

Canoeing, Hiking, Skiing, Mountaineering

# Outing Club Offers Many Activities

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Did you know that the Penn State Outing Club is rated among the best outing organizations in the United States? PSOC, sponsored by the College of Physical Education, has come a long way since it began just 15 years ago with a membership of about 300 students and faculty. Today the club has a total membership of 800, although in one year the club's enrollment was nearly 1000.

The popularity of the Penn State Outing Club can be attributed to the flexibility of its informal program. PSOC is divided into four different sections: the rock climbing division, the ski division, the canoe division, and the cabin and trail division.

The rock climbing division has just completed an expedition to Wyoming, where the mountaineers climbed to the summit of the Grand Teton Mountain Range. Almost every weekend the division conducts a climbing trip. Safety and proper technique are taught and then stressed throughout the program, designed for both the beginner and the experienced mountain climber.

**'Double Duty' Members**  
The members of the ski division serve double duty as ski patrolmen and instructors during the winter. The ski division takes many short weekend excursions, plus two long ski-trips each year. The ski division also teaches first aid and sets up a ski-tow behind the stadium for local skiers.

The highlight of the canoe division's program is the annual trip to Algonquin Park in Ontario, Canada. The division sponsors two types of weekend trips — flat water and white water. A flat water trip requires little experience, while a trip on white water is for advanced canoeists only.

The cabin and trail division is responsible for many of the clearly marked trails in central Pennsylvania. Besides trail marking, the cabin and trail division also sponsors weekend hikes, overnight camps, and

cabin parties. The division sponsors at least one long hiking trip every year.

**Full Activity Range**  
Membership in the Outing Club is not restricted to any one of the four divisions; a member can participate in the activities of all the divisions, or specialize in just one activity. The yearly dues of \$3.50 permit a member to use any PSOC equipment.

The Penn State Outing Club has a complete ensemble of outdoor equipment, including skiing outfits, mountaineering equipment, first aid and rescue supplies, and even 12 canoes; all of the PSOC equipment can be rented for any length of time.

Harold B. White, associate professor of physical education, is the club's adviser; he has been active in the club almost since it began 15 years ago. White commented that more advisers are needed to assure the success of the Outing Club.

**The Men in Charge**  
Two prominent volunteer advisers in PSOC are Thomas Smyth, associate professor of entomology, and Chiko Haramaki, assistant professor of ornamental horticulture. Smyth specializes in mountaineering and canoeing, while Haramaki helps primarily in the ski division. Smyth has just completed the Forest Service Avalanche Course in Alta, Utah; he was one of the few skiers from the East invited to attend the course.

Donald Miller (14th-civil and sanitary engineering-Oxford) is president of PSOC. The vice president is W. Thomas Williams (13th-geological sciences-State College). Susan Conway (7th-general arts and sciences-State College) is the secretary, and Fred Ebert (7th-accounting-Allentown) is the club's treasurer.

Curt Rosser (7th-architecture-Levittown) is head of the climbing division. Sally Siedel (grad-microbiology-Spring City) leads the canoeing division. Mike Brugger (4th-agriculture-Westfield) is head of the cabin and trail division, and Chiko Haramaki,

assistant professor of ornamental horticulture, leads the ski division.

**Future Plans**  
Among the many activities scheduled by PSOC during the fall term are rock climbing at Seneca Rock, West Virginia, and Shawangunks, New York, canoeing on the Youghiogheny River and the Shenandoah Staircase, and a hike on Spruce Knob Ridge in West Virginia.

All persons interested in the Penn State Outing Club are cordially invited to attend

any meetings and activities. Membership in the club is open to students, faculty members, and residents of State College. Free instruction is provided for all beginners, and safety is stressed on every activity, from the shortest hike to the highest climb.

The Penn State Outing Club has an exceptional safety record; in the entire history of the club, there has never been a serious injury to any member during a PSOC activity.



MOUNTAINEERS OF the Penn State Outing Club relax after climbing to the summit of the Grand Teton in Wyoming. The climb was part of the PSOC summer program.



CAMPING IN the rough terrain surrounding Grand Teton Mountains in Wyoming is no problem for this member of the Penn State Outing Club.

## Business Council Gets Industry Men

Four executives of business and industry have been appointed members of the Visiting Council of the College of Business Administration of the University.

They are: F. Bruce Baldwin, Jr., president of Abbots Dairies and president and chief executive officer of Horn and Hardart Co., both in Philadelphia, Pa.; Thomas G. Gibian, vice president, W. R. Grace and Co., New York, N.Y.; Donald A. Hazlett, vice president, Mellon National Bank and Trust Co., Pittsburgh, Pa.; and James J. Kerley, New York, N.Y., senior vice president of finance and a director of Trans World Airlines.

E. T. Klassen, president of the American Can Co., serves as chairman of the Council, and Frederick J. Close, chairman of the board, Aluminum Corp. of America, is vice chairman. The three-year terms of William Elliott, chairman of the board, Philadelphia Life Insurance Co., and John T. Ryan, Jr., chairman of the board, Mine Safety Appliances Co., have expired.

The 12-member Visiting Council, explained Ossian R. MacKenzie, dean of the College of Business Administration, seeks to provide a source of informed counsel to the faculty of the College and to assist the College in developing and maintaining programs of instruction and research as well as continuing professional education in business ad-

ministration. The Business Executive-in-Residence program was instituted under the auspices of the Council.

Baldwin, who holds three University degrees, is a member of the University's Board of Trustees and also serves as a director of a number of business and industrial organizations as well as civic, educational, and political institutions.

A chemical engineer, Gibian was elected vice president of W. R. Grace and Co. in 1966. He is also group executive of the newly formed Technical Group and chief technical officer. He coordinates his firm's worldwide research and development activities and continues as president of the Research Division.

Besides serving the Mellon National Bank, Mr. Hazlett also serves as director of the Industrial Appraisal Co., Industrial Valuation Co., Community Chest of Allegheny County, and United Cerebral Palsy Association of Allegheny children, Donald C. and Mary A., are students at the University.

Kerley, a Philadelphia native, has had a range of experience in corporate finance, in industry, and as an educator. He has served on the faculty of Temple University, and before joining TWA was with Ling-Temco-Vought, Inc.; Smith Barney and Co.; Ford Motor Co.; and the Crosley Division of Avco Corp. He was named senior vice president of TWA in 1965.

## Delinquent Gang Researcher Named Assistant Soc Prof

Laurence T. Cagle, a former research associate at Syracuse University who has done a number of studies on delinquent gangs, has been named assistant professor of sociology at the University.

Cagle formerly served with the Syracuse University Youth Development Center. He received his bachelor's degree from Alfred University, N.Y., and his master's degree from Syracuse.

## Mulay To Head Section

L. N. Mulay, associate professor of solid state science in the Materials Research Laboratory, has been elected by unanimous vote of the solid state science faculty to become the chairman of the newly reorganized solid state science section in the department of materials science at the University.

This section, with about seventy doctoral students, represents a major interdisciplinary graduate program in chemistry, physics, planetary sciences, etc.

The program has been in operation for the past six years

and was reorganized last July. Rustum Roy, director of the Materials Research Laboratory, headed the former solid state technology program since its inception in 1960.

Professor Mulay held various academic appointments in the chemistry departments at Northwestern, Harvard and at the University of Cincinnati prior to joining the University in 1963, and to date has directed the research of fourteen graduate students in chemistry, physics, and solid state science.

He is the author of more than seventy research publica-

tions in magnetochemistry, magnetic resonance and Mossbauer spectroscopy, and the author of a monograph on "Magnetic Susceptibility."

He is a member or fellow of several professional organizations and honor societies, including the American and British Chemical Society, the Royal Institute of Chemistry, American Physical Society, New York Academy of Sciences, Phi Lambda Upsilon and Sigma Xi.

He is currently the chairman of the Central Pennsylvania Section of the American Chemical Society.

## Draft Interpretation Announced

The Department of Military Science has announced this interpretation of the new draft law to help students plan their compulsory military service.

A student enrolling in the University for the fall term retains his current draft classification, e.g. I-A. To obtain a II-S deferred student classification, he must apply through the university to his local draft board. This deferment precludes his being drafted so long as he remains enrolled as a full-time student in an undergraduate status.

However, upon termination of a II-S deferment, a student

is liable for induction as a registrant within the prime age group, irrespective of his actual age. This liability currently extends to age 35. Normal liability without deferment ceases at age 26.

If no deferment is requested and a student is ordered

to report for induction, he automatically is classified I-S. This permits him to complete his academic year prior to induction.

Any students with questions may contact the Professor of Military Science in 212 Wagner Building.

## RAM Plot Uncovered

(Continued from page one) cyanide in food distributed free to police on riot duty, as well as in restaurants in which "policemen and citizens would be taking food and drink."

The key to uncovering that plot was information offered by a man identified by Specter as Hilton Louis Jones, 22, who said he was a member of the plotting group.

Specter said Jones went to the Philadelphia office of the FBI last week and turned over more than a half pound of potassium cyanide, "sufficient to kill at least 4,500 persons, according to experts."

## Nurse Ray Named Assistant Professor

Ruth M. Ray has been appointed assistant professor of nursing in the college of human development at the University.

A graduate of Sewickley Turnpike High School and the Western Pennsylvania Hospital School of Nursing, she earned the bachelor of science degree in nursing and the master of arts degree with a major in nursing education at the University of Pittsburgh.

Miss Ray came to Penn State from the Western Pennsylvania Hospital School of Nursing where she had been associate director for three years. She also has been em-

ployed by the University of Michigan Hospitals as well as in a number of hospitals in Western Pennsylvania. Her previous experience is equally balanced between nursing service and nursing education. She also has served on the faculty of the School of Nursing of the University of Pittsburgh.

Miss Ray has assumed the duties of clinical teacher in Medical-Surgical Nursing at the Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh, where Penn State nursing students take their clinical courses.



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