

College Constructs New Poultry House

A poultry breeding house will be constructed on the campus north of the present poultry brooder house, James Milholland, acting President of the College, announced recently.

The building will be one story, 24 by 152 feet. George W. Ebert, director, department of physical plant, said it will be constructed of light prefabricated steel frame, with asphalt shingle roof, cement board exterior, and a concrete floor.

The interior will consist of pens for poultry with a feeding alley through the center of the building. There will be automatic waterers in the pens and provision is being made for limited heating. At the west end, there will be a large door to the building.

Forestry Banquet

Students and faculty of the department of forestry at the College, including freshmen and staff members from Mont Alto, will hold the 37th annual forestry banquet at the University Club on Saturday night.

Guest speakers will be two officers of the United States Forest Service. They are B. Frank Heintzleman, of Juneau, Alaska, a graduate of the 1907 class at Mont Alto and regional forester of Alaska; and Robie M. Evans, of Philadelphia, regional forester of the northeastern region.

Music Department Unearths Weird Composition

Can you conceive of a musical composition written for 17 percussion instruments—and nothing else?

Many students who have struggled through Music 5 have heard a record of such a composition, and have moaned and rebelled at the affront to their musical taste, or have merely snickered.

This jolly little idea was set to "music" by Paul Varese, a modern French composer, in a selection called "Ionization." Some persons call it by other names.

The idea is to take an abstract title and write music which expresses that title. This school of composition is called "expressionism," but only the experts know what it expresses. At any rate, the record is weird and fantastic, like something one would expect a ghoul to compose while digging up a grave in a deserted churchyard at midnight on Halloween.

At least one member of the music department says that, the more one listens to it, the more it sounds like real music.

But, if the thought is interesting don't go dashing off to the music department's listening room in Carnegie Hall. The record isn't there. The department keeps it padlocked in some secluded sepulcher, considering

Faculty Briefs

Ripple Tank

"The Ripple Tank as a Device for Studying Wave Propagation" is the subject of a paper to be presented by Dr. H. David Rix, assistant professor of physics, before the Acoustical Society of America in New York this week.

Jones Elected

The American Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation elected Dr. Lloyd Jones, professor of physical education, as vice-president at its Boston convention last week.

Other members of the College faculty who attended the convention were Miss Marie Haidt, Miss Ellen Kelly, Miss Mildred Lucey, Mrs. Hermance Reese, Sherman Fogg, Arthur Harnett, John Masley and Bert Kessel. Also attending were three graduate students, Richard Mackey, Dorothy Magill and Jacqueline Zivic.

Acoustical Society

Taking part in the 20th anniversary meeting of the Acoustical Society of America in New York this week will be 16 College faculty members.

They are Dr. Eric A. Walker,

it too valuable to be left available to careless students, and brings it out into the open only for rare classroom playings.

Layman N. Miller, Dr. Paul M. Kendig, Dr. Norman Davids, Edward G. Thurston, Robert M. Hoover, Roland E. Mueser, Rensler McDowell, Richard Vincent and Francis Wertz, all of the Ordnance Research Laboratory.

Dr. Harold K. Schilling, Dr. Wesley L. Nyborg, Dr. H. David Rix, Dr. Ralph Simon, John P. Walker, Jr. and Casper L. Woodbridge, Jr., all of the department of physics.

Tarpley Appointed

Harold I. Tarpley, professor of electrical engineering, was appointed recently to the national committee of servomechanisms of the American Association of the Electrical Engineers

Works on Text

Harold P. Zeiko, associate professor of public speaking, has collaborated in writing a text, "Communicative Speech", published this month.

On the cover of the text are four photographs taken on the College campus. They include pictures of Coach Joe Bedenk addressing a baseball squad; a round-table discussion; A. H. Reede, professor of economics, speaking before a steelworkers' class; and Thomas Lyons, Centre Daily Times sports editor, presenting a football award to Jeff Durkota.

Also included are pictures of Dr. Clifford R. Adams, associate professor of psychology, counseling a young couple on marriage, and of a group of steelworkers taking part in an informal discussion.

Elected President

At the recent national convention in Allentown, Nicholas Brenzin, assistant professor of romance languages, was elected president of the Eastern district of Phi Sigma Iota, romance language recognition society.

Vocational Conference

Three faculty members from the department of home economics education, attended the recent North Atlantic Regional Conference of vocational educators in

New York. They were Dr. Jean D. Amberson, Dr. Hazel M. Hatcher and Margaret Riegel.

'Christian Home'

"The Christian Home" will be the topic of Marion S. McDowell, associate professor of child development and family relations, when she speaks before the Council of Church Women at Trinity EUB church in Bellefonte tonight.

Family Life

Dr. William M. Smith Jr., associate professor of family relations, spoke on "The National Family Life Conference and You" at the recent annual meeting of the New York Economics association in Syracuse, N. Y.

Attends Parley

Ruth H. Cook, assistant professor of home economics education, recently participated in the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Association for Adult Education at Hershey, Pa.

Writes Article

Dr. H. H. Arnold, professor of romance languages, has been asked to contribute an article to a special volume to be published this summer in honor of the 80th birthday anniversary of Don Ramon Merendez Fidal, famed Spanish philologist.

Gets Invitation

Prof. Erich Auerbach, lecturer in romance languages and literatures, has been invited to spend the next academic year as a member of the Institute for Advanced Studies at Princeton, N. J. He will direct an advanced seminar of literature.

'Negro Art'

Viktor Lowenfeld, professor of art education, discussed "Negro Art Expression in America" at the Norfolk Museum of Art and Science in Norfolk, Va., Sunday.

Grow on Campus

More than 18,000 individual trees and shrubs, not including trees in woods, hedge plants, or ground cover plants, are on the campus of the College. There are more than 520 different species.

Combined Arts Festival

SCHEDULE OF TODAY'S EVENTS
 "John Loves Mary"
 Schwab Auditorium 8 p.m.
 "This Side of Bedlam"
 Center Stage 8 p.m.

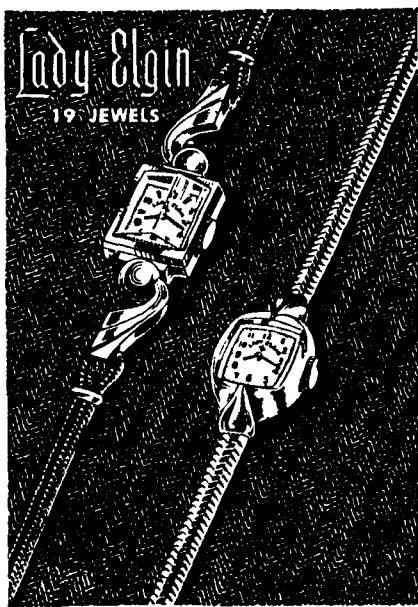
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