

# Seniors to Get Rec Hall Seats

Graduating seniors will receive four tickets to Recreation Hall commencement ceremonies, Wilmer E. Kenworthy, director of student affairs, announced yesterday.

Weather permitting, commencement exercises are scheduled at 10:30 a.m. June 7, on Beaver Field. In case of bad weather, they will be held in two sections at 10:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. in Rec Hall.

Students may pick up their tickets when they get their caps and gowns. Those who will be graduated in military uniform may pick up tickets from their respective Reserve Officers Training Corps offices.

No tickets will be required if the ceremonies are held on Beaver Field. However, if exercises are held in Rec Hall, tickets will guarantee a seat until ten minutes before the ceremony. At that time, Rec Hall will be opened to the public.

If the exercises are held in Rec Hall, seniors in the colleges of education, home economics, and liberal arts will be graduated in the morning section. At the afternoon section seniors in the colleges of agriculture, chemistry and physics, engineering, mineral industries, business administration and physical education will receive degrees.

Candidates for advanced degrees will receive them at the same time as the undergraduates of the college in which they are working.

Arthur S. Adams, president of the American Council on Education will speak at commencement. Because the Honors Day program has been cancelled, senior scholastic awards will also be presented during commencement.

Detailed instructions concerning the exercises will be issued three weeks before graduation by David H. McKinley, assistant dean of the College of Business Administration and the University Marshall.

Seniors may get the instructions from the deans of their respective colleges.

## Speaking Contest Registration Starts

Registration for the annual John Henry Frizzell Extempore Speaking Contest will be held at 7 p.m. Monday in 124 Sparks. Entrants must register in person.

Contestants may choose topics from lists provided at the meeting or may suggest their own, subject to approval of the contest committee. Debate squad members may not use debate topics or other forensic contest topics.

Eliminations will be held at 7 p.m. May 6 in rooms to be announced and finals at 7 p.m. May 17 in 121 Sparks. First prize is \$50 and second prize is \$25. Former contest winners are not eligible for the contest.

## Observatories to Open Tomorrow, Saturday

University observatories will be open to the public for observation of stars and Saturn from 8:30 until 10 p.m. tomorrow and Saturday, weather permitting. This is a part of the Open House program to be held this weekend by the College of Chemistry and Physics.

Carl A. Bauer, assistant professor of physics, said that Saturn will not be high enough in the sky for observation until 9 p.m. Members of Alpha Nu, astronomy honorary, will operate the telescopes and answer questions.

## Troutman Gives Readings

Margaret Troutman, eighth semester education major, recently gave two dramatic readings at a meeting of Pi Lambda Theta, women's education honorary society.

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## Panther Prowls Centre County

A large black animal, believed to be a panther, has been disturbing residents in the southeastern part of Centre County with its "bloodcurdling" scream.

Members of a Millheim family have been awakened by the screams of the animal for about a year, the last one a week ago. State game protectors have been asked to get rid of the animal.

Screams have been reported by hunters and farmers in the area. Two Millheim men who came within a few feet of the animal described it as about as large as a German shepherd dog, with low ears, a broad flat head and a thick neck.

## Correspondent, Dean to Speak At Convention

Cabell Phillips, Washington correspondent for the New York Times, and Marion R. Trabue, dean of the College of Education, will speak at the annual Pennsylvania State High School press convention Saturday at the University.

Phillips will speak on "Washington Personalities" and Trabue on "What Can College Do for You?"

Registration for the convention will be open from 9:50 to 10:50 a.m. in the Daily Collegian, basement of Carnegie Hall.

Following registration a convocation will be held in 121 Sparks. Greetings will be extended by Mary Lee Lauffer, president of Theta Sigma Phi, women's professional journalism fraternity; Charles Obertance, president of Sigma Delta Chi, men's professional journalism fraternity; and Robert Carruthers, president of Alpha Delta Sigma, men's professional advertising fraternity.

The talks by Phillips and Trabue will follow the convocation greetings.

A series of discussion groups are scheduled from noon to 1 p.m. The general closing session will be held from 2 to 3:30 p.m. in 121 Sparks, under the chairmanship of Franklin C. Banner, head of the Department of Journalism.

News awards and three freshman journalism scholarships will be announced.

A British survey shows that the population now is spending \$1 for alcoholic drinks for every \$4 spent for food.

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# 8 Councils To Continue Nominations

Nominations, which began yesterday for seats on eight of the nine student councils, will continue today and close either tomorrow or Saturday.

Ten seats are available on the Chem-Phys Student Council for students with a 1 All-University average. One chemical-engineering and one pre-medical seat are available for freshmen. One science, one chemistry, and one chemical-engineering seat will be filled by sophomores. Juniors may apply for one physics, two chemical engineering and two pre-medical seats.

Home Economics students may apply for seats on the student council in the lobby of the Home Economics Building.

Students nominating themselves for the Mineral Industries Student Council may sign lists posted in the Mineral Industries Building.

Liberal Arts students may sign up for the student council in 132 Sparks.

Education Student Council nominations may be made at the Student Union desk.

Students in engineering may nominate themselves for their student council in their departmental offices.

Nominations for the Physical Education and Athletics Student Council may be submitted at Moffat Cottage.

Business Student Council nominations will be accepted in 106 Sparks.

## MI to Sponsor 'Day' Saturday

The College of Mineral Industries will sponsor Mineral Industries Day at the University Saturday. Instructors of Mineral Industries Extension Services classes and high school students throughout the state have been invited to attend.

The day will feature a tour of the Mineral Industries and Mineral Science buildings for instructors in the morning. Following luncheon at the Autoport Restaurant, Dr. Emil J. Burcik, associate professor of petroleum and natural gas engineering, will speak on "Gems and Gem Materials as a Hobby."

Students interested in the College will be given the opportunity for personal counseling with the staff. Donald C. Jones, professor and director of Mineral Industries Extension Services, will be in charge.

## FTA to Discuss 'Ethics'

The Future Teachers of America will meet at 7 tonight in 219 Electrical Engineering.

A discussion will be held on "Professional Ethics in Education."

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## WDFM Posts Open For Department Heads

Applications for department heads of Station WDFM will be accepted until tomorrow in 306 Sparks.

Departments of the campus radio station are traffic, production, continuity, announcing, engineering, sports, special events, and music.

Students wishing to apply for membership on the staffs may do so until the end of the semester in 306 Sparks. Preference will be given to applications received before May 7.

## McElroy to Speak

W. S. McElroy, dean of the School of Medicine of the University of Pittsburgh, will discuss "Entrance to a Medical School" before Alpha Epsilon Delta, pre-med honorary fraternity at 7:30 tonight in 105 White Hall. The meeting is open to the public.

# 2000 to Attend Horse Show

Approximately 2000 people are expected to attend the Fifth Annual Riding Club Horse Show tomorrow, Saturday, and Sunday at the University stables.

The horse show will run from 1 to 5 p.m. tomorrow, from 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. on Saturday, and from 1:30 to 5:30 p.m. on Sunday.

Entrants of the horse show will come from Penn Hall Junior College, Grier School, the University, and the surrounding area.

The judges of the show will be Mr. and Mrs. Alden McKim Crane of Washington, D.C. They will be assisted by Charles G. Stewart and Robert R. Stock of State College.

Classes of horses including hunters, jumpers, western, Morgan, pleasure, and children's will be in the show.

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