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FIVE CENTS

5000 See Military Parade

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A crowd of 5000 lined the streets of State College Saturday amid intermittent showers to view a 40-minute parade marking the observance of Armed Forces Day.

The five-division parade, in the charge of Capt. John Woodbury, professor of naval science, was led by President Milton S. Eisenhower as far as the reviewing stand at the junction of the Mall and College avenue. There he reviewed the marchers with Col. Lucien E. Bolduc, professor of military science and tactics; Lt. Col. Jack W. Deiterle, professor of air science and tactics; Captain Woodbury; E. K. Hibshman, Burgess of State College; and Jo Hays, supervising principal of the College area joint schools.

Included in the line of march were the Army, Naval, and Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps and their bands, the State College and Bellefonte Veterans of Foreign Wars, the State College High School and Ferguson Township bands, the Alpha Fire Company, civilian defense equipment, and a Mark XVIII torpedo entered by the Ordnance Research laboratory at the College.

Over 1000 visited the exhibition of Army, Navy, and Air Force equipment that was displayed from 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday in the Armory. On display were Army infantry, engineering, and signal gear; Navy guns, torpedos, mines, and loading machines; and Air Force engine, brake and propeller systems.

Also included in the display was the Naval Ordnance Laboratory's Mark XVIII torpedo. Officials explained that the missile, which was developed during World War II, not only resulted in more efficient operation, but enabled many submarines to escape detection. The Mark XVIII is propelled by an electric motor which leaves no wake visible on the surface.

Prexy to Speak At AIM Dinner

President Milton S. Eisenhower will speak at the annual banquet of the Association of Independent Men at 6:30 tonight at the Villa in Tyrone.

Newly-elected officers will be installed, and AIM awards for athletics, activities, and scholarship will be presented at the banquet.

Richard Mills, West Dorm Council president, will be toastmaster, and the Rev. Luther H. Harshbarger, College chaplain, will give the invocation.

AIM awards will be presented by Payson Clyde, chairman of the awards committee, to Jesse Arnette, athletics; David Olmsted, activities; and James Prete, scholarship.

Persons attending the banquet will leave for Tyrone at 5:30 p.m. from behind Old Main.

Film to Be Shown

The English version of the French film, "Les Miserables," based on the novel by Victor Hugo, will be shown at 7 tonight in 20 Sparks. The film is being shown by the French 471 class and is open to the public.

TODAY'S
WEATHER:

COOL WITH
OCCASIONAL
RAIN



Shifflett Elected President In Stormy AIM Session

In a tense hour-and-a-half meeting William Shifflett was elected president of the Association of Independent Men Saturday afternoon.

The meeting was called by John Laubach, retiring AIM president, when he was informed that Franklin Reese, who had been elected to succeed Laubach last Wednesday, did not meet scholastic requirements for the position. An All-College average of 1.0 is required of officers by the AIM constitution.

New AIM President



William Shifflett

Shifflett, who had been elected secretary of AIM Wednesday, resigned that job in order to run for the presidency. Melvin Rubin was elected secretary to replace him.

During the course of the meeting Reese said that he had been approached by members of a "secret" campus organization which promised him an appointment to Tribunal, membership in Blue Key, and the AIM presidency in 1953-54 if he would run for the vice presidency rather than the presidency this year.

Sachs' Statement

Reese made his statements following a vote of confidence from the AIM Board of Governors.

Reese said that these promises had been made by Walter Sachs whom, he said, he had "reason to believe" has been tapped by the organization.

In answering Reese's charges, Sachs last night gave the Daily Collegian a written statement. He said:

"The accusations that Frank Reese has hurled at me are both false and malicious. They are not only designed to involve and discredit me in an affair that obviously as a fraternity man I have no part whatever in, but they are bringing politics into a purely personal matter.

Can't 'Give' Positions

"I considered Frank Reese to be a friend of mine and as such I told him it was my personal opinion that it would be best for him not to run for the AIM presidency because I felt that an older and more experienced person would be needed to keep AIM's head above water during the coming year. I suppose this was taken as a personal insult though it was not meant as such.

"It is not within my power nor anyone else's power to 'give' positions in Blue Key or any other organization on this campus. Penn State is not a college of political graft, but a college where level-headed young men discuss their personal opinions and act in the way they see fit; and in a way that will not build their ego but their character; in a way that will serve the best interests of Penn State. I have acted in this manner. Evidently Mr. Reese has not seen fit to do so."

Lion's Paw Mentioned

After hearing Reese's charges, John Stoult, vice president of AIM and chairman of the nominating committee which nominated Joseph Haines and Reese for the presidency, said: "I believe I am a member of the organization you are talking about."

Later, Stoult said: "It is the honor organization Lion's Paw everyone's been talking about." His remarks were cut off by the limitations on discussion.

Stoult, who resigned as AIM vice president, said that had he or Lion's Paw really attempted to keep Reese from getting the presidency, they would have discovered his scholastic deficiency.

Previously, Reese had declined to name the group against whom he made the charges because he said he had "no proof" of his accusations. He was asked to name other members of the organization, but did not do so, he said, because he did not know their names. He said that the organization was a secret one.

Lion's Paw is the highest honor society attainable by any male (Continued on page three)

Substitute Set For Student Snack Agency

A plan permitting the sale of non-perishable food items in the Nittany-Pollock area has been initiated as a substitute for a proposed Student Snack Service agency.

The new plan, now in operation, permits the sale of food items in the dormitories. Students sell candy and similar food articles from their rooms. Each salesman serves two dorms, is responsible for maintaining his stock and ordering more, and operates according to scheduled hours.

Salesmen were selected by the supervisor of student employment with the cooperation of the resident counselors and the Nittany and Pollock councils. They were selected on the basis of financial need and their ability to render satisfactory services. According to the present plan, salesmen will retain their entire profits.

The plan for a Student Snack Service agency was rejected by the Student Employment Service after investigation showed that the amount of profit would not justify the hiring of a manager, advertising, bookkeeping, and allotment of office space.

The new plan was organized through the joint cooperation of the Nittany and Pollock councils and the Student Employment Agency, which assisted in screening applicants.

If the new plan is successful, according to Wes Tomlinson, president of the Nittany Council, additional items will be sold next semester.

Book Exchange To Give Refunds

The Book Exchange will make 20 percent refunds today, tomorrow, and Thursday on all receipts for articles purchased through that agency after Feb. 4, Milton Bernstein, chairman of the BX board of control, announced yesterday.

Persons seeking refunds must take their receipts to the BX in the Temporary Union Building. The BX will be open from 8:30 a.m. to noon and 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. daily.

Lewis Wins Frizzell Competition

David Lewis, eighth semester history major and member of the men's debate team, took first place honors in the finals of the John Henry Frizzell Extempore Speaking Contest, last night.

Lewis received the Pennsylvania State College prize of \$50 and the John Henry Frizzell award of merit in extempore speaking. His topic was "The Terrible Burden of Destiny."

Second prize in the contest went to Eugene Kolber, eighth semester senior in arts and letters and member of the men's debate team, who spoke on the topic "A Living Lie." He was awarded the Forensic Council prize of \$25 and the John Henry Frizzell award of merit.

John Henry Frizzell, retired first head of the Department of Speech, in whose honor the contest was held, made the awards.

Other finalists in the contest were Sally Lowry, who spoke on "The Army Life of an Army Wife"; Shirley Gallagher, "Are You a Dependent?"; Mary Yandow, "The Importance of the Insignificant"; and Susan Holtzinger, "David or Goliath?"

Lewis relied upon history for much of the background information in his speech. He pointed out that this country is carrying its burden of destiny by giving the other peoples of the world technological and cultural aid through Point Four and the Marshall Plan. He emphasized that it was up to the individual not to be held back by security but to shoulder the burdens of life.

His topic was chosen to express the thoughts of a graduating senior as to what is important in the life ahead.

Robert T. Oliver, professor of speech, presided over the contest. Members of the Speech department, which sponsored the contest, acted as judges.

Clayton H. Schug, associate professor of public speaking, was chairman of the contest committee.

Ed Council to Meet

The Education Student Council will meet at 8:30 tonight in 215 Willard to elect the outstanding senior in the School of Education. A report will be given on the faculty-council meeting which took place last week, and the budget will be discussed.

Concert Artists To Aid Choir

Two concert artists, Barbara Troxell, soprano, and Chester Watson, bass-baritone, will assist the Chapel Choir in the annual spring concerts at 8 p.m. tomorrow and Thursday in Schwab Auditorium.

Miss Troxell, a graduate of the College and the Curtis Institute of Music, where she was a student of the late Madame Elizabeth Schumann, has participated in all five of the spring concerts presented by the choir. Her recording of "Exultate Jubilate" has been listed among the 11 best vocal recordings for the year of 1951.

Watson was a soloist in the choir's presentation of Mendelssohn's "Elijah" in 1948 and 1950 and Verdi's "Requiem" last year. He has appeared in the Broadway production of "The Consul" and in Kurt Weill's "Down in the Valley" at the Chattanooga Festival. He has also appeared as soloist

with the Handel and Haydn Society of Boston, the Robert Shaw Chorale, the Norfolk Symphony Orchestra, and the Oratorio Society of New York.

Both Watson and Miss Troxell will accompany the choir in singing "A German Requiem" by Johannes Brahms. More than 120 students will participate in the program.

The concerts are open to the public. Doors will open at 7:30 p.m.

KA Psi Installs New Officers, Gets Charter

Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity received its charter Saturday, affiliating it with the Kappa Alpha Psi national organization.

The presentation ceremonies climaxed a weekend of activities, including open house at the chapter house at 513 W. College avenue, an installation banquet for new officers, and an open house party.

The organization was founded over a year and a half ago, and recently had its application to the national organization approved by the Senate committee on student affairs. It has taken an active part on the Interfraternity Council, and according to the new president, Barton Fields, will continue to do so.

Newly installed officers of the organization are Fields, president; William Sneed, vice president; Walter Hutchins Jr., secretary; and Allen Haile, treasurer.

Speakers at the presentation ceremonies included H. W. Perkins, assistant dean of men; Arthur Rosfeld, president of the Interfraternity Council; Fields; and the regional director of the Kappa Alpha Psi national organization.

Blue Key to Hold Initiation, Party

Blue Key, junior men's hat society, will hold its initiation at 10 p.m. tomorrow when the group will meet in front of Old Main, Arthur Rosfeld, president, announced.

Following the initiation the organization will hold an informal party. The object of the party, Rosfeld said, is for the new members to become acquainted with each other and with the old members.

Rosfeld also said that one tapper had been dropped because his average was not the required 1.0.

Richard Rostmeyer, president of Androcles, also a junior men's hot society, announced that initiation plans for his group would be available tomorrow.