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## Senate Cancels Senior Finals

### Registrar Announces 201 Degree Candidates

Candidates for the bachelor's degree at commencement on February 28, 1946, will not be held for scheduled examinations, according to action taken by the College Senate.

Classes for graduating seniors will end on February 23 at noon and grades for all candidates for degrees, including advanced degrees, must be in the Registrar's Office by February 25 at 8 a. m.

Registrar William S. Hoffman announces the following 201 candidates for degrees:

Acciatti, Domenic, IE; Adam, Janet L., Jr.; Adams, David, Met; Amchin, Howard, EE; Albala, Hiram, MS; Amoroch, Jaime, MS; Anderson, Ruth, Psy; Armes, Ruth, AL; Arnold, George, Phys; Baird, Jean A., Ed

Baumgarten, Leah, Ed; Barber, George, AL; Bennett, Eleanor, Ed; Benschoff, Arthur M., Jr., AL; Blackburn, Elizabeth, HE; Blamark, Elsie, Psy; Bland, Georgeanna, CF; Bowman, Mary Catherine, HE; Braverman, Ruth, Psy; Brittain, Lois, Sci;

Buganich, Margaret, Jr; Burns, Paul M., Jr., Ag Ed; Campbell, Audrey C., MS; Campbell, William, AL; Casey, James, Phys; Chapman, Helen Jr; Chervenak Marcella H., ABS; Chestnut, Mildred, HPEd; Claridge, Margaret, Psy; Clark, Ruth E., Psy;

Cleaver, Lois Mae, Ed; Colbert, William, MS; Conte, Angelo, ME; Cornell, Ruth, Ed; Day, Margareta, HE; Danchelsky, Jerry, IE; DeCarolis, Julius, MS; Dixon, Wallace, IE; Doerner, Mary Jane, AL; Dowdell, Virginia, Ed;

Dye, Jane, Psy; Ellenberger, Herman, MS; Ely, Charles, PH; Encina, Victor, MS; Epstein, Frances, Psy; Erskine, Jean, Psy; Faloon, Mary Boyd, Psy; Feins, Ethel, Ed; Feistel, Janis, HE; Feterolf, Bennice, Ed;

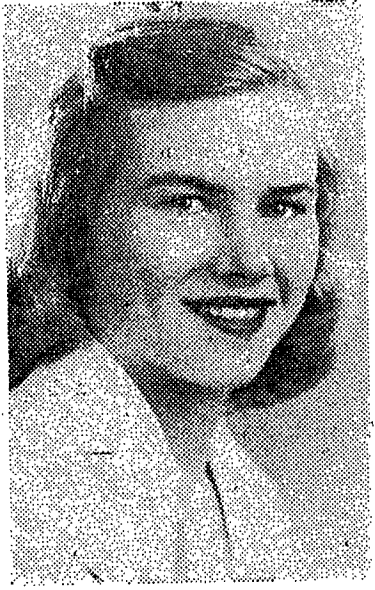
### MORE GRADUATES

Finkel, Hartley, Arch Eng; Fisher, Linden, EE; Fomalont, Mae, MT; Frederickson, Mary, HE; Freed, Ruth, Psy; Gallup, John, For; Garner, Sara, HE; Geller, Charlotte, AL; Gillespie, John III, C CH; Gillespie, Marilyn, Psy; Glosser, Harry, MEd; Gold, Margaret, Jr; Goldberg, Charlotte, AL; Green, Ruth, Psy; Greenes, Esther, Ed; Grubin, Violet, HE; Grymko, Sabina M., AL; Gundel, Mary Elizabeth, HPEd; Haggard, Homer, PhD; Harry, Samuel, Psy;

Hartley, Audrey, HE; Hartman, Howard L., Jr., MngE; Hatton, Frank, MS; Hause, June Lois, (Continued on page three)

# WRA Honors Valentine's Day

### WRA President



ALICE HOOPER

## Independents To Hold Party

A Hearts and Clubs Party will be given by IWA and IMA in 401 Old Main from 8 to 12 o'clock tonight. The party will be an open house celebrating the opening of the IWA room.

All independent students are invited for an evening of dancing, bridge, and ping-pong.

Committees for the party are: Entertainment — Vera Slezak, Violet Grubin, and Suzanne Conroy; Publicity — Alice Beach, Esther Gershman, John Galz, and James Williamson; Refreshments — Angela Gorka, Anita Gaylburd, Francis Epstein, and Shirley Levinson; Clean-Up — Jean Edleman, Audrey Peters, Alice Beach, and Vera Slezak.

### PSCA

Second Semester Club plans a George Washington party in 304 Old Main from 7 to 9 p. m. on Monday. Every second semester student in the College is invited to attend. Gere Menich and Sally Henry, social chairmen, announced. This affair marks the last meeting of the present Second Semester Club members, since the next semester they will join the PSCA Upper-class Club.

Tennis Club, Cwens, Mortar Board, Freshman Council, and Theta Sigma Phi.

Class Poet: Betty Steele, active in Delta Gamma, swimming, Tennis Club, Bowling Club, Alpha Lambda Delta, Cwens, Panhellenic Council, Judicial, Pre-med Society, and Freshman Senator.

Class Donor: Mary Jane Doerner, whose activities include: Kappa Alpha Theta, Choir, Alpha Lambda Delta, French Club, and All-College Cabinet.

### CLASS DAY

Prior to the war the awards were a part of the Class Day ceremony in the spring, at which time the top three coeds were given tiny gold pins, designating the honor they held. The Mirror Girl read the class prophesy, and the Class Poet wrote and read her contribution, while the Class Donor served as mistress of ceremonies. Class Day was discontinued during the war, but the awarding of the honors and pins to outstanding coeds has continued.

## Campus Owls Play At Sweetheart Dance Girl-Ask-Boy Tradition Highlights Ball

Carrying out the old-fashioned St. Valentine's day theme is the traditional girl-asks-boy "Sweetheart Dance" at White Hall, 9 o'clock to midnight, February 16. This is the annual semi-formal affair sponsored by the Women's Recreation Association.

Dancing will be to the music of Bud Wills and his Campus Owls. Special arrangements by the band and quartette will be featured during the evening. There will be special lighting effects achieved by a color wheel.

### MURALS TO DECORATE WALLS

Two large old-fashioned valentine murals will decorate the walls of White Hall gymnasium and there will be dozens of balloons floating down from the ceiling. Black and red checked hearts will cover the bandstand and black and red plain ones will cover the basketball baskets.

Tickets are on sale now at Student Union or may be purchased from WRA Executive Board members in the dormitories. They will also be on sale at the door on the night of the dance. The price of the tickets is \$1.20 per couple, tax included.

## ISC Members Plan Banquet

ISC members last week laid plans for their semester banquet to be held at the University Club at 7:15 p.m. Monday. Other business transacted included the election of officers, voting of keys for this semester's officers and the appointment of a committee to revise the constitution.

Highlighting the Independent Student Council banquet will be Nicholas M. Brentin, assistant professor of Spanish, guest speaker, and Eugene Fulmer, master of ceremonies. Members of the committee planning the banquet are: Gloria Freedman, chairman; Ruth B. Friedman; and Shirley Levinson.

### OFFICERS ELECTED

The following were elected to serve next semester: Walter Pascoe, president; Salvatore Rocci, vice-president; Shirley Levinson, social chairman; Margaret Chaney, secretary; Ruth Brenner, treasurer; and Michael Horen, historian.

Officers of this semester who were awarded keys are: Michael Hakikis, president; Walter Pascoe, vice-president; Shirley Levinson, social chairman; Esther Pennay, secretary; Robert Moore, treasurer; and Clayton Wilson, historian.

### TO REVISE CONSTITUTION

Those who will be working on the revision of the constitution and the organizations which they (Continued on page three)

## 7th Semester Slates 'Skip'

The Seventh Semester Skip will be held at the Tau Kappa Epsilon house, Prospect and Garner street, from 9 to 12 o'clock tonight.

Features of the informal affair will be dancing to "the sweetest victrola this side of heaven," entertainment by Pfeleger and Mitchell, bridge, and doorprizes of nylons and cigarettes. There will be no charge.

All seventh semester students are invited and each may bring a guest, according to David Lundy, class president. Because of incomplete semester lists, invitations have not been sent to everyone. Therefore, they will not have to be presented for admission.

Committees and members for the dance are publicity: Jean Ford, chairman, Marjorie Medland, Esther Spence; decorations: Jane Wolbarst, chairman, Charles Appleman, Donald Kay, John Neel, Frank Stevenson, Jackson Townsend; invitations: Jean Hirt.

## March Of Dimes Tops \$1000 Goal

When the official report of the recent "March of Dimes" campaign is sent to the National Foundation, Penn State will go on record as having reached, and even topped its goal of \$1,000.

Total contributions, as of Wednesday night amounted to \$1,006.12.

When reading in Tuesday's issue of Collegian that the drive was \$6.11 shy of the goal, Eugene Fulmer and Theta Chi fraternity decided that something ought to be done. The next day, Fulmer, who was the only student to collect \$10 by his own efforts, turned in an additional \$6.11 needed to attain the campus goal.

Late, but always welcome, Theta Chi's initial contribution of \$6.12 put the campaign "over the top" by exactly that amount.

All costs of the polio drive were paid by the Collegian, and therefore, every cent contributed will be spent to aid the sufferers of the disease.

## Portfolio Names Winners Of Subscription Contest

The following prize-winners of a subscription contest held recently among the members of the New Portfolio circulation staff have been announced by Kenneth F. Edgar, editor: Peggy Langdon, Richard Lewis, and Elaine Mittleman.

The next issue of the magazine will be off the press about February 25, said Edgar.

### COMMITTEES ASSIST JAMES

Assisting Phyllis James, chairman of the dance committee, and Alice Hooper, president of the WRA Executive Board, are the following committees:

Decorations — Phyllis Reigle, chairman, Pauline Globisch, Nan James, Barbara Keefer, Virginia McCluskey, and Ruth Tisherman; invitations — Jo Ann Lieb and Isabel Logan; publicity — Rebecca Walker, chairman, Nancy Romig, and Jeanne Thompson; tickets and programs — Lucille Martin, chairman, Alice Hooper, and Lila Leaman.

The members of the WRA Executive Board are:

Alice Hooper, president; Phyllis James, vice-president; Phyllis Reigle, secretary - treasurer; Jane Schlosser, club activities chairman; Ann Baker, intramural chairman; Claire Parks, assistant intramural chairman; Lucy Seifing, publicity chairman; Rebecca Walker, senior counselor; Virginia McCluskey, Pauline Globisch, and Nancy Romig, freshman representatives; and Mildred Lucy, faculty advisor.

## Blue Band Gives Concert Sunday

The Blue Band will hold its first concert of the semester at Schwab auditorium, 3:30 p. m., Sunday. The band, under the direction of Prof. Hummel Fishburn, will present a program of diversified music, part of which will be broadcast over WMAJ.

The program which Professor Fishburn has planned will consist of selections of classical and modern music. The Polka and Fugue from "Schwanda" by Weinberger is one of the compositions which the college organization will perform. Other classical selections will include "March Grandioso" by Selta, and "Overture Hongroise" by Skbornicka. A highlight of the classical compositions to be played is Handel's "Royal Fireworks Music," which will feature, besides the full band, a small group of musicians performing the five-part composition.

Among the selections of modern band music will be "American Salute," an adaptation of "When Johnny Comes Marching Home," arranged by Morton Gould. Raymond Scott's "The Toy Trumpet" and Meacham's "American Patrol" are two popular compositions which will be performed.

A novelty number, "At The Gremlin Ball," by Hill, a jazz selection, will be another highlight of the Blue Band concert. The program is to be concluded by "The P S C March" a medley of Penn State songs.

The band has been rehearsing since the beginning of the semester and further concerts have been planned by Professor Fishburn.

## Six Coeds Receive Awards At Senior Coffee Hour

Mary Boyd Faloon was named Bow Girl at the senior women's coffee hour given by the Dean of Women's Office in Atherton Hall last night. Mrs. Faloon, who receives this highest honor, originated by the women of the class of 1922, is active in the following: Players, Mortar Board, PSCA, Psi Chi, and was both semester secretary and treasurer, and All-College Cabinet secretary and treasurer.

As a result of recent balloting among the eighth semester coeds, this and the following awards were made: Fan Girl, Alice Hooper, active in Lakonides, WRA, Junior Service Board, Alpha Omicron Pi, and president of Physical Education Council.

Slipper Girl: Gloria McKinley, whose campus activities are: Alpha Chi Omega, Senate, Freshman Council, Tennis Club, Fencing Club, Cwens, WRA, WSGA, and Red Cross.

### MIRROR GIRL

Mirror Girl: Patricia Turk, activities: Delta Gamma, Orchestra, Newman Club, Collegian staff,