

General Motors Gives 50 Shares Of Common Stock to College Fund

Kunkle, Vice-Pres. of Canadian Operations, Donates Gift, Valued at \$3000, for Loan Fund

A gift of 50 shares of General Motors common stock, valued at more than \$3,000, has been given to the College and will be added to the principal of the Ethel and Bayard Kunkle Loan Fund.

The gift, accepted at the week-end meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, was made by Bayard D. Kunkle, of the class of 1907, who is a member of the Board of Directors of the General Motors Corp. and vice-president and group executive in charge of overseas and Canadian operations for the corporation.

Mr. Kunkle established the loan fund in 1946 with a gift of 200 shares of stock. In two later donations, he added 163 shares, thus building the principal of the fund to \$22,870, prior to his latest gift of 50 shares.

Loans from the fund are made to married veterans in full-time attendance at the College. They are intended for emergencies or to supplement income to meet current expenditures. No loans may exceed \$150. The loans are made upon the recommendation of the Faculty Counselor of Veterans and on the approval of the Treasurer of the College.

Agreement Approved

The Trustees also approved an agreement with the Dow Corning Corporation for research on organosilicon compounds under a grant of \$8,000. The work, which will continue for one year and will be under the direction of Dr. Leo Sommer, assistant professor of chemistry, will help gain a better understanding of the fundamentals in the new field of organosilicons.

A grant of \$4,000 was accepted from the Sharpe and Dohme Co. for the establishment of a fellowship for research in the School of Agriculture. The work, which will be conducted under the direction of Dr. John C. Garey, associate professor of bacteriology, will be concerned with the microbiological synthesis of Vitamin B12, also known as an anti-pernicious anemia factor. Jean F. Downing will be awarded the fellowship.

Engineers to Begin Rating of Courses

Engineering students will have an opportunity to suggest course improvements by cooperating with their Engineering Student Council's course rating program beginning the latter part of this week, announced Michael Stone, president of the Engineering Student Council.

Students having constructive suggestions are to write them out and drop them in the Engineering Student Council suggestion box located in the Engineering Library, or to contact one of the Council representatives. They can also attend a Council meeting and present their ideas.

A new and improved course and instructor rating has been drawn up under the direction of Dick Brown, course rating chairman, in cooperation with the psychology department.

Course ratings will continue through the remainder of December and the first part of January.

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Connelly Lists Froth Move Ups

John R. Connelly, business manager of Froth, released the names of members of the Froth staff who have been moved up on their respective staffs.

Sy Barash, Jerry Gottlieb, Russell Hilty, Suzanne Hill, Richard Hoffman, and Alvin Schwartz have been named to the advertising staff. Advertising staff assistants are Florence Elderton, Sally Gillette, Alvin Reiner, Michael Sloan, Jane Swagler, and Fay Zelitch.

Moved up to the circulation staff are Jean Du Boise, Nancy Evans, Gloria Gittleman, Ivin Kirchoff, Cathy Lozos, Dean Mulholland, Robert Smith, and John Wetzel.

Promotion assistants are Dick Anderson and Jack Senior.

Lois Ostwind and Phil Yedinsky are on the board of editors and Jesse Miller has been moved up to an assistant on this board.

Norman Fehr has been named to the art staff.

Sigma Alpha Eta

Sigma Eta Alpha, hotel administration honorary, will hold its annual initiation banquet at the Hotel State College at 8:30 p.m. today. At that time tapes and Mr. Kurt A. Smith, general manager of the Penn-Sheraton Hotel, Philadelphia, will be inducted.

Ag Engineers

There will be a meeting of the Student Branch of the Agricultural Engineers today at 7 p.m. in 105 Ag Engineering. Movies and refreshments will be featured as part of the social program.

New York Plans Christmas Holidays Of Foreign Students

An invitation to attend a 10-day Christmas holiday program in New York, N. Y., has been extended to foreign students at the College.

The program will begin on December 18 with a party at the International Student Lounge, 47th St. and Broadway, and will conclude with a New Year's Eve dinner dance.

A tree-trimming party, trip to the theatre, Christmas carol sing, and excursions to the United Nations, Ford assembly plant and New York Medical Center are included in the week's itinerary.

Arranged by the Greater New York Council for Foreign Students, the program is intended to give students from other lands the opportunity to become acquainted with the city and its people.

A second center will be held at the Manhattan Towers Hotel, 78th St. and Broadway. Special arrangements have also been made for visiting students to stay at the International House, Manhattan Towers Hotel at 500 Riverside Drive, and at the Sloane House, YMCA, at 365 West 34th St.

FM Receivers Operating Here

It is now possible to have frequency modulated radio sets operating efficiently in State College, according to Harold W. Loman, director of dormitories.

Tests made in Simmons Hall have shown that in spite of steel construction, FM signals can be picked up as far away as Buffalo, N. Y., and Washington, D. C. Mr. Loman volunteered his dipole from

his home FM set to make the tests which astounded radio engineers who work on the theory that FM waves will be grounded by steel-constructed buildings.

Mr. Loman pointed out that he had picked up FM signals as far away as Canton, O., and Oneida, N. Y., both of which places are approximately 200 miles from State College. He is hoping in the near future to be able to pick up New York City, about 210 miles distant.

Conduits are being installed in all new dormitories, according to Mr. Loman, and it would be a simple matter to run co-axial cables through the steel construction. Conduits, likewise, are being installed in McElwain Hall, and it will be possible to install them in all other dormitories.

With the use of Mr. Loman's dipole, students in Simmons Hall have already been able to pick up FM receptions in the various lounges and sorority chambers of the dormitory. An FM committee, newly reactivated, is investigating further possibilities for installing FM sets. If these tests come to a successful culmination, it is possible that in the near future students and townspeople in State College will be using television sets to a great degree of satisfaction, Mr. Loman stated.

Contest Winners Receive Prizes

Alpha Epsilon Phi sorority was named as the winner of the Philip Morris Scorecast contest yesterday morning. Placing second to the sorority was Phi Epsilon Pi, followed by the Nittany Co-op.

The contest, which started at the beginning of the football season, named prize winners at the end of each week for predicting the right score on a gridiron clash. In addition, the groups who sent in the most cigarette wrappers for the entire contest were awarded grand prizes yesterday.

Bob Heiser, manager of Rea & Derick's, presented the prizes to the winners.

Collegian Appoints Promotion Head

Senior Board of the Daily Collegian Business Staff has announced the appointment of Marlin Weaver as Promotion Manager.

Other promotions include, to Junior Board advertising staff, Eloise Cook; to Sophomore Board advertising staff, Karl Borish and Norman Borish; to circulation staff, Bob Bergman, Tom Karolick, Bob Mentch, and Gerald Yeager.

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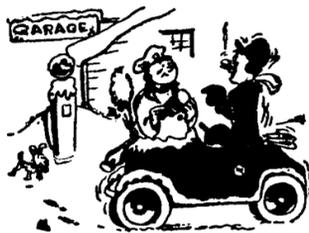


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