

University Will Sponsor 'Land-Grant' Conclave

A two-day convocation, emphasizing the future of land-grant colleges and universities, will be held Oct. 21 and 22 at the University. It will be the third major event of the Centennial celebration.

Topic of the convocation, which will feature speeches and roundtable discussions, is "The Future of American Higher Education, with Special Reference to the Changing Responsibilities and Potentialities of Land-Grant Concept of Education."

A plenary session, including an address by President Milton S. Eisenhower, will open the convocation.

During the remainder of the convocation, visiting educational experts will meet with groups of faculty members, students, alumni, and citizens of State College to discuss the University's future and present problems.

University officials hope that possible solutions will come from the exchange and development of ideas that will be of value to other land-grant institutions as well as to the University.

Reports from the discussions will be published by the University and made available to other land-grant schools.

One of the main topics of the convocation will be the anticipated increase in enrollment by 1970. Statistics indicate whereas the total enrollment in the fall of 1953 at the University was 12,815, in 1970 it may reach 21,000. It is hoped by University officials that a solution as to how the needs of the 21,000 enrollees can best be met will be an outcome of the discussions.

Students, faculty, and residents of State College have been invited to attend the panel meetings and the plenary sessions.

Ossian R. MacKenzie, dean of the College of Business Administration is chairman of the convocation general planning committee. MacKenzie is assisted by Lyman E. Jackson, dean of the College of Agriculture; Eric A. Walker, dean of the College of Engineering and Architecture; and various sub-committees.

Amateur Station Sends Out Call For New 'Hams'

Operators of Station W3YA, and the MARS station A3YA, have issued a call for assistant radio operators.

New and returning students holding amateur radio operators license may apply by sending a letter of application to Gilbert L. Crossley, Assistant Professor of Electrical Engineering, Department of Electrical Engineering.

The letter of application should contain past experience, call letters of the applicants' station, the grade of amateur license held, and other pertinent facts.

All students, faculty members, and employees of the University, holding an amateur license, are eligible for the station staff.

'Mikado' Tryouts To Start Monday

Tryouts for "The Mikado," to be a Penn State Players production, will be held Monday through Wednesday.

Tryouts for singing parts will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. in 214 Carnegie; reading parts in the evenings in Little Theatre, basement of Old Main. Chorus tryouts will be held between 7 and 9 p.m. in 214 Carnegie. Call-backs will be held in Little Theatre Thursday and Friday.

Assisting with the production will be Ray Brown, professor of music and Dr. Walter H. Walters, acting head of the division of dramatics.

Foreign Students' Tea

The Council for Church Women, in cooperation with the University Christian Association, Cosmopolitan Club, and the International Relations Club will sponsor a tea for foreign students in Simmons lounge at 3 p.m. Sunday.

The tea is designed to welcome the foreign students and introduce them to the members of these organizations.

Infirmary Provides Service for Students

Among the many questions bothering new students and their parents is what type of medical treatment the University provides.

Upon entering the University, students are given a thorough physical examination, X-ray and dental examinations, and a tuberculosis test.

Throughout the school year the University Health Service, under the direction of Dr. Herbert R. Glenn, offers students medical treatment covered by student fees.

There are two branches of Health Service—the outpatient department known as the Dispensary facilities and provide extra Old Main, and the University Hospital, located on Pollock and Shortlidge roads.

Two Wings Added
Two wings are being added to the hospital to provide dispensary facilities and provide extra space for patients. Other plans also call for new medical equipment, the addition of an ambulance garage to the rear of the hospital, and minor changes in the basement of the present hospital building to enlarge facilities for sterilizing equipment and supplies.

The present dispensary in Old Main is open for student diagnosis and treatment from 8 a.m. to noon and from 1:30 to 5 p.m. on weekdays. It is closed Saturday afternoons, Sundays, and holidays. Students must first report to the dispensary if health service is wanted. When the dispensary is closed, students requiring health service should report to the hospital.

24 Hour Staff
The hospital, or infirmary, equipped to furnish medical care for the sick or injured student, has a staff physician on call 24 hours a day. The medical staff is comprised of the director, superintendent, seven full-time physicians including a psychiatrist and (Continued on page eight)

Harshbarger To Initiate Chapel Service

The Reverend Luther H. Harshbarger, University chaplain and coordinator of religious affairs, will speak at the first chapel service at 10:55 a.m. Sunday in Schwab Auditorium. His topic will be "Knowledge and Wisdom."

Reverend Harshbarger became executive secretary of the University Christian Association in 1949 and was appointed chaplain in 1951. He was made full-time chaplain of the University on Sept. 1, 1954.

The Chapel Choir, under the direction of Mrs. Willa C. Taylor, professor of music education, will sing the anthem, "I Have Longed for Thy Saving Health." (Byrd).

George E. Ceiga, Chapel organist, will play the prelude "In Thee is Joy" (Bach), and the postlude, Fugue in G minor (Bach).

The Rev. Lester L. Dobyms, executive secretary of the University Christian Association, and Earl Seeley, All-University president, will assist in the service.

Chapel services are held at 10:55 a.m. each Sunday in Schwab Auditorium. All students may attend the nondenominational services, which each week present outstanding speakers representing the various schools of contemporary religious thought.

Chem-Phys Council Acts As College Liaison Agent

The Chemistry-Physics Student Council acts as a liaison between the faculty and students of the College of Chemistry and Physics.

The council is headed this year by William Childs, senior in chemical engineering from Eldred. Other officers are Robert Neiman, senior in chemical engineering from Lewistown, vice president; and Joseph Eberly, junior in physics from State College, secretary-treasurer.

Three Fresh on Council
New officers are elected each spring, and the voting is held in the lobby of Osmond Laboratory. Three freshmen, six sophomores, nine juniors and three seniors are on the council. The three freshmen representatives are elected in the fall and remain on council until their junior year.

Of these three freshmen representatives, one must be in chemical engineering; one in chemistry; and one in either physics, pre-medical or science.

Each succeeding year three more students are elected to the council and remain on the council from the time of election un-

til the end of their junior year. Then juniors interested in council must run again for the three senior positions. Senior officers are not included in these three.

During the sophomore elections the council positions are balanced out to include two positions in chemical engineering; one in chemistry; one in pre-medical; one in physics and one in science.

Weekly Coffee Hours
The activities of the council include a fall banquet, a student-faculty mixer in the fall, the Chemistry-Physics Open House and weekly coffee hours with the Dean of the college.

The council is also in charge of publishing the Chem-Phys Newsletter.

Each year the students in the college elect a chemistry professor of the year. The faculty is also polled in this voting through letter sent out through the dean's office.

The council also maintains a bluebook file in the main library and evaluates courses within the college.

Welcome to Penn State -

All Presbyterian Freshman women are invited to breakfast at the Presbyterian Church this Sunday, September 18, at 9:00 a.m. If you have not received an invitation, please call AD 7-2942.

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