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Employment Head Circulates Letters For Local Hiring

Student employment office at the College has mailed 2900 letters to citizens of State College and surrounding territory for the purpose of publicizing its activities and increasing the job supply, Alan Reece, in charge of student employment, said today.

The letters contain information concerning the types of jobs for which students have applied, the manner in which prospective employers may get in touch with the office and similar vital material.

Replies are expected before the end of the week. Up to yesterday 342 students had registered with the office, and registrants continue to pour in on an average of from 30 to 50 a day.

Mr. Reece emphasized that registration is still going on. Students interested in part-time work or information on the subject are urged to contact the student employment office, 420 Old Main.

Last semester over 1,000 jobs were cleared through this office. In the great majority of cases students desiring employment have been placed in jobs of some sort.

Retired Trustee Dies at Home

Col. James H. M. Andrews, member of the Board of Trustees from 1915 to 1946 and a graduate of the College, died yesterday at his Philadelphia home at the age of 72. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 this afternoon.

Until his retirement in 1945, Colonel Andrews served as vice-president and chief engineer of the Philadelphia Transportation Company. He joined the engineering staff of the company (then the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co.) in 1903.

While an undergraduate at the College, Colonel Andrews was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity and participated in numerous student activities. He was active in the Penn State Thespians and played in their first production 50 years ago.

In 1915 Colonel Andrews was named to the Board of Trustees and in 1932 became a member of the executive committee of the board.

He also served for a number of years as chairman of the committee on finance and business and as trustee member of the board of athletic control. He resigned from the Board of Trustees because of ill health.

Late AP News

Courtesy Radio Station WMAJ

Russia Accuses Allies

MOSCOW—The Soviet has issued installment two in its reply to State Department publication of the record of Nazi-Soviet friendship. This time Russia accused France and Britain of making non-aggression pacts with Hitler against Russia. The Kremlin said it has documentary evidence from captured Nazi files.

Prices Peril Tax Cut

WASHINGTON—Some legislators believe that the price avalanche may force Congress to alter tax-cutting plans. In fact, Democratic Senator Scott Lucas of Illinois said yesterday that if the drop continues, all possibility of lower income taxes may be wiped out. Lower prices, he said, will trim national income and tax revenues. Republican Senator Owen Brewster of Maine said that a continued price drop would have to be considered by the tax cutters.

Campus Fraternity Retains Member 12 Hours

The distinction of being a fraternity man on campus for the shortest period of time, about 12 hours, goes to Robert Ross, Nittany Lion guard, who was initiated into Phi Gamma Delta Monday night and then transferred to the University of Washington Tuesday morning.

Ross, an engineering student at the College, made news during the Christmas vacation when he married a girl from his hometown while in Dallas with the football team.

When the former Penn State arrives in Seattle he will join his wife who is working there.

Smith Announces Chapel Programs

James Smith, acting chaplain of The College, has announced chapel programs for this semester beginning Sunday, February 15. Speakers include prominent educators and religious leaders. Music will be provided by the Chapel Choir under the direction of Mrs. Willa Taylor.

The traditional Easter program will be presented March 21. Choir will sing selections from "Messiah," with George Ceiga at the organ.

Chapel offerings are used to help Lingnan University, Canton, China. At present Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pride, formerly of The College, are living and working on the Lingnan campus. Mr. Pride is teaching horticulture.

Penn State students have been assisting Lingnan since 1911, and the project has become one of the important projects on campus.

Non-Registered Veterans Report to 112 Old Main

Veterans who have not registered with the Veterans Administration for the current semester should complete the forms in 112 Old Main by tomorrow afternoon, said Robert Stroud, VA training officer.

Subsistence allowances will be interrupted as of Jan. 31 for any veteran who has failed to register with the VA either in Carnegie Hall February 6 or 7, or in Old Main by the new deadline, tomorrow.

Mr. Stroud reminded veterans who have not received January subsistence checks to report to the VA office in old Zoology building before 12 o'clock noon tomorrow.

Col. Chastaine, AVC, Discuss UMT

"Universal Military Training" will be the topic of discussion at a forum sponsored by the International Relations Club in 121 Sparks, at 8 o'clock tonight. The session is open to both students and townspeople, admission free, according to John Hamer, vice-president of IRC.

Col. Ben-Hur Chastaine, head of the Department of Military Science and Tactics, will represent the proponents of UMT. Royce Nix, a senior in psychology from Quitman, Tex., and a member of the debating team, will represent AVC as opponents of the plan.

Nix served with the Army Ground Forces in North Africa.

The forum will begin with Nix and Colonel Chastaine each giving a 15 minute main argument on UMT. This will be followed by an open discussion period when questions from the floor will be answered by the participants.

The proceedings will conclude with a five minute summary.

Fighters and Frills Feature Fistics, Frolic

Coeds who attend the boxing match Saturday night attired in frilly evening gowns won't be setting a precedent, for this is exactly what happened last year when the WRA Sweetheart dance followed an athletic event.

If predictions can be made on past performance, then it's safe to say that many of the lads will want to take their lassie escorts to the boxing match before the dance in White Hall at 9 p.m. Saturday.

The WRA dance is taking its place with other age-old traditions at the College. The affair was first held ten years ago in the new White Hall and has continued each year as a Valentine event.

Since it is a "she ask he" dance, the gals will receive a taste of what it's like to pay the bills. That, girls, will mean \$1.20 for a ticket and you can get it at Student Union. So press up those evening gowns and grab your guy for the Sweetheart dance in White Hall from 9 to 12 p.m. Saturday.

Five Delegates Attend Red Cross Conference

Five delegates from the Red Cross campus unit were selected to attend the Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia College Units Conference at the Roosevelt Hotel, Washington, D. C., February 19 to 21. They are Julia Kalbach, Jayne Pollard, Frank Tidona, Frances Welker, and Selma Zasofsky.

The conference will include registration and four workshops. Three of the latter, on college units services, organization for service, and public relations will have student assistant leaders.

Sophs Take Tests

New sophomores and sophomores who were enrolled last semester can take the Psychology Clinic's regular aptitude and vocational guidance tests in 121 Sparks 7 to 9 p.m. on Feb. 19 and 20.

Aptitude tests will be given on February 19 and vocational interest and personality tests will be given on February 20.

Mauro Takes Office As Junior President

Alex Mauro, vice-president of the class of '49, will be sworn in as junior class president at the meeting of All-College Cabinet tonight.

Mauro takes over the post since Marty Baum, elected on the State party ticket last spring, did not return to the College this semester. Baum has transferred to the Dramatic Workshop of the New School for Social Research in New York.

"To all those who helped in any project the junior class undertook," Baum wrote in his letter of resignation, "and also those with whom I associated in student government, I should like to give my sincerest thanks for their cooperation."

Enrollment Tally Tops 7500 Mark

A total of 7523 students have registered for the second semester, Ray V. Watkins, scheduling officer, said today. During the first phase registration held early in December, 7214 students had registered.

Final registration figures, according to schools, are: Agriculture, 1046; Chemistry and Physics, 680; Education, 1035; Engineering, 738; Liberal Arts, 1903; Mineral Industries, 331; Physical Education and Athletics, 220; and Graduate, 413; special students, 129; and Transition Section, 28.

Watkins pointed out that there was a large difference between first and final phase registration figures in the School of the Liberal Arts, caused by the registration of undergraduate center students during the final phase. They did not register during the first phase.

Any Questions?

Questions about the College often bother students. The editors of the Daily Collegian invite students to ask questions pertaining to subjects, events or facts about the College, which are not answered in any College publication, in a letter to the editor.

If possible, the Collegian staff will find and print the answer in an early issue of the newspaper.

Chemical Society Offers Broadcasts on WMAJ

Beginning tomorrow the Central Pennsylvania Section of the American Chemical Society will sponsor a 15-minute broadcast from 7:15 to 7:30 p.m. each Friday over WMAJ.

Titled "Headlines in Chemistry," the broadcasts will include developments in chemistry throughout the world, as well as information concerning some of the work done in the chemical laboratories at the College. Coleman C. Bender, instructor in speech, will be the newscaster.

News Briefs

SDA Meeting

A meeting of Students for Democratic Action will be held in 409 Old Main, 8:30 o'clock tonight. A chapter constitution will be drawn up, and officers for the spring semester will be nominated. Platform suggestions to be presented to the SDA convention in Philadelphia will also be decided upon.

WRA Outing Club

WRA Outing Club invites all interested women to attend the meeting at 2 White Hall, 6:45 o'clock tonight. Plans for swimming and skating parties will be made.

Sigma Delta Chi

New officers of Sigma Delta Chi, journalism honorary, are Richard Sarge, president, and Malcolm White, vice-president. They succeed Joseph Rudick and William Reimer, who were graduated in January.

NSA Report

One of the most important items on the agenda, according to Lan-nen, is the report on the National Student Association. At the last meeting of Cabinet, the NSA was accepted in principle.

The necessity of paying approximately \$400 for membership in the NSA has delayed final acceptance of the organization by Cabinet since the All-College constitution requires approval of expenditures of over \$100 at two successive meetings of Cabinet.

Robert Troxell will answer questions any Cabinet members may have concerning NSA at this

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Pan-Hel Sets Rushing Time

Two weeks of open rushing and bidding of coeds who have been on campus, followed by an "Open House" the weekend of February 21 for new students is the sorority rushing schedule as set up by Pan-Hel Tuesday night.

A "silent period," or no association with coeds new to the campus, will be in effect until the first "Open House," said Adelaide Finkelston, Pan-Hel president. Girls who have been on campus and are now interested in sororities are also invited to the "Open Houses."

Coeds who were being rushed at the end of last semester and those who now have their 1 All-College average are eligible for rushing and bidding until February 21. No bids will be sent out from February 21 to March 8.

A period of open rushing for all transfer coeds eligible for sororities will begin February 23 and continue until March 8 when bids are due. If bids are not returned within two weeks, they are regarded as not accepted.

Welfare Positions

The New York Department of Social Welfare encourages residents of New York state who are interested in careers in public welfare to register with that office. Registration blanks and bulletins are available in the College Placement Service, 204 Old Main.

Blue Key

All Blue Key members are requested to obtain their shingles at 102 Old Main today.

Spanish Film at 'Stale'

The Spanish film, "Dona Barbara," will be shown at the Stat Theatre today under the auspice of the International Film Club and the modern language department. The film, which is in Spanish with English sub-titles, dramatizes the prize-winning novel by Rómulo Gallegos, contemporary Venezuelan novelist.



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