

Attend Chapel
Tomorrow

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Today's Weather:
Cloudy and cold,
Possible snow

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Keller Expands On Statement About Cabinet

Tribunal Head Hopes To Stimulate Action

Robert Keller, chairman of Tribunal, explained further his statement to All-College Cabinet Thursday night, when he chided the group for lethargy. When questioned, Keller explained that the statement had been intended for Cabinet alone, and for that reason was not entered in the minutes. He said his intention was to stimulate Cabinet action.

Keller said the original student plan for the book exchange called for a store which sold new books. Now it is not clear whether the College wants new books sold, since little encouragement has been given, he said. He maintained that a tie-in between merchants and College officials prevents progress of the plan.

Seeks Reasons

Keller said he thought that Cabinet should seek reasons for the decision to house freshmen in the new dormitories. He stated that he has heard no good reason why freshmen should not join fraternities.

Keller also said that in his opinion the College should have a permanent president to prevent vacillation and indecision in policy formulation. He claimed that administrative officials cannot know where they stand when problems arise.

Criticizes Cabinet

He criticized Cabinet for not investigating the \$1000 National Student Association appropriation. He said the money is "down the drain as far as this Cabinet knows." School student councils receive a

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Art Honorary Initiates Twenty

Pi Gamma Alpha, honorary art fraternity, held a banquet in honor of its pledges Thursday night at the Eutaw House. The following persons were initiated in a ceremony preceding the banquet:

Peter Adams, Pasqual Astore, John Chapman, Joseph DeAngelis, George Doddy, Norma Fehr, Regis Gallagher, Bruce Gerwig, Ralph Hickman.

Marilyn Hoke, Jay Lucas, Arthur Lukens, Betsy Lumley, Luba Meshberg, Richard Newton, Elsilvia Nobile, Helen Pond, Henry Progar, Fred Sheridan and Richard Schreck.

Today . . .



The Nittany Lion Roars

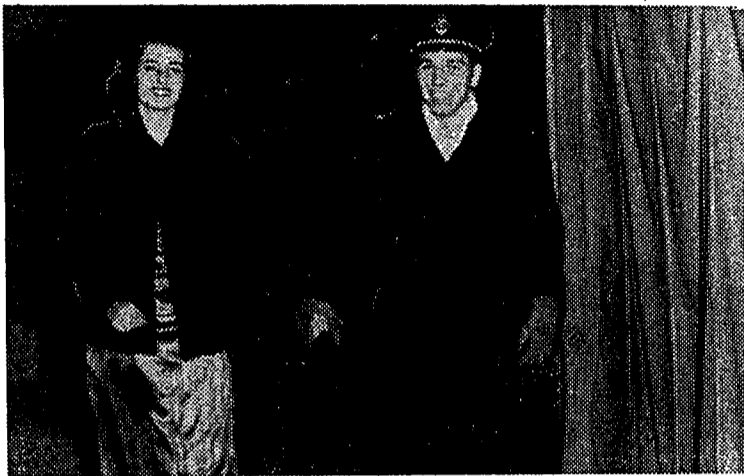
FOR Robert Keller, fiery head of Tribunal.

Keller subjected All-College Cabinet to a deserving tongue-lashing Thursday night, accusing them of apathy and indifference in regard to promotion of interests dear to the hearts of the student body.

With hopes that his stand may shake Cabinet out of its lethargy and goad it to action on some of the points he mentioned, the Lion directs a mighty roar in the direction of one of the campus's outstanding student leaders.

Davis Urges Probe of Dorm Policy

The Arrival



—Photo by Milton Bernstein
Robert Freedman and his date, Joan Grossman shown arriving at Recreation Hall last night. They are about to enjoy an evening of dancing to the music of Elliot Lawrence and his orchestra at the Military Ball, the only formal dance of the year at the College.

The Deerslayers . . .

Pennsylvania Nimrods Fire Last Round Today

Early this morning thousands of Pennsylvania hunters headed en masse to the forests in pursuit of the wary deer. The season opened two weeks ago, but today is the only day of doe season.

The nimrod who has already bagged his buck is through for the season, but judging from the cars parked along roads near State College, these fortunate fellows are few. The area west of the College known as the Barrens is expected to be hunted especially hard today.

November 27 opened the season on bucks and hunters were warned not to shoot without making sure the animal carried antlers. For the first few days, most hunters returned empty-handed, but telling tales of frustration. Many sportsmen watched, powerless, as groups of doe, female of the specie, mean-

dered by, easily within range. One man claims he saw thirty doe in one morning.

However, they seem to sense impending doom and melt into the heart of the forest on the only day they may be killed. However, 63,000 doe were killed two years ago. There was no season last year.

Several Pennsylvania counties are closed to doe this year. Some of the best hunting can be found in Cambria, Clinton, and Potter Counties. Centre County, especially farther north, also presents the sportsman with big game.

Many nimrods consider the season a failure if they do not get their deer. The fortunate buck slayers may look up the doe as consolation prizes, but a grilled deer steak hits the spot, antlers or no antlers.

Late AP News Courtesy WMAJ

Pro Football Ends Hostilities

PHILADELPHIA — The costly four year professional football war is over.

It ended suddenly yesterday when the National Football League and the All-America Conference merged into a new 13-team circuit. The truce was announced in Philadelphia at a news conference called by Bert Bell and J. Arthur Friedland, representatives of the two leagues.

The new 13-team league will include all ten members of the Old National League and three teams of the Conference—Cleveland, San Francisco, and Baltimore. The new league will be called the National American League and will operate with two divisions.

Thomas Sentenced

WASHINGTON — Republican Congressman J. Parnell Thomas was taken to Connecticut's Danbury Prison late yesterday to start serving a sentence of six to eight months.

The New Jersey Representative left Washington within an hour after the windup of his trial, involving the padding of government payrolls. Thomas submitted his resignation from Congress, effective January 2.

Calls For New Taxes

WASHINGTON—Budget Director Frank Pace told newsmen yesterday after a conference with President Truman that he saw little possibility of a balanced budget next year without new taxes.

Chapel To Hear Dr. Buschmeyer

Dr. Fred S. Buschmeyer, religious leader and associate minister of the General Council of Congregational Christian Churches in the U.S., will speak at Chapel services in Schwab Auditorium at 11 a.m. tomorrow. His topic is "We Test Our Lives."

The Chapel choir directed by Willa Taylor will present an anthem from "The Messiah" by Handel entitled, "And the Glory of the Lord."

Ad Honorary To Initiate 14

Alpha Delta Sigma, national professional advertising fraternity, will initiate 14 advertising majors and two professional members tomorrow at 7 p.m.

Carl Gillespie, advertising manager of the Johnstown Tribune-Democrat and president of the Pennsylvania Newspaper Publishers Association, and E. A. Doepke, advertising manager of the Harrisburg Patriot-News, will be initiated as professional members. They will lead a discussion on advertising topics.

The undergraduate initiates will include Ray Beisswanger, Stephen Blumenthal, James Cleaver, Hugh Close, Robert Davis, John Dempsey, Leonard Goldberg, Dale Johnson, William Malter, John Pericola, Paul Shealer, David Schmuckler, Peter Vrabel, and Whit Yeagley.

Cabinet To Appoint Committee To Begin Housing Investigation

A motion to appoint a committee to investigate the dormitory situation was passed by All-College Cabinet unanimously at its Thursday meeting. Robert Davis, president of the Association of Independent Men, urged the action.

Criticizing the College's dorm policy, Davis said that senior women had received priorities in Simmons and McElwain Halls. "Senior men should have a chance to get the mud off their feet," Davis said,

advocating a reversal of the men's dorm policy. He referred to the College Board of Trustees' recent decision to place about 1000 freshman men in the new dorms now under construction.

Davis also introduced a motion which resulted in the appointment of a committee to investigate five-day meal tickets for use in Nittany dining hall.

Favor Ring Change

Cabinet passed favorably on the proposition of a new school ring design. However, Cabinet has not picked a specific design yet, and the action must be approved by the Trustees before the ring can be changed.

Ralph Lewis, editor of the student government handbook, reported that the book will be in popular form, with cartoons illustrating student organizations. The book is to be used for orientation purposes.

Delegates were appointed to the Pennsylvania Regional National Student Association convention in Reading. They are Ted Allen, Joel Bachman, Michael Cantwell, William Funk, Murray Goldman, Isabel Grieg, Otto Grupp, Jack King, Barbara Lehn, Harry McMahon, Virginia Miller, and George Donovan, manager of Associated Student Activities.

\$50 for Oklahoma

Cabinet voted \$50 for students at the University of Oklahoma to replace clothing and books lost in a dormitory fire there.

Peter Giesey, president of Interfraternity Council, answered charges hurled by Tribunal Chairman Robert Keller, against the dating code as it relates to freshman women. Giesey said that freshman dating is a woman's

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News Briefs

Alpha Rho Omega

Alpha Rho Omega, honorary Russian Society, meets in 304 Old Main at 7 p.m. tomorrow. Reverend Constantine Auroff will deliver an address on "The Russian Christmas." Public invited.

Hillel Foundation

"Do We Need a Compulsory Health Program?" will be the subject of the Hillel Town Meeting program at 8 p.m. tomorrow. Dr. Arthur F. Davis, Dr. Herbert R. Glenn, and Dr. Arthur H. Reede will be the speakers.

PSCA

A social fireside will be held in the home of Mr. Lloyd Jones, professor of physical education at 447 E. Fairmount Avenue at 2:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Young Friends

Monthly meeting will be preceded by a pot-luck dinner at 12:15 p.m. tomorrow. At 3:30 James Read will talk in 304 Old Main on "Opportunities for Work Overseas." At 7:30, in 405 Old Main he will speak on the Quaker Report on Russian-American relations.

Reading Hours

The Speech Department will sponsor the first of its reading hours in the Living Center of the Home Economics Building at 8 p.m. Monday. Professor Robert Reifsneider, of the Drama Department, will read scenes from three plays by Tennessee Williams.

Drama Student Will Produce Graduate Thesis

Mesrop Kesdekian, graduate assistant in the department of dramatics, will present his thesis production, "Beautiful People," by William Saroyan, next Tuesday and Wednesday at Center Stage.

The entire production of "Beautiful People," including design and construction, have been in the hands of Kesdekian. This is the first thesis production to be presented at Center Stage.

The story of "Beautiful People" is about the Webster family. It is a study in illusion rather than reality.

The leads of the play, Mr. and Mrs. Webster, will be taken by Dorothy Jefferis and Francis Fatsie. Miss Jefferis is a graduate student in dramatics. The part of Mrs. Webster is her first starring role. Fatsie has had experience with the Players and Town and Nine.

Ex-Town and Niners

Lois and Edward McCoy, both of whom have worked in Town and Nine productions, will play Harmony Blueblossom and William Prim.

Other parts will be taken by John Price, a sophomore at the College; Timothy Hayes, last seen in "Glass Menagerie"; Morton Banks, who appeared in "This Side of Bedlam"; James Heanue, and Charles Schulte.

Schulte will also be stage manager.

Tickets for the production are now on sale at Student Union and the Dramatics office for \$.84. Curtain time will be 8 p.m.

More Russian Courses Added

An expanded schedule of Russian language and culture courses will be inaugurated at the College next semester and must be considered by interested students during pre-registration.

In addition to Russian 1, 2, 3, and 4, Dr. Philip A. Shelley, head of the German department, has announced that Russian 11, 16, and 42 will be offered. Russian 11 covers composition and conversation and Russian 16 is a survey of Russian literature.

Russian 42 will be a study of Russian literature in English and can be used as a literature elective. Prof. William B. Edgerton, co-author of the "Quaker Report on American-Russian Relations," will join the faculty next semester to assist Dr. Shelley and Dr. Dagobert deLevie in the new Russian courses.

Publications Meet To Plan Objectives

A combined meeting of the staffs of the Ag Hill Breeze and the Penn State Farmer will occur in 102 Ag Ed at 8:30 p.m. Monday. Harry Schaffer, editor-in-chief of the Farmer, called the meeting "an important one, to discuss purposes of the two publications and reorganization to fulfill those purposes."