

Gals Have Nothing on Martin; Their Work Is Never Done

A historian's job is never ended. So it is with Dr. A. E. Martin, head of the department of history at the College, who will retire on June 30, only to start a new phase of his life's work.

Dr. Martin came to the College in 1915 as an instructor in history and in 1918 was named head of the department of history and political science.

Now he plans to "retire" to Tucson, Arizona, and do some of the things that he hasn't been able to do during his 31 years on the College faculty.

Historical writings will be Dr. Martin's main occupation. Among other things, he plans to complete a manuscript on the ex-presidents which will be published under the title, "After the White House." He also will write a series of 7000-word biographies of prominent Americans which will be published in the Social Studies Magazine and later in book form.

Writes 5 History Books
Historical writing, however, is nothing new for Dr. Martin. He already has written five books, including the college text, "History of the United States," published in two volumes. Recently he completed revisions to each of these volumes, adding 80 pages to Volume II to cover the period 1938 to 1946.

Another volume of 800 pages, entitled "History of the United States," and written with Dr. A. C. Bining of the University of Pennsylvania, is in the hands of the publishers. It will be used as a high school textbook.

Dr. Martin also has plans for entering the field of archaeology.

"While my interest in archaeology has been a hobby in the past, I expect to make it an avocation, or, perhaps, a semi-profession in the future," he says. "This should furnish an excellent excuse to travel."

Will Discontinue Hobby

One hobby that Dr. Martin will discontinue is that of building his private library. He now possesses more than 3000 volumes and several unique collections of original papers and documents in the general field of history. Among these is a list of about 200 English and American parchment deeds, leases, and mortgages, dating back to 1603. They in themselves are a history of legal phraseology over a period of more than 300 years.

American-German Review Uses Buffington Article

Dr. Albert F. Buffington, of the department of German at the College, is author of an article, entitled, "Maidel wilscht du heirathen—A Hybrid Poem" which appears in the June issue of the American-German Review.

In the item he reprints and analyzes 12 of the 22 verses of an old Pennsylvania German poem, entitled, "Girl Do You Want To Marry?" The poem was found among old newspaper clippings and the first verses are missing.



DR. ASA E. MARTIN

Dr. Martin also hopes to read the European history he says he has neglected in recent years. And if time permits, he says he may even develop an interest in the movies or the comics.

"In short," Dr. Martin says, "I hope to spend the remainder of my life doing the things I always wanted to do, but lacked the time to do. I might even sleep in occasionally, that is, until 7 or 7:30 o'clock!"

He received his doctor of philosophy degree from Cornell University in 1915.

Harold Wilson Receives Ag School Appointment

Harold K. Wilson, professor of agronomy and head of the department, has been appointed director of resident instruction for the School of Agriculture, Dean Lyman E. Jackson announced today.

Professor Wilson's appointment will be effective July 1. He will continue as head of the agronomy department.

Campus Center Club

... at its last meeting of the semester Wednesday, discussed plans for the Summer and Fall. Big sisters and brothers will be assigned during the Summer Sessions to all transfer students who will be on campus in the Fall.

Chapel

Yale Professor Speaks Sunday

Dr. John C. Schroeder of Yale University will speak on "An Argument with Jesus" at Chapel services, Schwab Auditorium, 11 a.m., Sunday.

Dr. Schroeder was graduated from the Union Theological Seminary, Columbia University, and Howard University. He received his D.D. in 1933 from Bowdoin University, and his L.L.D. from the University of Maine in 1934.

Ordained in the Congregational Church in 1921, Dr. Schroeder has been Master of Calhoun College, Yale University since 1942. He served with the Red Cross in France during the first World War.

Dr. Schroeder is the author of two books: "The Task of Religion," and "Modern Man and the Cross."

English Study Dairy, Ag School

Two Englishmen, conducting investigation for the British Ministry of Agriculture, visited the College's Agriculture Experiment Station from Monday until yesterday.

They were H. S. Hall and A. Rowlands from the National Institute of Dairy Research of the University of Reading, Shinfield, England.

The main reason for their visit to the College is to study current and experimental methods in dairying and agricultural engineering. Britain still labors under nearly as many food problems as she had during the war, they said, and much effort is being spent in the search for more efficient production and manufacturing methods.

H. M. Duckham, agricultural attache of the British Embassy, is also visiting the Agriculture Experiment Station today.

Sigma Pi

... elected Walter E. Funk, president at a recent meeting. Other officers are Wilfred Biefey, vice-president; George Gollightly, secretary; William Holenbach, alumni secretary; Fred D. Caccese, treasurer; Fred W. Smith, historian; Robert Day, house manager; and George Stiffinger, pledge trainer. George C. Fryburg has been elected delegate to the fraternity's national convocation at Asheville, North Carolina.

New pledges are Anthony Duich, Robert Skipper, and Glenn Wiest.

The College operates undergraduate centers at Altoona, DuBois, Hazleton, and Pottsville.

Old Pictures Show What This Town Used To Be

Livestock no longer roams over muddy College avenue, and the fences, gates and turnstiles that kept pigs and cows out of the lawns are gone from the main thoroughfare of State College. However, the days when these things were actuality rather than history will be depicted by an exhibit in the lobby of the College Library.

Old pictures, manuscripts, and mementoes will be used to show the progress of the College and of the State College borough during the administration of President Atherton (1882-1906). The exhibit will be shown from next Wednesday until July 7.

Information for the exhibit was taken in part from Dr. Dunaway's manuscript of his forthcoming history of the College and from reminiscences of men and women connected with the early College and town.

The display is timed for the approaching celebration of the 50th anniversary of the borough. It is being shown by the staff of the Penn State Room, where the library is endeavoring to collect material of historic value to the College.

Division To Present Student Art Exhibit

The annual exhibit of student art work, sponsored by the division of fine arts at the College, will open in the Mineral Industries Gallery at 2 p.m. Sunday and continue through next week.

The exhibit is composed of work done during the past year by students in drawing, painting, design, and water color.

The gallery will be open from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday and 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. during the week.

Officers Names

... of every fraternity, sorority, honor society, Ag societies, or other organized groups must be handed in to Student Union desk this week if they are to be included in the new 1946-47 Student Union Directory, George Donovan, SU manager announced today.

The State College City Panhellenic Association gives an annual scholarship of approximately \$50 to a woman student who has shown special industry and responsibility in self-support.

Placement

Insurance Firm To Interview

Senior men will be interviewed by Albert W. Bates of the Aetna Casualty and Surety Company on Tuesday. He will talk to men who will complete their work prior to October 1 and successful applicants will be employed on a salary basis. There will be a thorough period of training in the field and home office.

Arrangements for interviews should be made at the College Placement Service, 204 Old Main, as soon as possible.

The first public water supply system was instituted in Boston, Mass., in 1652.



FINAL SUPPER GROUP Saturday—6-8 P.M. The Fireside Room
STUDENT DEPARTMENT SUNDAY—9:30 A.M.
Westminster Foundation Sacrament of the Lord's Supper Sunday—6:30 P.M. Westminster Hall
Senior Night—Sunday, June 23 6:20 P.M. The Fireside Room
Final Meeting of Thursday Matin Group June 27th—7:00-8:00 A.M.
Use these remaining opportunities for fellowship profitably.

LOOK AHEAD TO VACATION

You'll want to be prepared for the summer vacation days which are practically here. Enjoy your vacation, and be comfortable in a sport shirt from Hur's on those hot sultry days.

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