

**Final Exam
Schedule
Tuesday**

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Vandal Steals \$1,000 Painting

An original oil painting valued at approximately \$1,000 was stolen from the second floor lounge of Old Main early Thursday night.

The portrait was of a woman fastening her glove and was painted by William Glackens. It was cut from its frame between 5 and 7 p. m. The theft was discovered by the campus patrol, and State Police are investigating.

"I don't believe it was the work of a student, but of someone who knew the value of the painting," reported Captain Philip Mark of the campus patrol. "The frame is still here and will probably be checked for fingerprints."

Original Art Work

One of a group of original art works in Old Main lounge, the portrait was acquired by the College in the early 1920's. The picture, approximately 14 by 19 inches, was a large heavy frame and was not enclosed in glass. Prof. Harold E. Dickson, head of the art department, said the painting was worth "at least \$1,000."

Glackens, a Philadelphia artist, died in 1938. A collection of his paintings was exhibited in New York City recently. Captain Mark announced that the New York police will be notified of the robbery.

This is the first time a theft of this sort has occurred at the College.

Recital Features Pianist, Organist

Barry Brinsmaid will be featured as pianist and George Ceiga as organist at the Music Recital in Schwab Auditorium at 4 p. m. tomorrow.

Bach's "Prelude in F minor" opens the afternoon program, followed by two works by Brahms, "Intermezzo in A minor" and "Capriccio," all played by Mr. Brinsmaid.

Mr. Ceiga and Mr. Brinsmaid introduce a piano-organ arrangement, "Kamennor-Ostrow" by Rubinstein. Franck's "Prelude, Variation and Fugue" is followed by another piano-organ arrangement called "Prelude in G minor." The program ends with an organ selection by Mr. Ceiga, "Passacaglia and Fugue in C minor" by Bach.

Harris To Discuss Milton in Series

Dr. Brice Harris, head of the English literature department, will open the Simmons Series in 121 Sparks at 4:15 p. m. Monday. "Milton for Moderns" will be Dr. Harris' topic in this, the first of a series of lectures sponsored by the German department in honor of the late Dr. Lucretia Simmons, former professor and head of the German department.

Nationalist Leaders Appeal For Last Ditch Resistance

NANKING—With communist armies swarming into South China, Chiang Kai-Shek and the Nanking government have called for a fight to the finish. The decision to continue opposition was announced in a special communique signed by Chiang and acting president Li Tsung-Jen. Premier Ho Ying-Chin was given full command of all the nationalist armies.

Mob Attacks Commie

DARTMOUTH, Eng.—Britain's number one communist, Harry Pollitt, was rescued from an enraged crowd yesterday in Dartmouth. The crowd was aroused

Old Main Mural



Poor Returns To Finish Mural

Henry Varnum Poor is returning to the campus next week to complete his mural in Old Main. He hopes to have the fresco finished by commencement.

Mr. Poor started his work in 1940 as a result of a gift of the class of 1932. The first painting, known as the Land Grant Fresco, commemorates the founding of the College under the terms of the Morrill Act. In additional panels the contribution of the College to the agriculture and industry of the state are represented. The final section will be a memorial to the students and graduates who served in World War II. The 35,000 graduates who have gone into all the professions will also be honored.

Up to this time, Mr. Poor has been paid \$5,625.44, and he will receive a similar amount when the fresco is completed.

Concerning this mural, Forbes Watson, the distinguished critic has written "Out of purely American subject matter of a particularly significant kind, Poor has designed a fresco which is certainly one of the greatest works of art produced in this country."

College Begins Sound Research

Four departments at the College will work together on a research project on the biological and psychological effects of high intensity sound.

The work is being conducted under a contract recently completed with the Aero-Medical Laboratory of the Wright-Patterson Air Force Base. It involves the departments of bacteriology, physics, psychology, and zoology and entomology.

Coordinator for the project will be Dr. Harold K. Schilling, head of the department of physics and director of the acoustics laboratory. Men in immediate charge will be Dr. James J. Reid, professor of bacteriology; Dr. Wesley L. Nyborg, instructor in physics; Dr. C. R. Carpenter, professor of psychology; and Dr. Hubert W. Frings, associate professor of entomology.

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by the news of the communist shelling of British warships in China. Pollitt was rescued by police after someone handed him a rope and suggested he hang himself.

Truman Health Plan

WASHINGTON—President Truman has sent to Congress a proposed national health program intended to guarantee adequate medical care for all Americans. It would provide nationwide compulsory health insurance federal aid for medical schools, increased help for construction of hospitals and medical facilities, and an expanded public health program.

WSGA Plans Spring Events

Reports of four WSGA sponsored events were heard by WSGA at its regular meeting Thursday night.

Final arrangements for the WSGA Convocation to be held in 10 Sparks at 7 p. m. Thursday are near completion. Miss Elizabeth Lee, executive secretary in charge of the Latin American division of the Methodist Board of Missions, will address the Convocation. Installation of new WSGA officers will take place at the same time.

May Day

Shirley Gauger, reporting on May Day, stated that the festivities will take place in front of Old Main if the laying of pipe lines in that area is finished. If not, May Day will be held on Holmes Field and in case of rain in Rec Hall.

Madelyn Bush, senior senator in charge of the annual Junior-Senior Faculty Reception, announced that this function will be held May 3 in Simmons Dormitory. Approximately 1000 invitations will be mailed.

The WSGA Coronation Ball, a girl-ask-boy affair, will be held in White Hall on May 6.

21 Colleges Join NSA Culturale

Four students, selected by Oliver Blackwell, campus Culturale chairman of NSA, are representing the College at the Pennsylvania Region, National Student Association Culturale. The Culturale began yesterday and will continue today in Philadelphia. Twenty-one college are participating.

The students chosen are Jacqueline Heckert and Selma Rudnick, sopranos, and Genevieve Taras and Barbara Thomas, violinists.

Preparations for the Culturale were made by a student committee headed by William C. Heckler, Temple University.

Isobel Greig and Mary Ellen Newton are representing the College chapter of NSA.

Final Exam Schedule

The complete spring final exam schedule will be printed in Tuesday's Daily Collegian. In order to reach all students with the schedule, The Daily Collegian will print more copies than usual. Final exams start May 21.

'Bedlam' Continues Through May 6-7

"This Side of Bedlam." Players' production at Centre Stage written by Warren S. Smith, instructor in dramatics, will be presented tonight and the weekends of April 29 and May 6.

An advertisement in Thursday's Collegian erroneously stated that this weekend's productions would mark the end of the play's run.

Guerrant Leaves To Serve With UN

Dr. N. B. Guerrant, of the school of Agriculture faculty, has been invited by the World Health Organization of the United Nations to serve on the committee on vitamin standards. Dr. Guerrant is leaving today by plane for London for the committee meetings which start next Tuesday.

Dr. Guerrant, who has been conducting extensive research in vitamins for many years, was invited to take a place on the international committee by the director general of the World Health Organization, Dr. Brock Chisholm. Before returning from England, Dr. Guerrant plans to visit with several British scientists.

4 Lion Varsity Teams Face Weekend Action

Penn State athletic squads face a full schedule of competition today as baseball, lacrosse, track and golf teams are all listed to see action.

While Nittany Lion fans help their lacrosse and diamond crews celebrate the opening of the home portion of their respective cards, track and golf meets will be held on foreign soils.

Although not scheduled, **Jupe Pluvius** and his colleagues may force a change in State's sport program. According to the weather bureau, a cloudy day with scattered showers is forecast.

Golf

Coach Bob Rutherford and his seven-man golf force are guests of Georgetown University in Washington, D. C., where matches were played yesterday and will be resumed again today.

Coach Chick Werner and his large contingent of thinclads will engage in a triangular track meet starting at 2:30 at Annapolis. Penn and Navy will provide the track and field competition for the Lions.

Getting the local jump, Coach Nick Thiel will lead his lacrosse men into battle against Loyola on New Beaver Field at 2 p. m. The lion stickmen will be seeking win number four against one loss.

According to Thiel the game will be played regardless of weather conditions. The much-improved Baltimore outfit has yet to record its first lacrosse win against State.

Penn State	Loyola
Neboda	Barry
Hagerman	Wittlesberger
Kissell	Mohler
Smith	Blondell
Finley	DeLisle
Nestor	Hughes
Louis	R. Miller
Lux	Kimmel
Belfield	Walker
Thomas	E. Miller

JV Team

At the same time as their big brothers are scrimmaging on the home grounds, State's Jayvees will also be seeing action at Annapolis.

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Committee Lists Carnival Friday

The postponed Spring Carnival will be held Friday, April 29 from 2 to 10 p. m. In the event of rain it will be held the following day.

No entries have been withdrawn, and the carnival will proceed as originally planned. More than fifty fraternity, sorority and independent groups have entered a variety of novel booths.

The Carnival was originally proposed by Froth. All-College Cabinet later took charge of Spring Week and the Carnival. Rain prevented holding it on March 31, when it was originally scheduled.

The committee is headed by George Bearer and Abram Bosler. The Carnival is intended to become an annual event at the College.

The proceeds of the Carnival will go to the College World Student Service Fund. The money has been earmarked for use in the Philippines, mainly for textbooks.

Priestley Series Topics, Dates Set

Dr. L. F. Audrieth, professor of inorganic chemistry at the University of Illinois, will speak on the following topics in the Twenty Third Annual Priestley Lectures in 119 Osmond Lab.

Monday, 7:30 p. m.
The Historical Development of the Acid-Base Concept and its Philosophical Aspects.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.
Modern Concepts: Acid-Base Relationships and Non-Aqueous Systems.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
The Nitrogen System of Compounds.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m.
The Hydronitrogens.

Friday, 5:30 p. m.
Acid-Base Relationships in High Temperature Systems.

News Briefs

Penn State Club

The Penn State Club will have a picnic at Fairmount Park from 2 to 9 p. m. Sunday. All members and their dates planning to attend must sign up at the Student Union desk before noon, Saturday.

All members are urged to attend the initiation meeting in 405 Old Main at 9 p. m. Monday. New members to be initiated are required to bring a blue book file or a musical recording. The meeting, originally scheduled for 7 p. m., was changed because of conflict with the English Usage test.

Honor Student Omission

The name of Morris H. Zalmanovich was omitted from the list of honor students from the School of Chemistry and Physics for the Fall semester, 1948-49. He had a 2.77 average in the physics curriculum.

Eng. Student Council

The Engineering Student Council will meet in 106 Old Main at 7 p. m. Tuesday to discuss Constitutional revisions. Students and faculty are invited to attend.

Dendrologic Society

The recently elected officers of the Penn State Dendrologic Society are Francis Moore, president; Hugh Black, vice president; James Dewey, secretary, and Stanley Walton, treasurer. The Society will sponsor a field trip in the near future.

Philosophy Essays

Students writing essays on "The Moral Implications of the Atomic Age" in competition for a \$25 prize awarded by the Philosophy department, should submit their entries to Dr. John M. Anderson, 217 Sparks, by 5 p. m., May 2.