

# Prof To Speak About 'Ransom'

The Rev. John Meyendorff, professor of church history at St. Vladimir's Orthodox Theological Seminary, New York City, will speak at the 10:55 a.m. service Sunday in Schwab.

His topic will be "I Will Ransom Them from the Power of the Grave!"

Born in Neuilly-Sur-Seine, France, Meyendorff graduated from the Sorbonne and the Orthodox Theological Institute of Paris. He is a lecturer in Byzantine Theology at Harvard University and at the Dumbarton Oaks Research Library and Collection.

FORMERLY vice chairman of the Youth Department of the World Council of Churches, Meyendorff is a member of the Faith and Order Commission, and also heads Syndesmos, an international association of Orthodox youth movements.

Willa Taylor will direct the Chapel Choir in "Rejoice in the Lord Alway" by an anonymous 16th century writer.

Leonard Raver, chapel organist, will play selections from settings of the Advent hymn "How Bright Appears the Morning Star" by Andreas Armsdorff, Johann Pachelbel and Dietrich Buxtehude.

GENEVIEVE DILTS, director of the University Christian Association, will speak at the 9 a.m. service Sunday in the Helen Eakin Eisenhower Chapel. Her topic will be "How Bright Appears the Morning Star."

Ray Zeigler will direct the Meditation Choir during the service.

## Bureau Needs 20 Speakers

The Undergraduate Student Government Speakers Bureau still needs twenty people for the program of talks to high school groups over the Christmas Vacation. Susan Hackman, bureau chairman, said last night.

Across the state, 48 high schools have said they would like to have Penn State students tell their students about the University, she said. Miss Hackman added that 25 persons have responded so far to a request for participants in the program.

Interested persons should contact either Miss Hackman, at UN 5-8206, or Elizabeth Skade, Public Relations Commission chairman, at UN 5-8518.

Speakers are needed for the following high schools: Athens, Bethel Park, Bradford, Coughlin, Farrell, Honesdale, Jersey Shore, Kittaning, Lewistown and Milton.

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# Freshman Class Plans 5 Projects

The Freshman Class Advisory Board has tentatively decided to sponsor five main projects during the next two terms: Freshman Lecture Series, Freshman Weekend, Book Scholarship, Advisory Board Newsletter and Class Raffle.

THE PURPOSE of the newsletter is to keep class members informed on activities of the advisory board, Susan Schotz, chairman of the Newsletter committee,

said Monday night. The first issue of the publication will be distributed to Freshmen during the first week of winter term, she explained.

The Advisory board expects to hold the lecture series in the middle of winter term, and the class weekend sometime in May. The Lecture Series committee is now considering speakers, Carolee Foley, chairman, said. Several suggestions of the board are: former President Dwight D. Eisenhower, Pennsylvania Governor-elect Wil-

liam W. Scranton and former Nobel Prize winners.

Shirley Rubin, co-chairman of the Freshman weekend, said that a concert open to all students, and class picnic are possible features of the projected event. No specific dates or activities have been decided for either project however.

THE AMOUNT and number of book scholarships is dependent upon funds which the class is able to raise in support of this project, Ronald Sinoway, freshman class president said.

## Gulden Public Speaking Contest

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**Orientation Meeting**

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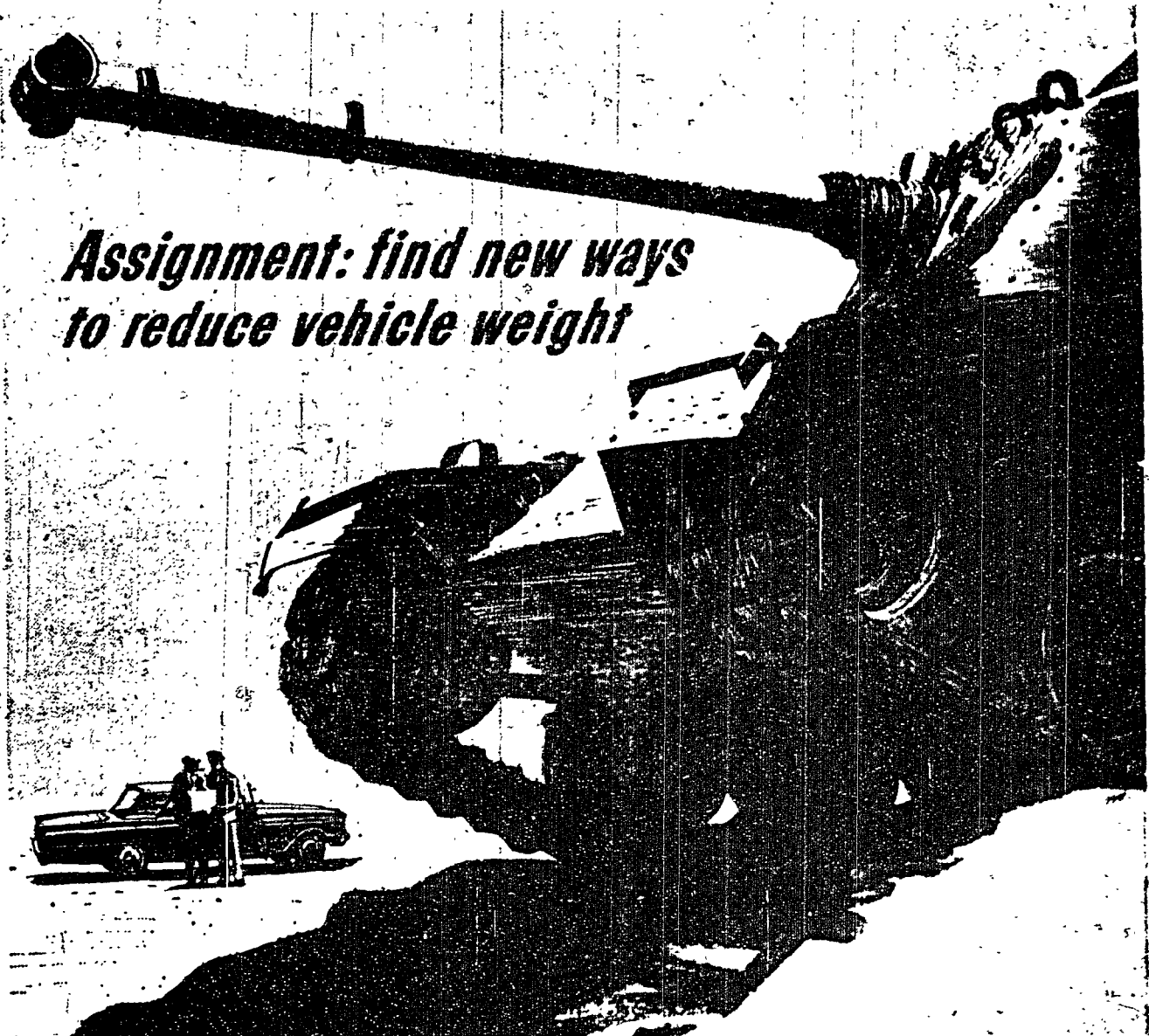
Blaine Shover will be organist.

The Hillel Foundation will hold its regular service at 8 p.m. Friday. Theresa Cohen, professor emerita of mathematics will speak.

Hillel will also hold a latke brunch at 10:30 a.m. Sunday at the Foundation. Latkes are potato pancakes served during the Hanukkah season.

Mass will be celebrated this Sunday at 7 a.m. in the chapel, 9:15, 10:15 and 11:15 a.m. in the Hetzel Union ballroom, and at 11:15 a.m. in the HUB Assembly hall.

The Newman Club will hold a Christmas party at 7 p.m. Saturday at the Penn State Student Catholic Center, 531 W. Fairmount Ave. The party is free to members and transportation will be provided to the Center from the front of the HUB at 6:45 p.m. Members planning to attend should notify their residence hall representatives today.



*Assignment: find new ways to reduce vehicle weight*

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