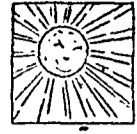




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First College Air Wing Organized For Naval Training

The first organized College movement toward enlistment in the armed services of the country neared completion yesterday as 13 students were formally enlisted in the United States Naval Air Corps.

Headed by wing leader Thomas W. Allison '42 who is largely responsible for the formation of the unit, these 13 and approximately 15 more Penn State men are scheduled to report to the commandant at the air base, Navy Yard, Philadelphia, June 4, for flight training.

Although the College has been well represented in past classes receiving naval training, this is the first time a service unit has been completely composed of men from the College.

Symbolizing their College background, they will train and fly under the name, "Flying Lions." Since additional groups are in the process of formation, they will be further designated "Wing 1."

At the air base they will begin preliminary training immediately. After the basic work and solo flights there, they will go to Pensacola Air Base for advanced training and graduation as Naval officers and seasoned Naval fliers.

The students who have been formally enlisted are Allison, John L. Anderson '42, Paul V. Bealafeld '42, Ned J. Corman '42, Richard A. Gundrum '42, John F. Heilman '42, Earl W. Johnson '42, R. Donald Krigger '44, James D. McGough, Jr. '44, Anthony J. Piccola '42, Robert Q. Wallace '42.

Other members of the wing are ready for formal enlistment except for a few details which are necessary for the final action. The full number will be fully enlisted and members of the Navy by the end of this week.

Players Will Hold Initiation, Dance

Annual Spring initiation services for new associate and active members of the Penn State Players will be held in the Little Theatre at 5:15 p. m. tomorrow. Old active members will conduct the initiation and are requested to report to the Little Theatre at 5:00 p. m. tomorrow.

Following the initiation, ceremonies, election of officers will be held for next year. A banquet for all actives and associates will be held in the Banquet room of the Hotel State College, followed by dancing to Bob Lyon's orchestra from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Council Extends Enrollment Poll; Indications Favorable At Present

"Indications point to favorable results," said W. E. Kenworthy, executive secretary to the President, yesterday, in regard to the campus-wide poll now being conducted by the Council of Administration to determine what percentage of the student body will return for the Summer semester.

Mr. Kenworthy stated that although yesterday has been set as the deadline for students to register their future enrollment intentions with their advisors, the time has been extended. All students are requested to fill out the brief questionnaire by 5 p. m. today.

The Council polled the student body at the January registration



Nice Work—Lila A. Whoolery '43 being balanced by Harold L. Zimmerman '44, left, and Raymond S. Sorenson '45 is one of a series of triple-hand balancing routines that make up their act entitled, "The Three Collegians," one of the 17 acts comprising the All-College Circus, "Penn State Revue in 1942," set for Rec Hall at 7:45 o'clock Saturday night.

Student Religion To Be Surveyed

Dr. Clarence P. Shedd, professor of Religion in Higher Education, Yale University, will meet with the Board of Directors of the PSCA and the Advisory Board of the Bucknell University Christian Association at the Ralph Watts Lodge, April 25, Saturday afternoon.

Dr. Shedd, who has been making a series of studies of student religion in the universities and colleges in America for the past year, will also meet with several other groups over the weekend.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the role of a Board in relation to the work of a Christian Association; also to consider recommendations to the Council of the Student Christian Movement on how it can develop better relations between the Board and administrative officers.

Sunday afternoon Dr. Shedd will meet with the Project council and the Cabinet of the PSCA. Also the Seniors of this past year's cabinet.

Duff Asks Juniors For La Vie Pictures

Martin H. Duff '43, La Vie editor, announced last night that all juniors who do not expect to return to school for the Summer semester should arrange for La Vie pictures immediately.

Appointments may be made either at the La Vie office in Old Main between 4 and 5 p. m. today or tomorrow, or at the Photo Shop any time this week.

PS Club To Hold Spring Banquet

The Penn State Club will hold its annual Spring Banquet and installation of officers in the Sandwich Shop at 6:30 p. m. today.

A feature of the banquet program will be the presentation to Gerald F. Doherty '42, of the outstanding independent senior award by Thomas J. L. Henson '42. Main speaker for the evening will be Arthur R. Warnock, dean of men. Toastmaster for the event will be J. Louis Nageotte '42 and an introductory address will be given by Robert E. Galbraith, professor of English composition.

Guests of the club who will be at the banquet are President Ralph D. Hetzel, Bursar Russel E. Clark, George L. Donovan, Student Union manager, and Donald L. Webb of The Daily Collegian. Entertainment will be provided by Edward R. Claus '44 and George L. Sumner '42.

Incoming officers to be installed are John C. York '43, president, Thomas E. Wilcox '44, vice-president, Robert A. Christoff '44, secretary, Ray A. Zaroda '44, treasurer, Kenneth D. Bair '43, social chairman, Vincent B. Makowski '43, athletic chairman, and Harry C. Coleman '44, publicity chairman.

Arthur Peskoe '42, retiring president will be presented with a gavel and other outgoing officers will get club keys.

U. S. Army Authorizes Air Corps Reserve Plan

'Old Glory' Kept Flying On Corregidor By Former Graduate

For risking his life along with two other soldiers to keep the American flag flying on beleaguered Corregidor in face of enemy fire, a Penn State graduate, Capt. Brewster G. Gallup '34, has officially been commended in an Army communique for "gallant service to the colors."

During a Japanese bombardment, a shell fragment struck the flag pole and cut the halyard. The flag began its descent. Before it reached the ground, Gallup, a Filipino, and another American soldier rushed up and gathered it in their arms.

Frosh Enrollment Shows Increase

"Freshman enrollments, although they were not measuring up to what we expected, are now coming in at better than a hundred a week," stated Registrar William S. Hoffman last night.

According to Hoffman, total applications for admission for the Summer semester up to April 15 totaled 701. He stated, however, that of this number only 472 admissions have been offered, and 239 accepted and paid.

The Chemistry and Physics School is leading with 64 paid up freshman enrollees, closely followed by the Engineering School and the School of Liberal Arts, with 58 and 55 respectively. Agriculture, with 20 enrollees, Mineral Industries, with 8, and Physical Education with 7 new students, bring the total to the 239 mark. Four prospective freshmen registered "no choice."

The accepted and paid up applicants include 177 men and 62 women. Pennsylvanians total 199, and out-of-state applicants number 40.

"One hundred and twenty eight applications were received last week, which seems to indicate that the number of enrollments will be increasing between now and June 8," when the new class matriculates," stated Registrar Hoffman.

National Leaders Speak On Student Religion At PSCA Dinner Monday

Dr. Louis H. Evans, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Hollywood, Calif., and Dr. Clarence P. Shedd, professor of Religion in Higher Education at Yale University, will be the guest speakers at the dinner meeting of the PSCA Monday night, April 27.

Both men are considered national leaders in the field of religious problems met by college students.

The dinner, an annual affair, will be held in the Sandwich Shop, Old Main, at 5:45 p. m. Monday.

Dr. Evans' work with religion for college students has taken him to schools and mission stations in Japan, Korea, India, Africa, Egypt and Greece.

Five members of the Board of Directors of the PSCA will be elected at this dinner-meeting. Anyone wishing to attend is asked to make reservations on or before Friday, April 24.

Advisors To Hold Instruction Meeting

Penn State took another step forward yesterday in the move to allow students to remain in college without fear of being drafted. The step taken was authorization by United States Army officials for the College as a station for the new Air Force Enlisted Reserve.

Along with students from five other colleges in the state, Penn State students will be permitted by enlistment in this branch of the service to remain in college until their services are actually needed for active duty.

Students in the enlisted reserve will, of course, be subject to call at any time, but the plan is to defer them, permitting scholastic training providing they maintain a satisfactory scholastic standard.

Students whose course gives them the special instruction necessary for meteorology and communications will be permitted to continue their schooling to enable them to qualify as officers. Whether they will be permitted to continue training for these posts will depend on examinations given sophomores enlisted in the Air Force Reserve.

Instructions will be given to students who are interested in the plan at a mass meeting here on Monday evening, at which the faculty advisors from the other colleges in the state accepted for the plan and representatives from the U. S. Army will be present. These men will attempt to answer any questions which students might have concerning the plan. Place and time for the meeting will be announced later.

To help in finding information on the plan, Prof. Robert E. Galbraith, faculty advisor for the plan here, has placed on reserve in the open shelf book room in the library several articles pertaining to the Air Corps' duties and the results of increased air power.

Late News Flashes...

BASEBALL SCORES

American League

New York 11, Athletics 5
Boston 13, Washington 4
Chicago 3, Detroit 1
Cleveland 3, St. Louis 2

National League

Pittsburgh 9, Chicago 1
Brooklyn 4, Boston 0
St. Louis 6, Cincinnati 1
New York 3, Phils 0

LONDON—British commandoes slipped into German-held Cherbourg and destroyed all defenses there. The attack was such a surprise that the Germans offered little resistance. The British reported that they not only obtained their objective but it was accomplished without the loss of a single man.

WASHINGTON—Gasoline rationing will start in the Eastern states on May 15. Provisions have been made for people needing more than the allotted 5 gallons per week, but they must first obtain a rationing card from their local board in charge of rationing.

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