

Prexy Announces Faculty Changes; Appoints Twenty LA School Heads List Of New Appointments

Twenty-two more changes in faculty personnel at the College were announced today by President Ralph D. Hetzel.

H. Arthur Meyer, assistant professor of forestry, was granted a leave to accept an assignment for cinchona (quinine) procurement for the Office of Economic Warfare, while Warren R. Beck, research assistant in ceramics, resigned to accept a position with the Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company.

New appointments follow: Mrs. Mary S. Krimmel, instructor in physics; Leo Sommer, instructor in chemistry; Phyllis R. Griess, instructor in geography; Edwin H. Rohrbach, William A. Gutteron, Geneva B. Rehr, and Lucy Hohenberger, instructors in physical education; Harold E. Kusner, instructor in engineering drawing.

Samuel A. Small, assistant professor of English composition; William W. Gotherman, research assistant in fuel technology; Myrtle E. Swanson, instructor in home economics; Raehel E. Hartford, Helen L. Camp, Frances Heckathorne, A. Kathryn Pontzer, C. Dorothy Schaffer, and Grace Siler, instructors in English composition; Robert L. Merker, Robert D. Williams, and Robert J. Sloat, research assistants in petroleum refining.

Alliance Offers \$275 To Writers

Four awards in dramatic writing are offered in the ninth annual competitions of Dramatists' Alliance of Stanford University. A prize for radio plays in prose or verse, preferably on American themes, such as the late great Stephen Vincent Benet wrote, in whose memory the award is offered, consists of \$50 and recommendation to radio production units.

The Anderson prize of \$100 for verse drama, in full length or one-act form; the Etherage award for full-length comedy, also \$100 and the Gray award for dramatic criticism, which brings \$25 and recommendation to standard periodicals. Hillbarn Theatre, only summer repertory theatre in northern California, will stage the most produceable of the dramas offered for the Anderson and Etherage prizes.

These are no second prizes but the next best material will be sent with the winners to Samuel French, NBC offices in New York, and MGM, as an effort to introduce new playwrights to the country. Contributors will also have an opportunity to review some of the season's best contributions, and introduction to members of the association already placed in theatre and cinema, for advice and assistance.

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'Bible and Human Spirit' Hillel Forum Subject

The second in a series of forum speakers presented by the Hillel Foundation, Dr. Henry M. Rosenthal will deliver a public lecture at Hillel Foundation on Monday, December 6, at 7:30. He will speak on "The Bible and the Human Spirit."

Dr. Rosenthal is the director of the Hillel Foundation at the Sara Delano Roosevelt Interfaith House at Hunter College, New York. The Hunter Interfaith House was the former town residence of President Roosevelt and his late mother.

A native of Louisville, Kentucky, Dr. Rosenthal received his doctor of philosophy degree from Columbia University for his graduate studies on the relation of culture and religion. He was a pupil of Irwin Edman and Mark Van Dorn. He received his rabbinical ordination from the Jewish Theological Seminary of America in 1929. He has been a frequent contributor to the leading journals of religion and philosophy, and is the author of "On the Function of Religion."

War Causes Tragedy In Coed Underpinning By Stocking Shortage

What effect has the war had upon coeds' legs?

To answer this important question the latest scientific methods of conducting public opinion polls were used in interviewing 400 of the prettiest legs that passed by Main Gate in the course of an hour.

Of the 400 questioned, 360 were wearing anklets, 24 were wearing paint, 8 were bare, and 8 were wearing rayon stockings. In addition to these vital statistics, a great deal of additional information was collected.

Silk has virtually disappeared from coeducating legs. The average Penn State woman owns four-fifths of a pair of silk stockings. Presumably, this means one pair with a large hole in the left toe. Sixty-two per cent of the legs own no silk stockings whatsoever, while the top number of six pair was admitted to by a probable Japanese spy.

The most common reply when questioned about nylons was, "Are you kidding?" Nevertheless, the average coed possesses exactly one and one-fifth pairs. The young lady who confessed owning "about twelve pairs" said that she kept them in a vault in the First National Bank.

Rayon is less rare in State College. Almost every coed has a pair, the average being two and three-tenths per person, while the range of ownership varies from zero to ten pairs for a woman.

Anklets are considerably more plentiful in Penn State. The average figure was found to be eighteen pairs per coed. No girl had

Predictor Says Warnock Announces Committees To Coordinate Social Activities

Chances are two-to-one against a white Christmas season in Pennsylvania this year.

That's the verdict reached through applying a unique method of "armchair" weather forecasting devised by Dr. Hans Neuberger, associate professor of geophysics at the College. Dr. Neuberger based his system on a survey of climatological records at State College.

The outlook is far from white, the system indicates, because this year's September precipitation was only .72—far below the 2.33 inches considered normal.

In setting up the "armchair" system, Professor Neuberger charted the State College precipitation for each September between 1895 and 1941. In every case where the precipitation for September was below normal, he contrasted it with the snowfall for each of the winter months, from November to April, during that year.

In only 33 of the 102 winter months following a sub-normal September precipitation was the snowfall even up to normal—providing a ratio of a little better than two-to-one. Only 6 of 11 December snowfall figures were up to normal following a "below par" September.

Professor Neuberger makes no pretense of knowing the exact reason for the correlation, but he believes it might be that the same causes which make the end of the summer too dry carry over into the winter months.

Although he does not guarantee that the correlation discovered in the study of State College precipitation statistics would hold true on a State-wide basis, he knows of no factor likely to cause serious deviation.

less than six pairs, while two seniors owned forty each, explaining, "We've been collecting them ever since we were freshmen."

Fifty-nine per cent of the dormitory dwellers own a bottle of leg make-up. The majority of them, however, were careful to specify that "paint" is used only during the summer months.

The last question put to the students was, "Do you expect to receive stockings for Christmas?" Half of them said yes. The best answer was given by a spritely young lady who gestured with two pounds of expensive bracelet and said, "Don't be silly."

If the coed possessed a particularly upstanding pair of legs she was quizzed concerning her name, dormitory, and telephone number.

Pre-Med Society Initiates

Alpha Epsilon Delta, national pre-medical honorary, initiated three in its ceremony Monday night, announced Avrum Katcher, secretary of the honorary. They are Howard Millikin, Bruce Chandler, and Katcher.

Standing committees for this semester of the Council of Recreation and Welfare were announced today by Dean A. R. Warnock, chairman of the group.

The committees are to keep in touch with conditions in their respective areas, and with promoting, coordinating and encouraging beneficial activities and providing needed facilities insofar as possible.

Professor R. E. Galbraith, secretary of the Council is an ex-officio member of several committees. The entire committees are as follows:

Religious Welfare—Prof. J. H. Frizzell, chairman; Capt. Thomas E. Leet, Lt. William F. Riley, Lt. Daniel F. Leahy, Miss Elinor Tilford, Miss Ruth Chamberlain, the Rev. D. W. Carruthers, James T. Smith, Mrs. Virginia Thompson, Prof. M. W. White, Dean Charlotte E. Ray, Peggy Lou Chapman, and William Folk.

Physical Recreation and Organized Athletics—Dean Carl P. Schott, chairman; Capt. William D. McSweeney, Lt. Thomas F. Coleman, Lt. James E. Cashon, Dr. Joseph P. Ritenour, N. M. Fleming, E. K. Hibshman, A. F. Davis, C. W. Ebert, Harold Bucher, and William Folk.

Music, Dramatics, and Forensics—Prof. Hummel Fishburn, chairman; Lt. James A. McClintock, Lt. R. L. Moffat, Lt. Henry L. Dodson, Miss Elinor Tilford, Miss Ruth Chamberlain, Dean

Navy Game Films Shown

Movies of the Navy-Penn State football game will be shown in 121 Sparks, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, under the sponsorship of Independent Men's Association, announced James Redmond, representative of that organization.

Either Coach Robert A. Higgins or one of his assistants will give a survey of the game and running commentary with the film.

Servicemen especially are encouraged to attend the showing, Redmond stated.

Charlotte E. Ray, Prof. J. H. Frizzell, Prof. A. C. Cloetingh, Prof. M. W. White, H. R. Gilbert, Frank Gullo, J. E. Kennedy, Frances Martin, Alice Fox, James Burden, George Graham, and Miriam Zartman.

Publications and Publicity—H. R. Riley, chairman; Capt. Charles A. Prosser, Lt. Paul R. Middleton, Lt. A. G. Cannon, L. H. Bell, W. P. Lewis, N. M. Fleming, Alice Fox, and Harold Bucher.

Social Saturday Nights—H. R. Gilbert, chairman; Lt. Col. Guy C. Mills, Capt. Samuel Whittle, Lt. Frank D. Rau, Miss Elinor Tilford, Miss Ruth Chamberlain, Dean Charlotte E. Ray, Prof. Hummel Fishburn, Prof. A. C. Cloetingh, A. F. Davis, James T. Smith, Frank Gullo, J. E. Kennedy, Eugene Weistone, Russell E. Clark, Marie Haidt, Mrs. Charles T. Stahle, Mrs. J. E. Kennedy, Horace Smith, Patricia Hallberg, George Graham, and Miriam Zartman.

Sunday Entertainment—James T. Smith, chairman; Lt. Col. Guy G. Mills, Lt. R. L. Moffat, E. E. Harris, Miss Elinor Tilford, Miss Ruth Chamberlain, Prof. A. C. Cloetingh, W. P. Lewis, Prof. W. P. Frizzell, the Rev. D. M. Carruthers, N. M. Fleming, G. W. Ebert, Russell E. Clark, A. F. Davis, Marie Haidt, Harold Bucher, Charles H. Reeder, Patricia Hallberg, Margaret Good, and Harriet Van Riper.

Cooperation with the Service Center—Dean Charlotte E. Ray, chairman; James T. Smith, W. P. Lewis, H. R. Gilbert, Mrs. Charles T. Stahle, Mrs. Virginia Thompson, Patricia Hallberg, Margaret Good, Margaret L. Chapman, and Alice Fox.

Auxiliary Aids to Barracks Recreation—Prof. R. E. Galbraith, chairman; W. P. Lewis, N. M. Fleming, E. K. Hibshman, James T. Smith, Prof. J. H. Frizzell, E. W. Callenbach, Frank Gullo, A. F. Davis, Charles Reeder, Horace Smith, and William Folk.

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