

Penn Statements

By VICTOR DANILOV

'All Hands On Deck'

One of the biggest strides toward closer cooperation between civilian students and servicemen on the campus will be taken September 2 when the College V-12 unit presents the "Ship's Ball" at Recreation Hall.

Ever since Lt. Comdr' Trusdell Wisner arrived on the campus he has been attempting to cement relations between the two groups. The "Ship's Ball" is the result of his untiring efforts.

Three hundred tickets to the formal have been made available to civilian students at the College. They will be on sale at Student Union until noon tomorrow. Price per couple is one dollar.

Frosh, Be Careful

Have you ever noticed the piece of cord dangling from the geology monument in front of the Armory?

Well, four years ago the freshman class got a brainstorm. The frosh attached a huge sign to the cord which read "Hat Men Chew Their Toenails."

Needless to say, the following week was a hard one for the first semester boys. More than one paddle was broken during that period.

Sunday Movies Slated

Sunday movies for servicemen and their dates may be offered again around the first of October, James T. Smith, PSCA secretary, announced today.

"Although nothing definite has been decided, there is a possibility that motion pictures will be shown before the end of the summer semester," said Smith.

The summer heat wave and other plans which eventually fell through were given as reasons for discontinuing movies on Sunday in Sparks Building. Bob Hope in the "Road to Singapore" was the last picture to be presented.

How Embarrassing

The story of the little grey mouse that had first floor coeds at Atherton Hall in a frenzy between 4 and 4:30 a.m. one Sunday morning recently is still being told.

It appears that a two-inch member of the rodent family smuggled himself into the home of Penn State's upperclass women. While the coeds slept, the mouse attempted to explore the spacious dormitory.

However, the mouse made so much noise around the waste paper basket in the hall that startled coeds rushed to the telephone and murmured, "Operator, there's someone outside my door."

Later events embarrassed more than one Penn State female.

IFC Plans Big Weekend

Plans are now under way for an Interfraternity Weekend during the latter part of this semester.

Final decisions on the project will be made at an IFC meeting at Sigma Phi Alpha at 7:30 p.m. Monday.

Fred Dietz and John Matternas, Interfraternity Council bigwigs, said today that the event will probably be held during the weekend of the Muhlenberg football game on September 30.

According to all indications, Penn State's two campus bands will play at two of the bigger fraternity houses in town. The social affair will be under direct supervision of IFC. Definite plans will be discussed Monday as to admittance and dress.

Why Be Particular?

The weather is getting to be quite a problem these days.

One day you roast in the sun and the following afternoon you drown in the rain. Even Hans Neuberger occasionally doesn't know what is coming next.

Several of the College's more ingenious students last week decided to get a sun tan in their backyard. So they donned their swimming trunks and stretched out on the lawn. In a few moments the burning sun hid its shining rays and drops of rain interrupted the backyard activities.

Angry, but still in a reasonable mood, the fellows decided a shower was as good as a tan and continued their discussion in the downpour.

Explosion Victim Okay

After three weeks of hospitalization, Clarence H. Ruof, the graduate student who was injured in the high octane gasoline explosion at New Physics last month, is now spending two weeks recuperating at his home in Hummelstown, just below Harrisburg.

Ruof, who received second degree burns on his face and arms, was released from the Infirmary just recently. He intends to return to work within two weeks.

Film Club Shows Thriller

"The 39 Steps," a famous British spy movie, will be presented by the International Film Club at 7 and 9 p. m. Tuesday in 121 Sparks.

Directed by Alfred Hitchcock, and starring Madeline Carroll and Robert Donat, this fast moving mystery has been acclaimed the best of its kind ever made.

Admission is free with reserved seats for International Film Club members.

Deferment Blanks Ready

Russell E. Clark, bursar, announced today that application blanks for deferment of fees for the fall semester are now available at his office. Applications may be filed without fees up to and including October 1.

Ship Ahoy

By A/S FRED VOGEL

A/S J. Calvin Sheehan, alias "Chaplain Jim," engineered a dance and weenie roast for Barracks 20 Saturday night. Dancing on the terrace to big name bands via the record player was the big attraction. A hot dog roast, watermelons, three acres of military reservation, and a magnitude of feminine pulchritude all added to keep several V-12'ers happy. A/S Stu Block's date bureau brought forth a host of Penn State's prettiest coeds. "The trainees were operating."

Scuttlebutt . . .

"Pinky," unofficial trainee in Barracks 29, is the chief rooster at all their barracks ball games. A/S Ted Serafini has taken archery, or is it just the instructor on the White Hall range?

That breeze that just went by was not Superman but yours truly, followed closely by Ray Kurowski. Last week's statement was a case of mistaken identity.

A/S Ziegler is the proud possessor of a handlebar mustache—theoretically. Pvt. Dorsie Booker will break many Far Eastern hearts when word gets around of his present love life.

Pvt. Bruce Allen is dividing his attention between the football field and the Kappa House. S 2/C Earl Neuffer, former V-12 student here, was assigned to a D. E. . . . A/S George Bauer prefers red watch stripes to blue . . . A certain red-head is torn between A/S Boyden and A/S Borger . . . Pvt. Ed Bush's hometown girl is rumored to be a full-blooded Indian from Wyoming.

More Stuff . . .

A/S Burns has discovered the fifth dimension in Bohemian. Or has he been chased away again by that little green chair? Schedule 411 is planning a farewell dinner-dance before going on to Midshipmen School . . . Barracks 41 is the proud possessor of the great Freudian scholar, A/S Robert Shaw.

The V-Mails received by V-12 males from Ath Hall keep us wondering as to what lies within the first window on the west side of the largest dormitory on campus. Those large, shiny trophies in the Navy Office have all the barracks working.

V-12 Glee Club kept the Centre Hills Country Club well supplied with songs last Saturday night.

September 2 is the date and Rec Hall is the place for the big V-12 formal.

Classmates Head Council

For the first time in the history of the College the presiding officers at the Council of Administration meeting on Monday were classmates. The two presiding officers were Dean of Mineral Industries Edward Steidle, chairman, and Registrar William Hoffman, secretary, both graduates of the class of 1911.

Old Mania

By NANCY CARASTRO

Next week will mark Penn State's first major weekend of the semester . . . With the one-and-one-half to one ratio on campus this summer, a large number of coeds will be honored with bids to Ship's Ball . . . Of course, there must be taken into account the little matter of imports, boys who don't date, don't dance, or don't care . . . Otherwise, the prospect of a very happy weekend is in sight for a majority of coeds . . . Get those formals out and pressed just in case your roomie's date has a friend who has another friend who decides to go aboard ship that night . . . This week Maniac and our little helpers will be busy compiling a list of who's going with whom to the shindig, and it'll be ready come next issue . . .

I Do's and Engagements

Jeanne Cairns (nee Ogden) is back in school . . . She became the wife of John Cairns, seaman, 1/c, two weeks ago . . . Alpha Chi LaRue Casey was also married recently to Lieut. Eddie Lenker, kappa sigma . . . Both are State alums . . . SDT alum Peggy Ackler Glazer married Tinny Glazer, former gamma sig, and is with him now at Columbus, Miss . . . Tinny is in the Air Corps . . .

There are two engagements we heard about this week . . . that of Phi Mu Gloria Bowersox to Marine Pvt. Marvin Kuhn, in V-12 here . . . and SDT Fern Knaster to Capt. Harold Raveson, former phi sig at the University of West Virginia . . . Hal is in the quartermaster corps and just returned from Italy.

Roaming Around . . .

Zeta Tau Alpha Betty Mock, ex-prexy, visited State last weekend . . . With her was Gordon Meacham, former Marine trainee . . . Former alpha chi Evie Williams was visiting her cousin Tommy Thompson, theta . . . Larry Koenigsberg, phi sig alum, was visiting the fraters . . . Acacia Jimmy Robinson was up a couple weeks ago . . . just received his pilot's commission . . . Bob Ritzman, sigma phi alpha, came to spend a day . . . Bob's the boy who was heart, soul, and body, inside the Lion's skin at all the football games last fall . . . Pvt. Jay Kutrz, also SPA, detoured on his way to Missouri . . . Ens. Charlie Good, phi kappa sig, has been visiting Theta Betty Lyman, who wears his pin . . . Two boys from Bainbridge spent part of their liberty here . . . A/S Hal Alexander, PIKA and A/S Fred Mazzitelli, phi sigma kappa . . .

Doing the Same . . .

Ens. Warren Shreve, formerly of the Ingleside Club, journeyed up with Val Tamulonis . . . Jackie Irvin, gamma phi, came to see Joe Yarze, SPA . . . Dick Mc-

Cord and Bob Schooley, both PIKA's were here . . . Dick is a town boy . . . Bob is now managing editor of the Berwick Enterprise . . . Art Gladstone, phi sig alum, will be up as soon as he receives his Marine Lieutenant's commission . . . A whole slew of alpha chi's were here . . . Mollie Gilbert, Mary Grace Longnecker, Gloria McKinley, Jean Little, and Joyce Strobe . . . Joyce was visiting Navy Lieut. Archie Coombs, town boy . . . Bibbs Wells, Dottie Beachlay, and Janic Stoudenour, all gamma phi's, also came . . . ditto kappas Julie Gilbert and Dottie Callahan . . . SDT Bernice Alpert . . .

Phi Mu Helen Barr visited Elmer Fry, former KDR last weekend . . . Theta Phi Alpha Jeanne "Shortie" Jordan will be seeing Midshipman Art Lorenz in New York this coming weekend . . . Art is stationed at Columbia along with lots of others Penn State boys . . . Millie Chesnut will also be leaving town to visit Marine Pvt. Kenny Yetter at Villanova . . . The V-12 unit there is holding a reasonable facsimile of last semester's V-12 Weekend here . . .

Jane Brader, zeta tau alpha, will graduate during Post Session exercises . . . Gamma Phi Pinky Batchelor was up for a visit with the news that she's soon moving to California . . . Plans to attend either Stanford or UCLA . . .

—Maniac

**Calendar
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