

# WOMEN

## RUMOR

Ever since last June when girls' clubs were given permission by the College Trustees to petition for membership in national fraternities, the air has been filled with rumors circulating on the campus and in town about the intentions and prospects of the various clubs in their endeavors to secure national charters. Speculation on a subject of such wide interest is to be expected, and any club welcomes friendly in rest in its progress toward the goal it hopes to attain, but a club may rightfully object to the circulation of doubtful reports and lavish advice by uninformed persons.

Never has the atmosphere been so hazy with contradictions as it is now. One may hear almost anything. One week it is rumored that a certain club is going national before spring, the next week that it has no chance whatever of obtaining a charter from the fraternity of its choice, and the following week that it has not even decided what fraternity to petition. It is human nature to repeat anything new and interesting, but even interesting things may be annoying to those concerned if they are untrue.

Remember that unless you have received your information officially from the members of the club in question that they may know more about their affairs than you. Don't broadcast the mistakes you may have detected in their policy. Give your counsel directly; don't let it reach them second-hand. Again, it's not so much what you say as how you say it. Must we be the ones to prove the frequent accusation that women are feline?

## MRS. HETZEL IS GUEST OF HONOR AT GIRLS' TEA

Mrs. Ralph D. Hetzel will be the guest of honor at the Campus Club Council's annual tea for freshmen and new girls tomorrow afternoon from three to five o'clock in the Women's Building. Mrs. Clara C. Phillips, Penn State's only woman trustee, is also expected to be present.

Town girls are to call at Dean Day's office for their invitations.

## WOMEN'S BUILDING SIX TRIPS MAC HALL, 30-6

### Cottage Players Bow Before Skill of Town Girls in Fast Game, 29-2

Basketball season opened Monday night in the Armory when Women's Building downed MacHall 30 to 6 and the town girls piled up a score of 29 to 2 against the girls from the cottages.

A keen spirit of rivalry between the dormitory teams made the first clash a real struggle. "Hap" Frank proved his ability at the outset and gained the greater part of the Women's Building score through her steady playing. Robertson knew how to rush the ball and throw in the first basket at the start of the game. The MacHall team did not show the alertness of their opponents, although Pomeroy and McClatchy showed speed.

The second contest lacked the spirit of the first, although less fouls and break were made. Gould and Hudnall were outstanding stars on the town team and Bulbeck and Hartz the star players for the cottages.

The basketball schedule includes the intramural series of six games to be played before the end of the month, and the annual class tournament to be played after February twenty-seventh when the class teams will be organized.

Betty Hazel '28, has been elected sport manager, and the following girls were elected class managers: Mary Mather '27, Lola Ash '28, and Tony Falcone '29. Freshman manager has not been chosen. The team captains are Pete Pomeroy '28, MacHall; Lids Robertson '27, Women's Building; Sara Hartz '28, cottages, and Pete Hudnall '29, town girls.

## Omicron Nu Gives Prize And Initiates New Girls

The prize given by Omicron Nu for the highest scholarship record made by a freshman in the department of home economics last year was awarded to Mrs. N. R. Roberts '29.

The prize was "The Life of Ellen H. Richards." An award will be made each year to stimulate interest in scholarship among the freshman girls in the home economics department.

Girls taken into Omicron Nu this semester are Pauline Chapman '27, Avalyn Kiser '27 and Margaret Pheasant '27. Formal initiation was held at the home of Mrs. C. E. Bulinger, 615 Foster Avenue.

SENIOR BALL—FEBRUARY 11

## Co-eds Coast and Ski and Slide When Work Is Dull and Nights Are Moonlight

With the coming of winter, Penn State girls have turned from hockey, tennis, volley ball and other fall games to winter sports. The advantages of hills give opportunities for sleighing, coasting, tobogganing and sleighing. Don't we envy those girls who find leisure hours to don heavy clothes and start out in the cold, dragging a sled or carrying a pair of skis or snow shoes? With cold, crisp weather, snow-covered hills or moonlight nights, we find ample reason for abandoning our warm rooms and joining those lucky girls.

For those girls who do not have their own equipment, the Women's Athletic Association supplies sleds, skis and snow shoes. These may be taken from the Athletic Association room in Mc-

Allister Hall with permission from Coach Marie Haidt. At present the supply is adequate but if increased enthusiasm continues for winter sports more equipment will be necessary.

The most popular sport of all is coasting either at night or during the day. Sleighting seems to be another enjoyable pastime. Ice-skating is a favored recreation, but unfortunately Penn State is lacking in the proper skating facilities, although later it may be possible to add to our list of outdoor activities. Winter sports each year are gaining a greater number of enthusiasts and promise to become an increasing factor in our college life.

## Reception Held for Penn State President

(Continued from first page) received with thanks. No mention was made of black tie and history and "Bill" Pritchard, tribunal head, watched the entire proceedings with a suspicious eye.

A College yell and the singing of the Alma Mater concluded the student reception to the tenth president of Penn State.

## New Members Secured By Town Girls' Club

The membership campaign of the Town Girls' Club has finished with the team captained by Mary Edmiston '28, leading by eighteen dollars over the team captained by Garnet Fisher '28. Consequently, the party which will be held within the next few weeks will be given by the losing team. Twenty-five new members were secured during the drive.

## Honorary Club Will Give Musical Program

The Louise Homer Club, girls' honorary musical organization, is making preparations for a meeting to be held January nineteenth at the home of Director R. W. Grant at 528 West Fairmount Avenue. The musical program will be in charge of Harriet Foster '27, chairman, Ada Romig '28, Grace Watts '27 and Alice Pettigrew '27.

## BIG JANUARY SALE

SCHLOW'S QUALITY SHOP

## Sophomores Plan One Orchestra for Dance

(Continued from first page) few months. Coming directly from engagements in Boston and Detroit, the band played for the Junior Prom at the University of Pennsylvania during the Thanksgiving holidays. During the Christmas and New Years season the orchestra entertained in the Bellevue-Stratford, Philadelphia.

Dan Murphy is slated to appear in Ithaca in the near future to play at the Cornell Prom. After these engagements the orchestra will report to the Victor Recording rooms in Camden, New Jersey, where it will record for that company. The group carries several performers and vaudeville entertainers.

## Week End of Activity

Three Penn State athletic teams meet formidable opponents during the week end of the Hop. The Nittany wrestlers meet the Pennsylvania team and the Lion boxers go against the freshmen of New York University on the Saturday afternoon following the formal. The same evening the basketball five plays the University of Pittsburgh quintet.

In an effort to deviate from the regular plan of cloth decorations, the committee intends to use fresh flowers and greens to beautify the Armory for the occasion. The whole idea will be in a Spanish effect and, according to the committee, will be a satisfactory change from the usual tendency in the way of decorating.

SENIOR BALL—FEBRUARY 11

## Greet New President With Informal Parade

(Continued from first page) hour, the respective deans and department heads making introductions within their schools.

Dr. and Mrs. Hetzel received all faculty members and wives from the School of Agriculture and the Institute of Animal Nutrition from eight until eight forty-five o'clock. The second group, which included the faculty of the Schools of Engineering and Education and the Departments of Physical Education and Military Science greeted the new executive for the next forty-five minutes.

The third group, which met the President and Mrs. Hetzel from nine-thirty until ten-fifteen o'clock, included the faculty members and wives of the School of Liberal Arts and the administrative staff.

Orchestrations by a group of specially selected musicians under the leadership of Director R. W. Grant gave a colorful atmosphere to the affair which was strictly formal. Refreshments were served by women studying home economics.

## Combined Parents' Day Plan Is Turned Down

(Continued from first page) been approved by the faculty. A motion then passed to permit freshmen to entertain out-of-town girls over the week-end of the Military Fall.

J. C. Belfield '28 was named chairman of a student committee on athletics to cooperate with the faculty group concerning the same phase of undergraduate activity. The function of the group will be to express the opinion of the students on matters which come before the faculty board. President Reeder concluded the meeting by expressing a desire that future Student Councils send Christmas greetings to the deans of the various schools of the College and to members of the Board of Trustees, a precedent set by the present body.

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## FRATERNITIES COMPETE IN FLOOR TOURNAMENT

### Opening Games Scheduled for Tuesday—Eight Teams to Play Each Night

Penn State's interfraternity basketball tournament will open Tuesday night when the first four games on the schedule are played. Thereafter games will be in progress every Tuesday and Thursday nights, two being played at eight and two at nine o'clock.

Fraternity managers are requested to have their teams on the floor promptly at the time they are scheduled to play. Seven men from each fraternity will be excused from Physical Education classes during the week their fraternity is scheduled to play. The failure of any team to appear on the date scheduled will mean forfeiture of the game.

All matters pertaining to interfraternity basketball should be referred to A. H. Wille, interfraternity basketball manager, Chi Phi house. Games to be played during the following week will be announced each Friday in the Collegian.

Following is the schedule for next week: Tuesday, January 18, 8:00 p. m., Phi Kappa Nu vs. Chi Phi, Phi Gamma Delta vs. Chi Upsilon; 9:00 p. m., Delta Pi vs. Phi Kappa Psi, Kappa Sigma vs. Beta Sigma Rho; Thursday, January 20, 8:00 p. m., Delta Upsilon vs. Phi Kappa Tau, Phi Kappa Alpha vs. Delta Sigma Chi; 9:00 p. m., Omega Mu Rho vs. Alpha Phi Sigma, Tau Phi Delta vs. Friends Union.

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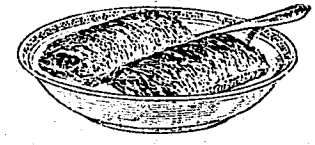
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