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Appointees Fill College Posts

Home Economics Head, Aid To Examiner Named

Dr. Grace Mildred Henderson and Robert E. Tschan will take over the College positions of director and professor of home economics and assistant College Examiner respectively, announced the Board of Trustees.

Dr. Henderson, head of home economics at the University of Arkansas will come to the College August 1. She succeeds Miss Laura Drummond, now a member of the faculty at Columbia University.

A native of Nebraska, she received her B. S. degree in home economics in 1924 from Nebraska University, an M. S. from Chicago University in 1931, and a Ph. D. degree in education from Ohio State University in 1944.

The new director of home economics served a total of 11 years in the extension services of New York, Kansas, and Nebraska as home demonstration agent and program specialist. She has been affiliated with teaching and research programs at Cornell University, the University of Texas, and Oregon State College.

Dr. Tschan will come to the College July 1 from Notre Dame University where he is serving as assistant professor of medieval history. Before going to Notre Dame two years ago, he was an instructor at Columbia University.

At Columbia, Dr. Tschan held a fellowship in medieval history and was a research assistant there. He formerly taught history at Georgetown University Foreign Service School.

AVC Organizes Local Chapter

A Centre county chapter of the American Veterans Committee has been organized in State College with Edward Banyai serving as chairman. Other officers elected at the first meeting were Cy Good, vice-chairman and Hugh Ridall, treasurer.

Promising to deal with local as well as national problems the AVC will be open to all veterans at the College and in Centre county, Banyai stated.

An organization committee consisting of Virgil Wall, Albi Lapowsky and Arthur Reede, associate professor of economics, has been appointed to draw up the parliamentary procedure plans.

"The AVC is one of the most liberal and progressive veteran organizations today and will not interfere with the X-GI program on the campus," Banyai stressed. "This is a national organization composed of World War II veterans, formed in 1943 by several enlisted men. AVC has fought for the Wyckoff Housing Bill, the FEPC Employment Bill, the Full Employment Bill and was the only veterans' organization represented at the San Francisco conference."

"This organization believes in a better understanding between countries. One of our future projects here will be a radio round table discussion over the local radio station," Banyai added.

Prominent members of the AVC include Col. Evan Carlson of "Carson's Raiders," Bill Mauldin, Merle Miller, Franklin Roosevelt, Jr., Charles Boites and Harold E. Stassen, former governor of Minnesota and representative to the UNO conferences.

Time and place of the next meeting will be announced in the Collegian.

Compulsory Meeting

of the advertising staff will be held at 8 Carnegie Hall, 7:30 p. m. Thursday. New candidates are invited to attend.

Band Battle Lauds Pledges

Fraternity pledges, "the forgotten men of campus," will have their night when the Interfraternity Council salutes all pledges at the "Battle of the Bands" at Recreation Hall Saturday night.

The "Battle" will feature continuous music with Dick Berge and the Campus Owls alternating on the bandstand. Included in the dance program will be a ballot for selecting the favorite band of the dancers. A ballot-box will be placed at the entrance and the winner of the balloting will be announced in next Tuesday's Collegian.

Joseph W. Steel, dance chairman, announced last night a change in the sale of tickets for the informal affair. Tickets will be on sale all day Friday and until noon Saturday at the Athletic Association window in Old Main at \$1.50 per couple.

Deans Release Honor Lists

Three averages were made by six students in the School of Chemistry and Physics and by four in the School of Engineering, according to lists released by their deans.

Heading the honor list in the Chemistry and Physics School are John Chessick, John Haladyna, Richard Hill, Walter Kmak, Elizabeth Mumma, and Eleanor Shaheen. Frederick Andrews Jr., Albert A. Baker, Joel Crouch, and Carl Lundbom are the leading students in the Engineering School.

Other high-ranking students in the School of Chemistry and Physics are Phyllis Mowrer, 2.88; William Vail, 2.77; Eleanor Aurnund, 2.81; Charles Marcincavage, 2.81; Sarah Baraham, 2.70; Margaret Case, 2.70; Thelma Holbaugh, 2.70; Barbara Pfahler, 2.70; Wayne Hoffman, 2.69; Alex Kotch, 2.68; Joseph Geiger, 2.66; John Gillespie, 2.66; Judd Healy, 2.66; Nancy Hoeflich, 2.66; Harriet Schlee, 2.53; Romulo Quintero, 2.52; Alden Emery Jr., 2.50; Myrna Hinkel, 2.50; Robert Sandy, 2.50; and Betty Steele, 2.50.

The leading students of the Engineering School are Frederick Andrews Jr. 3.00; Albert A. Baker, 3.00; Joel Crouch, 3.00; Carl Lundbom, 3.00; Kenneth Harshbarger Jr., 2.92; John DeLorg, 2.88; Wilmore Fluman, 2.88; Michael Nakonechny, 2.86; Ray Bland, 2.83; Harold Holly Jr., 2.82; Walter Luxion, 2.82; Preston E. Baustian, 2.81; Ivan Thompson, 2.80; Felix Roth, 2.78; Frances Schwenk, 2.78; John Hazinski, 2.77; Carolyn Robinson, 2.76; Robert Terrey, 2.76; James E. Blakeslee, 2.75; William Long, 2.75; Phylis Warren Reed, 2.72; Winfield Kilgore, 2.71; George Mitchell, 2.71; William Ryan, 2.71; Martin Levy, 2.70; Joseph Riegel, 2.70; Steven Fortunato, 2.68; Carl Lawrence, 2.68; Robert Barefoot, 2.67; Thomas Crawford, 2.66; John Hayes, 2.66; Harold Hill, 2.66; James Fetherlin, 2.65; Donald F. Sands, 2.64; John Fogle, 2.60; Lester Hackenberry, 2.60; Lawrence Rosenfelt, 2.60; Charles Herbert Seaton, 2.60; William Barrett, 2.58; August Branding, 2.58; Richard Bower, 2.55; John Lincoln Olewine, 2.55; Dale Everate Thompson, 2.55; Gordon Schneider, 2.53; Margaret Crispen Bitner, 2.52; Bonnie Slupek, 2.51; David Carr, 2.50; Ilo Harvey, 2.50.

Wallets Stolen

from coats hung in the halls during classes are being reported to Captain Philip A. Mark of the Campus Patrol. He requests that all valuables such as money, rings, or wallets be removed from wraps before leaving them in the halls.

To Open Debate



John H. Frizzell

X-G-I Club Holds Smoker

All ex-servicemen are welcome to attend the X-GI Club's informal smoker at Schwab Auditorium at 8 o'clock this evening. This is a get-together of all X-GIs to welcome the new veterans to the Penn State campus and to help solve the many problems of the veterans that are returning to college.

This traditional early semester event will be highlighted by talks from Dean Arthur R. Warnock, Professor Robert E. Galbraith, veteran counselor, Charles Speide, wrestling coach and Lou Bell, director of Public Information.

Entertainment will be provided by Pleeger and Mitchell, comedy team which performed at the Saturday Night club affair in White Hall last week. The smoker will shift to Old Main after the informal talks, where refreshments will be served, and membership in the X-GI Club solicited.

Memberships also will be accepted at Student Union at any time.

Spring semester officers of the X-GI Club are Wesley Turek, president; Gene Fulmer, vice-president; John Schwartz, secretary; Thomas Lander, treasurer; Robert McGregor, chaplain; Thomas Turnbull, historian.

In addition to these officers, Theodore Rozelsky, Herman Auker and Royce Nix make up the Executive Committee of the club.

Phi Eta Sigma Initiates Twenty Freshmen Men

Twenty candidates of Phi Eta Sigma, national freshman honorary fraternity, were initiated into the College's chapter recently at the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity. The initiates were addressed by the faculty adviser of the chapter, Professor Franklin B. Krauss and President Francis J. Eschner, a member of the executive council of the national chapter.

Those initiated were Raymond S. Caton, Jr., John W. Holmes, Robert L. Jordan, Robert H. McGill, Virgil E. Neilly, Preston F. Ottmiller, Jr., Walter R. Pascoe, Walter L. Robb, George D. Sorenson, Jr., Chauncey L. Tepel, Ralph Wagner, Jr., John D. Chiquoine Thomas A. Hopkins, Jr., John A. Pryor, John W. Punton, Romulo Quintero, Vernon T. Smith, Jr., Frank Tidona, William A. Vail, Jr., William Z. F. Walker.

Payment of Fees

for the spring semester will take place in Recreation Hall March 29, announced Bursar Russell E. Clark.

Since it is impossible to release estimates for individual students, a fee estimate blank is available at the Bursar's office. With this blank it is possible for the student to figure the approximate amount due.

State Debaters to Meet For Eleventh Convention

Thirteen Colleges, Universities Participate; Send Seventy-Six Delegates to College

The eleventh annual Pennsylvania State Debaters' Convention represented by 76 delegates will meet at the College Friday and Saturday.

Participating in the convention are the following thirteen colleges and universities: Albright, Allegheny, Dickinson, Geneva, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania State, Penn State, Seton Hill, Shippensburg, Susquehanna, Temple, and Ursinus. Topics for discussion are

Parties Enter Full Slates

Penn State's political parties will have candidates entered in all semesters in the All-College elections to be held in the first floor lounge of Old Main on March 26 and 27.

Following are the candidates and their activities as listed by Charles Pfeleeger, chairman of the Key clique and Albert Green, chairman of the Nittany-Independent clique.

All College President
Walter Falkenberg, Key; Red Cross Fund Drive Co-Chairman, 1945 and 1946, Fourth semester president, Past Historian of X-GI Club, Orchestra, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Penn State Engineer, Freshman Councilor Summer and Fall of 1945, Chi Phi.

Vaughn Stapleton, Nittany-Independent; All College Secretary-Treasurer, president of Theta Chi, president of Hat Societies, president Parmit Nous, Lions Club, varsity boxing, Who's Who among students in American Universities, chairman All-College dance, co-chairman P.S.C.A. drive, Penn State club, agriculture student council, Red Cross blood donor committee, Future Farmers of America, X-GI club, freshman counselor, Block and Bridge club, Riding club, reception committee for trailer camp X-GI's.

All College Secretary-Treasurer
June First, Key; Dry Dock chairman, House of Representatives, vice president of dormitory unit, Key clique secretary 1944-45, P.S.C.A. campaign drive division leader, Aquacade, swimming club, W.R.A. board.

Rebecca Walker, Nittany-Independent; Secretary Chi Omega, senior advisor W.R.A., president of physical education honorary, Junior Service board, secretary of Physical Education school, intramural chairman of W.R.A., intramural sports.

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New Thespians Call Dancers

Thespians, musical comedy organization, has issued a call for all interested in dancing to report for chorus tryouts at Schwab auditorium tomorrow at 7:30 p.m.

Inactive for two years, the Thespian chorus was a featured part of all Thespian productions in the past. Bud Mellot, dance director, urged all dancers, men and women, to report for the tryouts or to leave their names at Student Union. He stressed that professional experience is not needed. "All we want to see is sincere interest," he added.

Mellot was dance director for the Thespian chorus in 1942-43 when the Thespian policy was to produce two musical comedies a year. Also several "Mobile Units" were sent to various army camps in the vicinity.

Thespians, oldest organization on campus, was founded by Dr. Fred Lewis Pattie, author of "The Alma Mater," in 1897. J. Ewing "Sock" Kennedy was director of Thespian shows before the group disbanded.

The Foreign Trade Policy of the United States and Peacetime Preparedness.

Registration will take place in the first floor lounge of Old Main from 3 p. m. to 9 p. m. on Thursday and from 9 a. m. to 10 a. m. Friday. A reception is to be held in the Hugh Beaver room, 304 Old Main, at 9 p. m. Thursday. Carl Harshbarger, president of Forensic Council is in charge of arrangements.

An assembly in 121 Sparks, at 10 a. m. Friday will mark the formal beginning of the convention. Here officers will meet delegates and hear Prof. John H. Frizzell, head of the speech department, deliver the welcome address for the College.

Throughout Friday, committees are to meet on the topics for discussion. At a banquet held at the State College Hotel, 6 p. m. Friday, Professor Frizzell will deliver the after-dinner address entitled "An Old Fellow Takes A Walk." Three representatives of convention committees will also address the convention on "Democracy and the Future." Prof. Joseph F. O'Brien will serve as toastmaster.

The assembly will meet for final action on the Foreign Trade Bill in 121 Sparks, 8:15 p. m., Friday.

On Saturday morning, Peacetime Preparedness is to be the subject for assembly action, followed by election of officers. Student officers presiding at the convention are: Eugene Bray, Geneva College, president; Edward Hoffman, University of Pennsylvania, first vice-president; Mildred Ann Ditty, Allegheny College, second vice-president; Eugene Fulmer, Penn State, treasurer.

Red Cross Unit Sets Contributions Deadline

Deadline for all contributions to the Red Cross Fund is tomorrow night, announced Carol Dieckman and Jinx Falkenberg, co-chairmen of the drive.

All solicitors and organizations are requested to bring their money to the Dean of Men's office, 111 Old Main from 7 to 9 p. m. tonight and tomorrow.

The latest figure released was \$300 collected toward the goal of \$1200. The sorority, fraternity and other organization contributions have not yet been tabulated.

A booth has been set up at the Corner Room and section leaders are contacting all students.

GM Vice-president Establishes Loan Fund

The Ethel and Bayard Kunkel Loan fund will be established at the College, according to the executive committee of the Board of Trustees. Mr. Kunkel is a vice president of General Motors Inc., and a graduate of the College in 1907.

The principal for the fund will be obtained from the sale of 200 shares of Class B stock of General Motors. Loans will be made to married veterans in full-time attendance at the College in amounts not exceeding \$150 in any semester and will be used for emergencies or to supplement income to meet current expenses.

Purple Quill

will present a panel discussion, "Critique of the Modern Novel," over WMAJ at 8 o'clock tomorrow night. Henry Hall, Ross Johnson, and David Waggoner will participate.