



STATE COLLEGE, 1977—Possible redevelopment of the borough's downtown business area as suggested by architecture students is shown in this scale model on display at 106 W. College Ave.

208 Students Enroll For General Ed

The new general education program got off to a "100 per cent" start as 208 students filled all of the sections of Arts I, Humanities I and Social Science I.

The program—which has been in the planning for two years—is designed to give students in specialized fields a broader

background in the arts and humanities, as well as the social, biological and physical sciences.

Biological Science I will be offered in the spring semester for the first time. The make-up and date for offering a course in the physical sciences has not yet been determined.

Humanities I and II introduce to the student an appreciation and analysis of the human values of truth, goodness and beauty, and an understanding of the ideas which have shaped the modern mind and contemporary civilization.

There are three sections of Humanities I, with a total enrollment of 92. Humanities I will be repeated in the spring semester, and the follow-up course, Humanities II, will be offered then, too.

In two sections of Social Science I, 32 students will analyze intensively two critical social incidents—the Supreme Court decision on racial segregation and the stock market crash of 1929.

Social Science I and II will both be offered in the spring semester.

Students in Arts I will attempt to find answers to the question, "What is art?" Since the instructors of the course have assumed that the students have had little experience in the arts, they will employ demonstration and performance techniques rather than the conventional textbook and lecture method.

To achieve this aim, the Arts I classes are held in the Little Theatre in Old Main, where the students will see scenes from plays and live performances of music.

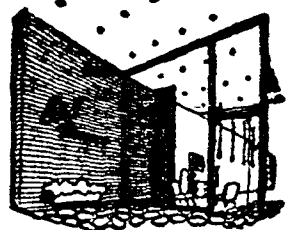
Biological Sciences I and II will cover the nature of living things, characteristics of living units, structural levels of organization, comparative physiology and a survey of living organisms.

Planning of the general education program has been under the direction of Dr. Howard A. Cutler, head of the Department of Economics. The various committees were headed by Dr. Winston R. Weisman, assistant professor of history of art and architecture, Arts I and II; Dr. Henry A. Finch, professor of philosophy,

the Humanities; Dr. Paul M. Alt-house, professor of agriculture and biological chemistry, the Biological Sciences; and Cutler, the Social Sciences.

The courses are open to students as electives.

The Aztecs are believed to have first settled on what is now the site of Mexico City about 1325.



Through the Looking Glass

with Jan

In this week's New Yorker, there was an interesting article about invisible advertising. It's something new for T.V. commercials. The words in the ad are, lightly flashed on the screen while the show is going on. The psychiatrists are enthusiastic about it, patents have been applied for and it's for real. But, until the era of the invisible word is upon us we'll still appreciate the little sign in Ethel's window that reads:

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P.S.—have a ball—see you next week!

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'State College of the Future' Featured in Downtown Window

By JACK McARTHUR

When you return to campus in 10, 20 or 30 years as "old grads," what changes will have been wrought in State College?

A possible answer to this question is on display in the window of the old Federal Savings and Loan Association at 106 W. College Ave. The display, entitled "State College Redevelopment—1957," was designed and constructed by senior architecture students

as a classroom project last spring.

Included in this forecast of the future of the State College downtown area are the creation of a park and walkway replacing South Allen Street from College Avenue to Beaver Avenue, a four story parking lot on the corner of College Avenue and Frazier Street, and roof parking from Calder Alley to Beaver Street between Allen Street and Frazier Street.

The park would contain sidewalks providing access to the stores on either side of the present Allen Street. In the center would be a landscaped area. Calder Alley traffic would be diverted over the park by means of an overpass.

The idea for the window display was initiated last spring at a meeting of the borough Committee for Community Planning, according to Eugene M. Fulmer, executive secretary of the State College Area Chamber of Commerce.

At this meeting, Dr. Albert Christ-Janer, director of the school of arts, suggested that such a display be installed. The display was placed in the window last week.

Fulmer said the display was valuable because it would stimulate thinking about redevelopment. Although the ideas may not be used as they are, he said, they should tend to crystallize ideas now in the minds of merchants about downtown planning.

In addition, once the germ of downtown planning is planted, it might spread to the residential areas, according to Fulmer. This would make the University more attractive to prospective students.

The students who prepared the project also gained, Fulmer said, because they received invaluable practical experience in civic planning.

Fulmer said a similar project was prepared by students a few years ago on the subject of an area swimming pool. Although no concrete action has been taken yet on this plan, all the ideas advanced showed promise, he said.

Orientation Counselors

The Women's Orientation Program Counselors will meet at 10 tonight in McElwain lounge.

Attendance is required. Special permissions will be granted.

Students Placed In Permanent Housing Units

Students temporarily housed in the large dormitory lounges and in the infirmary have been permanently placed in regular housing units.

Otto E. Mueller, director of housing, said that although in some cases three students are sharing dormitory rooms that usually hold two, the overcrowded situation has been greatly relieved.

Relocations are being made as rapidly as new openings are provided, he said.

At the same time, the department of housing is contacting students who are temporarily living in town, but who have made space reservations in dormitory units.

These students include persons who made prior reservations but were forced to secure temporary rooms in town until space is available.

Mueller said space still is available in Pollock 5 for graduate students who desire to live on campus.

WDFM Resumes Regular Schedule

WDFM, campus radio station operating at 91.1 megacycles on the FM dial, resumed its regular programming schedule Monday.

The station signs on the air daily at 6:45 p.m. The programs are the same as last year's with some additions.

These include a weekly report and discussion by members of All-University Cabinet; information on services offered at the University, sponsored by Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity; and a home economics show presented by coeds in the College of Home Economics.

Economics Club to Meet

The Economics Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in 109 Boucke.

Students interested in economics and its related fields may attend, regardless of college or curriculum.

Dorm Officers Nominations Set For Monday

Nominations for women's dormitory unit officers will be held Monday night.

The nominations will be held at 8:30 and 9 p.m. for freshmen and at 10 and 10:30 p.m. for upper-classwomen. Location of the meetings will be posted on dormitory bulletin boards.

The procedure was set up last night by the Women's Student Government Senate.

One Senate member will be present at each of the meetings.

Elections of dormitory officers will be held the following Monday.

Senate members also discussed sending members to talk with a representative of food service to find a possible solution to congestion in the dining hall lines in McElwain and Simmons Halls.

Last week the Senate suggested to Food Service that the hours for each of the three meals be extended 15 minutes.

Susanne Smith, WSGA president, said women may sign up for WSGA committees until noon Monday. Screening of the applicants will be at 7:15 p.m. Wednesday.

W3YA to Hold Meeting For Staff, Candidates

The staff of amateur radio station W3YA will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday in 219 Electrical Engineering.

The meeting is open to amateur radio operators interested in joining the staff. Activities for the year will be discussed and a tour of the radio station conducted.

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