

Gray Announces Columbus Dinner

The Inter-American Committee and Spanish Conversion Group are sponsoring a dinner in celebration of Columbus Day to be held at the State College Hotel at 6 p.m. October 12, announced Dr. William H. Gray, chairman of the International Relations committee.

Reservations for the dinner which is open to the public can be made and tickets secured in 102 Burrows before 5 p.m. October 10.

Prof. Franklin C. Banner, head of the department of journalism, will speak on "South of the Rio Grande." Also included in the program will be Latin American music, group singing, a violin solo, and two vocal solos. Jack Davenport will serve as master of ceremonies.

Members of the committee include: faculty, W. M. Myers, chairman; Mrs. Martha A. Skaggs, Spanish department; Mrs. Espada, from Bolivia; Dr. William H. Gray, history department; and Dr. Palmer C. Weaver, education department; students, Clara Carns, chairman; Elaine Elpern; Vivian L. Interrante; Jack Davenport; and Cecil Valasco.

Engineers To Study Aluminum-Cased Guns

Two 40 millimeter guns encased in aluminum have been erected in front of the Thermal Laboratory on front west campus to be studied by the Engineering Experiment Station.

These studies are a phase of experiments on dehumidifying equipment for inactive vessels, mobile equipment, and other material, which the Experiment Station has been conducting for the army and navy for the past year and a half.

The canned cannons were brought to the College through the army service forces office, ordnance department, Frankford Arsenal.

Pep Rally

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Fertility Plots, near Grange where a bonfire will be built. There additional songs and cheers will be led by the cheerleaders.

Jack Seavy heads the committee which arranged for the pep rally. Assisting him are Pvt. Richard Bradley, Ephraim Catsiff, Lois Cleaver, Dorothy Davis, Mary Margaret Dunlap, June First, Judd Healy, James Hugo, A/S James Jones, and Robert Yurkanin.

Russian Club To Meet

The Russian Club will hold a meeting in the Hugh Beaver room, 304 Old Main, 7:30 p. m. Sunday. All members and Russian students are asked to be present.

Newly-appointed director of the world-famous Joliet Township High School band of Joliet, Ill., is Bruce H. Houseknescht, a native of Williamsport and supervisor of instrumental music in the Milton schools since his graduation from the College in 1938. The Joliet band numbers 155 pieces.

Interracial House Students Proclaim Venture Success

Fairmount House, East, the interracial, international, and interfaith dormitory for men students opened at the beginning of this semester, has completed its first semester with a total membership of 24 students.

Both the advisory committee, made up of interested State College residents, and the members of the group have pronounced the venture a success and are making plans for the coming semester. The opening of the house was the culmination of meetings of students representing different racial and religious backgrounds in an effort to alleviate housing difficulties and sponsor a democratic method of interracial cooperation in State College.

Members of the advisory committee, Mrs. Arthur Thompson, Dr. George E. Simpson, Rev. Donald W. Carruthers, and Dr. Henry L. Yeagly, have looked upon the project as a social experiment roughly corresponding to Penn State's experimental research in scientific fields. Their connection with the operation of the house, however, has been purely advisory.

Students Elect Executives

The students living at the house have elected a resident executive committee consisting of Henry L. Livas, chairman; Martin Alperin, vice-chairman; Bernard Byers, treasurer; and Robert M. Moore, house manager. Efforts have been made to keep this group truly representative of the various races and faiths at the house. The group is now working on a constitution which will probably be drawn up next semester.

Fairmount House, East, which is located at Fairmount avenue and Locust Lane and was formerly ASTP Barracks 49, now has 20 members, since several left at the end of the summer session. Their president is a graduate of Hampton Institute who is getting his master's degree in architectural engineering. Another member is a graduate of Lincoln University and a member of the Hampton Institute faculty.

Declare House Successful

Inquiring among the members of the house as to the success of the experiment, the advisory committee received several decidedly favorable comments, among them that of a Negro student who said that through it he had "realized some of his dreams." An ex-G.I. who has applied for membership said that he had been looking for a house of that type and felt that it expressed something of what American soldiers were fighting for.

The house is giving a tea for any persons interested in the project Sunday afternoon from 3 to 4:30.

Senior Diplomas

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ed since the College was founded in 1855.

For the ceremony, seniors will receive dummy diplomas and small encased certificates. The original diplomas will be mailed as soon as they are received and engrossed.

Bursar's Office Issues Fee Estimate Blanks

Students are required to pay their fees November 16, 1945. In order to estimate the amount of their fees, the following schedule has been issued by the bursar's office:

	Men	Women
Incidental	50.00	50.00
Miscellaneous	19.75	19.75
Class Dues	1.50	2.50
(Class dues for two-year ag students will be \$1.00)		
Established fees for all regular undergraduate students		
	71.25	71.25
Additions To The Above Fees:		
Out-of-state	75.00	Yes Yes
Room rent in dormitories:		
Women (not town dormitories)		
Choice Single Double Triple		
1st	74.80 65.45 65.45	Yes
2nd	65.45 58.65 58.65	Yes
3rd	55.25	Yes
Key deposit (if in dormitories)	5.00	Yes
Board at Dining Commons:		
	128.00	No Yes
(for Freshman)	130.00	No Yes
Agricultural judging fee if in the School of Agriculture	1.00	Yes Yes
Practicum fees on courses scheduled (Amounts determined from catalogue descriptions)		Yes Yes
Deductions from the above fees:		
Room deposit (if in dormitories)	10.00	No Yes
Freshman incidental in advance	10.00	Yes Yes
Senatorial scholarships	50.00	Yes Yes

Engineering Honorary

Elects Axman To Board

Ernest Axman, professor of electrical engineering, was elected on Monday to the chapter advisory board of Tau Beta Pi, national engineering honorary.

New officers were also elected. They are: Ray Hensler, president; Jack Taylor, vice president; Hartley Finkel, corresponding secretary; Howard Amchin, recording secretary; Judd Healy, treasurer; and Robert Folk, cataloger.

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Dean Ray To Talk To Freshman Club

"Managing our Mind and Time" will be the topic of a talk to be given by Dean of Women Charlotte E. Ray at the final meeting of the PSCA First Semester Club at 7 p. m. Monday in 304 Old Main.

A social period will follow Miss Ray's talk. Alice Miller and Gene Minnich have planned the entertainment program.

Students and faculty members are invited by the CA to attend an informal firelight and music hour in the Hugh Beaver Room from 4:30 to 5 p. m. Thursday afternoon. Recorded classical music will be played.

Jean Butz, Kenneth Harshbarger, and their committees are working out plans to welcome the new freshman class, and are looking for volunteers for welcome parties, upperclass counsellors for freshmen, CA chums, and advisors for Freshman Council and Forum. Those interested are asked to sign up at the CA office.



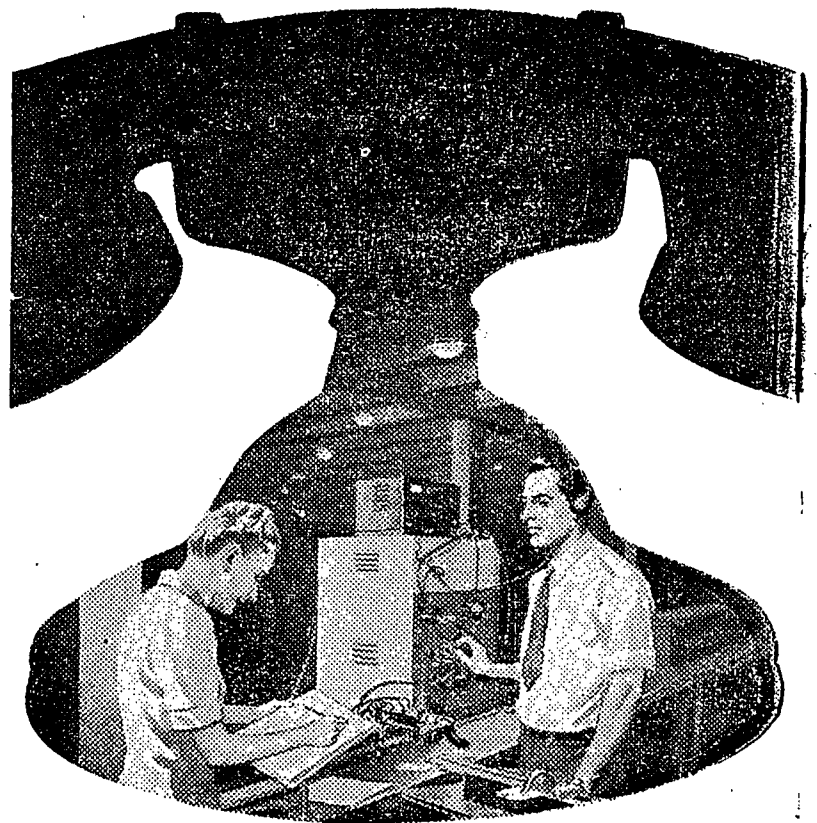
LT. ROY W. JONES, V-12 executive officer, will report to a separation center this week to be discharged. Lieutenant Jones will return to his position as dean of Central State Teachers College, Edmund, Okla.

Athletics Upheld

Competitive sports and athletics are one of the best ways to conquer self-consciousness in youths, Dr. R. H. Felix, chief, mental health division, U. S. Public Health Service, told coaches, teachers, and specialists attending the Health Education Workshop at the College.

Customs Requested

Tribunal and Judicial have requested that freshman men and women wear their green dinks and hairbows to the student-alumni pep rally tonight and to the Colgate game tomorrow.



Birthplace of
50,000 RADARS

TWO years before Pearl Harbor the Government asked Bell Telephone Laboratories to help perfect radar as a military instrument. The Bell System, through the Western Electric Company, its manufacturing branch, became the nation's largest supplier of radar systems.

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