Behind the ROTC Question

Compulsory Military Training Saurman Head Dates Back to Civil War Era

By PAT EVANS Third of a Series

Although the University's military training originally was established on a volun-

tary basis, compulsory training has been a tradition since the charge and or and charge with president; John Streeter, He also will discuss trends evi-Dr. Evan Pugh, first president of the University "put . . . our boys under military third vice president; Edward He also will discuss trends evi-training so that if called upon . . . they will not be ignorant of drill as too many of those Blackhurst; recording secretary; ences. Members of all University Frederick Greenleaf, treasurer; ences. Members of all University (Charles Skopic, historian; John may attend.

The Morrill Act, approved by Congress in 1862, provided federal assistance for col-Hunt, corresponding secretary; James Cober, alumni secretary;

Ed Students addition to courses in agriculture cadets. Will Attend Convention

be held in Lock Haven.

David Faust, senior in special program. education from Harrisburg, on Tuesday told council the only way to decide if the College of Education should join the organ-ization is to attend the confer-ence to see what its members do.

The association is made up of eastern colleges of education

Atomic Commission

abling Dr. Ralph P. Seward, pro-fessor of chemistry, to study the behavior of fused sodium hydrox-

ide. Seward is investigating the amount of various substances that will dissolve in fused sodium hy-droxide and the rates of some chemical changes occurring in substances discolved in bouid

substances dissolved in liquid sodium hydroxide

Grants Prof \$2095 A \$2095 grant from the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission is en-

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In 1870 the uniform became a

and members feit it would be feasible with financial and organ-izational help from the faculty. Sandra Grotsky, junier in elementary ed u c a t i o n from Glen Lyon, said the faculty was in favor of sending a book-let. She will take Council's ideas to the faculty. Discussion on the Big-Little a committee further investigates ish A meric an War, President George W. Atherton donned a uni-

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and letters from Allentown, has faculty at 4:10 p.m. today in 121 been elected president of Alpha Sparks.

Schilling to Speak **To Grad Faculty**

Dr. Harold K. Schilling, dean of the Graduate School, will ad-Kenneth Saurman, senior in arts dress the members of the graduate

Phi Omega, national service fra-ternity, for the spring semester. Other officers are: Frank Saurman, first vice pres-ident; Wayne Lippman, second vice president; John Streeter, third vice president; Educate



leges and universities which would offer military training in form and commanded the student arms.

and mechanical arts. The College accepted the Mor-rill Act's terms and fulfilled the terms until the end of the Civil War by offering training on a vol-untary basis to students. In 1862 the participants bought a flag and a drum and made wooden rifles for practice sessions. The Armory was built in 1888 The Armory was built in 1888 By 1912 instructions in military science were under the supervis-tion of the War Department, which a pointed a commandant of 3-for practice sessions. Editers. The Armory was built in 1888 By 1912 instructions in military science were under the supervis-tion of the War Department, which for practice sessions. Editers. The Armory was built in 1888 The Armory was built in 1888 By 1912 instructions in military science were under the supervis-tion of the War Department, which for practice sessions. By 1912 instructions in military science were under the supervis-tion of the War Department, which for practice sessions. By 1912 instructions in military science were under the supervis-tion of the War Department, which for practice sessions. By 1912 instructions in military science were under the supervis-tion of the War Department, which for practice sessions. By 1912 instructions in military science were under the supervis-tion of the War Department, which for practice sessions.

for practice sessions. The Education Student Council By 1865 an armory had been in 1917. An article in tomorrow's 10:00 has agreed to send delegates to set up in Old Main, with equip-the Eastern Association of Pro- ment supplied by the state. Presi-fessional Teachers conference to dent William H. Allen officially University since then the 11:00 University since then established a compulsory military

Dress for drill was "a fatigue suit of blue cloth to include a jacket or round about waist coat and trousers with blue buttons without military trimming and a black felt hat with a rim $2^{1}2^{1}$ inches wide."

activities and discuss common problems. John, R. Rackley, Dean of the each male student five feet or College of Education said the over "to have a dress uniform of College will pay the \$25 dues cadet grey with a black hat." If the council decided to join. The council agreed there is a Male

if the council decided to join. The council agreed there is a Male students under five feet need for an introductory booklet about the College of Education to be sent to incoming freshmen and members fait it would to uniform of sack sloth wort and and members feit it would be uniform of sack cloth, vest, and

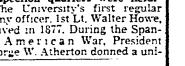




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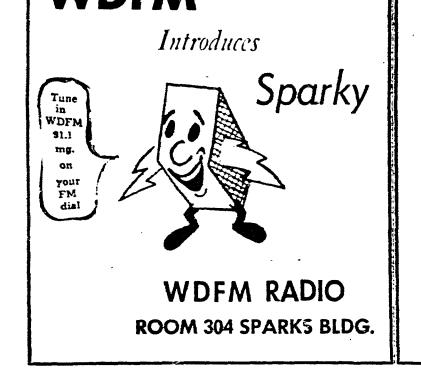
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