

## Newspaper Publishers Open Annual Convention Today

The Pennsylvania Press Conference sponsored by the department of journalism and the Pennsylvania Newspaper Publishers Association will be held at the Nittany Lion Inn today and Saturday.

The theme of the conference will be the responsibility of the local press. Beginning this afternoon and continuing through Saturday, members of the conference will hear many outstanding

## CORE Launches Three-Fold Attack

CORE decided on a three-pronged attack at the meeting Wednesday night in continuing the fight to halt discrimination in State College barber shops.

Three prominent State College men will be contacted to act as mediators with town barbers and to learn their reaction to the number of CORE pledges received. CORE obtained \$1824 in the recent fund-raising campaign.

**Possible Legal Action**

New developments are being investigated to determine whether legal action can be instigated because of the discrimination in State College barber shops.

If the mediators are unable to bring about a change in the policy of discrimination by town shops, a committee was appointed to begin work for the establishment of a modern non-discriminatory barber shop in State College. The committee is studying possible sites, equipment, and personnel.

**Contact Owners**

The Rev. Harry M. Buck, president of the State College Ministerium; Guy G. Mills, executive secretary of the Commerce Club; and Dr. William G. Mather, president of the Council of Churches, will be asked by CORE to speak to the shop owners.

The \$1824 raised by CORE would be turned over to any proprietor who agrees to the principle of non-discrimination. Should more than one owner accept the principle, the pledges would be divided according to the barbers preferred by the purchasers of CORE tickets, it was pointed out by CORE leaders.

At the meeting representatives of town and campus organizations voted to contact College authorities concerning reported discrimination written into the national constitution of an honorary professional society which has a chapter at the College.

## Shade Assumes Duties As Blue Key President

William Shade, Delta Upsilon boxing manager, was recently elected president of the Blue Key hat society.

Other officers elected were Louis Epstein, vice-president; Robert Gabriel, secretary; and Donald Koontz, treasurer.

## Classics Give Thornhill Edge Over Other Band Leaders

Claude Thornhill, whose orchestra will play for the traditional Senior Ball at Rec Hall on Friday, May 21, has an advantage over many band leaders in being able to combine a classical background with the current trend of popular music.

Claude received his basic training in music at Cincinnati's Conservatory of Music and at the Curtis Institute. From there he went into the practical field as pianist and arranger. He worked for such musical greats as Bing Crosby, Benny Goodman, Charlie Spivak and the late Glenn Miller. Maxine Sullivan will long be in his debt for his arrangement of "Loch Lomond," with which she soared to fame.

ing journalism men, representing newspapers from all parts of the state.

Reuben H. Markham of the Christian Science Monitor will speak on "World Communism Against America" at the annual dinner Saturday evening. Mr. Markham is intimately acquainted with many of the countries now behind the iron curtain. Beginning his work in 1926 as foreign correspondent for the Christian Science Monitor, Mr. Markham has spent most of his time in Central and Southeastern Europe, covering the rise of Nazism and Fascism.

### Honorarys Are Hosts

Sigma Delta Chi, national professional journalism fraternity, and Theta Sigma Phi, women's journalism society, will act as host to those attending the conference.

Professor Franklin Banner, head of the department of journalism, will be the guest of honor.

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## NSA Takes Vote On US Politics

Members of the National Student Association adopted a policy of the national and regional executive committees taking a stand on political issues which directly affect students in a straw vote held Wednesday night.

Racial discrimination at the College was also discussed by the members in preparation for a policy to be presented to a workshop on interracial discrimination at the regional convention. A final decision on this subject will be made at the next NSA meeting when a constructive educational program will be planned.

Robert Troxell, regional vice-president, announced the agenda for the regional conference which will be held at the College June 10 to 13. It will include workshops on student government, interracial relations, cultural activities, student welfare, foreign student orientation, student travel and exchange and the election of regional and subregional officers.

A reception and dance for the 225 delegates who are expected is included in the plans for the second conference to be held at the College.

Donald Little, chairman of the NSA committee on foreign student orientation, announced that the members of his group will have a complete list of new foreign students by the end of August and the Cosmopolitan Club will co-operate in carrying out an orientation program. An article on this program will be included in the catalogue given to all new students.

The committee hopes to include foreign students in the regular orientation program, to find students to act as their counselors, to arrange several mixers and to plan fireside chats for them with interested faculty members and townspeople.

## Seniors To Vote For Class Gift AT SU Next Week

Seniors will have the opportunity to vote for their class gift at Student Union on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of next week, Donald Mitchell, chairman of the gift committee, announced yesterday.

Voting will be by ballots and will be held for three days to enable more seniors to vote at their convenience. Students will be required to show matriculation cards at the desk and a check-off list will be kept by Student Union officials.

The gift committee urges all seniors to vote and points out that \$7,000 is a stake. Several experiments were carried out by committee members which showed that an average of only 4.67 seconds were required to cast one ballot!

Three selections are open from which seniors will choose one gift. These are:

1. Student Press.
2. Additions to the library of Lingnan University, China.
3. Addition to the College observatories.

Seniors will also be asked to decide upon the question of establishing a class of '48 trust fund of \$500. The purpose of the fund will be to furnish information to the class as future voters for members of the Board of Trustees, indicating the sentiment of former students on campus towards these prospective trustees.

## Thunderstorm Floods Dorm 41 With Mud, Water

Torrents of water spelled havoc to Nittany Dormitory 41, headquarters of the Ovaltine Club, Wednesday night. The west wing of the dormitory was completely inundated with 3 inches of water and mud.

"I was studying in my room when I heard a commotion from down the hall," Robert Harrison, president of the club, said. "I opened my door and in comes at least 3 inches of water and mud. Someone had opened the outer door, allowing the water to come in. A bunch of fellows, clad only in undershorts or dungarees, were waving mops and brooms. Men on each side of the hallway tried frantically to barricade their doorways, but the water kept rolling in."

Bill Gross, superintendent of men's dormitories, was called and brought additional brooms, mops, and some shovels. He was unable to get in because the water was two feet deep outside the door and if it had been opened, water would have flowed in.

It took two men side-by-side with heavy mops to push all the water out of the hallway. Rooms 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 were the hardest hit. It will probably take janitors several days to clean up the mess.

## World Federalists Plan Forum at Church Sunday

World Federalists of the College chapter will join with St. Paul's Methodist Church in sponsoring a forum on the topic "Prospects for World Government" at the church at 7:30 p.m. Sunday.

Mrs. Clair Millard, Prof. Donald G. McGary, and Dr. Arthur H. Reede will be the panel speakers, and Robert A. McCall will act as moderator. A regular meeting of World Federalists will follow the discussions.

Prof. A. Bruce Sutherland was elected temporary chairman, John Bone corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Sally Seem, secretary of the organization recently.

## New Officers Take Oaths; Lawless Names Committees

William Lawless, All-College president, announced the appointment of All-College Cabinet committees for next semester and All-College and junior class officers were installed to highlight the first meeting of the newly-elected Cabinet last night.

Inaugurated were Donald Little, All-College vice-president; Edmund Walacavage, All-College secretary treasurer; Alan Spinweber, junior class vice-president; and Virginia Fetter, junior class secretary-treasurer.

### Election Committee

Richard Hill was appointed Parliamentarian for Cabinet. Named to the elections committee were William McLain, chairman, Joan Bergdoll, Ellis Erdman, Lois Heyd, Selma Lampert, Renee Lightstone, Elliot Linsky, Richard Ranck, George Vadasz and Edwin Watson.

Members of Tribunal are Harold Brown, chairman, Paul Farrell, Robert Keller, Robert Leeper, Richard Morgan, James Richards, Robert Sankey, and John Tiley.

Joanne Hobbs was selected as chairman of book exchange committee. The committee includes Dorothy Coons, Nancy Cray, Richard Evans, John Hunter, and John Zora.

### Student Agency

Members of the student agency committee are Abram Bosler, Robert Gabriel, Helen Milligan, and Charles Jones. Eugene Wheeler was named chairman of the Co-op committee. Members of the committee are Paul Kritsky, Jerome Leichtman, William Renshaw, John Repsher, Richard Schweiker, Edmund Walacavage, and William Walker.

George Bearer was selected for the safety committee. Bernard Wheeler was named chairman of the calendar committee. Members are Bernard Miller and Arlene Spencer.

Donald Miller was named chairman of the committee on Association of Independent Men, with members Clayton Allen, James Andrews, Andrew Grasty, Carol Hecht, Clare Lefkoe, George Sapida, Arlene Spence, Lewis Stone, and Edmund Walacavage.

### CORE Chairman

Dennie Hoggard was named Cabinet's representative to CORE. Clayton Allen was selected chairman of sophomore orientation committee. Members of the committee are George Chapman, Frances Eshleman, Dolores Jela-

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## Advance Sale Set For Artist Course

The complete 1948-49 Artists Course and the news of an advanced Spring sale of tickets was announced today by Dr. Carl E. Marquardt, chairman of the committee.

Artists scheduled for the course are Christopher Lynch, Irish tenor and successor to John McCormack; Vladimir Horowitz, generally recognized as the greatest living pianist; and Helen Traubel, Wagnerian successor to Flagstad.

Patrons may make reservations for tickets by first picking up priority numbers Wednesday entitling them to their place in line. Students will receive priorities from 8 a.m. until noon, faculty and townspeople, from 1:30 to 5 p.m. at the A.A. ticket window in Old Main.

The reservation of tickets will take place Thursday and Friday at the same place. Students may reserve their tickets on Thursday, faculty and townspeople on Friday. Patrons will not receive actual tickets but reservation slips. When tickets arrive, those selected by patrons will be sent by mail.

Tickets will sell for \$8.75 and \$7.55 for the three numbers. Tax is included. They will be paid for at the time the reservation is made.

## Tribunal Lists Traffic Penalties

Fines involving payment for student traffic violations have been set on a graduated scale, based upon the number of offenses of a particular violator, Student Tribunal Committee announced.

One dollar will be charged for first violations, \$2 for second, \$5 for third and \$10 or recommendation by Tribunal to the Dean of Men for probationary action for the fourth offense. Individual hearings of 32 violators were held Tuesday night, at which time those found guilty were assessed first offense fines. Offenders not tried at this session will be brought before the committee at 7:30 p.m. next Tuesday.

A summarized list of student traffic rules is presented below in order to further acquaint students with violations.

Students may park only in the West Parking Area.

Students may not park on Burrowes, Shortlidge, or Pollock roads.

Students may not park in the Rec Hall lot, behind New Physics and Forestry, Mineral Industries, or Sparks.

Parking in service drives is prohibited.

Students may not drive on central campus roads during the hours from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday to Saturday noon.

Campus Patrol is rigidly enforcing these regulations and will continue until the end of the semester. All fines will be charged by Student Tribunal.

## Architecture Institute Offers Soph Scholarship

Central Pennsylvania chapter of the Pennsylvania Institute of Architects has announced a new \$100 scholarship to be awarded to the sophomore architecture student with top scholastic average.

This award, only one of its kind now being offered in Pennsylvania, will be presented to the sophomore with the outstanding scholastic average in either architecture or architectural engineering.

"Establishment of this scholarship shows an interest in the student body by active members of the architectural profession," Professor Milton S. Osborne, head of the department of architecture, commented about the architects' action.

## Ag-Home Ec Picnic Sparks Third 'Hill' Day of Year

Sparkling the third Ag Hill day of the year, the annual ag-home ec picnic in Hort Woods will begin at 2 o'clock tomorrow.

Sponsored by the Ag Student Council, the picnic will be topped off by a large supper at 5 o'clock with pork barbecue, baked beans, milk, punch, and ice cream listed on the menu.

Dorothy Bartholomew and Leonard Kimmel, co-chairmen of the affair, stated that if it should rain tomorrow, the picnic will be held in the Stock Pavilion.

### Ad Contest

The Daily Collegian's third "It's in the Ads" contest was the final contest for the semester. Yesterday 200 entries came to the Collegian's office with eight giving the correct, but late, answer.