

Wanta Make 3's?
Then Take Ed 105
Says Professor

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That "3" student you knew last semester who had time for all sorts of extra-curricular activities may have had a superior intellectual endowment, but a large part of his academic success was probably due to a well-organized method of study, or by taking Education 105.

Study habits and techniques are not instinctive. They have to be consciously cultivated and developed. To get the most out of your Spring Semester courses, follow these suggestions:

An Early Start Is Important

The most difficult part of a new course is the first part. What

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Alpha Sigma Phi To Give Party

Alpha Sigma Phi invites all male students and their dates to an informal open-house party and dance at the Ski Lodge, one mile on the other side of Boalsburg, from 5 p. m. to midnight, tomorrow.

Gene Sprague and his orchestra will play for the group from 8:30 until 11:30 p. m., according to Alexander Petrovski, Alpha Sigma Phi social chairman.

Refreshments will be served. Petrovski said that the mode of dress will be ski suits or dungarees. No charges will be made, he added.

Raise Funds For Trophy

Funds raised by student subscription were assigned today to an annual Penn State boxing award to be officially known as the Paul Smith Memorial Trophy.

The fund was raised shortly after Smith's death and a student committee advocated establishment of the award as a memorial to the former Lion boxing star. Smith died suddenly while visiting a friend in Greensburg last Spring.

The Hollidaysburg, Pa., war veteran captained the Lion ring team in 1946 and the year before was the recipient of the Frank J. Goodman Most Valuable Boxer Award. He also competed in baseball and track, and was awarded his degree posthumously last June.

Under the terms of the award, as approved by the Penn State board of trustees, a student-faculty board will name the winner on the basis of scholarship, character and all-around athletic ability. The award will go only to graduating seniors.

A student committee headed by Richard Lose advocated presentation of the trophy at Class Day exercises in June. The permanent engraved trophy will be retained at the College, and a small replica will be presented to each winner.

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Weather

Snow Flurries Today—
Somewhat Colder.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

Registration Begins For Students As Spring Semester Commences

Five hundred and fifty-three students have been admitted to the College for the second semester, Registrar William S. Hoffman said today as thousands of old and new students headed for Recreation Hall to fill out their registration forms for the Spring semester.

Veterans are reminded to fill out additional forms for subsistence and books in the basement of Carnegie Hall at the conclusion of their regular registration.

The new students will fill vacancies left by the 365 men and women who received their degrees last Saturday and others who have withdrawn from the College for various reasons.

New Courses

Among the new courses this semester will be one in Victorian Poetry listed as English Literature 44 which will be conducted by Dr.

Army Offers Active Duty

Former Army Air Forces officers, qualified for training as weather officers, may request call to active duty to take such training at civilian universities, the department of military science and tactics at the College was notified today by the War Department.

Courses will be offered at the University of Chicago, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, New York University, and University of California at Los Angeles. They will begin during the mid-term semesters and additional quotas for summer and fall semesters are planned.

Reserve officers in the grade of major and below who have completed at least three years of college work including mathematics through integral calculus, and also one year of college physics, are eligible, provided they are physically and otherwise qualified.

Chapel Speaker

In keeping with the spirit of Valentine's Day, Dr. Robert E. Slaughter of East Cleveland, Ohio, will deliver a sermon, entitled "I Love You Truly" at chapel services in Schwab Auditorium at 11 a. m. Sunday.

James T. Smith, general secretary of the Penn State Christian Association, has been reappointed acting-chaplain of the College for the Spring semester, Dr. Ralph Dorn Hetzel, president of the College, announced yesterday.

Smith was named acting chaplain at the beginning of last semester when John H. Frizzell, professor of speech and debating team coach, retired to become chaplain emeritus.

Ben Euwema, dean of the School of Liberal Arts.

The College will offer what is believed to be the nation's first accredited course on fishing under the direction of George Harvey, prominent angler.

The course will be listed as Principles and Techniques of

Angling and will rate two college credits for the 16-week course. Equipment will be furnished students according to present plans.

Fly tying, fly casting, and care and repair of equipment are some of the subjects to be covered in the course. Classroom instruction will be followed in the spring by

Observatories Open To Student Astronomers

By William J. Gessner

The multiple astronomical observatories of the School of Chemistry and Physics, located just east of the Forestry building, are again open for use by students. This was announced today by Dr. Henry L. Yeagley of the physics department. With the announcement came an invitation to all students and faculty members to avail themselves of the facilities offered by the observatories.

"The observatories were popular features on campus before the war," Dr. Yeagley reflected. He added, with a twinkle, "And for some strange reason people like to view the stars in couples. The observatories were closed during the war," he explained, "because we were engaged in war projects that didn't involve direct use of the observatories."

Two aluminum dome units make the observatories readily identifiable. One has a ten-inch reflector telescope of special design for simplicity in viewing the planets and stars. The other has a modern meridian circle used for measuring time by the stars and for teaching celestial navigation. The observatories will be open Tuesday and Wednesday—on clear nights—from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. or longer. Joseph

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Religious Groups Welcome Students

To welcome students back for the coming semester, PSCA and Hillel Foundation have planned get-togethers for the weekend.

The Hillel Foundation will have an informal dance from 9 to 12 Saturday night. Estelle Siekierka, social chairman, announced that the dance is open to all students.

PSCA is holding open house in 304 Old Main from 2 to 5 p. m. Sunday afternoon. Entertainment will include accordian melodies, dancing, a songfest and refreshments.

The Brandeis society of Hillel is sponsoring an evening of movies at the Foundation at 8 p. m. Sunday. Featured on the program will be a recently produced color film on Palestine entitled, "Land of Hope" and narrated by Jose Ferrer and "A Tale of Two Cities" with Ronald Colman.

A record concert of American folk music will be conducted by Edward Abramson, assistant professor of sociology, under the sponsorship of the Common Sense Club in northeast Atherton lounge at 3 p. m. Sunday.

Choir Tryouts...

Choir tryouts for the Spring semester will be held in 211 Carnegie Hall, Monday and Tuesday nights. Basses and baritone, 7 to 8 p. m.; tenors, 8 to 9 p. m. Monday. On Tuesday, tryouts will be held for sopranos between 4 and 5 p. m.; altos from 8 to 9 p. m.

Psi Chi

Members of Psi Chi, professional psychology fraternity of the College, will have a chance to stump the experts at a meeting to be held at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night in Room 204 Burrows Building.

Dr. William M. Lepley, associate professor of psychology, is receiving questions now which will be presented to the panel of experts, all faculty members, in an "Information, Please" program.

Business Staff Meets

Members of the business staff of The Daily Collegian will meet in Room 8, Carnegie Hall, at 1:30 p. m. Sunday. Moveups will be announced at the meeting, stated Rosemary Ghantous, business manager, yesterday.

laboratory practicum at the Duck Pond and eventually on county streams.

Architecture and architectural engineering students are offered a lighting course, Milton S. Osborne, head of the department of architecture, said today.

The course will consist of a series of lectures given by various authorities on lighting, and demonstrations, moving pictures and lantern slides.

A course in astronomy and telescope manufacture will be conducted by Dr. Henry L. Yeagley of the physics department.

"The class last semester had ten students who made their own telescope mirrors. Arrangements also were made for them to obtain telescope mounts. This equipment, made largely by the students themselves, could not be duplicated for hundreds of dollars," Dr. Yeagley said.

The course is listed as Physics 290.75.

Mortar Board Initiates 11

Mortar Board, senior women's honorary, recently initiated Jean Alderfer, Kay Badollet, Tamazine Crum, Caroline Currier, Thoebe Forrest, Sally Holstrom, Phyllis James, Peggy McKnight, Peggy Martin, Florence Ratchford, and Patricia Trester.

Junior Service Board, junior women's honorary, tapped 12 girls at the end of the fall semester.

They are Nancy Ault, Barbara Atkins, Wilma Brehm, Sarah Curry, Jane Foreacre, Joan Fox, Jean Nye, Nancy Parent, Lois Resler, June Snyder, Beatrice Silverstone, and Yvonne Worrell.

Center Club

A reception, planned to orient transfer students on campus activities and customs, will be held in the northwest lounge of Atherton Hall, 2 to 5 p. m. Sunday.

Refreshments and entertainment are planned for the get-together which is sponsored by the Campus Center Club. All members and former students of Penn State's four Undergraduate centers are urged to attend.

AA Window Sells Players Tickets

Tickets for the forthcoming Players Show, "The Imaginary Invalid," will go on sale at the Athletic Association window in Old Main Monday morning instead of at the Student Union desk as has been the custom for previous shows.

George L. Donavan, manager of Student Union, stated that all tickets for Players and Theatrical shows will be sold at the A.A. window the morning prior to the show. In order to be fair to those who must stand in line, no telephone orders will be taken.

At 1:30 p. m. Monday, the tickets will be placed on sale at Student Union and will continue on sale there for the remainder of the week.

"Imaginary Invalid," a comedy set in 17th century France, will be presented in Schwab Auditorium next Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights. Tickets will be sold for 50 cents including tax.

Gagarin Asks Meeting

All students who anticipate registering for horse-back riding this semester are requested to consult with Captain Gregory A. Gagarin in Recreation Hall today or tomorrow before taking their schedules to their advisors for final approval.

All - High School Chorus Sings In Schwab; Miss Helen Hosmer To Direct 210 Voices

Major attraction on campus this weekend will be the presentation of the All-High School Chorus singing under the direction of Helen M. Hosmer in Schwab Auditorium at 8:15 tomorrow night.

Composed this year of 210 voices, selected from 141 schools, the Chorus annually features the best vocalists from Pennsylvania high schools in a state-wide competition. Tickets for the event at \$1 may be obtained at the Commerce Club and at Schwab. No reserved seats will be sold. Standing room tickets will be sold before the concert. The doors will be open at 6:30 p. m.

Miss Hosmer, guest conductor, is the director of the Crane Department of Music, Potsdam

State Teachers College, Potsdam, New York. She has been a student and teacher of music for many years in this country and abroad.

The concert is sponsored by the Pennsylvania School Music Association whose president is Hummel Fishburn, head of the music department. This is the first time a community the size of State College has been host to the Chorus.

Directors of the schools represented will be guests of the local Kiwanis, Rotary and Lions Clubs at a banquet in the State College Hotel tomorrow at 1 p. m. Dean Ben Euwema of the School of Liberal Arts will speak to the group on the subject "The Function of Art in the Twentieth Century."

The students in the Chorus will be the dinner guests of the Elks at the Elks Home tonight at 6 o'clock. Rev. Edwerth Korte, Lutheran student pastor, will be toastmaster and Jo Hayes, supervising principal of the State College schools, will be the principal speaker.

The groups will attend the basketball game between State College and Renovo tonight and a dance following the game will be held in Whit. Hall for them. The Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion will provide music by Paul Grove's Orchestra.

Tomorrow night's program by the Mixed Chorus will include such popular numbers as "Gloria" from the 12th Mass by Mozart;

"Erie Canal" in the Waring series; "Waters Ripple and Flow" as arranged by Deems Taylor, and "Battle Hymn of the Republic" also in the Waring series.

The Boys' Chorus will include in their selections "All Through the Night" as arranged by Fred Waring, "The March of the Musketers" by Friml, and "Sing Me a Chantey With a Yo-Heave-Ho" as arranged by Zamecnik.

Girls' Chorus numbers will be the "Spinning Song" by Mendelssohn and "Nursery Tunes" as arranged by Wilson.

Accompanists for the Chorus will be Gay Brunner of State College and Mina Belle Packer of Mt. Lebanon at the piano, and William Miller of Bellefonte at the organ.