



Ivan Booker Discusses Educational Highlights

A program highlighting the professional aspect of education today will be presented tonight at 8 p.m. in Steele Auditorium. The guest speaker will be Dr. Ivan A. Booker, an Executive Member from the office of Field Operations of National Educational Association, who will talk on "A Profession on the Move."

Under the leadership of Mary Catherine O'Brien, chairman of the Program Committee, the CSC Local Branch of the PSEA will serve as host to the Association's affiliate members from the four county areas of Fayette, Greene, Washington and Westmoreland. Mrs. Mary R. DeCarlo is the current president of the CSC Local Branch.

Dr. Booker, who is also director of the National Educational Association Membership Division, has had long and varied experiences as a member of the NEA staff. Joining the staff in 1931 as associate director of the Research Division, he later worked in both the Division of Legislation and Federal Relations and the Division of Press and Radio Relations. He has been Director of Membership since July 1958.

While with Press and Radio, Dr. Booker was in charge of promoting American Education Week and devoted special attention to the public relations film project which NEA carries out in cooperation with the State education associations.

Before coming to NEA, Dr. Booker had six years experience in the public schools of Indiana and Illinois as classroom teacher, principal, and superintendent of schools. Through the years he has done summer-school teaching in various colleges and universities, including the University of Colorado, University of Michigan and Boston University. He is a member of numerous professional associations, and has written and edited a variety of educational materials—books, brochures and articles.

Parking facilities adjacent to the Steele Auditorium will be directed by members of the Circle "K" Club. Aides at the meeting will be members of the Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority.

In addition to the speaker, the Fine Arts Department, under the directorship of Mr. William Dovenspike, Assistant Professor and Choral Director, will present the college choral group in a series of musical selections. The organist is Willa Pearson, a student at CSC.

Following the program, refreshments will be served at the social hour in Steele Auditorium by the Social Committee.



Dr. Ivan A. Booker



Miss O'Brien



Mrs. DeCarlo

'64-'65 Class Election Qualifications Posted

In order to comply with the requirements of the election regulations, elections for 1964-1965 class elections must be held.

Nominating Assemblies

Assemblies for nominating officers will be called and conducted by the Class Presidents.

Eligibility

Class membership is determined by the number of credits earned. To be eligible for nominations, a candidate must be sure that he will have earned the required number of credits by May 30, 1964. For membership in the class of 1965, a minimum of 92 credits are required; for the class of 1966, a minimum of 60 credits are required; for the class of 1967, 30 credits.

A candidate must have a 2.00 average or better and must not be on academic probation. No candidate may hold more than one class office.

A petition containing 30 or more signatures must be presented at the nomination assembly for each nominee. Petitions are available in the Director of Student Activities office.

Election

The general election, under the supervision of Student Congress, will be held Friday, May 1, in the

Sixth Annual Science Fair Opens Here

The sixth annual Benzene Ring Science Fair officially opened last Wednesday with the entering of the student's science exhibits.

Mr. J. Robert Craig, advisor to the Benzene Ring, announced that the exhibits will be judged this morning by professors and representatives from local industries. Those interested in seeing the exhibits may do so today between 1-5 and 6-9 p.m. and also tomorrow between 8 a.m. and 9 p.m. On Saturday morning the awards will be made by members of the Benzene Ring and local industry representatives.

Awards will be donated by the following industries: Guttman Oil Co., Brownsville Telegraph, Lee Norse Co., Penna. Industrial Chemical Co., Valley Independent, Corning Glass Works, Allied Chemical Co., Weber Furniture Co., and Coen Oil Co.

CSC Professor Named WPC Special Consultant

Professor John F. Lewis, an expert in biology and botany, has been named chief naturalist of the Western Pennsylvania Conservancy. Appointment of Mr. Lewis was announced by Charles F. Lewis, president of the Conservancy at 204 Fifth Ave., Pittsburgh, and no relation.

Professor Lewis, head of the science department at California State College, will be a special consultant, succeeding the late Dr. O. E. Jennings.



John F. Lewis

The newly-appointed consultant already has started to compile inventories of plant and bird life in the Conservancy's extensive Kaufmann Conservation in the Bear Run Valley.

This is a rich, natural area soon to be made available for public use.

A teacher of natural sciences at CSC for twenty years, Mr. Lewis is a graduate of Susquehanna University and holds a masters degree from the University of Pittsburgh.

He is working towards a doctorate, based on years of taxonomic and ecological research in Fayette County.

Mr. Lewis also has done research and field study on governmental forest control in the Far West.

Research Agronomist Lectures Tomorrow

Dr. A. A. Hanson, Research Agronomist, United States Department of Agriculture, Beltsville, Maryland, will present an illustrated lecture entitled: "Grass-A Neglected Crop" in Steele Auditorium tomorrow at 1 p.m.

Dr. Hanson, an outstanding scientist, is coming here as part of the Science Fair program which began yesterday and will continue until Saturday. He will use Kodachrome slides to illustrate his material, which deals with a very important phase of the world's economy. He is a visiting lecturer for the American Society of Agronomy.

Directing research on the improvement of forage and turf grasses, Dr. Hanson is stationed at the Plant Industry station at Beltsville. He was on the staff of MacDonald College, Quebec from 1946 to 1949. He then joined the United States Department of Agriculture to conduct genetic studies on the grasses and legumes at the U.S. Regional Pasture Research at University Park, Pa. He received the USDA Superior Service Award in 1961 and served as forage consultant in Latin America.

Additional Programs

Dr. Hanson will meet with the combined staffs of the Science and Geography Departments at 8 p.m. on Friday evening in the Audio-Visual Education classroom in Old Main. There he shall present the subject of "Problems and Progress in Developing Grasses for Special Purposes," which deals with cytogenetics. A social hour will follow his lecture.

On Saturday, Dr. Hanson will speak before the South-western Pennsylvania Science Teachers Association in Room 127, New Science Building. The subject will be "The Role of Agronomic Research in Society." This program will begin at 10 a.m.

WAC Major On Campus

Major Helen Kachmar, Women's Army Corps Officer from Pittsburgh will be available for interviews with interested Junior and Senior students at CSC tomorrow. Major Kachmar will explain the program offered by the United States Army.

The United States Army has two programs of interest to college women, seniors may apply for direct commission and go into the Army as a lieutenant upon graduation. New officers are well trained by the army for their assignments. These include such varied fields as education, public information, communications, personnel, intelligence, supply finance and special services.

College junior women may receive an orientation to the army by applying for a special program. They are sent to an army post as guests of the army for four weeks during the summer. The orientation includes lectures and practical work on various phases of the army, a tour of the post and planned social activities. There is no obligation on the part of the college junior.

Colonial Room from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Election Procedures

1. The voter is to present his Photo-Matric card in order to receive a ballot.
2. The name of each voter will be checked off the official student roster.
3. No proxy voting will be permitted.
4. Only full-time students are eligible to vote.
5. Loitering in the polling area is not permitted.
6. Voters shall leave immediately upon voting.

Campaign Procedures

1. No campaigning is to occur within ten feet of the doors or within the Colonial Room itself on the day of the general election.
2. Posters are to be placed on the bulletin boards only. They are not to exceed a 14"x22" size. They must be stamped **Approved for Posting**.
3. The posters are not to be displayed until 5 days prior to the general election.
4. All posters are to be removed by 8:00 a.m. the day following the election.

STUDENTS ELECT JOHNSON PRESIDENT

Lyndon Johnson was elected President of the United States, at least by the Intercollegiate Conference on Government which met in Harrisburg, April 9-11. President Johnson defeated Margaret Chase Smith and Governor Scranton, who were the Republican nominees.

This conference, which was attended by twelve California State College students, was organized as a national nominating convention for the presidential year 1964. Platforms were written on such issues as civil rights, taxation, labor, foreign affairs and governmental organization.

At a regional meeting during the conference, Miss Donna Domon, a junior majoring in Spanish, was elected regional secretary for the

SPORTS SHOTS

by larry melnick



Baseball—

CSC's baseball team played its first game last Thursday against Washington and Jefferson and showed the coaches and the few fans who attended the game that they should have a powerful ball club this year. In the game California had five extra base hits and many clearly hit singles.

Mike Leson, playing center field, hit the first home run of the season over the center-field fence some 380 feet from home-plate. Tom Virag had two doubles for the afternoon. Don Smith and Walt Sigut also had two doubles for the afternoon.

Ted Barnett, a freshman from North Union High School, showed tremendous skill around second base. Barnett has a great deal of speed and quick hands. He is also skilled with the bat getting two timely singles in the ball game. He will show CSC fans how to play second base for many years to come.



Ted Barnett, (Second Base)

Coach Mitch Bailey used five pitchers in the first game mainly to have them get the feel of actual game competition. The five pitchers were: Dennis Sollon, Bernie Kalocay, Joe Katko, John Cott and Frank Pilsitz.

Dennis Sollon, who pitched the first two innings, showed excellent potential giving up only one hit. He has a fine curve and a good fast ball. Sollon could be the big winner for CSC this year.

Bernie Kalocay, who was CSC's best pitcher last season, was touched for two big runs in the first of the two innings that he pitched. CSC rooters should not be alarmed at this fact for Kalocay threw nothing but his fast ball in that first inning and W and J hitters were digging in and just trying to meet his pitches. In the second inning that he pitched he struck out two batters and a third grounded out. He got his strike outs with his fast ball and his curve.

Although the Gun Club Field is not located on CSC's campus all California students should make an effort to try and arrange a ride to the field to support their ball club.

Golf—

Led by Tom DeRosa, CSC golf team invaded Slippery Rock State College for the first match of the year and were trounced 13-2. Although it was a gloomy afternoon for the Vulcans Tom DeRosa came through with probably the biggest individual victory of the season by defeating Bob Byler 2-1.



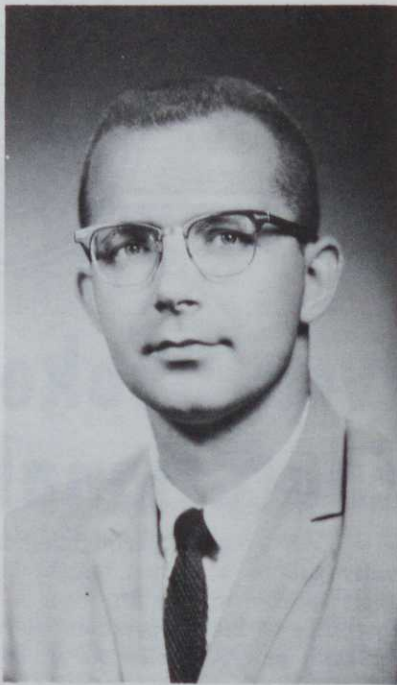
Tom DeRosa

DeRosa, who is probably the best golfer in CSC's history, defeated the state's best golfer by two strokes 72-76. On the front nine DeRosa last a point to Byler losing by one stroke. Then on the back nine DeRosa beat Byler by five strokes and picked up one point and another point for winning the match.

Other members of the golf team include: Don and Alex Shufran, John Bolingodski, George Samiga and Claude Behhing.

Tennis Coach Discusses This Year's Prospects

The CSC tennis team has begun its defense of their District 30 championship. In an interview with the tennis coach, Mr. Allen Welsh, the mentor said that "it is impossible to tell at this time what the outcome of the season will be." The reasons given for this are that only two of the six positions on the tennis team have been filled. These positions are in the hands of returning lettermen Bruno Zenone and Chris Howells. The other four open slots in the lineup are still vacant because of injuries and inclement weather. Mr. Welsh says that these factors have prevented him from seeing the entire team in enough practice or competition action. The coach states that as soon as he is able to view the performances of the other candidates, he will be in a better position to give a prediction of the showing of the 1964 CSC tennis team.



DEAN OF MEN Allen G. Welsh

During the interview, Mr. Welsh also expressed a strong desire "to see more of the CSC student body attend the tennis matches." The coach stated that when the team travels to other colleges, the crowd is usually quite large. A team's morale is helped greatly when there is a group of fans present to cheer their performance and this year's bright outlook will encourage more students to follow the tennis team.

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