

## Freshmen Must Enroll in ROTC

Penn State, like every land grant college, must set up, under authority of Congress, a Reserved Officers Training Corps program to provide capable leaders for times of national emergency.

Penn State offers three branches of ROTC, the Army, Air Force, and Navy, to incoming students. Every physically fit male student, with certain exceptions, must serve in one branch of ROTC for at least two years. The length of time that a student must serve is the biggest difference between Army or Air Force ROTC and Navy ROTC.

## Frosh May Attend MI Meeting

The Mineral Industries Student Council will hold an open meeting Tuesday night to which all freshmen enrolled in the School of Mineral Industries are invited, David Fleming, president, has announced.

The meeting will be part of the Orientation Week functions carried on in an attempt to acquaint the new students with their surroundings. At the gathering the officers of and the representatives to the council will be introduced and their duties will be explained. The purpose of the group will be explained and the methods of electing representatives will be described.

Students who should attend the meeting, according to Fleming, are those enrolled in the Mineral Industries departments of geology, mineralogy, geophysics and geochemistry, meteorology, geography, mineral economics, mining, mineral preparation, petroleum and natural gas, fuel technology, metallurgy, and ceramics.

Fleming also stated that the student council plans to publish a special edition of the MI Newsletter, its monthly bulletin, sometime during the week to explain the workings of the council in further detail.

Besides Fleming, a seventh semester student in ceramics, other officers of the organization include Robert Decker, vice president and a seventh semester student in mineral preparation; and Norman Bowne, secretary-treasurer and a seventh semester meteorologist.

Two freshmen representatives to the student council will be elected sometime in November, Fleming said. They hold the post for all four years of their college career unless they fail to maintain a 1.0 All-College average. They also forfeit it if they ad-

## Frosh Men Represented By AIM

The Association of Independent Men represents all male students living in the dormitories and in town in student government on campus.

Since freshmen are required, through College regulations, to live in the dormitories during their first year, they automatically become members.

Besides representing independent men in student government, AIM sets up a social calendar during the year. Plans are underway now for a variety show, the "Dink Debut," to be held Saturday night for freshmen.

### Units Elect

The major governing body of the association, the AIM Board of Governors, is made up of representatives from the four men's living areas—Nittany Dorms, Pollock Circle Dorms, the West Dorms, and the town area.

In the Nittany and Pollock Dorms, each unit elects one representative to its respective council. The living units in the West Dorms are the floor levels, with a representative from each level.

The downtown area has been divided into wards, with students living in the wards electing their representative to Town Council.

### Shifflet AIM President

The Board of Governors is made up of the council officers and representatives-at-large. The "at-large" members are elected to the board in proportion to the number of residents of each living area.

The AIM president, who has a seat on All-College Cabinet, is elected by the board. William Shifflet was elected president last spring.

According to an AIM spokesman, the association is going to attempt this year to plan joint social activities with Leonides, the independent women's organization. Another major activity under consideration is an independent weekend, he said.

the council are the presidents of the various societies and honoraries in the Mineral Industries school and Dr. Edward Steidle, dean of the school. These representatives bring matters to the attention of the group and participate in debate on the subjects, but have no voting power.

The council is open to any reasonable suggestions and requests them from the students it serves.

## College Maintains Employment Agency

The student employment office, a branch of the College Placement Service, is designed to help students find part-time employment during the school year.

The services of the student employment office, 112 Old Main, are available to all students who are in need of financial assistance while-attending the College. The office acts as a clearing house, referring students to part-time jobs on the campus, in town, and the surrounding territory.

### Contact Office Frequently

Begun in 1947, the office was established as a permanent organization maintained by the College.

The majority of the campus and local jobs come to the attention of the student employment office a day or two before the vacancy exists. Students are advised to keep in contact with the office by personal visits or phone calls at frequent intervals.

It is difficult to predict what type of work a student may engage in as his class schedule, study program, and specific skills are the determining factors in job references.

### Numerous Jobs for Men

All students seeking part-time jobs should register with the office at the beginning of each semester in order that their class schedules be kept accurate and other personal data be brought up to date.

Positions most frequently available for men include washing windows, waxing floors, gardening, waiting on tables, manual labor, and a variety of jobs requiring specific skills.

### Maintains Resort Division

Jobs for women are more limited due to the restrictions of the places in town where women are employed. Work for women includes housework, baby sitting, work in the libraries, clerking, and general office jobs.

In addition to the part-time job service, the student employment office maintains a camp and resort division which is set up to help students secure summer employment. Many students earn enough during the summer to pay for most of their college expenses during the fall term.

The office also takes care of placing waiters in College dining commons, boarding houses, and fraternities, and arranges for students to work in private homes in exchange for room and board.

### Register Early

Some job opportunities are also available in the student-managed news, magazine, floral, dry cleaning, and service agencies. The floral agency, started two years ago, (Continued on page Sixteen)

## Registration For Freshmen On Thursday

Fall semester registration for all undergraduates will be held Wednesday through Saturday in Recreation Hall, based on an alphabetical listing released last spring by the office of the registrar. Graduate students, under the same setup, may register at any time regardless of listings.

Upperclassmen must register according to the alphabetical listing. Freshmen, however, may register any time after 1 p.m. Thursday regardless of their alphabetical designation, provided registration will not conflict with the regular Orientation Week schedule.

Seniors and juniors will register by the listing all day Wednesday and Thursday morning. Sophomores will register according to the listing Thursday afternoon and all day Friday.

Special students will register the week of Sept. 14. Two year agriculture students may register any time after 1 p.m. Thursday.

There will be strict adherence to the alphabetical designations for undergraduates, the College has announced.

Students will not be admitted to classes for which they are not registered, according to the College catalog. Students who have attended other colleges must first see the Dean of Admissions and have their admission status determined by him before being eligible to register, the catalog states. The College reserves the right to impose a penalty upon students who fail to register upon appointed days.

### Prexy Receives Degree

President Milton S. Eisenhower has been awarded his tenth honorary degree. The University of Maine presented him with a doctor of laws degree this summer, the seventh he has received since his appointment as College President.

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