

New Draft Regulation Bill Signed by Truman

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26—(AP)—President Truman today signed new draft regulations making half a million childless married men eligible for military service.

The new regulations are designed to put into effect the draft law enacted by Congress last June.

It narrows military exemptions by making eligible for service married men with only a wife as a dependent, except in cases of extreme hardship.

Navy to Give 1800 NROTC Scholarships

The Navy has announced that it expects to award 1800 scholarships this year in its annual competition for Naval Reserve Officer's Training Corps.

All male high school seniors and graduates between the ages of 17 and 21 are eligible to apply for the program, which offers a full four-year, government-sponsored, college education at one of the 52 colleges and universities throughout the nation on which there are NROTC units.

Applicants must meet physical and mental standards and successfully pass an aptitude test. Those receiving satisfactory marks on the aptitude test will be interviewed and given physicals at a later date. State selection committees will then select the most outstanding candidates.

Students from each state and territory compete among themselves to fill the individual quota from their section.

Application blanks, available at NROTC office on the second floor of Engineering E, must be filed before Nov. 17 to be considered in the program.

Students enrolled in the program will be deferred from induction under the Selective Service Act, pending completion of their courses. They must agree to serve on active duty for two years upon graduation and commission.

New Regulations

The new regulations for the first time also:

1. Make aliens with permanent residence in the United States liable for the draft. They are exempt only if diplomatic personnel, or if they are citizens of one of 20 countries with which the U. S. has signed military exemption treaties.
2. Allow 17-year-olds to volunteer for induction with the written consent of a parent or guardian.
3. Require conscientious objectors to perform some work of national importance for two years.
4. Provide for selection of men by age groups to prevent exclusive call-up of young men.

The new universal military training and service law provides six months of military training for all men between the ages of 18 and 19. A five-man commission has been appointed to draft details of this program, and has until Oct. 29 to report to Congress.

Philosophy Club to Hold First Social Meeting

The Philosophy Club will hold its first social meeting of the semester at 8 tonight in 203 Willard Hall.

Kelly Yeaton, assistant professor of Drama, will be the guest speaker. His topic will be "Action as Language" or "All the World's a Stage—So What?"

Prof. John O'Connor, adviser, emphasized that it is a social meeting to which everyone is invited.

Reds Throw Newer Jet Into Battle

U.N. COMMAND HEADQUARTERS, Korea, Thursday, Sept. 27—(AP)—Communists Wednesday threw a new high-wing super MIG into the greatest jet battle in history in a day that saw 256 jets in action.

American fighter pilots returned with the news that the Reds had introduced the swift new fighter in a bristling challenge of Allied air supremacy.

The Communists lost possibly two jets and suffered damage to 12 others, the U.S. Fifth Air Force said. It did not report any Allied losses.

Two major battles were fought Wednesday. One, the largest single jet engagement, involved 197 planes.

Reports in Tokyo indicated the Reds were using the Russian-made MIG-19. American pilots also said the Communist planes were better.

"Toughest fighting on the ground still centered on 'heart-break ridge,' north of Yanggu on the east-central front.

Troops of the U.S. 23rd Infantry Regiment clung stubbornly to positions just below the crest of the ridge as the Reds fought to hold the bloodstained heights.

French troops were below the crest at nightfall Wednesday, and digging in under a rain of Red mortar fire.

Another element of the 23rd Regiment fighting up the crest from the south was almost atop the main peak at nightfall, but intense Communist mortar fire stopped the advance.

Attlee Calls for U.S. Aid in Iran Dispute

LONDON, Sept. 26—(AP)—Prime Minister Attlee is calling on President Truman to do all he can to help Britain keep her oil men in Iran, informed sources said today.

The British government protested to Iran against Premier Mohammed Mossadegh's order for the expulsion by next Thursday of the 300-odd British technicians who have remained at the shutdown refinery center of Abadan on a caretaker basis.

Further Action Possible

Secretary of State Acheson announced in Washington that the United States and Britain are giving urgent consideration to possible further action in the crisis which has been building up since Iran nationalized Iranian properties of the British-owned Anglo-Iranian Oil Co. last spring.

Attlee's cabinet is expected to decide finally tomorrow whether Britain will use force if necessary to retain a foothold in the rich Iranian industry. Her oil men developed the works over a 50-year period to a production of more than 30,000,000 tons annually. Word from President Truman may influence the session.

U.S. Ambassador Confers

The new U.S. ambassador to Iran, Loy Henderson, also was involved in the oil problem. Premier Mossadegh called him into conference in Tehran last night. Their talk was declared as an informal general discussion of the situation. No details were given.

Senate Committee Approves \$75,000 Research Building

A state Senate committee yesterday approved an establishment of a new research laboratory at the College for study of animal and poultry disease, the Associated Press reported.

The measure will be before the Senate today for a final vote. Building, equipping, and staffing the laboratory will cost \$75,000 under the bill.

Control of any epidemics among animals and poultry in the state will be conducted in the laboratory in addition to its research.

It would also assist in the development of an educational program to help livestock and poultry raisers around the state.

Coffee Hours Set For Wednesdays

The Dean of Men's coffee hours will continue this year, but they will be held on Wednesday afternoons instead of Thursdays as they were last year, David Olmsted, committee head, announced yesterday.

The first coffee hour of this semester will be held Wednesday, Oct. 3 from 4 to 5:30 p.m. in Dean Wilson's office. All-College Cabinet has been invited to the informal meeting.

David Olmsted, Marian Whiteley, Richard Mills, and All-College Cabinet members are working in cooperation with the dean's office by sending invitations and making the necessary preparations for the coffee hours.

The purpose of the coffee hours is to promote better relations between students and the Dean of Men's office.

Accounting Club Elects Officers

Melvin Kates was elected president of the Accounting Club Tuesday night when the organization met for the first time this year. Donald Beal was elected vice president and Joan Puchalski secretary-treasurer.

Kenneth Frey, Donald Pollack, and Jerome Rosenberg briefly related their experiences during the summer as accountant interns for the state government at Harrisburg.

Nicholas Komlyn, Certified Public Accountant from Pittsburgh, will address the group at the next meeting, October 18. Komlyn's talk will concern opportunities for accountants in small public accounting firms. The meeting is open to all those persons who are interested in accounting.

Former ROTC Prof Receives Award

Col. George M. MacMullin, former professor of military science and tactics at the College, received the Third Army certificate of achievement at recent ceremonies at Fort McPherson, Ga.

Col. MacMullin, of Atlanta, has retired from the army after 34 years of service. He served here from 1933 to 1938.

Riding Club Party

The Penn State Riding club will hold a cabin party in Watts Lodge, the PSCA cabin on Mt. Tussey, tomorrow night.

The group will meet at 6:30 p.m. in McElwain Hall lobby. Square dancing is planned for the evening's entertainment. Refreshments will be served.

Italian Peace Treaty

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26—(AP)—The Big Three countries, the U.S., Britain, and France, today declared their willingness to wipe out peace treaty restrictions on rearming of Italy.

Senate Evades Income Tax Vote

HARRISBURG, Sept. 26—(AP)—The Republican-controlled Senate dodged a vote today on the controversial income tax.

But the House rejected Senate plans to declare a recess of the General Assembly until Dec. 10. The lower branch insisted the Senate keep at the tax job until it is completed.

The GOP Senate majority, after building up all week for a final vote on the income tax, put off a decision when a count of noses showed insufficient strength to pass it.

GOP Blasted

The 20-member Democratic minority renewed their opposition to the levy, leaving the decision to the Republican majority, split 19-11 on the issue. Twenty-six votes are needed to pass a bill.

A series of blasts by Democratic Senators were aimed at the income tax after the decisions were voted.

Sen. John F. Byrne (D-Phila.), leading off called the income tax the most "burdensome, vicious, and most unnecessary tax legislation the General Assembly ever has had before it."

Replying, Sen. John M. Walker, Republican floor leader, told the Senate:

"The Republican party accepts the responsibility for passage of any tax legislation."

Radio Guild Meets For First Time

The Penn State Radio Guild will hold its first meeting of the semester at 7:30 tonight in 304 Sparks.

The meeting is open to anyone interested in the management, performance, or non-performance aspect of radio. Information will be supplied concerning the organization and functions of the Guild.

The Guild was organized last year under the direction of Professors D. R. Mackey and H. E. Nelson of the Speech department and received its charter last semester. According to Ronald Wahl, president of the Guild, there are 50 people working in all fields of radio in the Guild.

Anyone interested in script, production, announcing, public relations, engineering, acting, and business is urged to attend. All charter members from last semester are asked to be present.

El Circulo Espanol To Meet Tonight

El Circulo Espanol, student Spanish club, will hold its first meeting of the year at 7 tonight in the lounge of McElwain Hall.

Kay Liner, president of the club, will introduce this year's officers. A program of Spanish conversation, songs and Latin-American dances will follow. Refreshments will be served.

The meeting is open to anyone interested in speaking Spanish or learning more about Spanish culture.

Election Returns Not Yet Reported

Although elections of Nittany and Pollock Council officers were held Monday and Tuesday nights, returns were still not available as of yesterday afternoon.

The Nittany and Pollock Councils will start a new year next week as election returns are completed, John Laubach, president of AIM, announced yesterday.

Laubach also said when the returns come in, there will be a total of 23 presidents from the Nittany section and 13 presidents from the Pollock section. In addition there will be one counselor for every two dormitories.

Nittany Council will have its first meeting next Monday at 6:30 p.m. in Nittany dorm 20 while Pollock will have its initial meeting Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in the same room.

FTA Meets Tonight

The Future Teachers of America will meet at 7 tonight in 2 Carnegie Hall.

The meeting is open to all students and faculty and membership includes students preparing to teach from all schools on campus.

Refreshments will be served.

ASCE Meets Monday

The American Society of Chemical Engineers will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday night in 110 Electrical Engineering.

Lauren W. Guth of the General Corp. will be the guest speaker. Refreshments will be served.

Trailers for Rent

Trailers are now available in Windcrest for married veterans without children.

Formerly only veterans with children could rent them. Further information may be received from Mrs. Sara Case in the Dean of Men's office.

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Musicale Tonight
The first Simmons Musicale of the fall semester will be held at 7:30 tonight in Simmons Hall lounge.
An all Beethoven program will be presented on long playing records. Selections to be played are Symphony No. 4 in B-flat, Sonata No. 9 Kreutzer, and Piano Concerto No. 4 in G-major.
The concert is open to all.