

Cwens Expect 400 At Formal Tonight

Mid tulle, gardenias, and stiff collars, the fall's first formal will get underway tonight at the Cwen Dance in White Hall from 9 to 12 p.m.

About 200 couples will dance to the music of Rex Rockwell, according to today's rough estimate of advance ticket sales by Louise M. Fuoss '43, president.

An Anglo-Saxon setting of murals by Jean C. Craighead '41 and the portrait of a noblewoman surrounded by lighted tapers will feature the decorations. A casement window effect together with paper mask and foils on the walls will carry out the medieval idea. Red, white, and black colors are to be carried throughout. The Cwen crown and scepter will highlight the hemlock boughs surrounding the orchestra platform at one end of the gymnasium.

Proceeds of the dance will be used for two or three scholarships awarded to sophomore women next semester.

Three Sororities Initiate Eleven

Eleven women who pledged last year will be initiated this weekend into three of the 13 sororities on campus.

Alpha Chi Omega will initiate Helen J. Chiappy '43, Pauline Crossman '43, Betty J. Lindenmuth '43, and Dorothy L. Magor '43 at the Reformed Church at 4 p.m. tomorrow.

Gamma Phi Beta pledges, R. Shirley Mason '43, Jeanne Matthes '43, Helen M. Quackenbush '42, Barbara J. Reese '43, and Jewell M. Young '43, will be initiated at 6 p.m. tomorrow and at 10:30 a.m. Sunday.

Frances A. Leiby '43 and Jacqueline M. Reese '43, will be initiated into Kappa Alpha Theta at 1:15 p.m. Sunday.

Collegiate Digest Offers Cash For Campus Shots

Do you want to make some easy money—and put your hobby to good use? Well, here's an easy way to do it!

Take your camera to the next event on the campus and secure some good pictures. The Collegiate Digest is looking for news and human-interest pictures of events and personalities on college campuses, and they will pay the professional price of \$3 for each photo upon acceptance.

The pictures must be of good quality gloss print at least 4"x6" in size with proper captions giving full details. Action shots are preferred. Unused photographs will be returned to the sender.

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CAMPUS CALENDAR

TODAY:

Senior engineering lecture Room 110 Electrical Engineering Building at 4:10 p. m.

Succoth services and social gathering at Beta Sigma Rho, 7:30 p. m.

Students Art Group will meet in Room 415 Old Main at 8 p. m. Public invited.

Cwen Dance in White Hall 9 to 12 p. m.

SUNDAY:

AZA meeting in Hillel Foundation at 2 p. m.

We, The Women— Sororities Admit Rushing Evils

THAT SORORITIES voted nine to two against taking freshman women to chapel seems a frank admission that they find the prolonged rushing season has again been proven unsuccessful. Already this year a "gentleman's agreement" has been necessary to call the wolves off. That regulations have had to be modified or clarified in the past proves that it is time to take action.

Time and time again the same cry has opposed the existing plan. The answer is always in the negative and includes the fact that freshmen should have the opportunity to orientate themselves before facing the question of whether to "go sorority."

But how, we ask, can they acustom themselves to the social and scholastic sides of College when sorority women camp in their rooms from breakfast until dormitory closing hours. And how can sorority women pursue studies and activities when they must keep on a freshman's trail lest some other house get the "inside track?"

It is fine and dandy to talk of "free associations" and the benefits freshmen derive from meeting outstanding sorority women. It is a good idea. But it just doesn't work. For, since "free contacting" has existed on the campus the good which has come from it has been overshadowed by the rushing bugaboo which, like a snowball rolling downhill gains in momentum and size until suddenly all else is shut from sight.

It is too late to completely revise this year's code, but during second semester Panhellenic Council will be drawing up next year's rules. If all houses consent to a short first semester rush season or to a silent first semester with formal rushing second semester what could stand in their way?

The time has come to change the old system.

Williams Explains PSCA To Freshman Council

Dr. C. O. Williams, Acting Chairman of the PSCA Board of Directors, conducted a round table discussion on the meaning of the PSCA at the initial meeting of the Freshman Council Tuesday.

Committees for the coming year were set up by D. Nedlinegar, associate secretary of the PSCA and advisor of the group, assisted by Harold J. Berger '42, chairman of freshman men's work.

Council officers will be nominated at the PSCA cabin retreat tomorrow. Freshmen attending this meeting will return to State College Sunday morning.

Grange Women Petition For Dorm Improvements

Removal of the curb or installation of a canopy at the main entrance of Grange Dormitory was suggested by Mrs. Neva M. Morris, chaperone, in a petition which Grange women sent to Miss Emma F. Richardson, supervisor of women's dormitories yesterday.

Requests were also made for a coca cola dispensary, a sewing machine, lamps for the lobby, a sleeve board in the pressing room, and curtains for the playroom.

Slacks-Party Postponed

The slacks party for freshmen and transfers, sponsored by Lakonides, women's physical education honorary, will be held next Thursday evening at White Hall. Originally scheduled for last night, the party was postponed because of the President's reception.

Freshmen Tea Dance

Freshmen in Women's building entertained at a tea dance from 4 to 5 p.m. yesterday. Mae Belle Wood and Virginia Lee Jackson served on the social committee.

Want To Reduce? Doctors Tell How

"Learn self-denial and avoid starchy and carbohydrate foods," Dr. Harriet M. Harry, College physician, advises those who want to lose that extra avoirdupois during their college careers.

According to Dr. Ruby Cunningham, staff physician at Cowell, California Hospital, weight reduction can be accomplished by college women without loss of stamina or other harmful effects. To this Dr. Harry adds that if you want to reduce, seek your doctor's advice.

"Women who want to reduce should include adequate amounts of protein and vitamins in their diets," Dr. Cunningham cautioned. "Either two average servings of lean meat, fish or fowl, or one serving of meat and a large serving of cottage cheese is advisable. It is also well to include liver in weight reduction diets."

"Be sure to have three meals a day," Dr. Harry insists. Her lists of "omits" include ice cream, cake, pie, cokes, potatoes, rice, macaroni, and all beans except those of string variety.

An average reducing diet which should vary according to the individual, according to Dr. Harry is—breakfast: fruit or fruit juice, cooked cereal, toast, egg, bacon, milk or coffee; lunch: salad, milk, fruit dessert, one vegetable; dinner: meat, fish or fowl, two vegetables, and dessert or salad substitute.

That's a starter for your well-worn resolutions to reduce, and if you're really serious, you'd better close your eyes when dessert time rolls around.

Five Fraternity Dances Scheduled

Alpha Gamma Rho, Alpha Sigma Phi, Phi Kappa Sigma, Sigma Chi, and Sigma Phi Alpha are entertaining this weekend with pledge dances, dinners, and cabin parties.

The Hallowe'en dinner dance at the AGR house is a costume affair, and starts at 6:30 p.m. today to the tune of the Statesmen. Tomorrow, the weekenders will hike and eat near Whipple's Dam at the cabin of W. R. Whitacre, assistant professor of agricultural economics.

Sigma Chi pledges will stage their own floor show when the Campus Owls play at the house from 9 to 12:30 today for their informal dance.

Dancing at the house at 9 p.m. today, and a weiner roast and song fest at the cabin tomorrow afternoon highlight the Sigma Phi Alpha weekend.

Harvest time will be the theme of the Phi Kappa Sigma informal pledge dance, when the Nittany Nine play from 9 to 12 tomorrow.

Alpha Sigma Phi will hold its pledge dance in an "Air Raid Shelter" from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. tomorrow. Dress will be informal in keeping with the "Air Raid Shelter" motif.

Journalists Entertain

Twenty women journalism majors were guests of Theta Sigma Phi, women's journalism honorary, at a coffee hour in the Alpha Chi Omega suite from 6:30 to 7:30 p. m. last night.

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Fleming Defeats King For Golf Championship

Janet L. Fleming '42 defeated Marge King '42 two and one on the college links yesterday to cop the coed golf championship.

This match marked their third consecutive meeting in the finals, with Miss Fleming victorious last year and a tie resulting in 1938.

Louise Homer Club Pledges 20 Women

Twenty women including 19 students and one honorary member were pledged by the Louise Homer Club, women's music honorary, at a meeting in Atherton Hall this week.

Honorary member is Mrs. Gail B. Pope, Atherton Hall hostess. Seniors are: Velma L. Clark and Hazel Strobe; juniors: Jean Babcock, Dorothy F. Beam, Elsie Gabrielsen, Dorothy H. Grossman, Janet M. Hartz, Elsie J. Lund, Carolyn Moorhead, Sara P. Searle, Grace M. Seip and Marjorie H. Stockett; sophomores: Martha N. Albert, Marion T. Ferrigno, Jean Fisher, Elizabeth E. Munroe, Dorothy Spielman, Ila J. Trotter and Kathryn E. Walker.

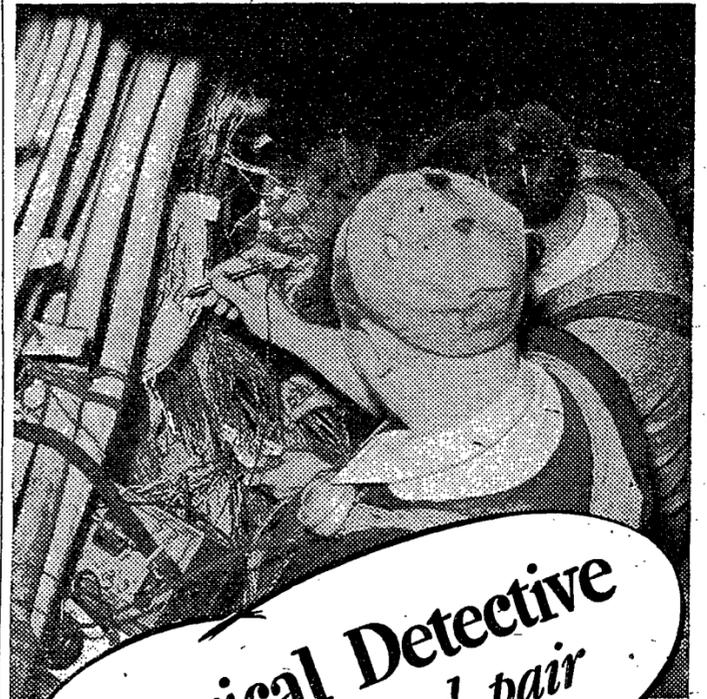
Country Fair Set By WSGA Group

Fortune-telling, apple bobbing, and games will be featured at the Hallowe'en Party sponsored by WSGA Junior Service Board in Atherton Hall lounges from 10 to 12 p.m. Wednesday, October 30 for Atherton Hall coeds.

Lounges transformed to resemble a County Fair complete to game and refreshment booths will provide a background for the benefit. All coeds attending are requested to wear costumes. Prizes will be awarded to winning individuals and groups.

Committee chairmen for the party appointed by R. Helen Gordon '42, general chairman, include Mary W. Houghton '42, decorations; Eleanor M. Derr '42, fortune telling; Anita M. Knecht '42, apple contests; Dorothy J. Johnston '42, pop corn balls; E. Louise Hack '42, cider; Janet L. Eyer '42, cookies; M. Virginia Cooper '42, candy; E. Mae Perry '42, signs; Catherine Bidelspacher '42, entertainment; R. Helen Gordon '42 and Roberta J. Kelly '42, publicity.

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