



Fishburn Beats Time For Music Conference

Prof. Hummel Fishburn, head of the music department, will have charge of a four-day music program at the Eastern Music Educator's Conference which meets this year in Baltimore. Prof. Fishburn was elected president of the organization at a similar conference two years ago in Scranton.

Nine other members of the music staff and about 20 students will accompany Prof. Fishburn to the conference which opens on Sunday and continues through Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Prof. James Dunlop will be one of the clinic band conductors, and Prof. Frank Gullo will direct one of the group singing sessions of the conference. A demonstration in the sectional meeting on piano instruction will be given by Prof. Barry Brinsmaid.

Other Members

Other members of the music department attending are Dr. Frances Andrews, Prof. Willa Taylor, Prof. G. William Henninger, Mrs. Elizabeth Reynolds, and Pat Lamade, department secretary.

The conference, which is a professional organization of music teachers, has a membership of over 3,000 school and college music teachers.

The convention will have general sessions and sectional meetings devoted to various levels and fields in music teaching. Concert groups from public schools and colleges from all over the East are attending.

119 Events

"I have scheduled 119 separate events over the 4 day period so that there will be something of interest to everyone in the music teaching field," Professor Fishburn said.

At noon on Monday a Penn State luncheon has been planned for all alumni of the College who are in attendance in Baltimore. Between 40 and 50 people are expected at the luncheon.

Centers Name Beauty Entries

Ballyhooning their candidates qualifications for the title of "Miss Penn State Freshman Coed," the editors of four off-campus center newspapers have contested the claims of Marjorie Alsberg, main campus finalist for the honor, and the attendant \$100 award.

Rosemary Larsen, Erie band majorette; Shirley Long, Harrisburg cheerleader; Mary Lou Pollock, Hazleton pianist; and Patricia Bowles, Swarthmore columnist, will trek to the campus next Thursday to vie with Miss Alsberg for the right to reign over the world premiere of the collegiate film comedy, "Mother Was a Freshman."

Ballots will be included in tomorrow's Collegian to give all students a chance to aid in the final selection. Contestants could not be entered from the Altoona, DuBois and Pottsville centers.

Late AP News, Courtesy WMAJ

B-50 Makes Record Flight

WASHINGTON—Lucky Lady the Second, a B-50, has completed the first non-stop flight around the world. The airforce bomber took off from Carswell airforce base in Texas and followed a route of 23,000 miles.

House Downs Bill

WASHINGTON—Republicans and Southern Democrats in the House joined to vote down the proposal which would have ended racial segregation in schools in the District of Columbia.

The measure would have withheld federal funds from any municipal agency practicing discrimination because of race, creed or national origin.



Hummel Fishburn

Readers Sign For Festival

Registration for the Pennsylvania Intercollegiate Reading Festival will be held in 121 Sparks at 6:45 p.m. today.

Students may sign for a long poem of eight to ten minutes; a lyric poem, five minutes long; a Shakespearean sonnet, five minutes; a scene from a play, eight to ten minutes; or a short story reading of eight to ten minutes.

Entries may register for any two of the above events.

The Pennsylvania Intercollegiate Reading Festival to be held at the College will be the first state-wide Festival to be held. This festival includes poetry reading, prose and drama.

Invitations have been sent from the speech department, sponsoring the event, to 75 colleges and universities, according to Mrs. Harriet Nesbitt, chairman of the festival.

Tryouts for the six representatives to be selected from the College will be held March 22, and the Festival will be held the 4th and 5th of May.

Meal Exchange To Continue

The exchange dinner program, for men in the Nittany dining hall and women in Simmons and Atherton halls, will be continued this week under the sponsorship of AIM and Leonides.

Notices will be posted in the men's dining commons today for men to sign up to entertain women students at dinner Sunday, and all who sign up will be assured of a chance to participate in the program. An equal number of men students will dine at the Simmons or Atherton dining halls.

If enough interest is shown, the plan will be expanded to include more students than previously.

It also will be possible for single couples to participate in the program through an exchange of meal tickets.

AIM and Leonides representatives are Sally Searight, Simmons Hall; Joyce Moyer, Atherton Hall; and Fred Schulze, Nittany dorm 24.

Bride's Course

A Bride's Course, sponsored by the Homemaking Department of the State College High School, will meet every Wednesday between 7 and 9 p.m. at the High School. The course will include meal preparation, table setting, selection of silver and linens, and the planning of color schemes.

Old Main Chimes Go Do Mi Sol—So' What?

You don't have to be tone deaf to know that the Old Main Chimes play a tune at the quarter-hours and before striking the hour.

Recently, Rex Rockwell of the music department discovered the chimes to be striking in the key of A-flat major. The first four notes that are heard on the hour are A-flat, C, B-flat, and F-flat.

Of course you know that the chimes sound sixteen times on the hour, four at quarter after, eight on the half hour, and twelve at quarter of the hour. Unless you are a music major, however, you may not know what tones sound at these times.

On the hour, the chimes let go with do, mi, re, sol—do, re, mi, do—mi, do, re, sol—sol, re, mi, do.

At a quarter after, mi, re, do, sol is heard. Mi, do, re, sol—do, re, mi, do ring out at half past, and at quarter of the hour, the chimes strike a melodious mi, do, re, sol—sol, re, mi, do—mi, re, do, sol.

At 6 p.m., fifteen strokes indicate the hour. These tones are in groups of three, and this is called the Angelus, or call to worship.

The quarter hour chimes sound from 7:15 a.m. until 5 p.m., when they stop, commencing again at 6:15 p.m. and continuing to 10 p.m.

Did someone say, "So, what?"

Men Debaters Travel to Ohio

Harold E. Brown and Richard S. Schweiker will represent the Men's Debate Squad at the Ohio State Conference on Public Affairs, in Columbus, O., today, tomorrow, and Saturday.

The conference is being conducted in the form of a model student legislature and is concerned with the United States Foreign Policy.

VA Lists Draft Classifications

The Veterans Administration has been besieged by calls concerning the meaning of the classification numbers and letters applied to those who registered last September under the Selective Service Act of 1948.

For the 8,584,963 persons affected in the general registration the following classes are described:

- I-A. Available for military service.
- I-A-O. Conscientious objector, noncombatant only.
- I-C. Member of U.S. armed forces, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, Public Health Service.
- I-D. Member of reserve or student military training.
- II-A. Occupational deferment (not agriculture).
- II-C. Agricultural deferment.
- III-A. Dependency deferment.
- IV-A. Veteran who has completed service; sole surviving son.
- IV-B. Officially deferred by law.
- IV-C. Alien.
- IV-D. Minister of religion or divinity student.
- IV-E. Conscientious objector, opposed to all service.
- IV-F. Physically, mentally, or morally unfit.
- V-A. Registrant over age for military service.

Mr. Franklyn Fry of the Veterans Administration suggests that the above classification designations be clipped for future reference. Further information is available at the offices of the Veterans Administration.

Seniors To Graduate In Double Ceremony

Faced with the probability of more than 1900 June graduates, the largest class in the history of the College, the Senate committee on public occasions has agreed upon a plan for two separate but complete commencement exercises. Both will take place on June 6, one at 10:30 a.m. and the other at 2:30 p.m.

Graduates of the Schools of Liberal Arts, Education, Home

Code Revisions Before Cabinet

Revisions of All-College Cabinet's constitution will be read at the Cabinet meeting in 201 Old Main at 8 p.m. today.

According to parliamentary procedure, the revisions have to be read at three consecutive meetings before any action may be taken on them. The changes include the enforcement of College customs, admitting members from honorary and professional societies to school student councils, and changes in the membership of the Board of Publications.

Reports from the Elections Committee and the Student Agency are also on the agenda for tonight's meeting.

Chem Engineer Speaks Tonight

Dr. Thomas B. Dorris, chemical engineer with the Sprout-Waldron Corp., will speak at a meeting of the Chemical Engineering Society in 119 Osmond Lab at 7:30 p.m. today.

Dr. Dorris will discuss the various phases of particle size reduction.

Following the meeting members of the society will have an opportunity to register for the proposed trip to the Lewistown plant of the American Viscose Corp. on March 22.

The \$2.50 membership fee will be accepted at tonight's meeting. Refreshments will be served.

Book Exchange

The inventory of the Book Exchange has been increased since its opening. Among items listed for sale are leather zippers, binders, pens and pencils, staplers, pencil sharpeners, paints and daily newspapers.

All receipts should be saved until the end of the semester.

PSCA To Hold Cabin Party

Watts Lodge will be the scene of recreation and activities for 40 PSCA members this weekend. Cars will leave at 2 p.m. Saturday for the cabin, and will return Sunday morning in time for dinner.

Featured by recreation, the cabin party will also include an informal discussion on the main theme, "Is the World What It's Cracked Up to Be?" led by Ira Brown, history professor.

Economics, and Physical Education and Athletics, and any students who will receive advanced degrees in curricula in those schools, will graduate at the morning ceremonies. Students in the Schools of Agriculture, Chemistry - Physics, Engineering and Mineral Industries, and in addition, students who will receive advanced degrees in curricula in those schools, will receive their diplomas at the afternoon program.

Receive Commission

Men receiving Army and Navy commissions will be awarded them at the commencement at which they receive their bachelors degree.

At present, the plans are for a different speaker to address the separate groups. In every other respect the two ceremonies will be alike and complete, according to Prof. Louis A. Richardson, chairman of the Senate committee on public occasions. One complete program will be prepared for both, showing the complete list of graduates and giving the order of exercises for both commencements.

It is believed that under this plan there will be sufficient room for guests since the ratio of seats in Recreation Hall to the number of graduates will be adequate on the basis of past experience. Tickets will be issued, not to limit attendance, but to aid students and guests in distinguishing between the two ceremonies.

Regarding the decision not to attempt an out-of-doors commencement, Richardson said, "Experience of the public occasions committee over the past years has been such that it does not seem wise to have it outdoors. It has been tried many times but has been successful only a small percentage of those times, due to rain, threatened rain, dampness, and fog."

PSCA Disusses Social Program

Leadership techniques, party games and mixers, dramatic skits and stunts, group singing, and square dancing will be among the topics for discussion at the PSCA-sponsored Social Recreation Workshop. The first session will get underway in 405 Old Main, 8 to 9:30 p.m. today.

Bert Kessel, instructor in the recreation division of the School of Physical Education and Athletics, will conduct the workshop sessions, which will be held for six consecutive weeks. Enrollment is limited to 40 students, but there are still vacancies existing. All interested persons are asked to call the PSCA office, extension 194.

A registration fee of 75 cents will be assessed on all registrants in order to cover the cost of mimeographed materials and incidental expenses.

News Briefs

Poultry Club

Penn State Poultry Club will meet in 100 Horticulture at 7 p.m. today. The final reading of the new amendment to the club constitution will be presented. Dr. Paul M. Althouse of the ag bio chem department will be guest speaker.

Circulo Espanol

Spanish Club will meet in Simmons Lounge at 7:30 p.m. today. Prof. William Gray, of the history department, will speak on Central America.

Radio Broadcast

London settlement house life will be portrayed in the "Story of Muriel Lester's Life" to be presented on the PSCA radio broadcast over WMAJ at 7:45 p.m. today.

Philosophy Club

"God in a Freudian Age" will be the topic of a lecture by Dr. Laurence J. Rosan, instructor of philosophy, at a meeting of the Philosophy Club in 3 Sparks at 7:30 p.m. today. A discussion period will follow.