

# College Historian Retires After Completing New Book

After teaching history and acting as College historian for 24 years, Dr. Wayland Fuller Dunaway will retire September 1. At that time he shall have completed the history of Penn State which he is now engaged in writing.

Dr. Dunaway regards his coming retirement as an indefinite sabbatical leave with expenses paid. He expects to do some writing on southern history. His coming book will be his third on Pennsylvania history.

With six degrees, Dr. Dunaway holds more of them than any other alumnus of Richmond College. He was graduated from that institution in 1894 at the age of 19.

His family rather monopolized that graduation since his brother obtained his master's degree and his father a doctor of divinity degree at the same time.

The son of a Confederate soldier, the College historian served 25 years in his native South. In 1920 he came to the College.

Dr. Dunaway is a member of the following organizations: American Historical Association, Western Pennsylvania Historical Society, Sons of the American Revolution, Phi Beta Kappa, Phi Kappa Phi, Pi Gamma Mu, and the State Literary Club.

"History of the James River and Kanawha Company," "A History of Pennsylvania," and "Scotch Irish of Colonial Pennsylvania" are the three books he has written.

## XGI Club-

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Among the by-laws to the constitution are the following: veterans seeking admission into the club shall not be barred from membership because of race, religion, or creed; officers will include a commander, vice-commander, adjutant, finance officer, historian, chaplain; dues will be fixed at 50 cents per year; members may be expelled for dishonesty, violation of the preamble and by-laws, and actions unbecoming to the club or to the College.

All former soldiers, sailors, marines and merchant marines are invited to attend the next meeting at the American Legion home 7:30 p. m. Tuesday when officers will be elected.

Bursar Russell E. Clark announced today that drop-add slips are now available at his office.

# 18 Fraternities Operate; 9 Function In Own Houses

In spite of a greatly depleted enrollment and limited resources, 18 fraternities are active this summer. Nine of these are operating in their original locations and nine others are operating in temporary locations. Eighteen houses are still being used by the servicemen at the College.

Those now operating in pre-war locations are: Alpha Chi Sigma, Phi Sigma Kappa, Sigma Phi Epsilon, Pi Kappa Alpha, Phi Sigma Delta, Pi Kappa Phi, Theta Chi, Sigma Phi Alpha, and Triangle. Pi Kappa Alpha, Phi Sigma Kappa, Sigma Phi Alpha, and Theta Chi have opened their dining rooms.

Nine other fraternities are active, although members are not living in their own houses. These are: Alpha Tap Omega, Beta Sigma Rho, Delta Chi, Delta Sigma Phi, Phi Delta Theta, Phi Kappa Sigma, Phi Kappa Tau, Sigma Chi, and Sigma Pi.

Servicemen are still occupying 18 of the houses. Army trainees are living in the following: Alpha Tau Omega, Theta Xi, Beta Sigma Rho, Alpha Gamma Rho, Delta Sigma Phi, and Phi Kappa Psi. Members of the Navy V-12 are

## Certificate Awarded College By Air Corps

For training more than 2000 air crew students during 1943-44, the College has received a certificate of service from Maj. Gen. William O. Butler, commanding general of the Army Air Forces, Eastern Flying Training Command.

This program, which was one half of the more than 5000 young men successfully trained at the College since 1941 under the various military and naval programs.

## Dr. Newton Fetter To Address Chapel

Chapel congregation Sunday will hear an address entitled "Keeping the Lamp of Liberty Lit" by Dr. Newton C. Fetter, director of the department of University Pastor and Student Work, Northern Baptist Convention, Northern Baptist Convention, New York City.

Bucknell University conferred the B. A. and M. A. degrees in 1909. Dr. Fetter was ordained by the Rochester Theological Seminary in 1912, and he conducted advanced research in religious doctrines and practices at Boston Theological Seminary.

Dr. Fetter served as pastor of the University of Michigan, 1912-16, and as general secretary of the Students' Christian Association, 1916-18. From 1919-27 the clergyman advised students of the First Baptist Church, Boston, about their religious problems. During World War I, Dr. Fetter was a member of the Student Army Training Corps.

During his career Dr. Fetter has been affiliated with the New England Alumni Association of the Colgate-Rochester Divinity school, Conference of Church Workers in Universities, Boston Ministers' Conference, and Student Work Council of Boston.

The minister traces his ancestry back to the French Huguenot family of de la Montagne. He has written articles about his work with students for several religious magazines.

The choir will sing "Christ Hath a Garden" under the direction of Mrs. Willa Taylor of the department of music.

## Thespians Search For Fresh Talent

### Entertainers Wanted For Campus Socials

Civilian and servicemen candidates for Thespian productions are requested to attend the second meeting of the Thespian Club bureau in Schwab Auditorium at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Entertainers will be selected to display their talents at all dances, canteens, and affairs held on campus. If enough candidates are chosen, a Thespian play will be produced in Schwab Auditorium this semester.

Chorus girls, vocalists, comedians, dancers, actors, and actresses attended. Script-writers, costume designers, musicians, especially piano players, and experienced masters - of-ceremony are also needed.

Technicians for scenery, make-up, construction, costuming, and lighting are urged to attend.

Those who intend to try out for the Thespian entertainment bureau are requested to be prepared to demonstrate their talents. Paul Galvanek or Betty Lyman will give further information to anyone who so desires.

Among the entertainers in attendance Wednesday were: Geraldine Becker, Dorothy Cauffield, Trudy Cohen, Shirley Connow, Virginia Dingnan, Jeanne Eisenberg, Nancy George, Kenneth Gould, Herbert Hasson, Harold Hein, Shirley Isenberg, Florence Krieger, Bernard Lerner, Mabel Parks, Ina Rosen, Richard Schlegel, Anita Walther, and Eleanor Zins.

## Debaters Oppose Haverford School

A contest with Haverford School, the first in Penn State's debating history, highlights the Men's Debate Club schedule for the current semester.

The debate squad, comprised of Alex Reisdorf and Sanford Rafsky, will travel to Haverford for the debate on Monday. Penn State will take the affirmative on this season's proposition: Should the United States adopt a permanent policy requiring one year of military service from all able-bodied males from 17 to 18 years of age or upon graduation from high school, whichever comes first?

Two broadcasts are listed. On August 31, the debate team will feature an inter-team debate discussion over station WBNX in New York City from 5:30 to 6 p.m. Edward Zemprelli and Martin Cohn will take the affirmative construction; Allen Kahn and Otis Castleberry will take the negative construction. This discussion will be in the Oregon form, a cross-examination style.

On September 1, Penn State will take the negative in another radio debate. Castleberry and Kahn will oppose the Columbia University debate team. The debate will proceed over station CURC at Columbia, starting 8 p.m. It will be followed by a round table discussion.

Previous to the radio programs, an interteam debate before the YMCA of New York City at Sloan House is scheduled. Penn State will battle Columbia on September 1 with Zemprelli and Cohn assuming the affirmative on the current military training question. This will be a platform discussion.

Columbia visits Penn State on September 6 to clash with Kahn and Castleberry. The debate is scheduled in 121 Sparks at 8 p.m. Chaplain John H. Frizzell will preside.



**VISITS CAMPUS**—G. Weidman "Daddy" Groff, College lecturer on world agriculture who has been conducting plant experiments in Florida under joint sponsorship of the College and Lingnan University in China, has returned to the campus for two weeks. He will speak at a faculty meeting of the School of Agriculture in 109 Agriculture at 4:20 o'clock today.

## Platforms-

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7. Encouragement of intramural sports.

**Nittany Party**  
1. A program to help readjust rehabilitated students to campus life and activities.

2. Re-opening of sandwich shop in Old Main Lounge.

3. Revival of intramural sports for civilian students.

4. Formation of an all-activities committee.

5. An attempt to obtain an additional one o'clock for freshman women.

## Organizations Feature Weekly News Summaries

Forensic Council, WSGA and PSCA are collaborating this semester to continue a series of current news summaries to be presented by different speakers in the southwest lounge of Atherton Hall from 6:30 to 7 p. m. every Thursday night.

The first of these talks will be given by Dr. George E. Simpson, professor of sociology, Thursday.

## Student Crime Hits All-time Low

### Campus Patrol States Disciplinary Actions

During the last year and a half student misdemeanors and disorders have been lower than in any other period of the College's history, according to Capt. Philip Mark of the Campus patrol.

Almost six months of that period went by without even a stolen coat being reported. At times coats and other articles have been reported missing from Sparks at the rate of three a day.

Captain Mark feels that the low rate of crime is due to cooperation by the heads of the various schools and departments with the patrol. A first offender is reported to the head of his school. No disciplinary action is taken by the patrol although they keep a record of all students caught violating some rule or law.

A second offense means that the person will be charged with some misdemeanor at the State College Police station. Captain Mark reports that no student has broken the same rule twice.

In 1942 the patrol was troubled by peeping toms, robberies, and boy meeting girl after hours. Since these offenders have become extremely infrequent, the head of the patrol believes that campus morals have hit a new high.

## Independent Students Plan Fairmount Picnic

IMA and IWA will hold a joint picnic at Fairmount Park, 4 p. m. Sunday for all independent students, it was announced today.

Regular picnic lunch of hot dogs, corn, peaches, cake, and cokes will be prepared at the park. Entertainment will consist mainly of singing and story telling.

Committee in charge consists of Jean Pretter, Margaret Olsen, and Ephram Catsiy.

Picnickers will meet in back of Old Main 3:30 p. m. Any independent students wishing additional information are requested to call Ephram Catsiff, phone 2084.

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