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Griffith Heads Engineer Staff

Publication Lists New Editorial Appointments

Elisabeth Griffith will head the new staff of the Penn State Engineer. She succeeds Dorothea Fischer who resigned recently as editor-in-chief.

Editorial staff appointments are Mary Field, associate editor; Gertrude Spector, managing editor; Eileen Ershler, assistant managing editor; Nancy Cohen, illustrations editor; Margaret Cook, assistant illustrations editor; Ann Pfahler, feature editor; Henry Bennett and Marie Macario, assistant feature editors; Sidney Dickstein, staff photographer.

The business staff includes Lynne Robinson, business manager; James McMaster, associate business manager; Marvin Breslaw, local advertising manager; George West, assistant local manager; John Layser, national advertising manager; Lewis Stein, assistant national manager; Roland Perry, circulation manager; Barbara Pfahler and Donna Outman, assistant circulation managers; David Nalven, office manager.

Associate positions are held by Samuel Casey, Jack Green, Colin Harrison, Robert Jacobus, Robert Jones, Wallis Lloyd, Samuel Paprocky, Stephen Persak, Edward Popky, Albert Spinner, and Betty Trainer.

AAUW Gets Data on Jobs

The American Association of University Women is compiling a list of persons in State College having had experience in a total of eleven vocational fields. Mrs. Walter Coutu, as education committee chairman, heads the project.

Approximately 50 occupations are covered by the list, which gives names, addresses, and actual positions held. Those whose names appear on the list are willing to discuss their experiences with coeds who have already selected their vocations. The purpose of the service is to give students the benefit of talking with people who have practical knowledge of their fields.

Booklets containing the list will be ready this week for distribution to faculty advisors, department heads, deans, dormitory hostesses, and other people or groups having contact with coeds interested in obtaining such information.

The Association stresses that it is in no manner competing with agencies giving vocational guidance, but wishes to present women students the opportunity of talking with those who have had associations in business, nursing and other medical fields, education, home economics, clinical psychology, laboratory and general technical sciences, and in fine arts — music, drama, and speech.

Working with Mrs. Coutu are Miss Jean Amberson, Mrs. Ellen J. Maynard, Mrs. L. P. Guest, and Miss Rose Cologne.

Russian Club Reorganizes

Alpha Rho Omega, better known as the Russian Club, will reorganize its Russian Chorus in 11 Sparks at 8 p.m. Thursday. Constantine Auroff, Russian instructor, will direct the group.

Organized soon after Russian was included in the curriculum, the chorus was disbanded during the war. Alpha Rho Omega invites members of the club, faculty, and students of Russian to join the reorganizing group.

Election Committee Installs Lundy As Prexy

Richard Griffiths, chairman of the elections committee, will install Van Lundy as president of All-College Cabinet in the Alumni office at 8 o'clock tonight.

Following the installation, Lundy will introduce the class officers and open discussion of Cabinet's plans for the semester.

Plans for an all-college formal, featuring a nationally-known orchestra, will head the discussion. Vaughan Stapleton will continue as chairman of the committee in charge of details for this dance.

PSCA Groups Elect Officers

Tonight after the orientation mass meeting, the Freshman Forum meets in 304 Old Main to elect officers. Candidates are: Margaret Cunningham, Ruth Gilmore, and Dorothy Park, president; Nancy Barnes, Mary Kapp, and Jean Rapps, vice-president; Patricia Kinhead, Marjorie McKelvey, and Joanne Snyder, secretary-treasurer; Lois Reese and Harriet Schlee, membership chairman; and Louise Leech and Betty Sammons, social chairman. Officers will be installed next week.

Second Semester Social Hour
To nominate officers and hold a "Get Acquainted Hour" the Second Semester Club will assemble in the Hugh Beaver Room tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. Joan Wolfe and Augustus Thomas are general co-chairmen for the evening.

Upperclass Club Reopens

The Upperclass Club, under the temporary chairmanship of Sara Achenbach, will hold a reorganization meeting in 304 Old Main at 7 p. m. on Thursday. All former members and interested prospective ones will be sincerely welcomed.

Home Ec Agent Visits

Miss Berenice Mallory, federal agent, Home Economics Education, Federal Security Agency, U. S. Office of Education, Washington, D. C., will be on campus Wednesday to speak to the Home Economics education classes on "The Value of Work Experiences to the Home Economics Student."

Conferences have been arranged during the day when Miss Mallory will be available to discuss with students some of her experiences in this field.

Ad Staff Candidates

Business and Advertising old and new candidates meeting will be held Thursday evening, 7 p.m. This meeting is compulsory.

Telephone Operator Retires After 35 Years of Service

A familiar voice will be missing when you pick up your telephone to dial the College after Saturday. Pending approval of the Board of Trustees, Mrs. Mary J. Bitner, who has been chief operator of the College administration switchboard for the past 20 years, will retire on that date.

Altogether, Mrs. Bitner has spent 35 years as a telephone operator in the community. She began work at the State College exchange in 1900, and for 12 of the next 15 years she was the operator in charge.

She married Guy O. Bitner in 1914, resigned the Bell Telephone Company position in 1915, and moved with her husband to Pittsburgh in 1918, where she did war work in the Union Switch and Signal Aircraft Company.

Moving back to State College in 1920, Mrs. Bitner took charge of the College telephone service

Sigma Delta Chi To Reorganize

Journalism Honorary To Lay Plans At Dinner

The Penn State Chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, journalism men's honorary, will hold a reorganization dinner Sunday at the Nittany Lion Inn, Prof. Franklin C. Banner, adviser, announced today. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers and to make plans for resuming normal activities before the end of this semester.

To be eligible for membership in Sigma Delta Chi, a man must have the expressed desire to enter the periodical or publicity field of newspaper; he must be outstanding academically, and prominent in campus activities. Normally, many of these potential members have had Collegian or summer experience in the newspaper field. However, while it isn't essential for consideration, some experience is an absolute necessity before graduation.

Thirty representative members of the Pennsylvania press editors and publishers, are members of the local Penn State chapter. The group sponsors frequent luncheons with editors, helps conduct high school press conferences in the spring, holds gridiron dinners for campus BMOC's, entertains publishers when they are here for conventions, and holds smokers for Journalism men.

Societies Aid On Research

Local chapters of the American Association of University Professors and Sigma Xi met together on Tuesday to consider promotion of graduate study and research at colleges and universities. Dr. Bruce V. Moore presided.

To define and enumerate fields covered by graduate study, papers were read by Professors Joseph H. Simons, Jesse S. Doolittle, and Douglas S. Mead on basic sciences, applied sciences and non-scientific fields, respectively. Professor Wendell E. Keeper led a discussion of what can be done at Penn State to further opportunities for graduate work.

The AAUP's committee on graduate study suggested that periodic bulletins, supplying available information and points of view on the subject be prepared and distributed to stimulate discussions. Also suggested by the committee was a faculty-directed questionnaire on facilities and personnel for study. Both the bulletin and questionnaire were approved by the assembly, and the committee on graduate study is to continue working on them.

Pitt Defeats State, 7-0; 84-Yard Run Wins Game

A freak 84 yard run by Pitt's Jimmy Joe Robinson was enough to spell defeat for Penn State on Saturday afternoon. Robinson's counter was the single tally of the afternoon but it was enough to edge the Lions 7-0.

Penn State showed a slight superiority as far as the statistics were concerned, boasting a lead in first downs 12-7. Inability to couple their passing attack with a running attack when it would do the most good was a weakness that might have lost the game for State.

State's most potent thrust came on the heels of Robinson's touchdown. Returning the kickoff to their 36, Tepsic hit left tackle for six and Larry Cooney raced for 19 on a reverse to the opposite side. Ventresco flipped a pass to Cooney good for 14 yards. Ventresco and Cooney teamed up to put the ball on the Pitt 11, but a third-down pass by Tepsic was intercepted on the three yard line by Ed Zimmovan and saved the day for Pitt.

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Lion's Paw Closes Mt. Nittany Deal

"The 517 acres on the summit of Mount Nittany is the sole property of Lion's Paw and will be administered on a program worked out by a committee over a period of time", Prof. Burke M. Hermann, alumni president announced.

Undergraduates and alumni of the senior honor society voted unanimously to purchase the land at a meeting November 20.

"Lion's Paw has become a trustee of an ancient tradition", Professor Hermann stated. "It will be administered to the best advantage of the entire college. In the meantime the society will welcome any suggestion for its future utilization."

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