

LONDON—Great Britain declared war on Finland, Hungary, and Bulgaria last night. London officials said that the declaration came as a result of the three countries refusing to cease their undeclared war on Russia. A British ultimatum delivered to the three capitals expired last night at midnight.

WASHINGTON—The House of Representatives passed a bill appropriating eight billion dollars more for defense by a 309 to 5 vote. The bill now goes to the Senate where administration leaders hope to push it through quickly. Of this total, \$1,556,000,000 will be spent on Lend-Lease appropriations to the Allies. If this bill passes the Senate, the fourteen billion dollar mark will have been passed in Lend-Lease appropriations.

MOSCOW—Russian officials declared last night that the Nazi drive on the Russian capital had been stopped at strategic points. However, a few villages to the North have fallen into German hands. Both sides admitted that the sub-zero weather has slowed progress in the Russian campaign. According to a Russian communique, more than 200 have been recaptured in the south during the great Russian counter-offensive west of Rostov.

NYA Allotment Cut For Defense

To meet a 20 per cent decrease in the federal appropriation for NYA work, students holding NYA jobs will receive a "substantial reduction" in the number of hours they are permitted to work, it was announced last night by Stanley E. Maddox, administrative assistant to the president.

The reduction in the number of hours will be even greater than 20 per cent, Mr. Maddox stated, because the NYA office operated on the basis of the original allocation during the first two pay periods.

"Our only alternative to decreasing each individual's working time," Mr. Maddox said, "would have been to drop about 150 students from the student work program, which would in turn disrupt many work projects now in operation."

As an additional economy measure, new assignments of students and no reassignments may be made until after January 31. Only students who were employed before November 21 may be paid for further services this semester.

The money diverted from the NYA appropriation by the federal government will be set aside for defense purposes.

Library Opens Exhibit Of London Artprints

Nearly 60 artprints from the Redfern Galleries in London will be displayed in the Library until December 25. The prints reached the United States despite war conditions and have been in circulation in the country for several months.

The group includes oils, etchings, and lithographs showing landscapes, flowers, animals and figures done by such noted artists as Marie Laurencin, Marietta Lydis, Ethel L. Spowers, Christopher Reynolds, Stanley Hudson, Sybil Andrews, Margaret Bernard, and Paul Edmunds. The exhibit is being circulated by Blanche A. Byerly of Connecticut.

Other artists whose works are shown are M. Alleyne, Dorrit Black, Alice M. Coates, M. Colyer, Dudley Holland, Blair Hughes-Stanton, Harold Jones, Edith Lawrence, Winifred M. McKenzie, Cyril Power, K. Roberts, and F. Sullivan.

250 Musicians In Christmas Vesper Service

Following a custom of many years the College Choir of 100 voices, under the direction of Prof. Richard W. Grant, will present its annual Christmas Vesper Service in Recreation Hall at 4 p. m. Sunday, December 14. Nearly 250 musicians will participate in the program.

A new feature of the service will be the appearance for the first time of the Glee Club, the Blue Band, and a special brass quartet on the program.

College Chaplain John H. Frizel will preside at the service.

The complete program:

Prelude: "March of the Kings," Bizet; Penn State Blue Band, Prof. Hummel Fishburn, director.
Doxology: Invocation and Lord's Prayer.

Choir and Mens' Glee Club: "The First Noel"; Prof. Richard W. Grant, director.

Hymn: "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear."

Choir: "Harken, Harken, Mother Dear," Czech carol; "On the Mountain," Upper Silesian carol; "Carol of the Bells," Ukrainian carol.

Scripture.

Choir: "Noel," Wilson.

Hymn: "We Three Kings of Orient Are."

Choir: "God Rest You Merry Gentlemen."

Prayer: Response "Silent Night."

Offertory: "In Dulci Jubilo," The Blue Band.

Choir: "The Shepherd's Story," Dickinson.

Hymn: "Joy to the World," Handel.

Benediction.

Postlude: finale from "Second Organ Symphony," Widor; Mrs. Irene Osborne Grant, organist.

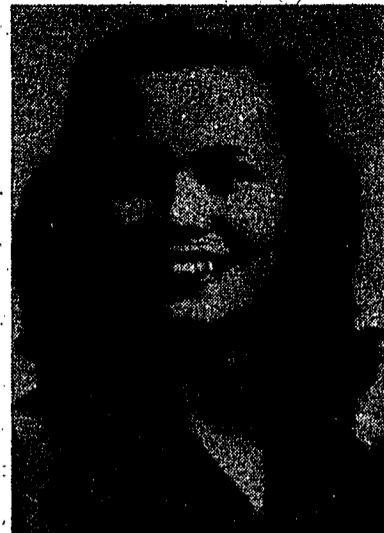
Co-ops, PSCA Bring Movie To Campus

"The Co-ops Are Coming," a 40-minute sound movie dealing with the growing cooperative movement in the United States, will be shown through the efforts of PSCA and the Co-op societies in the Home Economics Auditorium at 8 p. m. Monday.

Following the movie there will be a discussion by Richard H. Waters, assistant professor of economics; Howard R. Cottam, assistant professor of rural sociology; and John Ferguson, assistant professor of political science.



HER MAJESTY WILL REIGN—Betty Rose Broderick '44, left, and Elizabeth H. Christman '44, right, are the candidates for the crown of Harvest Ball Queen at the dance in the Armory tonight when voting returns are announced. Walt James' orchestra will play for the affair from 9 p. m. to 12 midnight.



Students Select Leon Rabinowitz For Allen Show

"The only happier man in State College is the bursar," said Leon Rabinowitz '43 when he was announced last night as the choice of the student body to represent Penn State on the Fred Allen show. "I want to thank all who voted for me, including my creditors," he added.

Rabinowitz, who received 61 per cent of a Talent Night vote among Shirley Ives '45, Donald R. Taylor '42, and himself, will go to New York Monday, January 5, to rehearse for an appearance on the Fred Allen program January 7. He will also receive a \$200 award.

"Any one of those kids would have been swell for Fred's show" was the opinion of Fred Allen's representative, James Harkins, who served 35 years in vaudeville and seven years with the Allen program. "Miss Ives is much better than most singers we've heard at other universities," he commented, "and Don Taylor is excellent."

Harkins again listened to auditions of the trio of Talent Show finalists and several additional campus performers last night "in order to make a better report to Fred." The one-time minstrel sang several songs representative of vaudeville eras after the auditions.

Rabinowitz' performance consisted of impersonations of Walter Winchell, Edgar G. Robinson, Carmen Lombardo, Morton Downey, Al Jolson, Rudy Vallee and Bing Crosby. He will entertain at the annual smoker of Sigma Delta Chi, journalism honorary, at the Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity at 7:30 p. m. Monday.

Shirley Ives sang "Jim" and "Homing" for the Fred Allen representative. Taylor's act was a dramatic monologue, "Air Raid," by Archibald MacLeish.

125 More Artists' Course Tickets Will Be Placed On Sale Monday

Outsiders May Buy Any Unclaimed Seats

A final chance to purchase 125 remaining Artists' Course tickets will be given to students and faculty members on Monday, Dr. Carl E. Marquardt, Course chairman, announced last night.

The tickets will be placed on sale at the Athletic Association ticket window Monday from 8 a. m. until 5 p. m. Tickets not purchased at Monday's sale, Marquardt warned, will be used to fill outside orders.

"The committee would prefer, however, to have Penn Staters occupy every possible seat," Marquardt said, "for we are convinced that the Artists' Course offers an adventure in culture not often equalled."

The Course chairman stressed the desirability of purchasing seats in series instead of for specific numbers. "Even if a few single admissions are available," he explained, "the cost of four admissions bought separately will be \$12.10."

Any single tickets on hand for Marian Anderson's concert will cost \$3.85 each, tax paid, according to Marquardt. Single seats available for the other three programs will cost \$2.75, including tax.

Flynn Heads '43 Clique

Frank R. Flynn was elected chairman and Joyce R. Brown, secretary, of the '43 Independent clique last night at a meeting in 418 Old Main.

Midyear Graduation Planned Jan. 30

Approximately 145 students will receive bachelor and advanced degrees at the Midyear Commencement, scheduled for January 30, 1942, William S. Hoffman, registrar and secretary of the College Senate, announced yesterday.

Forty candidates are from the Liberal Arts School, 39 from the Graduate School, 29 from Education, 20 from Agriculture, 12 from Engineering, 3 from Chemistry and Physics, and 2 from Mineral Industries.

Wilmer E. Kenworthy, executive secretary, office of the president, announced that no definite arrangements have been made as yet regarding a speaker for the occasion.

College Art Gallery Offers Two Exhibits

Two exhibits are now hanging in the College Art Gallery, 303 Main Engineering, and will remain there until December 19, Francis E. Hyslop, assistant professor of fine arts, announced yesterday.

One of the exhibits is a group of 25 photos by Berniece Abbott, circulated by the American Federation of Arts and called "Changing New York." They depict the finely toned life of New York City. The other exhibit is made up of work in various media by State students in the fine arts honorary fraternity, Pi Gamma Alpha.

Committee Locates Graduates, Faculty Men In Army Camps

(Editor's note: This is the fourth in a series of articles explaining the work of the campus subcommittees of the civilian defense program.)

A vital part of the morale-building program, that of maintaining contact with the steadily increasing number of Penn State men scattered over the country by the national emergency is being carried out by the committee on contacts with faculty, students, and alumni in the armed services.

Under the chairmanship of Edward K. Hibshman, executive secretary of the Alumni Association, the committee has set up a card file of all Penn State men in the service of whom there are available records. The committee already knows the whereabouts of College men in 74 army camps extending from Puerto Rico to Washington and from the Philippines to Iceland, and is receiving more information daily.

The chief obstacle, and a rather serious one facing the committee is the constant shifting of men from camp to camp. This may be overcome to a considerable extent, Chairman Hibshman

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Peters Voted PiKa Head

Oliver J. Peters '42 was elected president, Joseph A. Dixon '42, vice-president, Wilbur D. Moffat '42, treasurer, and Harold E. Machamer '43, house manager of Pi Kappa Alpha in elections held early this week.

Post-War Conditions Stressed

"In view of the present international emergency, emphasis on these unusual conditions should not be stressed to such an extent that sight is lost of the post-war world and all its problems which will inevitably come."

Different phases of this general opinion were expressed by three men on our campus, all of whom see the present crisis from a different angle: Edward Steidle, dean of Mineral Industries; Col. Edward D. Ardery, ROTC head; and Dr. Charles C. Wagner, assistant dean of Liberal Arts.

"Students enrolled in Liberal Arts' courses should not be blinded by the seemingly greater opportunities in technical fields at the present time," Wagner pointed out. "A long range view must be taken. When the emergency is over there will be a

great reduction in technological jobs and those with a Liberal Arts' education will be in demand," he said.

Wagner added that draft boards are also realizing more and more the worth of the Liberal Arts' student, as indicated by the increase in the number of these students receiving deferments to complete their educations.

Also appalling for students and educators to look beyond the present crisis, Dean Steidle pointed out that we must educate our youth as much to solve the problems of the future as those immediately confronting us. "Some of today's students will live to see the year 2000," he said, "and the problems of this post-war era will be even more difficult and of longer duration than our present ones. There will be crests of prosperity

and valleys of depression in the industrial re-organization of our country, and," he suggested, "even new conflicts in international relations may appear."

The average man's idea that military training includes merely toting guns, keeping in step and learning to drill is false according to Colonel Ardery. "Military training is of such a nature as to be just as helpful in civilian life as in military service," he said.

Thus military experience is not a waste of time but, Ardery believes, a valuable asset to living in any walk of life. "In training to be an officer," he concluded, "traits that make good citizens are stressed continually, such as the following: character, dignity, endurance, judgment, loyalty, morale, logic, accuracy, energy, and a source of humor."