

ROTC Groups Parade Today

Nearly 4000 persons, including the Army, Navy and Air Force Reserve Officers' Training Corps units, and six bands, will participate in the annual Armed Forces Day parade in State College today. The parade will start at 1:30 p.m.

The paraders will form at McElwain Hall, march south on Shortlidge road, and then west on College avenue, passing the reviewing stand at College avenue and S. Allen street.

Col. Lucien E. Bolduc, professor of military science and tactics, is in charge of the arrangements. The grand marshal for the parade is Burgess E. K. Hibshman of State College.

The three ROTC divisions in the parade are: 1. Cadet Col. Walter Herbst, Army ROTC, commanding; Army ROTC band and regiment numbering 1000 men; Co. B, 5th regiment, Pershing Rifles; 2. Midshipman Cmdr. John O. Carney, Navy ROTC; Navy ROTC band and battalion of 350 men; and 3. Cadet Col. Arnold Paparazo, Air Force ROTC; Air Force ROTC band; one wing Air Force ROTC; Air Force trick drill team, including 1500 men.

Also participating in the parade are boy and girl scout troops, civil defense units, county veterans' organizations, and nearby high school bands.

New AFROTC Policy Adopted For 'Aircrews'

To provide more flying personnel from the ranks of Air Force ROTC cadets, a more selective program has been adopted by the Air Force, Lt. Col. Jack W. Dietler, professor of air science and tactics, has announced.

He said the 143 wing "aircrew" goal set for 1955 creates a need for an immense increase in rated officer graduates from AFROTC and that in 1955 each graduate must possess, or be willing to take, the skill training that is effectively usable in a specific job vacancy in the Air Force.

The former AFROTC program was designed to commission selected graduates primarily for the Air Force reserve officer pool, but by 1955 the new program is expected to provide 80 per cent of the active duty junior officer requirements of the Air Force.

The program is divided into two phases, the first of which reduces the active duty tour for AFROTC flying applicants from four to three years.

The second phase of the new program is a classification system that sets up four categories into which students enrolling in the advanced AFROTC course will be grouped starting in September.

Tonight Is Deadline For Ike Photo Contest

Tonight is the deadline for photographers to submit snapshots of President Dwight Eisenhower to the "Eisenhower Contest" for amateurs.

The pictures, which may be of any style, must be accompanied by information concerning the type of camera and film size used. The name and address of the contestant must be written lightly on the back of the print.

The contest is being sponsored by the Centre Daily Times.

Conclave to Air 'Press Freedom' In 2d Session

"Freedom and responsibilities of the Press" will be the subject of today's opening session of the Pennsylvania Press Conference, which will get underway at 9:40 a.m. in the Nittany Lion Inn.

Richard A. Thornburgh, managing editor of the Philadelphia Inquirer, and regional director for the Associated Press Managing Editors on Freedom of the Press will preside.

Patricia Beahan, fourth semester journalism major, was among the 20 editors, reporters, and photographers who were named winners last night of the 1953 better writing contest of the PNPA. She received recognition for woman's news writing for the Sayre Evening Times.

Jerome Weinstein and Jack Yeager of the Centre Daily Times also received recognition for editorial writing.

The afternoon session, scheduled for 2:45 p.m., will be moderated by John F. James, editor of the Johnstown Tribune and Democrat, and will be devoted to a general discussion on "The Newspaper in the TV Era." Theme of the conference will be the impact of television on communications, particularly newspapers.

Franklin Banner, head of the Department of Journalism, will preside at the annual banquet at 6:30 p.m. in the Nittany Lion Inn. The speaker will be Carl E. Lindstrom, managing editor of the Hartford, (Conn.) Times. Also, two newspaper men will be presented with scrolls, honoring their work in the field of journalism.

A highlight of the banquet will be entertainment provided by several students of the College. The program will feature the Collegian Quartet, composed of Richard Wrenmore, Jack Kapitanoff, William Davey, and James Hess; and will include Phillip Wein, ventriloquist; Suzanne Kiel and Nancy Thomas, singers; Alec Beliasov, singer; Del Korman, pianist; a group of dancers composed of Ruth Schnell, Phillip Lanz, Peggy Mayberry, and John Graham, directed by Donald Stoll. Raymond Barr is accompanist for the group.

John Price, a graduate student in speech is technical director for the program, and Moylan Mills, graduate assistant in English composition, is master of ceremonies.

Beattie, Simpson To Solo in Choir

Herbert W. Beattie, assistant professor of music, and Robert D. Simpson, Westminster Choir College, Princeton, N.J., will appear as bass and tenor soloists with the Chapel Choir for its presentation of Haydn's "St. Cecilia Mass" at 8 p.m. Wednesday in Schwab Auditorium.

Barbara Troxell, soprano, and Mary Alyce Bennett, contralto, will also sing for the work which is being presented for the second time in America. The Chorus Pro Musica in Boston first presented the mass in this country a year ago.

Beattie studied piano and voice in Chicago and was church organist before enrolling in the Navy V-12 program in 1944. While in the program he studied at Arkansas A & M and the University of Louisville. Following his discharge in 1946 he attended Colorado College, where he received his A.B. in music in 1948.

He studied composition for two years at Westminster Choir College where he received his master of music degree. He became instructor of voice, piano, and composition at Syracuse University. Beattie was named to the faculty last year and is director of the Penn State Women's Chorus.

He sang the role of Bartolo in a performance of Mozart's "Marriage of Figaro" given by the New York City Center Opera Company in Buffalo, and recently appeared in the Players' production of Shakespeare's "The Merry Wives of Windsor."

Beattie has written several compositions including "An Elizabethan Day," a secular cantata performed in Buffalo last year.

Simpson, an oratorio and cantata tenor soloist in New York, served for three years as a pilot

Handbook Ready For Distribution

The student government handbook will be ready for distribution Monday or Tuesday, Myron Enelow, handbook committee chairman, announced yesterday.

A limited number will be available at the Student Union desk in Old Main for the student body, he said. Copies will be given to campus leaders and will be placed in the Pattee Library.

Young GOPs to Meet

The Executive Board of the Penn State chapter of the Young Republican Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday at 319 S. Pugh street to plan activities for the coming year, according to Benjamin Sinclair, president.

He toured as soloist with the Westminster Choir and appeared with the group in several performances with the New York Philharmonic in Carnegie Hall. Simpson has also performed with the Thomas Scherman and the Little Orchestra Society of New York.

Chapel Topic Is 'Our Time'

The Rev. Luther H. Harshbarger, College chaplain, will speak on "Our Time Is Now . . ." at Chapel services at 11 a.m. tomorrow in Schwab Auditorium.

Dr. Samuel W. Blizzard, professor of rural sociology and director of the social science research clinic, will assist in the service.

Flowers will be given by Phi Mu sorority and Alpha Chi Rho fraternity.

The Chapel Choir, under the direction of Mrs. Willa C. Taylor, will sing as introit "Light of Light" (Ahle) and as anthem "O Be Joyful" (Gretchaninoff).

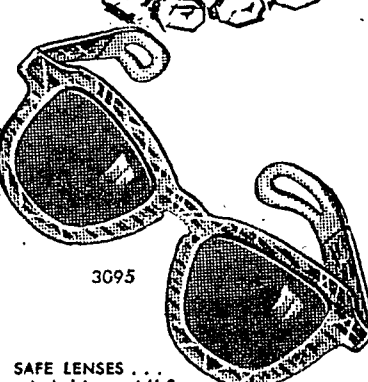
George Ceiga, College organist, will play as prelude "Kyrie" (Couperin), as offertory "Andante from 'Pastorale Sonata'" (Rheinberger), and as postlude "Gloria" (Couperin).

PWPA Luncheon

The Pennsylvania Women's Press Association will sponsor a luncheon at 12:15 today in the Nittany Lion Inn. Carl W. McCradle, assistant Secretary of State and former head of the Philadelphia Bulletin Washington Bureau will be the speaker.

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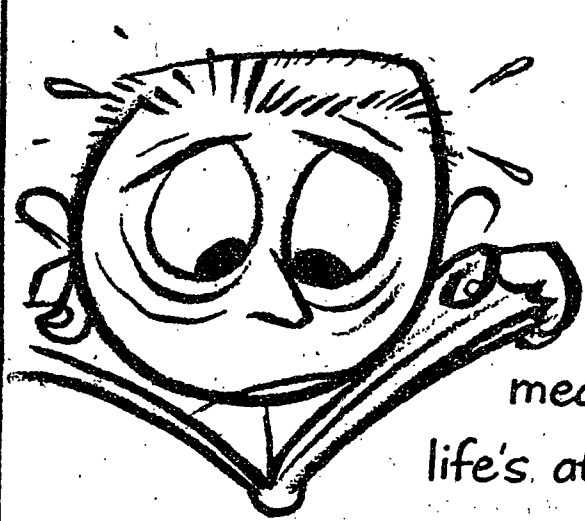
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