

112th Squadron Not To Be Activated Before August

Col. George L. Haller, commander of State College's 112th Aircraft Control and Warning squadron, said yesterday the unit in all probability would not be federalized before August.

Haller made this statement after the government's announcement that all National Guard units would be federalized.

Haller, dean of the School of Chemistry and Physics, said the 112th would be activated into federal service before the end of the year, but not before August. Plans are still being formulated for the unit's two weeks summer camp starting Aug. 4, which would indicate that the group will not be activated before then, Haller explained. He said students at the College who are members of the unit should not become alarmed since they should be able to finish this school year.

The 112th is part of the 153rd Aircraft Control and Warning group. About 30 per cent of the personnel of the squadron are students, faculty, or staff members of the College. Included among the faculty and staff members are: D. A. DeMarino, assistant dean of men; John E. McHugh Jr., instructor in physical education; R. M. Eastman, instructor in industrial engineering; and C. H. Ridenour, instructor in physical education and freshman wrestling coach.



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Role Of Art To Be Shown In Festival

The Combined Arts festival, sponsored by the major art departments, will be held April 25 to May 20, P. B. Flick, publicity chairman and instructor in home art, said yesterday.

The festival is held to show students, faculty, and general public the role of art in college education. Representatives from home arts,

architecture, speech, drama, horticulture, modern dance, fine arts, music, art education, and motion pictures work on the festival programs.

Ben Shahn, an American painter, is one of two speakers scheduled for the festival. Shahn is noted for his paintings of emotional appeal and social implications. His canvases depict the suffering of poverty-stricken people.

Play Directing

David Itkin, of De Pauw university and the Goodman Memorial theater, will speak on play directing.

R. D. Reifsnider, assistant professor of drama, will direct "Lady in the Dark" at Schwab auditorium. Another phase of the Dramatic Department in the festival will be the production of "John Bole's Other Island" by George Bernard Shaw at Center stage.

From May 12 to 20, arts and crafts of the departments will be exhibited in the TUB. Oil and watercolor paintings, furniture, architectural city plans, demonstrations in pottery making, and weaving will be included in the program.

Reading Festival

The Pennsylvania intercollegiate reading festival, sponsored by the Speech Department, is scheduled for May 3 and 4.

The festival will also include a program by the College symphony orchestra, a modern dance recital, and the chapel choir, singing Verdi's Requiem under the direction of Mrs. Willa Taylor.

Members of the planning committee are Paul Norton, acting chairman and assistant professor of fine arts; P. B. Flick, instructor in home art; Sybil Emerson, associate professor of art education; Ronald Whitley, assistant of architecture; R. D. Reifsnider, assistant professor of drama; and Y. G. Chomicky, instructor in art education.

Bergstein Promoted In U.S. Marine Reserves

Milton Bergstein, assistant professor of speech at the College and program director of radio station WMAJ, has been promoted to the rank of captain in the U.S. Marine reserves, Lt. J. F. McGoldrick, public information officer, announced recently.

Bergstein was graduated from the College in 1943 and served in the Fifth Marine division during World War II.

Fall Counselors May Apply Now

Applications for fall counselor positions will be accepted throughout this week at the dean of men's office, David Ludwig, chairman of the fall Orientation week committee, announced yesterday.

The counselors will work during Orientation week next fall guiding the new students in their first few days on campus.

The men selected will be charged with seeing that the new students know how to register, join the ROTC, or see any other officials needed to handle their problems.

The counselors will be reimbursed for any expenses incurred during the period whether they live in the dormitories or in town.

Draft status will be considered in the selection of men for the positions, Ludwig said.

There will be two training sessions for the counselors this spring.

Deadline Set For Advanced ROTC Course

Students at the College who desire to enroll in the advanced course in Army ROTC next September must apply for the program before next Tuesday, Col. Lucien E. Bolduc, professor of military science and tactics, said yesterday.

To qualify for the program, students must be of junior standing in September and must be eligible for graduation in four semesters. They must also have completed basic ROTC or have a year of active service in the Armed Forces.

The Department of the Army also requires that enrolling students must be American citizens and must be under 25 except for veterans who must be under 27. In addition, they must meet physical requirements and must sign a written agreement to complete two years of advanced ROTC, one semester of summer camp and accept a commission if offered.

Students enrolling in the program will receive pay of 90 cents a day, and will be deferred from the draft. Depending upon the course in which they are enrolled, they may apply for either the Infantry, Engineers, or the Signal Corps.

Students interested in enrolling in the course, which covers five hours of instruction per week, should see Warrant Officer Chester Hanover in 101 Carnegie hall.

Judging Team Places Fifth

The College's flower judging team placed fifth among 11 teams in the annual intercollegiate competition featuring the National Flower Show in Baltimore last week.

Ohio State university won the national trophy which Penn State won two years ago. Michigan State, University of Missouri, Purdue and Oklahoma A.&M. placed ahead of the College.

Each member of the team had to judge 16 classes of cut flowers and potted plants. Members of the team were Don Ego Jr., Paul Waitkus, and Richard Wieland. Charles Green was alternate. Coach Peter Pfahl accompanied the team.

The team visited the floriculture units of the United States Department of Agriculture's research center at Beltsville, Md. and numerous commercial greenhouses in southeastern Pennsylvania.

Church Group To Meet

There will be a community mass practice at Our Lady of Victory Catholic church tonight at 7:30.

Prof. A. W. Case will again be in charge of the Defense of the Faith lecture-discussion which will meet in the church's rectory basement at 7:30 p.m.

163 In LA School Make Dean's List

One hundred sixty-three students in the School of Liberal Arts were placed on the dean's list, released yesterday.

Seniors attaining an average of 3.0 were Oleta Amsler, Richard Barker, Patricia Bender, John Dalbor, Dean Gladfelter, Andrew Houston, James Johnson, Donald Kuhre, Calvin Lachat, Anthony Lombardo,

Patsy Roseberry, Betty Sellers, and Solomon Yoder.

Joanne Ashman, John Boddington, and Mary McAllister earned a 2.9 average. Two-point-eight students were Ruth Aaron, Howard Ayers, John Bloom, Elouise Connors, Kenneth Conrad, William Forest, Marvin Goldenberg, Ronald Groff, Richard Heisler, Nancy Hentz, Ruth Johnson, Robert Klein, Julie Krell, Clarice Linnch, James McMahon, Frances Markowitz, Laura Mermelstein, and Anna Wiggins.

Seniors with 2.7 averages were Joseph Adams, Jerry Barro, Jack Jacob, Sheldon Jahss, Margaret Lazor, Mary Rowland, Elizabeth Slotta, Loretta Stempinski, Elillia Thomas, and Andrew Welkie.

Two-point-six seniors were Marlin Brenner, Bettina dePalma, Werner Goldschmidt, John Jones, Harry Kondourajian, Helene Krebs, Merle Long, Marguerite Maitland, David Schmuckler, Sonya Tilles, William Welsh, and Joan Wilgarde.

Averages of 2.5 were earned by Joseph Bentivegnia, Joe Breu, Walter Cekliniak, Thomas Davis, Harold Fogel, Abbie Gevanthor, Helen Jones, Joseph Mahla, Richard Peyton, LeRoy Sattler, and John Sloane.

Juniors with 3.0 averages were Malvin Bank, Jean Black, Mary Malicki, and Dori Spielberg. Two-point-eight averages were earned by Margaret Feather, Murray Goldman, Norman Kaplan, Walter Lewis, Jane Musgrave, Paul Neuman, James Prete, and Joanne Snavey.

Juniors with 2.7 averages were Mary Allan, John Campbell, George Duff, James Eckman, Margery Gordon, Sanford Hertz, William Klaban, Edwin Lefkowitz, Lois Pulver, Marlin Remick, Frank Shaheen, Eva Stein, Carol Thompson, Walter Weaver, and Phebe Wetherstine.

Two-point-six juniors were Robert Alderdice, Ronald Bonn, Jane Cowen, Marion Gray, Gordon Greer, Dorothy Grosky, Melvin Kates, Marjorie Lohse, Alice Rosenberg, Charles Schulte, Maryann Stewart, Gerald Walmer, and Robert Withers.

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Sears-Roebuck Gives Ag Aids

One sophomore and 15 freshmen in the School of Agriculture received \$100 scholarships from the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural foundation at the College.

Dr. Russel Dickerson, vice-dean, pointed out that the awards were only for those living on farms who need financial aid to attend college.

Lowell Lewis, a horticulture student, is the sophomore winner.

Freshman winners are Edward Adkins, James Allison, James Cox, Willis Clayton, Harold Dubois, James Hudson, Adam Kois, Victor Plastow.

Floyd Rough, Conrad Shuman, William Sipple, Paul Stone, Roger Strait, Joseph Stanek, and Donald Taylor.

All but two of the winners had received \$100 Sears-Roebuck scholarships last semester.

Barons Open Drive For New Members

The Barons, a social organization for men in the Nittany and Pollock dorm areas has opened a drive for new members. William Cole said that membership is open to all residents of the Nittany-Pollock area.

Students interested in joining should get in touch with one of the members of the organization, or attend the Barons' meeting tonight in the council room of Dorm 20 at 6:30, he said.

The chief function of the Barons is to direct social activities for men in the area.

Dorm Candy Machines Discussed

Candy machines in the Nittany dorm area will be reconditioned and in the future kept filled, according to a report presented at a short meeting of Nittany dorm council Monday night.

Area directories, approved at last week's meeting, were distributed to dorm presidents at the meeting. The directories, containing the names of all men in the Nittany area, along with the names of advisors in both Nittany and Pollock areas, will be placed in all phone booths in the Nittany area. Each advisor and dorm president will also have a copy.

PUB Inspection

Michael Hanek reported that he had talked with Samuel K. Hostetter, comptroller of the College, about obtaining washing machines for the area. He said that he plans to make an inspection of the PUB with Russell E. Clark, director of housing, to determine if they could be installed there. There has been no definite action from the College as yet, regarding whether or not washing machines will be made available for men of the area.

The council received a recommendation that parking stalls be lengthened in order to decrease the spaces restricted as walks between buildings. Several members complained that at present the walks are wide enough to permit a car to squeeze into the restricted area thus blocking it from use by the students. Charles Wolf was appointed a committee of one to bring the item to the attention of College officials.

Passes Recommendation

The council also passed a recommendation closing Dorm 20 at 12 midnight on week nights and 1:15 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday. The recommendation will become effective at the discretion of Council President John Laubach. The council took action after hearing a report that a cigarette machine placed in the dorm had been broken into.

A committee was appointed by Vice-President Robert Faust, who presided in the absence of Laubach, to investigate the possibility of filling area dorms in order next fall, thus eliminating the necessity of having residents move after the semester has begun. Committee members are David Hollenback, Daniel Fagan, and George Rubin.

Oliver Vs. Critic In Literary Bout

Dr. Robert T. Oliver, author of "Why War Came in Korea" and head of the Speech department, opened round two of his literary bout with Arthur L. Grey, who reviewed the book.

In a second letter to the Saturday Review of Literature, Oliver informed the reviewer of specific pages on which adverse criticisms of Korea by Dean Acheson and others are introduced. Grey in a letter to the same magazine a week ago maintained Oliver was biased in his treatment of the Korean problem.

At that time, Grey said Oliver failed to report the reactions of the people to Syngman Rhee, president of Korea. He further said that the government did not establish land reforms.

Oliver, in his recent letter, said since May 1950, 1,200,000 South Korean farm families have purchased the land they operated as tenants. This news, Oliver said, was released in a United Press dispatch in the March 6 issue of the New York Times.