

Religious Groups Open To All New Students

The various religious groups and denominations at State College are represented by a large number of student organizations on campus, all open to freshmen. The organizations participate in a field of activities ranging from social activities to publications and radio programs. The groups include

Wesley Foundation, which provides for the religious needs of Methodist students on campus, holds a weekly breakfast at 7 a.m. Thursday; an open house Friday night; and a fellowship meeting at 9:30 a.m. Sunday, with supper at 5 p.m. and a meeting at 6:30 p.m.

An annual banquet, picnics, and cabin parties at the Ralph Watts Lodge, the PSCA cabin, are included in the social events. The choir and drama groups are two important activities. Publications include the weekly Nittany Wesleyan and Wesleyan Way, the yearbook.

Kappa Phi, the Methodist women's organization, exists to train members for future leadership in the church. It meets at the Wesley Foundation at 7 p.m. alternate Thursdays. Candidates for membership are tapped as are candidates for sororities.

Activities, which include bazaars and programs for conference, are staged in cooperation with the local women's society of St. Paul's Methodist Church. Last spring Kappa Phi held a mother-daughter banquet and a senior recognition service.

Newman Club, named for the late English literary figure, Cardinal Newman, looks after the spiritual interests of Roman Catholic students. The organization holds monthly executive meetings, followed by the business meeting.

An informal mixer will be held Sept. 21 to introduce members of the board of governors, the chaplain, and new and old student members. The club plans a barn dance and several informal parties during the year. Two Tuesdays a month are planned for a

full-length movie and a special speaker. Arrangements have been made for A. W. Case, professor of fine arts, and John Hammes, graduate student in psychology, to address the group at 7:15 p.m. Wednesday and 7:15 p.m. Thursday respectively.

A communion breakfast will be held each semester. Activities include the Nittany Newmanite, monthly publication, and a radio broadcast at 7:45 p.m. Wednesday. An Orientation Week Newmanite issue will tell where the events will be held.

Westminster Foundation is a continuation of the Presbyterian Westminster Fellowship youth group on college level. The fellowship holds a morning worship service at 9:30 a.m. Sundays and a young people's meeting at 6:30 p.m. Sundays. Other planned weekly meetings, held in the Westminster Foundation, include a discussion meeting at 7 p.m. Monday, a meeting of the officers at 7 p.m. Tuesday, and a Friday night social event, possibly a party, square dance, or a fireside chat. Outside social activities include a Friday night skating party or a weekend cabin party at the PSCA cabin.

The fellowship's Christian Outreach commission sends deputations to address various student church groups and Westminster Fellowship groups of other colleges, and the County Home. A spring yearbook is mimeographed and published. A Christmas and Easter booklet is published, containing personal student writings of impressions derived from passages of Scripture.

Last March the Fellowship be-

gan a monthly collection of \$15 from the Sunday morning and evening meetings for a French orphan, Martin Graff, through the Foster Parents' Plan, an organization aiding European orphans. Donations totaling at least \$45 tide this project through the summer months.

Roger Williams Fellowship, the University Baptist student organization, has a Sunday morning student class at 9:40 a.m. before the morning worship service. The group holds a Sunday evening meeting which includes supper, evening worship, and a fellowship program. This is usually held at the church or at a private home. Deputations are sent, at times decided at the meetings, to churches within a 100-mile radius of State College. A Baby Sitters' League is included as part of the program.

Link, the Fellowship literary effort, is published monthly. At unscheduled times the group broadcasts over WMAJ. The group's yearbook, the Annual, is published before final exams at the end of the term.

Canterbury Club maintains the close spiritual union of Episcopalian students with the church. The club meets weekly at St. Andrew's parish house on Foster avenue and Frazier street, holding a coffee hour at 6:30 p.m. Sunday and meeting at 7 p.m. The meetings sometimes include movies or an invited speaker. Once a semester a party is held at the PSCA cabin, and once a semester the group attends a conference held by a church organization at another campus.

On unscheduled Fridays an open house, square dancing, or skating rink party is held. The club publishes a twice-monthly mimeographed leaflet entitled The Episcopalian. Last year, during the football season, the Can-

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sells and delivers corsages before all major dances. The service organization, also a recent innovation, provides information, bell-hop, transportation, errand, and room service to all convention groups visiting the College.

John Huber, supervisor of the employment office, advises all interested students to register with the office as soon as their schedules are made out. The office will make every effort to place students in the numerous job opportunities available, Huber said.

Hourly rates vary on each job

NAACP Chapter Active on Campus

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has a chapter at the College. Penn State was one of four schools participating in the organization's first annual meeting, held in May 1949 at Temple University.

according to the type of job and personal factors involved. It is understood that the students are expected, within limits, to stick to a job after accepting it, for the office is anxious to build up good will.

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