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## 9021 Registered for Classes

### Book Business Booming at BX



SOPHOMORE BERNARD AMBROSE sells a book to Leonard Fine, junior, at the Book Exchange at the TUB. The BX is a student run, non-profit, used book agency.

### College Employees Get 2d Pay Boost

The second pay boost within a month, effective last Friday, was awarded on a merit basis to faculty and non-faculty personnel, President Milton S. Eisenhower has announced.

Estimated at ten per cent of the College's total payroll, the earlier raise was dated from July 1, 1951, and the six-month increment was paid in a lump sum Jan. 25.

The adjustment, described by the President as about half the amount of the earlier raise, will go into effect with this month's pay checks.

#### Prexy Tells Financial Status

Both raises went only to those persons for whom increases had been authorized on a merit basis, and are part of a series which the President hopes eventually will bring Penn State salaries up to "the average of the best land grant institutions" in the country.

President Eisenhower explained the fiscal situation to faculty and non-faculty in separate sessions Jan. 21 giving assurance that all of the \$3,700,000 appropriated to the College for salary adjustments during the two years ending June 30, 1953, will be used for that purpose alone.

The President explained the \$800,000 earmarked for new projects in teaching and research was eliminated by the legislature from the requested \$18,300,000. This will cancel any hope for initiating new work including new research during the current biennium, he added.

#### Budget Allocates Entire Fund

Withal, he expressed satisfaction with the \$17,500,000 appropriation, reiterating his earlier statement that by providing this amount, the governor, legislature and state administration has demonstrated anew their confidence in Pennsylvania's land grant college. Moreover, he told his two audiences, he had never in 25 years of experience with legislative bodies received a more friendly reception than that accorded him at Harrisburg.

Also, in explaining that every penny appropriated to the College by either the state or the federal government was earmarked for a specific purpose, and therefore not useable for other purposes, the President said the budget submitted to the State allocates the \$6,500,000 increase as follows: (Continued on page fourteen)

### Salary-Wage Adjustments Reviewed

President Milton S. Eisenhower yesterday issued a lengthy statement summarizing remarks he made in a meeting with a committee of College employees Saturday morning.

The committee, which represented other college employees, asked to meet with Dr. Eisenhower to seek further explanation of remarks the President made January 21 in Schwab Auditorium.

At the auditorium session, Dr. Eisenhower met at separate times with the faculty and with the rest of the College staff to explain what salary and wage adjustments would be made.

"Surely it must be abundantly clear from all I have said during the past year and a half," the President's statement read, "that we recognize that salaries and wages in most classifications at the Pennsylvania State College (Continued on page fourteen)

### 2000-3000 Books Needed by BX

The Book Exchange will need 2000 to 3000 books by Thursday at the latest, according to Milton Bernstein, chairman of the BX board of control.

Bernstein stressed the need for books for junior, senior, and advanced courses as well as for lower division courses. He said the BX will accept some language books, especially for Spanish 4.

The BX has a twenty-cent handling charge and is open daily from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1:30 to 4:45 p.m.

### Enrollment Drops, But Is Higher Than '51 2nd Semester Total

An upward swing in spring semester enrollment over that of last year was indicated yesterday as the Office of the Registrar reported 9021 students had registered by noon Saturday.

The figure represents an increase of 283 over registration during the three day period last spring, but falls short of the 10,180 enrolled for the fall semester.

Included in the registration figures are 140 new freshmen, 91 men and 49 women.

#### Ratio 3 to 1

The figures, however, are not complete, since late registration for undergraduates and regular registration for graduate and special students will continue until Saturday. A fine of \$10 is assessed on undergraduate students registering late.

Of the 9021 enrolled during the regular registration period, 6719 are men and 2302 are women, a ratio of about three to one.

Final registration figures are expected to show more than 300 new students on campus. About 80 former students who had been forced to interrupt their work at the College were expected to return to the College for the spring semester. Some of them are men recalled for military service and now released from active duty.

#### Orientation Program

On a whole, the registration system worked effectively, officials said. Some delays of up to 30 minutes were reported from individual boards of control, however.

The new students, who arrived on campus Wednesday, attended a comprehensive orientation program. President Milton S. Eisenhower, Dean of Men H. K. Wilson and Dean of Women Pearl O. Weston, spoke to the new students Wednesday night.

### Candidates to Meet

A meeting of candidates for editorial and photographic positions on the Daily Collegian will be held at 7 tonight in 9 Carnegie Hall.

### Customs for Men Begin Tomorrow

Customs for approximately 91 freshman men will begin at 8 a.m. tomorrow, while about 49 freshman women started customs yesterday.

All customs will go on sale at the Book Exchange at 8 a.m. today. Frosh are required to buy their customs at the BX where their names will be checked off a master list.

Copies of the Student Handbook, "freshman bible," which frosh are required to carry at all times, are available at the Penn State Christian Association office in 304 Old Main.

David Mutchler, Tribunal chairman, said yesterday that Tribunal will hold a special meeting at 7 tonight in 201 Old Main to hear frosh requests for immunity from customs. He said that a freshman may request release from customs if he is a veteran, over 21 years old, or has undergone similar customs elsewhere.

Mutchler said that no date has been set for the end of men's customs. Women's customs will end in three weeks. Joan Yerger, chairman of the Freshman Customs and Regulations Board, said yesterday.

Freshmen will be expected to know all the College cheers and yells by tomorrow, Mutchler said. He also reminded the frosh that namecards are to be worn in the front, not in the back as many frosh did last semester.

Both Mutchler and Miss Yerger urged upperclassmen to cooperate in enforcing customs since there are so few frosh on the campus this semester.

### KA Psi Group Gets House

As a result of recent developments in the problems of area rent control, permission has been granted to the Kappa Alpha Psi fraternal society to occupy a house on west College avenue.

In January it had been denied permission by the owner because of office of price stabilization rent price limitations.

The fraternal society was granted its local charter by the Senate committee on student welfare in May, 1951 and was accepted into the Interfraternity Council in November. The group will seek recognition from the national organization in May.

The local fraternity has nine members, with Barton Fields, junior in science, as president.

### New No Parking Rule To Continue on Pollock

The no parking ruling on the north side of Pollock road has been working satisfactorily and will probably be continued indefinitely, according to Capt. Philip Mark of the campus patrol.

The new parking rule became effective Jan. 19 as an attempt to reduce traffic hazards in the area. Mark said that campus patrolmen have been policing the road since that time to remind drivers of the new rule.

### Physical Education Dean To Leave Post in June

Dr. Carl P. Schott will retire from his post as dean of the School of Physical Education and Athletics June 30.

Schott, who will be 66 in November, took his post July 1, 1937. Previously he had served as director of the division of physical education at West Virginia University.

The college requires faculty members to retire and accept their pensions at the age of 65.

Schott's retirement was made official at the recent meeting of the board of trustees. According to reports, the board discussed possible successors to the post, but may not make a selection until spring or summer.

#### Fought Platoon System

There is a possibility that the new dean may only have charge of the physical education activities and intramural sports. It was believed that action of this kind might result in the promotion of Harold R. (Ike) Gilbert, now graduate manager of athletics, to a new post as director of athletics.

Schott has served as vice-president of District II and as a member of the council of the National Athletic Association, in which he fought for abolition of the two-platoon system and spring practice in football. Although the movement against the platoon system did not succeed, the NCAA did curtail spring practice.

Schott has been a member of the NCAA boxing rules committee since 1937, editor of the Official Guide, president of the Eastern Intercollegiate Gymnastics

#### Dean to Retire



Carl P. Schott

League, twice president of the United States Intercollegiate Lacrosse Association, and a member of the 1948 Olympic boxing committee.

#### Studied Navy Training

Recently Schott was named to the executive committee of the USILA and to the finance committee of the Eastern College Athletic Conference, an organization in which he has served in many capacities, including a three-year term on the executive council.

During World War II, he con- (Continued on page sixteen)

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