

# Prof Alarms Sleepy Students With Original Literary Work

A sea of blank faces. Monday morning, 8 o'clock. What could one expect? A conglomeration of drooping eyelids, drawn-in cheeks, suppressing yawns, and glassy gazes had their effect upon the Professor Lin Cutler, conducting a comp A class in Sparks. Six students were writing the day's assignment on the boards with slow chalk marks. He glanced from them to the rest of the class sitting motionless in their seats, then resolved to do something about it.

Turning to a vacant blackboard, he picked up a piece of chalk and wrote swift lines:

"M-m-m-m-m.  
What have you done to me,  
Drugged me with kisses?  
Never such ecstasy  
Sudden as this is!  
Who cares for the why of it?  
Don't stop to quiz me!  
Don't care if I die of it,  
Just kiss me! and kiss me!"

## College Red Cross Unit Names New Officers

The new officers of the College Red Cross were announced at the rally in Schwab Auditorium last Wednesday. They include: Richard J. Mauthe, chairman; Michael Rosenberger, vice-chairman; Jeanne Hirt, vice-chairman; Carol Dieckmann, secretary; and Anne Berkheimer, finance chairman.

Walter Falkenburg, Ruth Hill, Patricia Meily, Rosemary Genetti, and Jean Ford are other members of the Operating Committee.

Faculty members are Prof. R. M. Gerhardt, assistant dean of engineering, chairman of the State College chapter; Miss Lucille Anderson, member of the advisory council, and Miss Mary Brown Allgood as faculty advisor of the campus unit.

## Advanced ROTC

... courses for all men students who are interested will be discussed at a meeting in 121 Sparks at 4:20 p. m. on Tuesday. Preliminary applications will be issued at that time.

Here and there students straightened in their chairs! Smiles tiptoed to the corners of a few mouths and undecidedly tiptoed back off.

Unknown to those students, that poem was written by the professor and was printed in "Holland's" magazine last year. The professor turned to his class.

"Well, what do you think of it?" A fellow in the back of the room shoved his hands into his pockets.

"I think that's silly!" "You do?" said the professor. "Well, then, you've never been kissed!"

By this time the last sleepy eye opened wide. The class howled!

Latest reports have it that the student who thought the poem was silly has been sufficiently admonished. He can be found over at Atherton every night trying to find someone to help him remedy the situation.

## Drive Collects \$1647 For World Students

The World Student Service Campaign has netted \$1647 to date, announced co-chairmen Betty Funkhouser and Laurence Driskill.

The drive is being extended among all men students this week. Heading the various drive committees are Frank Schneider, fraternities; Walter Pasco, independent men; Priscilla Wagner, sororities; and Vera Slezak, dormitories.

## Vacation

(Continued from page one) cords show, following a vacation period, there is a rather abrupt increase in illness among the students. If students get ill at home, they should stay there to recover, and not bring the disease back with them.

## Calendar

**TODAY**  
Collegian Junior and Senior Board meeting, 3 Carnegie Hall, 4:30 p. m.

Lutheran - Student Christmas party, Lutheran Church, 7 p. m.

Dorm Dance, Cody Manor, 7-10 p. m.

Sabbath Eve Services, Hillel Foundation, 7:30 p. m.

PSCA American Christmas party for all foreign students, 304 Old Main, 8-10 p. m.

**TOMORROW**  
Home Ec Club Christmas sing, Southwest Atherton lounge, 3-4:30 p. m.

Wesley Foundation Christmas party, Wesley Foundation building, 8-11 p. m.

Shabbos Tea, Hillel Foundation, 3 p. m.

**SUNDAY**  
Chapel, Schwab Auditorium, 11 a. m.

Annual Christmas choral service of Chapel Choir.

PSCA Bible Study Group, 304 Old Main, 1:30 p. m.

Rabbi Charles Shoulson to talk on Zionism, Hillel Foundation, 2:30 p. m.

Lutheran Students Association meeting, hymn-fest, Lutheran Church, 6:30 p. m.

Record Concert conducted by Prof. Edward Abramson, Hillel Foundation, 7 p. m.

**MONDAY**  
PSCA First Semester Club Christmas party, 304 Old Main, 7 p. m.

Orchestra rehearsal, 117 Carnegie Hall, 7 p. m.

Penn State Engineer meeting, 2 Armory, 7:30 p. m.

# Coeds Behind Closed Door Find Traitor Among Them

"Help!" The plaintive cry floated down the deserted hall. "Help!" The cry came again from behind the stout wooden door.

There was no response, and the three girls trapped in the room looked at each other hopelessly. They paced up and down. They beat on the door, but it was no use. They were trapped!

They began to think of the things they'd never see again or enjoy. The more they thought, the more desperate they became.

Then someone had a bright idea. "Who looked us in here? Who 'Who locked us in here? Who

We all know that the lock is broken, and we can't turn the knob from either side. Who is the culprit?" Two of them pointed their fingers at the third, who was just disappearing under the bed.

"Just think of all the bluebooks, reports, and classes we'll be missing," wailed one. The other joined in, "And I have a date!"

Then, in the throes of acute claustrophobia, they took a nailfile from the drawer. The sharp point glittered as one of them dragged the third out from under the bed. Just as they were about to murder the cowering culprit, a knock came at the door.

The murder was forgotten, and the three of them scrambled for the door. Outside their rescuer

prodded and pried with a small crowbar. There was a small click and the door swung open. Three Jordan Hall coeds rushed out into the freedom of the hall.

Does this sound fantastic? It isn't; it's an inside story. I was inside!

## Triangle

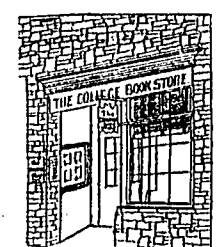
... recently elected the following officers: Herbert A. Mendt, president; Carl Pfeiffer, vice-president; Joseph J. Perry, corresponding secretary; Richard V. Stamble, treasurer; and J. D. McGhee, house manager.

John Fogle, Frank Pipito, and Blair Thompson were recently pledged to Triangle.



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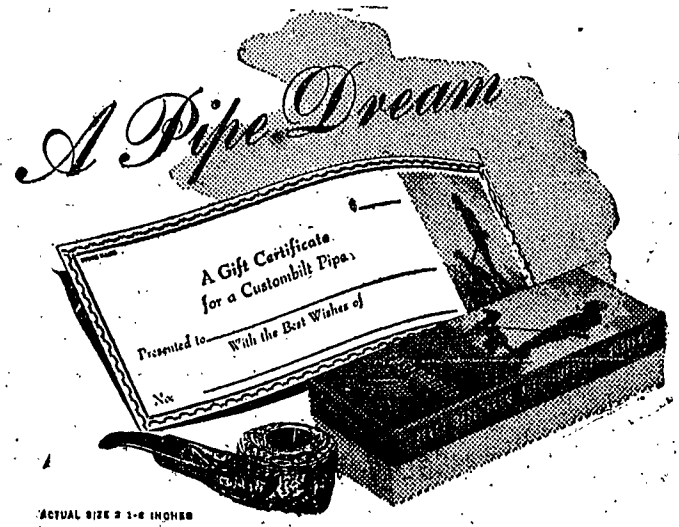
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