



Old Mania...

By HELEN KEEFAUVER

Anti-Loneliness League

Outstanding news brief of the week proves to be the fact that the local Dating Bureau commanded by Norrie Stern of IWA has reported one hundred percent success insofar as they've investigated to date.

One couple was questioned and both agreed the date was a "howling" success. Now there are 200 other gals raring to go according to the files. Of these 50 to 75 have already made connection with the Navy, Air Corps, Engineers, or Marines and we're just waiting to see 50 to 75 sparks fly this weekend.

Let's Start A Drug Store

In operation only a week or two the establishment is doing a handsome piece of work, but we're sure there are lots more independent women, Greeks, Ham Props, etc., who would be sure-fire medicine for loneliness. One word of caution, however, anyone interested in a commissioned navy man (could we mean the ensigns) will have to reap their harvests in happier hunting grounds. It may be they're not lonely... and then it may be that they lack faith in dating bureaus.

Frosh Debut Tomorrow

Despite the fact that the three-

week no-dating for frosh women was "exterminated" only Monday, there's going to be a good frosh percentage of couples at the Sweetheart Brawl tomorrow night—such as Lois Sheeler.. Bill Shuster, frosh; Ruth Hanstein.. navy man; Peggy Jennings.. frosh; Marion Schein.. ditto; Barbara Engstrom.. mystery (to us) man; while Jane Wobart and Kay McCormick (traitors to the cause) will be there with Bucknell imports! (For details contact the OPA).

Off the record. Sounds like our only semester formal is going to fly high! If you're still looking for a date, try the Dating Bureau—or the good old Penn State "hello." (Some of the fellows are growing weary of this "Censored Yankee" coldness anyway.)

More Hitches

In two weeks we hear that Wini Spahr will be Mrs. Marlin Zimmerman of the Advanced Rotisse. From a southern army outpost comes the flash that Jocelyn Walsh aopi '43 middle ailed it with her du Brad Johnson. While we're still at the aopi house, we wonder if Bill Briner's keeping up with his room and board installments—?

Campus Calendar

Friday

Collegian meeting of Junior Board, 8 Carnegie Hall, 4:30 p.m.  
Hillel services, Hillel Foundation, 7:30 p.m.  
School of Agriculture faculty meets 109 Agriculture, 4:10 p.m.

Saturday

Rural service group meets, rear of Old Main, 1:15 p.m.  
PSCA Cabinet meeting will be held, Outdoor Chapel, 1:30 p.m.  
Riding Club meeting for students wishing to join club, Stock Pavilion, 2:30 p.m.  
WRA Sweetheart Dance, White Hall, 9 to 12 p.m.  
Hillelzapoppin Night, Hillel Foundation, 8:45 to 12 p.m.  
Variety Show, Schwab Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.  
USO dance sponsored by Service Center, Armory 9 to 12 p.m.  
Cornell-Penn State Track Meet, New Beaver Field, 3 p.m.  
First meeting El Circulo Espanol, Hort Woods, 2-4 p.m. In case of rain, meeting will be postponed.

Sunday

Chapel, Schwab Auditorium, 11 a.m.  
Music Room of Carnegie Hall open to service men to listen to classical records, 2 p.m.  
Record Concert, Hillel Foundation, 2:30 p.m.  
Variety Show, Schwab Auditorium, 3 p.m.  
Outdoor Vesper Service on lawn to north of Old Main, 5 p.m.  
Get-together for servicemen, southeast lounge Atherton, 2:30 to 5 p.m.  
Russian Club meets in second floor lounge Old Main, 2 p.m. All new members and servicemen invited.

Monday

Post War Planning committee meets Hugh Beaver room, Old Main, 4:30 p.m.  
Forum on Recent Developments in 110 Home Economics, 4:15 p.m.  
Dr. Pauline Beery Mack will speak on the "Recent Developments in Textiles."  
IWA will meet in Penn State room, Old Main, 7:30 p.m. All newly elected representatives are requested to attend. Everyone interested is invited.  
Sigma Delta Chi meeting, Theta Xi headquarters, Allen street, 12 noon.  
Cheerleading candidates report in front of Old Main, 6:30 p.m.  
Penn State Engineer staff meeting, 305 Old Main, 7:30 p.m.  
School of Education faculty meeting, 110 Home Economics Building, 8 p.m. Professor Frederick Ernst of New York University and a member of summer session faculty will speak on the topic "France Uproar; Politics and Liberation." All faculty members are invited.

Tuesday

Collegian meeting of Junior and Sophomore Boards, 8 Carnegie Hall, 4:30 p.m.  
Freshman candidates for Collegian meet, 8 Carnegie Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
Collegian meeting for Senior and Junior Board, 8 Carnegie

The CAMPUSEER

BOB KIMMEL

When the chairman introduced the speaker at the lecture Wednesday evening, he didn't waste any breath on bouquets for Dr. Lerner. His introduction was rather brief, with a warning for the audience to prepare itself to hear some things they might not choose to believe as the gospel truth. Dr. Lerner let the man down when he did not go off the deep end and did not give out with anything radical or sensational. On the contrary, the distinguished speaker presented a very rational plan for winning the peace that must follow the termination of the war.

During the question and answer period, Dr. Lerner was invited to tell his views on the Soviet Union, and there again the expectant audience was let down. It was a liberal view, true, but tempered with criticism.

In passing, we'd like to say that if large attentive audiences can be drawn by speakers who may be controversial in their talks, then there should be more of them. Penn State had an evening out for a change this week.

By The Bushel

The other evening on the way up to the office, we stopped at the main gate to watch the crowd at the Corner storming the Froth salesman. Circulation Manager James J. Casey was on hand to supervise the proceedings, and was mentally rubbing his hands as each additional twenty cents clinked in the till. When the clink was a bit more subtle, say a rustle like when the customers made with dollar bills, Casey relieved the cashier of his burden. But the way we heard it, "Watch the pennies, and the dollars will take care of themselves."

Up In The World

Last Saturday night's play nite was rade when someone brought

Hall, 8 p.m.

PSCA Freshman Women's Forum, Hugh Beaver room, Old Main, 7:30 p.m.

Old Main Open House committee meets, Hugh Beaver room, Old Main, 4:30 p.m.

Theta Sigma Phi initiatoin, Kappa Alpha Theta house, 4:30 p.m.

WRA Tennis Club meets on tennis courts, 7:15 p.m. Mr. Raymond Dickson, boy's tennis coach will instruct. All girls are invited to attend.

Round Table Discussion, Hillel (Continued on page six)

out a couple of pairs of stiffs. More people spoke of them than anything else around the parking lot. It must have been that old urge everyone has to get up in the world and look down on his neighbor.

Vote For Me

From what we hear, there is going to be a bunch of candidates for the first semester prexy job. The latest estimate that we heard was about twenty. There isn't any lack of spirit, but it is to be deplored that most of the pre-pre-campaign stuff is still centering around schools. To the frosh we want to say that the president is supposed to represent the best interests of his class as a whole and not some small unit in it. Of course, the smart politicians in former years always made sure that all sections of the class had something on the ballot to pull the vote. Now the emphasis is on individual effort rather than on organized groups. The theory that motivated this change holds that with the abolition of the parties there will be an increase in the efforts of individuals to attain office. If this were so, and the theory held water, the results would probably be fine.

There will be no cliques working in the freshman voting, as there were in the recent elections, because the underclassmen have not yet had time to get together and know each other well. But whatever way it is done, the main idet is to get out the vote and have each man and woman cast his ballot for the candidate of his choice. You're paying for this privilege, so why not use it. Penn State is justly proud of its system of student government, and much of its merit depends on the mass participation of the student body.

Bottle Parties

And again the Pugh Street Lyceum ran dry. If this keeps up, people will begin to lose faith in the established traditions and not believe in anything any more. As we were going by, honest, we looked in the windows Saturday night and couldn't figure out why there were so many vacant spaces. At first, we thought to ourselves that playnight must be big-time stuff to lure that many of Doggie's customers away. But when we were even with the entrance, we heard the explanation, "Dried up for the night." And on Monday the shortage was still in effect, with only bottled goods for sale.

Men In Service—

By M. J. WINTER

Carrier pigeons, pony express, and lip service are coming right along with tidbits from near and far. The boys behind the guns keep moving around and getting promoted, for the glory of Old State, themselves, and to the extreme satisfaction of your columnist.

Capt. John T. Morgan, former student colonel of advanced ROTC, is regimental adjutant at Ft. Belvoir, Va. . . . Assistant engineering officer of a squadron of B-26's at MacGill Field, Tampa, Fla., is Lt. J. H. Quirk . . . Capt. James Grove, who served as ROTC instructor at the College, has just been appointed assistant military attache at Ankara, Turkey.

Two former students who were together in the Middle East are Sgt. Henry A. Adams and Sgt. Clyde Bell. Sgt. Adams has returned to this country as an MP and will report to Camp Custer. . . . Harry Hurshfield, Glen Hawthorn, Richard Gray, "Si" Hull, and "Fritz" Lloyd are among the aviation cadets at Elon College, N. C.

Wings And Things

William B. Gramley has received his commission as second lieutenant in the Marine Corps at Quantico, Va. . . . Stanley Cohen and Wally Murfitt are training at North

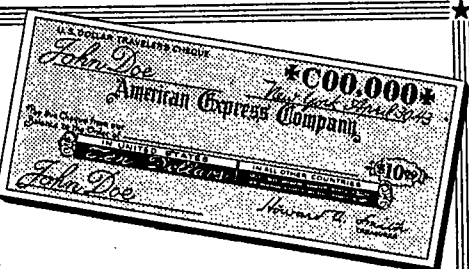
Carolina State College. . . . Navy "Wings of Gold" have been won by Harold G. Dersam, and he has been commissioned an ensign in the Naval Reserve following completion of the flight training course at the Naval Air Training Center, Pensacola, Fla. Designated a naval aviator, Ensign Dersam will go on active duty at one of the Navy's air operational training centers before being assigned to a combat zone. . . . Lt. Robert Rolontz recently received his bombardier wings upon graduation from the San Angelo, Texas, Bombardier School.

Richard Flenniken, former boxer at the College, was killed in a plane crash recently. . . . A member of the first American convoy to arrive in North Africa last November, Lt. Aaron N. Decker has been reported killed in action in North Africa.

Going Up

Graduated July 17 from the Naval Air Training Center, Corpus Christi, Texas, William R. Ebersold has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps. . . . Lt. Robert M. Watkins was awarded the Purple Heart Medal. He is now recovering from machine gun bullet wounds in a (Continued on page eight)

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