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4 Machines To Be Used For Election

Voting machines can be obtained for the spring elections, according to Ronald Thorpe, chairman of the All-College elections committee.

Centre County commissioners approved the use of four machines. The machines will be lent to the College.

The machines, which are in Philipsburg, will have to be transported to the College by a private trucking firm, Thorpe said.

The committee will also try to obtain small model machines so students can become familiar with the operation of the regular machine, Thorpe said.

Fund-Raising Regulated

To vote, students will be required to show their matriculation card. The requirement is specified by the elections code approved by All-College Cabinet Thursday night. Other provisions of the code specify that candidates and parties may not use cars or loudspeakers in campaigning "except as deemed advisable by the elections committee."

Fund-raising is prohibited except in the dormitories or the Temporary Union Building. Destruction of property and the wearing of "sandwich signs" is prohibited. The buying of votes is prohibited by the code. Violators will be sent before Tribunal.

Electioneering will not be permitted in Old Main during the time for voting. The term electioneering will not be construed to include the wearing of lapel cards. Candidates are not permitted to be in Old Main except for "a reasonable length of time" to cast their ballots.

Write-ins Excluded

Any group can form a political clique, according to committee member William Slep. However, the group must have candidates for all offices. The names of the candidates and the party platforms must be submitted to the elections committee for approval by March 25.

Clique affiliations must be stated on the ballot, Slep said. This automatically excludes write-in votes.

Violations of the election code can bring the maximum penalty of 100 votes deducted from each candidate's total of the offending party. A minimum of 15 votes deducted is provided.

Debate Teams Compete Today

Four men's and two women's teams will compete today in debates being held at Mt. Mercy and Bucknell Colleges.

At the Tri-State Debate Tournament at Mt. Mercy, Charlotte Kagan and Harriet Rakov will debate the affirmative for the women's team, and Lois Lehman and Dorothy Osterhout will defend the negative.

Benjamin Sinclair and Alexander Stamateris will uphold the affirmative on the men's team. On the negative team are Myer Bushman and Donald Prepstein.

Philip Greenberg and Arthur Greenstein will debate the affirmative at the Bucknell tournament. Irwin Weiner and Charles Bryson are on the negative team.

TODAY'S
WEATHER

WINDY
AND
COLDER



To The Mah-ster!



MARCIA YOFFE (left) as Dynamene and John Price as Tegeus prepare to drink to a new life together as Doto the maidservant, played by Fran Stridinger, proposes a toast to her former employer. The scene is from Players' "A Phoenix Too Frequent" by Christopher Fry which began a five-week run last night at Center Stage with Edna St. Vincent Millay's "Aria da Capo."

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Players' Twin Bill Scores 1st Night Hit

By CHIZ MATHIAS

With Edna St. Vincent Millay's "Aria da Capo," and "A Phoenix Too Frequent," Players have ventured out on a theatrical limb and come up with not one but two first night successes.

The double bill which opened a five-weekend run last night at Center Stage boasts a finely hewn production and the smooth direction of Kelly Yeaton, assistant professor of dramatics. Intellectual members of last night's audience found the bill a pleasing blend of classical theater. Less ardent spectators emerged from the arena theater in a daze, still trying to fathom the depths of the two obscure authors with their intricately-woven tropes and metaphors.

Nelson to Talk At LA Lecture Monday Night

An authority in the field of social science, Dr. Benjamin N. Nelson, associate professor in the School of General Studies at the University of Minnesota, will give the second of the Liberal Arts lectures at 8 p.m. Monday in 121 Sparks.

Dr. Nelson has chosen as his subject "Social Science and the Humanization of Man." At present, Dr. Nelson is serving as visiting professor of history at Columbia, where he holds a Carnegie Fellowship. He formerly taught in the general education program at the University of Chicago and is now on leave of absence.

His latest publication, "Introduction to Social Science," is designed to give an over-all picture of social problems for the student in technical fields as well as in liberal arts. He is also the author of "The Idea of Usury," a study in social and moral history.

Dr. Henry C. Finch, associate professor of philosophy, will introduce the speaker.

The Liberal Arts lectures are open to the public.

Community Forum Tickets Available

Single reserved seat tickets for the final Community Forum address by Begum Ikramullah, Pakistan stateswoman, will be on sale for \$1.20 all day Wednesday at the Student Union desk in Old Main.

The begum will speak on "Pakistan—The New Democracy" at 8 p.m. Wednesday in Schwab Auditorium. A member of the Pakistan Constituent Assembly and wife of the ambassador to Canada, the begum will discuss the progress made by her state and Pakistan's stand towards a growing threat of Communist aggression in Asia.

College Survey Will Investigate Senior Finals

Replacement or elimination of final exams for seniors is being studied by Cabinet Projects Council. The council is contacting 150 colleges in the United States in a survey to determine possible methods of eliminating finals, Irvin White, council president, announced yesterday.

A second open meeting of the council will be held at 8 p.m. Monday in 213 Electrical Engineering. Interested students may attend the meeting to discuss the exam problem and enroll in the council.

Gail Shaver, head of the senior finals committee for CPC, said the College administration is cooperating in the survey. Shaver said that a previous incomplete survey of 100 colleges was made in 1951, but that only 38 colleges responded to the letters.

The letters, to be sent next week, will include a self-addressed stamped envelope and a questionnaire for the colleges to complete. The questionnaire asks such questions as: Are finals given to seniors at your school? If not, what were the reasons for eliminating them? If finals are not given, what system do you follow? Has this system been successful?

White announced that the CPC orientation committee was distributing a questionnaire to College women through the Dean of Women's office. The committee is exploring the potentialities of Orientation Week activities with the intent of improving them.

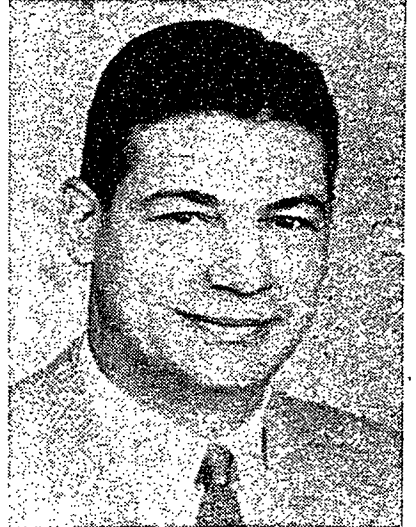
White announced the appointment of Robert Landis as temporary chairman of the council's committee on exchange studies with other colleges. He also said that plans are underway to organize a committee to work on plans for a political convention system at the College.

Quartet Contest Deadline Set

The deadline for registering for the all-College barbershop quartet contest, to be sponsored by the sophomore class March 18, is noon today at the Student Union desk in Old Main.

Tryouts for the contest will be held evenings in the TUB from March 9 through 15. Contestants will sing two songs and appear in appropriate dress at all tryouts.

All fraternities, sororities, and dorm living units are urged to enter quartets in the contest.



Daniel A. DeMarino
Leaves position today

DeMarino Quits Office Today For New Post

Daniel A. DeMarino, assistant dean of men, will leave his position with the College today when his resignation goes into effect to take a job in the personnel department of the Aluminum Company of America.

In leaving his assistantship to Dean of Men Frank J. Simes, he severs an association with the College that began as an undergraduate and was broken only by a four-year tour of duty as a lieutenant in the Navy during World War II.

"Although I am sorry to leave the Penn State family and the community," he said, "I am accepting a challenge in industry and have a feeling that there are great possibilities which I would like to explore."

Tomorrow, he said, he will leave for Alcoa's Pittsburgh mills and start Monday to undergo a month-long training period in the company's techniques. After a two week tour of other Alcoa plants, he will go to the Messena, N.Y., division which specializes in smelting and fabrication.

Since his undergraduate days he has served as an instructor of physical education, assistant line coach of football and freshman boxing monitor, and as assistant dean.

Dean Simes said he has no replacement yet for DeMarino.

Student Placed On Probation

A student who had been charged with his third case of illegal parking by Tribunal has been put on office probation by the Dean of Men's office, Frank J. Simes, dean of men, has revealed.

The action, which will be in effect until the end of the semester, was recommended by Tribunal after the offender was reported illegally parked in the service drive of Hamilton Hall. He told officials he was ill at the time and had taken the vehicle to pick up his ROTC uniform.

Language Tests Slated

Foreign language reading examinations will be given from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday. The French exam will be given in 316 Sparks, the Spanish and Italian exams in 124 Sparks, and the German and Russian exams in 305 Sparks.

Miller Named Mil Ball Queen

Yvonne Miller, import from New Cumberland, was crowned Queen of the Military Ball at the annual ROTC dance held last night in Recreation Hall.

The queen, who was escorted by James Dowrick, was chosen during intermission by Col. Lucien E. Bolduc, Army ROTC; Lt. Col. Jack W. Dieterle, Air Force ROTC; and Capt. Rowland H. Groff, Naval ROTC. Finalists forming the queen's court were Dorothea Bourne, Janet Greene, Marion Jean Sadler, and Jean Yemm.

Crowned with an engraved, silver-plated crown by Katherine Nicoll, queen of the 1951 Military Ball, Miss Miller was presented with an inscribed cup. Both she and the finalists received leather jewelry boxes and bouquets. The finalists were given small loving cups. Master of ceremonies for the crowning was Irvin Fennell of the Air Force ROTC and part-time announcer over WMAJ.

The crowning of the brown-haired, blue-eyed import was the highlight of the dance, which was attended by approximately 3000 people. Billy May and his orchestra provided music for the annual Ball.



Yvonne Miller
Mil. Ball Queen