert Koepp-Baker, associate professor of speech.

12 Appointments Made To Faculty

President Ralph D. Hetzel yesterday announced 12 new appointments to the resident faculty of the College.

New instructors and their subjects include Lester P. Guest, education and psychology; Katherine M. Norman, home economics and art education; Gordon W. O'Brien, English composition; Ralph Porter Benz, mathematics; and Paul R. Beah, public speaking.

Research assistants appointed are Paul M. Corbett, ceramics; Edward G. Foehr and Joseph J. Wehrle, petroleum refining.

Part-time instructors named are L. A. Peacock, English literature; E. O. Ramler, chemistry; and T. L. Cannon, Jr., institutional administration.

Also included is the appointment of Dan A. DeMarino to the newly-created position of Assistant Dean of Men.

Hal Societies Plan For Winter Program

Two junior and senior hal societies, Parmi Nous and Skull and Bones, will meet this week to determine their winter programs and set dates for future activities, it was announced yesterday.

Charles F. Mattern '42, president, revealed that Skull and Bones will meet at the Phi Delta Theta fraternity at 7 o'clock tonight and Parmi Nous will meet at the Phi Kappa fraternity at 8 o'clock tomorrow night, William F. Finn '42, announced.

Frosh Discuss Dink Courtesy

Are freshmen required to wear their dinks in campus buildings and buildings in town? It was this question which sparked a heated discussion at last night's fourth freshman mass meeting in Schwab Auditorium.

During the panel discussion, the problem of his courtesy arose. Mrs. Elizabeth W. Dye, associate professor of home economics, mentioned that it was against rules of courtesy for men to wear hats indoors and asked whether the freshmen were required to wear dinks during mass meetings.

Everett Catlin '45 rose in defense of his classmates on the point and quoted from the freshman bible that dinks shall be worn at all indoor athletic contests and mass meetings.

Mrs. Dye voiced her dislike of this rule and when she asked for a show of hands, a great majority signaled their objection to the rule. Raymond F. Leffler '42, chairman of tribunal, could not be reached last night for a statement concerning this custom.

Besides the problem of courtesy, personal etiquette, dating problems and personal appearance were discussed by the board of seven experts headed by Harold P. Zelko, instructor in public speaking, and including Mrs. Dye; Ruth H. Zang, assistant dean of women; W. E. Kenworthy, executive secretary to the president; Dr. Kingsley R. Smith, assistant professor of psychology; Sarah P. Searle '42, and A. John Currier '42, PSCA Cabinet co-presidents.

Walter N. Shambach '42, chairman of the PSCA committee on public meetings, who served as master of ceremonies, announced that at next week's meeting which will be the last in this series, Dr. Robert G. Bernreuter, head of the department of psychology, will speak on "Personality and the Freshman." Miriam L. Rhein '43, Penn State's singing coed, will also appear.

ROTC Inspection Slated

Col. Edward D. Ardery, head of College ROTC, has announced that Col. F. G. Kellond, chief of Civilian Components for 3rd Corps Area will inspect both ROTC Corps today. He also stated that there would be an engineering parade at 4 p. m., October 29 and an infantry parade at 4 p. m., October 27.



STEPS ASIDE — Gerald F. Doherty '42 resigned his post of All-College president last night at Cabinet meeting in favor of Robert D. Baird '42, president elect, who returned to College Monday after gaining deferment from the draft. Baird will assume his office immediately.

Alderfer Studies County Voting

The possibility of predicting how Pennsylvania will vote in a Presidential election by polling strategic counties is indicated in a study just published by Dr. Harold F. Alderfer, executive secretary of the Institute of Local Government, and Robert M. Sigmond, graduate student.

The Democratic vote since 1920 in Indiana and Somerset counties, for example, has been consistently about ten per cent below the state's Democratic average, the study showed: Therefore if more than four of ten voters in these counties vote Democratic, the state as a whole will probably go Democratic on the basis of its past voting behavior.

"If it were possible to take an intensive poll of such counties before the next Presidential election, we should have a fairly accurate measure of the political temper of the state," Dr. Alderfer said. "Results can not be guaranteed, however, as new issues and personalities may throw even these percentages out of line though they have not done so in the past."

Although there was no division between urban and rural voting in 1920, by 1940 there was an almost identical correlation between urban areas and Democratic voting, Dr. Alderfer pointed out.

Doherty Resigns Post In Favor Of Deferred Prexy

Robert D. Baird '42 is again All-College president, following the resignation last night of Gerald F. Doherty '42, who was installed as president three weeks ago after Baird did not return to College at the beginning of this year.

Baird, who returned Monday after being granted deferment from the draft, was officially recognized as the All-College president at Cabinet meeting last night. The change was brought about by a "gentlemen's agreement" between Baird and Doherty, because no provision is made in the constitution, which would bear on the unusual situation of having two student presidents.

In taking over the chairmanship of Cabinet, Baird remarked, "I wish to commend Jerry for the fine work he has been doing. I have heard no complaints, and that is something that one may say of very few legislative bodies. Above all, I'm certainly glad to be back at State."

All-College elections committee appointments, made by Chairman A. Pat Nagelberg '42 were also approved by Cabinet. They include Jean Babcock '42; Donald W. Davis, Jr., '43; William F. Finn '42; Thomas J. Henson '42; Janet Herzog '42; H. Leonard Krouse '42; Raymond F. Leffler '42; Ross B. Leaman '42; Charles F. Mattern '42; William O. Meyers '42; Alice M. Murray '42; Sara L. Miller '43; Jeanne C. Stiles '42; and Doherty and Jerome H. Blakeslee '43, ex-officio members.

Three additional by-laws to the constitution, which were introduced by Lehman, received Cabinet's approval. Beginning next year, a new system will be used to determine membership on the All-College elections committee. According to the old plan, each chairman appointed his committee as well as his own successor for the

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News Flashes

WASHINGTON — The sinking of the freighter Lehigh in the South Atlantic and of the Bold Venture, an American-owned ship registered under the Panama flag, off the coast of Iceland spurred action for repeal of the Neutrality act and arming of merchant ships.

WASHINGTON — W. Averill Harriman, after conferring with President Roosevelt, said that he believes Russia will continue to fight, but that immense supplies, ammunition, and machinery are needed.

MOSCOW — The Russians report that they are holding the Germans off in furious tank battles raging on three sides of the city. The Germans are reported to be 65 to 100 miles from the city.

VICHY — Fifty hostages were shot in occupied France for the killing of the German military commander in Nantes, France.

WASHINGTON — Secretary of Agriculture Claude Wickard, appearing before the senate banking committee, said that price charts indicate that we are following the same course of ruinous inflation as we did during the last war. He said that he favors proposed legislation for price control, but that the best way to control inflation is through increased production.

Full-Size Shrine Model On Display

On the mezzanine of Old Main crouches a 600-pound Nittany mountain lion. It is the full-size plaster model of the Lion Shrine as designed by Heinz Warneke, sculptor commissioned by the class of 1940.

Glaring eyes, taut muscles, and a ponderous tail identify the powerful symbol of Penn State. "This model with its strong lines is most suited to represent a great university," Mr. Warneke said after helping nine other men carry the three-times life-size model up the Old Main stairs.

The actual Shrine will be placed between Rec Hall and New Beaver Field to the right of the steps in front of the Water Tower. Carving will be started next Spring and until then the model will remain in Old Main.

The model faces the Land Grant Mural of Henry Varnum Poor. Observing this, Mr. Warneke remarked, "This trend toward the understanding of contemporary art is something of which both the College and the students should be very proud."

"We hope the students will regard both the model and the shrine as lasting art works. We have absolute confidence in their integrity. Student observation of the actual carving in the spring will be welcome at all times."

Mr. Warneke expects actual carving to take about half a year. He has already spent many months studying animal anatomy. Delay in getting suitable plaster for the final model alone delayed him a month and a half.

The approach of cold weather

prohibits the start of carving and because Mr. Warneke's contract stipulates that his work shall be done before the students he will be unable to continue his plans for several months.

"Roughing out" of a huge block of Indiana limestone will be done by quarry workers and then completed by Mr. Warneke on the site selected yesterday.

The figure will have a natural setting with evergreen trees serving as a background. Some of the trees now standing will be taken away to fashion a clear vista. Natural boulders will be used as a base.

A walk will cross in front of the Shrine and continue from the stairs to the Water Tower. Thomas W. Sears, landscape architect advising the College, hopes to elim-

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