

NSA Delegates Leave Today For Student Problem Parley

The College NSA delegation leaves today for the third Assembly of the Pennsylvania region of the National Student Association. The three-day conference, ending Sunday, will convene tonight at Albright College in Reading.

Representatives are Lee Burns, Florence Drummond, Jane Fouracre, Charles Jones, Lynn Lapp, Donald Little, Bud Ott, Betsy Prutzman, Dorothy Roseman, Annie Schwing, Jack Senior and Mary Soprano.

Brown to Preside

Harold Brown, regional president, will preside at plenary sessions and Miss Fouracre will act as parliamentarian. Burns and Miss Schwing are members of the steering committee for the assembly.

One of the most important aspects of the meeting will be the student government panel. Participants will discuss such basic principles of student government as the degree of student responsibility and definition of the areas

in which student government should function, the nature of student-administration relations and the problems of representation. Most of this workshop will be devoted to discussions of specific problems peculiar to NSA schools.

A workshop on educational practices and human relations, headed by Miss Fouracre, will discuss inter-racial relations and the regional survey of discriminatory practices in addition to studying the most effective methods employed to eliminate these practices.

Cultural Workshop

A third workshop will plan cultural activities and the regional Culturalale to be held in Philadelphia this spring. Plans include an art exhibition and lecture tours.

A catch-all workshop on student economic welfare will collect survey information on scholarship opportunities in the region. Other topics on the agenda include student employment, vocational guidance, placement op-

portunities, co-ops and student unions, student loan funds, activities fees systems and campus relief drives.

Consideration of the purchase card plan, recently instituted in the eastern sub-region, will study the organization, functions and progress of PSC in this and other regions.

D P Talks Planned

The international affairs workshop will compile information of the DP student program, the M.I.T. foreign student plan, the "Work, Study and Travel Abroad" plan, the feasibility of international houses and foreign correspondence and current legislation affecting student travel.

The workshop plan, as outlined, is designed to allow delegate the freest possible expression of their ideas, opinions and viewpoints. A maximum of "red tape" is thus eliminated. Discussion is directed by a workshop leader who is qualified in that particular field.



"This is your 'nightie,' Elsie—you've got my street dress on again."

PSCA Promotes Holiday Spirit for Students of Foreign Lands

Faculty, staff members, and townspeople can bestow the feeling of Christmas upon any foreign students at the College. Many of these students will be unable to traverse the long distance to their own homes, so the Penn State Christian Association has completed arrangements whereby any foreign students can enjoy a healthy Christmas feast in State College.

Members of the committee in charge of promoting the holiday spirit are Dr. William H. Gray, professor of Latin American history, and Charles A. Oerkvitz, co-

chairmen; Dr. Frank D. Kern, dean of the Graduate School, Dr. Anna O. Stephens of the College Health Service, and students John Kochalka and William Schminkey.

Invitations may be extended by calling any of the committee members or by getting in touch with Mrs. Margery Yougel, extension 194.

Two holiday celebrations may be enjoyed at the same time, under the idea set forth by PSCA. A Christmas dinner for an American, and one for a citizen of another land.

Eight Initiated By Xi Sigma Pi

At a formal ceremony Tuesday night, Eta Chapter of Xi Sigma Pi, National Forestry honorary fraternity, initiated the following: Orvel A. Schmidt, Instructor in Forestry; Boyd M. Witherow, Instructor in Forestry; Russell J. Hutnick, Robert H. Weisenfluh, Robert R. Lindahl, John W. McNair, David Shapiro, and Stanley S. Stankevich.

A banquet honoring the new members and graduating seniors will be held at the Eutaw House in Potters Mills on January 11. Arrangements for the banquet are being made by John N. Graff, Samuel W. Anthony, Calvin Glattfelder, and John R. Longwell, members of the committee.

A. Shelley, Dr. Albert F. Buffington, Dr. Herbert Steiner, Dr. Helen Adolf, Dr. Dagobert de Levie, Dr. Werner F. Striedieck and Nora E. Wittman.

Those attending from the department of English composition include Merritt M. Harris, Dr. John S. Bowman and Dr. Louis F. Peck.

Members of the English literature faculty attending include Dr. Douglass S. Mead, Dana K. Merrill, William L. Werner, Dr. Mason Long, Chauncey O. Rideour, Dr. Bruce A. Sutherland, Robert V. Bauer, Gerhard G. Riedrich, Marshall Waingrow and Arthur O. Lewis, Jr.

Unknown Senior Mystifies College With Gown Order

Who is David Zaslow? Apparently he is a graduating senior, for he has ordered his cap and gown for graduation on January 31. But there is a catch. There is no record of him in the recorders office, the bursar's office or the registrar's office. His name isn't in the student directory.

Student Union would like to have information about him. If anyone knows anything about this mysterious person's whereabouts, please report to the Student Union as soon as possible.

Equisse Club Holds Christmas Party

The Equisse Club, architectural club, held a Christmas party in the architectural department, Main Engineering, this week.

A scavenger hunt, exchange of humorous gifts, group singing and refreshments were on the program.

Richard Miller and Arthur Lukens were in charge of decorations; Robert Huling and Baird Kricker in charge of the program; and William Shank and Joseph Michalski handled the refreshments.

Potato Growers Honor Dr. Burke

Dr. Ollie B. Burke, extension plant pathologist at the College, is the new president of the Potato Association of America. He was elected at the annual meeting in Pittsburgh December 6 to 8. Doctor Burke was vice-president during the past year.

Doctor Burke has been a member of the Pennsylvania extension plant pathology staff since November 1935. He came from Cornell University where he received the Ph.D. degree that year. He did his undergraduate work at the University of Arkansas, earning the bachelor of science degree in 1936.

At the Pittsburgh convention Doctor Burke collaborated with Dr. W. R. Mills, assistant professor of plant pathology at the College, in presenting a report on "Results of Two-year Tests with Potato Varieties."

Junior Merchants Plan Carol Sing

Students unable to get home this Christmas will have a chance to join in a "hometown" carol sing arranged by the State College Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Scheduled for December 23 at 10 p.m., the sing will start at the community tree, and from there the group will parade through the streets of the borough, singing carols.

Dr. William MacFarland, chairman of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Christmas Committee, expressed his hope that all students who are remaining in State College for the vacation will attend the sing.

29 Faculty Members to Attend Language Association Meeting

Twenty-nine College faculty members will attend the 63rd annual meeting of the Modern Language Association of America in New York City, Dec. 28 to 30, it was announced today.

Dr. Robert J. Clements, professor of romance languages, will act as chairman of the French Literature of the XVIIth Century section, and secretary of the Mediaeval and Renaissance Italian section.

A report on a "Study of Rhythmic Patterns in Old Spanish Poetry" will be given by Dr. Harrison H. Arnold, professor of romance languages, at the meeting of the Spanish Language and

Mediaeval Literature section.

Visiting Professor

Rojas Garciduenas Jose, visiting professor of romance languages, will lead a group discussion on "La vocacion religiosa de Sor Juana Ines de la Cruz" before the Latin American Languages and Literatures section.

Others attending the convention from the department of romance languages are Dr. Cortland Eyer, Nicholas M. Brentin, Oscar A. Haac, Erich Auerbach, Richard N. Krogh and Lois M. Hyslop.

German Department

Representatives of the department of German are Dr. Philip

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