

## Debaters Will Meet Seton Hill Orators Tonight

The College debating team will travel to Pittsburgh to meet the debaters of Seton Hill, women's college, tonight. Debating coach, Prof. J. F. O'Brien, will accompany the team.

Donald Copelin and Charles Petrie will represent the College, which will defend the affirmative side of the proposal, "Resolved: That the United States should nationalize the basic non-agricultural industries."

### Pittsburgh Style

The debate will be conducted under the Pittsburgh cross-examination style. Each speaker will give one constructive speech and one cross-examination. No decision will be rendered, and an open forum will be held after the debate.

Next Thursday night the Seton Hill debaters will meet the College debating team here at the College. James Dente and David Lewis of the College will defend the negative side of the same question.

## Gift Swells Kunkle Fund

Thirty shares of General Motors common stock valued at \$2,000 have been given to the College to increase the principal of the Ethel and Bayard Kunkle Loan fund to \$27,800.

The fund is used for loans to married veterans attending the College on a full-time basis. Loans are for emergencies or to supplement income to meet current expenditures, and cannot exceed \$150. They must be recommended by the faculty counselor of veterans and must be approved by the treasurer of the College.

Accepted recently by the trustees' executive committee, the gift was presented by Bayard D. Kunkle, of the class of 1907, who established the fund in 1946 with a gift of 200 shares. He added 227 shares in three other donations before the latest gift was made.

Mr. Kunkle is a member of the General Motors board of directors.

### German Club

The German Club will meet in the Home Economics Living Center at 7:30 tonight. A short one act play, *Einer Muss Heiraten*, will be enacted.

## Cabinet to Consider Committee Plan For Beaver Field Seating

Richard Wertz, chairman of the committee on seating arrangement, will present a plan for changing student seating at New Beaver Field to All-College Cabinet meeting in 201 Old Main at 8 o'clock tonight. Student members will present the plan to the Athletic Advisory Board, which determines seating arrangements, later, if Cabinet approves.

Cabinet will also begin plans for Spring Week and receive reports from several other committees. A representative from Cabinet is to be appointed to the committee for Negro History Week.

James MacCallum will present the report of the Interclass Finance Committee on the request by Blue Band for funds to send members to the Intercollegiate Band Festival at Carnegie Tech.

First plans for the Spring elections will be presented by William Shade, chairman of the elections committee. Other reports will be made by the committees on soccer team awards, service keys for members of committees, and the memorial for the student government room to Ex-president Ralph Dorn Hetzel.

An addition will also be made to the meal ticket committee membership.

## Outstanding Folk Poet . . .



—Photo by Gerald Gearhart

CARL SANDBURG—The American folk singer and Lincoln biographer is pictured above as he appeared last night before a sell-out audience at Schwab Auditorium. He was the third Community Forum speaker of the season.

## Senior Hatmen to Meet To Air 'Houck' Plans

Plans for "Leo Houck Night" Saturday in Recreation Hall will be discussed tonight at a joint meeting of Parmi Nous and Skull and Bones, senior men's hat societies. Negley Norton and Morton Snitzer, respective presidents, urged all 31 active Skull and Bones men and 35 active Parmi Nous members to meet at 7 o'clock in 418 Old Main.

## PSCA To Sponsor Dancing Classes

The first of five weekly dancing classes sponsored by the Penn State Christian Association will take place in the Armory at 7 o'clock tonight.

Under the direction of the Personal and Campus Affairs Commission of the CA, the classes will be conducted by Prof. Bertram Kessel, of the School of Physical Education and his assistants.

## Conflict Deadline Set for Saturday

Students with conflicts in their final examination schedules should file conflict cards in 2 Willard building, as soon as possible, R. V. Watkins, College scheduling officer said yesterday. The deadline for the filing of conflict cards is Saturday, January 14.

Seniors who have examinations scheduled after February 2 should also file conflict cards.

## Hoffenberg Speaks At Econ Lecture

Marvin Hoffenberg, member of the staff of the Inter-Industry Economics Division, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, will speak at a business conference for students of Economics and Commerce to be held in 105 White Hall at 12:45 this afternoon.

Mr. Hoffenberg will speak on employment opportunities in government.

The conference is one of a series being sponsored by Delta Sigma Pi and the Department of Economics and Commerce.

Leo Houck, dean of college boxing coaches and boxing skipper at the College for 27 seasons, is in critical condition at his home in Lancaster. A report from Lancaster last night, described his condition as "unchanged."

Purpose of "Houck Night" is to provide a "day" on which students at the College will pay tribute to Houck, who was responsible for starting boxing as a varsity sport at Penn State. This will be the first season in 28 years that he has not been present for the boxing opener.

In a joint statement directed to all members of Skull and Bones and Parmi Nous, Snitzer and Norton said: "Tonight's meeting is important if 'Leo Houck Night' is to be a success. The two honoraries have been given much of the responsibility of carrying it out. We urge all members to please be present tonight to help in what we think is a worthy undertaking."

## Gilbreth Will Speak Friday

Dr. Lillian Gilbreth, leading industrial engineer and home management expert, will address students and staff members of the School of Home Economics in Schwab Auditorium at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Dr. Gilbreth will speak to seniors in the School of Engineering in Schwab Auditorium at 4:10 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The balcony will be open for visitors, Dr. Harry P. Hammond, dean of the School of Engineering, explained.

Dr. Gilbreth will be entertained at a luncheon of Sigma Delta Epsilon at the State College Hotel at noon today. She will address the Women's Night dinner of the Central Pennsylvania chapter, Society for the Advancement of Management, at the Nittany Lion Inn at 6:30 p.m. tonight.

# Sandburg's Folkways And Guitar Melodies Please Forum Crowd

By JOHN DALBOR

Nattily attired in a bow tie and dark blue suit, Carl Sandburg—outstanding American poet, biographer, and folk singer—held a sell-out audience spellbound at Schwab Auditorium last night as he related tall tales and sang folk songs.

Speaking and singing in a strong, clear voice that belied his 72 years of age, Mr. Sandburg strummed his guitar and held the attention of an appreciative audience. In sharp contrast to his dark suit and tie was Mr. Sandburg's shock of brilliant white hair combed in his familiar style.

### Third Community Forum Speaker

Mr. Sandburg was the third speaker in the current Community Forum Series, and undoubtedly the most popularly received of any so far. Performing before a house that had been sold out two days, before show time, he amused and entertained attentive listeners by reading from one of his own works, "The People, Yes," and also singing several old native American folk songs.

Mr. Sandburg started his program by sketching the history of this country since the settlement of Massachusetts in relation to "tall tales." These accomplishments of our country, he stated, represent "tall tales" to the rest of the world.

### Newspapers Receive Criticism

The newspapers of today underwent some severe criticism from

the poet, referring to their aptitude for making irresponsible utterances, a practice which was made by the newspapers of Lincoln's time, too. Not only were the newspapers criticized by the folk singer, but Sen. Styles Bridges, the next Community Forum speaker, Fulton Lewis, Jr., the radio commentator, and Sen. Kenneth Wherry were made the butt of Mr. Sandburg's folk-style humor.

After telling several jokes, Mr. Sandburg read numerous quotations of folk sayings from one of his own books, "The People, Yes." He told the anecdotes in a slow, almost halting manner that had the audience hanging on every word. His enunciation was unusually distinct and sharp, increasing the effectiveness of his speaking voice.

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## Old Main Strikes 15 Times; Ebert Solves Mystery

The general theory about the ghost that went west and was "kickin' the gong around" in Old Main's tower was shattered yesterday by George W. Ebert, director of the department of physical plant.

It is true, however, that at 6 p.m. every day, Old Main chimes 15 times, but this is neither ghost nor gremlin. It's the Angelus.

"All over Europe," Ebert said, "the Angelus bell rings at the end of day. It is one of the oldest traditions they have. One of the great works of art depicts the peasants, plows in hand, listening to the Angelus. It means the work day is done and they can go home."

Late AP News Courtesy. WMAJ

## Senators Blast Administration

WASHINGTON — Republican senators attacked the administration on two counts yesterday, one of national, and one of international importance. Six G.O.P. senators introduced a resolution encouraging the President to use the Taft-Hartley law to get full coal production resumed. Senator Robert Taft called for American aid to Formosa. He demanded that the Navy give warning that it will repel any Communist assault on Formosa.

### Thicker Than Water

MIDDLETOWN, Pa. — Two men arrested in Middletown on disorderly conduct charges yesterday each chose to give a pint of blood to the Harrisburg Hospital blood bank rather than pay a \$5 fine. The men were given their choice of sentence by Justice of the Peace John Houser.

### Discuss Tito Aid

WASHINGTON — Informed sources in Washington say the United States may aid Yugoslavia if the Soviet Bloc uses armed force against Marshal Tito. It was said this might even include limited American military aid. High government officials met behind closed doors on this issue yesterday.

## Advance 11 La Vie Board Members

The promotion of 11 members of the La Vie staff to the junior art and photography boards was announced recently by Ramon S. Saul, editor.

Appointed to the photography board were Edward Ferdinand, Bernard Gutterman, John Radomsky and Walter Schumacher. George Doddy, Edward Gallagher, Regis Gallagher, Art Luicens, Richard Schreck, Sue Sharaugh and Ann Umlauf were appointed to the art board.

## Students Leave For Farm Show

Many students and extension workers from the College are attending at least a part of the 1950 Pennsylvania Farm Show at Harrisburg this week.

Two classes took off en masse. Prof. W. L. Henning and his Animal Husbandry 3 class attended the horse judging Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning. Dr. A. J. G. Maw and his Poultry Husbandry 5 class turned the show on Tuesday.

The Clover Club prepared the entire exhibit for the Pennsylvania Crop Improvement Association.

## Today . . .



The Nittany Lion Roars

FOR THE forgotten, and often maligned, men and women—the Penn State student body.

Last night the students crammed Schwab auditorium to hear Carl Sandburg, buying up all available tickets more than a day in advance of his talk. This, despite the criticism that Penn Staters are immune to real culture and care only for bop and Froth.

The lion today gives his hal-lowed growl to those students who by last night's action, proved they will support worthy entertainers.