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## Good Things

Complaints and dissatisfaction are so commonplace that progress and accomplishments are often overshadowed.

A casual survey of last semester's Collegians reveals numerous favorable items which should not have been overlooked.

Right at the start, one of the most successful Orientation Week and counseling programs was instrumental in giving new sophs and transfers a good start in Penn State life.

Then the new duplicating registration forms reduced the time spent in the formerly tedious task, to a new all-time minimum, for those who had no changes to make.

Association of Independent Men and Leonides, its female counterpart, were successfully organized, and launched their programs of mixers and other events (including even an independent house-party during Spring Week) designed to improve the social status of all independent students.

Sophomores pleased and entertained football fans in the West stands of Beaver Field, with their inauguration of Penn State's first flash card rooting section. (If a permanent organization is not soon formed, the future of flash cards may be somewhat doubtful.)

Intramural sport had its most auspicious season, more individuals and teams participating, and more games being played than ever before in each sport on the card. Sports included basketball, boxing, football, swimming, tennis and wrestling.

Penn State's off-campus centers received important boosts with the dedication of the Behrend Center, and the acquisition of a mountain estate as the site of a new Hazleton campus.

Creation of new parking lots and permitting parking on one side of Pollock road, helped ease the campus parking situation, although the one-way traffic on Pollock created problems of its own.

Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity, returned the "Daily good deed" to the campus with its reorganization. Without fanfare or glory, its members volunteer for campus-improving projects, often of the type which other groups deem themselves too good for.

Students and administrative officials began a year of close cooperation by a discussion of mutual problems.

These are only a few, and not necessarily the most important, of the good things of State last fall. Maybe we'd better list such activities more often.

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## Collegian Gazette

Saturday, April 23

### COLLEGE HOSPITAL

Admitted Thursday: John Burton, Carolyn Griffith, William Keblish.

Admitted Friday: Russell Orner, Joseph Swadlow, Phyllis Oxford.

Discharged Friday: Carolyn Griffith, Robert Zettlemoyer, Irvin Hoechner, Harry Isabel.

### COLLEGE PLACEMENT

Arrangements for interviews should be made in 204 Old Main  
 Allegheny Ludlum Steel Corporation, April 26, June grads in ME, Chem Eng, IE, and Accounting. (1.6 average.)

Fidelity & Deposit Co. wants applications from students interested in the bonding field. (Single men under 30 preferred.)

Pennsylvania Railroad, April 25, June grads in EE and ME for special apprenticeship course. Applicants should not be over 23 years of age.

Bolton School of Nursing of Western Reserve U., April 27, June grads in A&L, Pre-Med, Psych, Science, and Health Ed.

Westinghouse Electric Co., April 27, 28, and 29, June grads in EE, IE, and ME; juniors in same curricula for summer employment. A group meeting will be held for all interested students, 219 EE, 7:30 p.m., April 26.

Sears, Roebuck and Co., April 28, June grads in Ag Eng for sales.

Talon, Inc., April 29, June grads in IE and ME, for instructors in the training department.

Scott Paper Co., April 28, June grads in ME.

Lehigh Portland Cement Co., April 29, June grads in C&F for their sales department.

Aluminum Co. of America, April 25, June grads in Arch Eng, IE, ME, and Metallurgy.

Pitt School of Nursing, April 29, June grads interested in nursing as a career.

Kroger Co., April 29 and 30, June grads interested in food merchandising.

Prudential Insurance Co., May 2 and 3, June grads in A&L and C&F for sales work.

H. J. Heinz Co., May 2 and 3, women students from following curricula for summer work: Home Ec, Med Tech, Bact, Bot, Chem, Zoo and Ent, Pre-Med, Com Chem, Sci, AgBioChem.

West Penn Power Co., May 2 and 3, undergrads in EE, IE, ME, for summer employment.

International Business Machines Corp., May 3, June grads in EE.

Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing Co., May 5, June grads in Chem Eng, C&F, EE, for sales work only.

Ralston Purina Co., May 6, June grads in Ag Ec, Ag Ed, Ag Eng, Agronomy, Animal Husb, Dairy Husb, Hort, Poultry Husb.

Line Material Co., May 6, June grads in EE and ME.

### AT THE MOVIES

CATHAUM—Take Me Out to the Ball Game.  
 STATE—Down to the Sea in Ships.  
 NITTANY—The Marshal of Amarillo.

## Edit Briefs

● Daylight Saving Time comes again tomorrow. With warm weather, cool showers, and a general blossoming forth of all things about campus, Spring seems to be in solid. All we need now is the placement of those comfortable green chairs on the Old Main terrace.

● It's pretty hazardous to try and predict the economic future or the winner of next year's major league pennants. One safe prediction, though, is this: This year's final exams will be as tough as ever.

## 'Seems to be the Nature of the Beast'



## 1949 La Vie Makes Debut In Central Library Exhibit

The 1949 La Vie made its debut yesterday in an exhibit at central library.

Nine advance copies of the book made up the exhibit which will continue on the second floor of the Library until distribution is started May 3. The distribution schedule was published yesterday in the Daily Collegian.

The early distribution was made possible, explained John English, La Vie editor, by the cooperation of students, photographers, and

others concerned with the production of the book. Because of this cooperation, the staff was able to meet its February deadline.

It also was pointed out that careful planning and advance purchasing of materials eliminated production snags so that the engraving, printing, and binding were completed in record time.

The 1949 La Vie contains 480 pages, 20 more than the 1948 edition, and includes about 3000 photographs.

## Faculty Members Attend Meeting

The 51st annual meeting of the American Ceramic Society will be held in Cincinnati from April 24 to 27. Dr. E. C. Henry, Chief, division of ceramics of the College, is chairman of the white-wares division. Dr. Henry is vice-president of the Ceramics Educational Council.

Roy G. Ehman, assistant professor of ceramics, is in charge of a student employment interview service at the convention.

The members of the staff of the School of Mineral Industries have prepared papers for this meeting.

### Thespians

The Thespian Club will hold an important business meeting in 409 Old Main, at 4 p.m. Sunday.

### Leonides, AIM Mixer

Leonides and AIM will hold a mixer in the lounges of Simmons hall at 2 p.m. Sunday. All independent men and women of Simmons are invited to attend.

### La Vie Pictures

Pictures of juniors in the Liberal Arts School for the 1950 La Vie will be taken at the Penn State Photo Shop, Monday through Friday.

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