

## New Registrants Need Preliminary Forms For 'R-Day'

Students and members of the College faculty and staff who must register for the Selective Service in the Armory Monday were reminded yesterday that they must first obtain a preliminary registration blank at Student Union. This blank must be filled out and presented when the individual appears for registration.

Arrangements for the registering of approximately 2,000 students and College employees between the ages of 20 and 45 will be completed today when 90 members of the faculty and administrative staff will be sworn in as registrars.

Although registration will be conducted from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m., Edward K. Hibshman, chairman of the registration committee, has requested registrants to report from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. in the following alphabetical sections:

A through Car, 11 a. m. to 12 noon; Cas through Far, 1 to 2 p. m.; Fas through Hep, 2 to 3 p. m.; Heq through Lav, 10 to 11 a. m.; Law through M, 3 to 4 p. m.; N through Rus, 9 to 10 a. m.; Rut through Te, 4 to 5 p. m.; Th through Z, 8 to 9 a. m.

Students will be excused from classes for the time required for their registration. Faculty members and power plant employees may register at the noon hour or some other convenient time if the schedule interferes with their duties.

Provision will be made for the registering of those persons who are sick, but registration headquarters in the Armory should be informed by telephone as soon as possible by those unable to report because of illness.

Draft eligibles were warned that the responsibility for registering is entirely up to the individual, and that failure to register draws a severe penalty.

## STCD Registration Due Before March

Registration and classes in the Student Training for Civilian Defense short courses will begin the last week in February or in March, according to an announcement last night by Millard T. Bunnell, coordinator of the STCD program.

Announcement of the exact day of registration is being delayed, Mr. Bunnell explained, until bulletins giving full particulars about the courses return from the printers and are distributed to the students.

Two more courses, Community Organization and Leadership and Office Methods, have been added, bringing the total to 47. Partial descriptions of some of the other courses follow:

**Defense Publicity.** Designed for students interested in publicity writing, this course will meet once a week for six weeks, and teach techniques used in departments of defense information.

**Aerial Photograph Reading.** This course will give the layman a basic working knowledge of the uses of, and an appreciation of methods used in airplane identification, speed and altitude estimation, and estimation of airplane flight. It will be completed after four and one-half hours of classes.

## Assistant Managers Elected For Gymnasts

John F. Gorgol, Homer D. Winter, Jr., and Robert E. Gegenheimer, all sophomores, were elected to the positions of first assistant managers in gymnastics, it was announced last night by Neil H. Fleming, graduate manager of athletics.

Freshman manager for the coming season is Harold F. Bucher '44 while no alternate managers have been chosen yet for the tumbling squad.

## Debaters Face Heavy Schedule

After a full day's activity Thursday, with students from Lock Haven State Teachers College, Penn State's never-resting debaters will plunge right back into forensic activities today, when they defend their title of co-champion at the Shippensburg State Teachers College Debate Tournament, at Shippensburg. Monday two members of the team will leave on the team's annual "New York" tour.

Eight members of the team made the trip to Shippensburg where they will meet colleges and universities from Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Virginia, Maryland and the District of Columbia. All activities will be based on the current debate topic, "Resolved that the federal government should control by law all labor unions in the United States, constitutionally conceded."

Carroll P. Blackwood '44, Howard Harmon '44, Earl R. Booser '43, Bernard M. Weinberg '43, Milton Calig '43, R. Warburton Miller '43, Robert T. Kimmel '44, and Morris Beck '43 are representing Penn State at this tournament.

Monday morning, Weinberg, Gerald F. Doherty '42 and Coach Joseph F. O'Brien, associate professor of public speaking, will leave on a week's road trip.

University of Pennsylvania will be met in Philadelphia, on Monday. Tuesday morning the team will engage Queens College in Flushing, Long Island. That afternoon the group is scheduled to debate with Rutgers University at New Brunswick, New Jersey.

Two radio debates will conclude the team's activities. Their debate with Columbia on Friday and that with City College of New York on Saturday.

## Blackout, Air Raid Plans For College Nearly Completed

Campus preparation for air raids and blackouts as it will be provided for under the Campus Defense Council's plans is nearly completed, George W. Ebert, chairman of the committee on protection for the Council, announced yesterday.

Following the Council of Administration's approval of the preparation plans this week, heads of departments have been instructed by the deans of their schools to assemble information necessary to effective blackout planning. This material should be submitted promptly, Mr. Ebert said, to deans' offices for approval and transmission to post wardens.

Deans of schools will shortly receive from Mr. Ebert organization charts showing air raid and fire warden posts for the campus.

These charts will acquaint the deans with the names of faculty members who have been assigned to the responsibility for protection of each of the several groups of buildings in their sectors of the campus.

# Boxing, Wrestling, Gym Top Today's 'Sportsmen's Holiday'

## Sports Events Listed On Today's Calendar

### HOME

12:30 p. m.—Freshman Wrestling, Wyoming Seminary, Rec Hall.

2:00 p. m.—Varsity Wrestling, West Virginia, Rec Hall. (This event has been moved up from 8:30 p. m.)

2:00 p. m.—Varsity Swimming, Cornell, Glennland Pool.

3:30 p. m.—Varsity Gymnastics, Temple, Rec Hall.

3:30 p. m.—Freshman Gymnastics, Temple, Rec Hall.

7:00 p. m.—Varsity Boxing, Virginia, Rec Hall.

### AWAY

Varsity Basketball, Syracuse, Syracuse.

Varsity Fencing, Cornell-Syracuse, Ithaca.

Freshman Basketball, Wyoming Seminary, Kingston.

Freshman Swimming, Cornell, Ithaca.

## Bargain Attraction Begins At 12:30

By GORDON COY

With war rumbblings jammed into the darkest corner of Rec Hall's locker room, Penn State will take time out to celebrate a "sportsmen's holiday" and play host to athletic teams from Cornell, Temple, Virginia, West Virginia, and Wyoming Seminary.

Beginning early this afternoon, all roads will lead to Rec Hall, and newly acquired AA books that everyone received when they paid second-semester fees will get their first initiation. So, sign out for dinner, stick a sandwich in your pocket, and above all, do not forget a cushion, because grandstand seats do get hard.

At 12:30 the frosh wrestlers will inaugurate the bargain day attraction when they tackle their season's opener in a match with a scrappy little aggregation from Wyoming Seminary. If, after seeing Charlie Speidel's yearlings in action, you still want some more wrestling, then stay in your seats and watch the varsity grapplers battle a tough West Virginia outfit immediately afterward.

Seeking their second straight league victory, the Lion gymnasts will take the spotlight against Temple at 3:30. At the same time, Penn State's yearling gymnasts will engage Temple's first year men. If you think there's

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## Final Sorority Bidding Climaxes

### '41-'42 Intensive Rushing Season

#### 255 Will Attend Formal Dinners

As a peak to the 1941-42 rushing season sororities will submit final bids to the dean of women's office immediately following tonight's formal dinners from 5:30 to 7 p. m. and 7:30 to 9 p. m. to which 255 rushees accepted invitations.

Rushees attending dinners will be called for by sorority members. A time limit of one and a half hours has been set for each dinner.

Rushees receiving bids from one or more of the 14 campus sororities will be sent a preferential ballot from the dean of women's office before 10 a. m. tomorrow. Beside the name of the preferred house, rushees will indicate their choice by 1, 2, or 3.

Panhellenic Rushing Chairman Frances E. Haley '43 advised rushees to consider carefully before making a second or third choice. Rushees not receiving a bid from the house of their first choice must be willing to accept second or third choice if they were marked. Miss Haley also reminded undecided rushees that bids may be extended again two weeks after intensive rushing.

In order to complete pledge lists more quickly, the dean of women's office urges rushees to return signed ballots to the office before 3 p. m. tomorrow. As soon as pledge lists are completed, rushing chairmen will be notified to call for them. Rushing chairmen will then invite new pledges to their houses or suites.

Pledge ribbon colors are Alpha Chi Omega, red and green; Alpha Epsilon Phi, green and white; Alpha Omicron Pi, red and white; Chi Omega, cardinal and straw; Delta Gamma, pink, blue and gold; Emanon, red and white; Gamma Phi Beta, mode and brown; Kappa Alpha Theta, black and gold; Kappa Delta, green and white; Kappa Kappa Gamma, light and dark blue; Krimcon, pink and blue; Phi Mu, rose and white; Theta Phi Alpha, silver, gold and blue; and Zeta Tau Alpha, steel gray and turquoise blue.

## Players' Show At 8:30

Curtain time for the Players' presentation of "The Taming of the Shrew" has been moved up to 8:30 p. m. tonight to avoid conflict with the boxing meet earlier in the evening. Tickets may be purchased today at Student Union or at Schwab Auditorium.

## College To Have Largest V-5 Unit

Penn State will have the largest collegiate flying unit in the country when it fills its quota of 60 men, according to Lieut. John Curran, Naval Reserve recruiting officer from Philadelphia-on-campus to interview applicants for flight training.

Swamped by the great number of interested students who wish to train with fellow classmates and fraternity brothers in the V-5 flight unit known as the "Nittany Lions," the recruiting officer has been given until next Wednesday to complete the interviews.

During the past week 25 applicants were found to be physically qualified and eligible to take the flight training. However, these men will not be obligated to the U. S. Naval Reserve until they formally enlist.

One of the outstanding features offered by the V-5 program is the physical exam which is given on the campus. The exam is final, and once passed, no further ones are given. Lieut. Harry S. Weaver is in charge of the Naval physical board, giving exams in the Infirmary.

The Penn State unit will start training in June at the Philadelphia Navy Yard. Upon completion of a month's training there, the successful candidates will be transferred to Corpus Christi, Pensacola, or Jacksonville, where they will finish the eight-month course that qualifies them for commissions as Naval ensigns.

## Fee System 'Success' Says Bursar Clark

The new fee system is a success and has facilitated the second semester payment considerably, Bursar Russell E. Clark stated last night as the regular payment period ended.

Used for the first time this semester, the plan was designed to do away with congestion at the windows when bills are handed to the students and checks are written.

Under the new system, students receive the amount of their bill when they enter the Armory, proceed to separate desks to write their checks, and then go to their windows to pay the amount stipulated.

## Late News Flashes...

**LONDON**—British Prime Minister Winston Churchill today faced a storm of newspaper protest as the result of the escape of the German battleships Scharnhorst and Gneisenau, and the cruiser Prinz Eugen, from the straits of Dover through which they boldly sailed. Commentators called this Churchill's "darkest hour" as sentiment which has been mounting over recent British failures in the Orient and Libya was let loose by the British public.

**NEW YORK**—Pittsburgh heavyweight Billy Conn won a close decision over middleweight champion Tony Zale in Madison Square Garden, last evening. The fight was close throughout with first one fighter and then the other gaining the advantage. Zale's middleweight title was not at stake.

**SINGAPORE**—Sources here reported the British to be valiantly holding out against increasing Japanese odds. Reports said that at no point are the Nipponese closer than three miles from the heart of the city.

**WASHINGTON**—Senator Tydings of Maryland lashed out today in a vicious demand that immediate aid be sent to General MacArthur's valiant defenders on Luzon Island in the Philippines. He charged that this country must have a military and not a political war leader. He suggested that General MacArthur be appointed as supreme commander of the American forces.

**WASHINGTON**—An official communique on the fighting in the Philippines reported that only sporadic fighting has been attempted by the enemy. Increased enemy patrol activity has been noticed.