

Local Goes KD Feminine Touch Necessary For Defense Work After 3 Years

After only three years as a local sorority, Charitides, founded October 26, 1938, became affiliated with Kappa Delta, national sorority, yesterday.

Accepted by the Student Welfare Board on March 27, 1939, Charitides was granted Panhellenic representation in March, 1940. Mrs. H. W. Loman and Mrs. Nelson Taylor, both Kappa Delta alumnae, have been the sorority's patronesses throughout its existence.

Charitides has grown from 6 original members to 21 active members, who underwent first rites of initiation in the Hugh Beaver room from 7:30 to 10 p. m. yesterday.

The sororities' six founders are Emma J. Gilmitti '40, Elizabeth Groff '40, Dorothy M. Johns '40, Ruth E. Koehler '40, Edna M. Kappell Zierdt '40, and Louise L. Zierdt '40.

Alumnae who have returned for the installation are E. Elizabeth Groff '40, Edna M. Kappell Zierdt '40, Catherine E. Lang '41, and Barbara Thiele '42.

Winter Sports Season To Start

Bowling and table tennis intramurals and interclass basketball will begin December 1.

Basketball managers include Betsy McGee, LA frosh; "Skip" Scrivanich, upper LA; Ruth Storer, upper Home Ec; Vivien Martin, freshman; Adele Levin, sophomore; Mary Devling, junior; and Kay Loesch, senior.

All coeds who plan to play basketball must get a health card from the dispensary by December 1, stressed Pauline Crossman '43, intramural manager.

WRA will investigate the possibilities of starting a camp counselor's course, outgrowth of a suggestion made at the annual counselor's conference. The committee includes D. J. Jennings '44, chairman, Natalie Siebert '43, Grace Judge '44, and Judy McFarland '45.

"Skeets" Knecht '42, Bowling Club president, urges all coeds who can bowl over 123 to report to the bowling alleys in White Hall at 6:30 p. m. on December 3 for an explanation of the telegraphic meets and assignment of practice periods. The first intercollegiate meet will begin December 13.

Greek Activities

Phi Mu pledged Rita J. Burkhard '44 last night. Miss Dorothy Gibbons, Zeta Tau Alpha national field secretary, recently visited Gamma Epsilon chapter. Miss Gibbons founded the chapter in May, 1939.

Krimcon, local sorority, has formally installed the following officers: Dorothy F. Beam '42, president; Marian E. Hora '43, vice-president; Jean F. Fisher '43, treasurer; Barbara J. Cooper '44, chaplain; A. Corrine Hughes '43, secretary; and Frances G. Reist

Elect Sports Heads

E. Barnesly Brown '45 was elected intramural manager of McAllister Hall last night. Ruth Kauffman '45 was elected sports manager of Women's Building. Dormitory coeds will organize bowling and ping-pong teams to compete in the WRA intramural athletics.

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ROOM WANTED—Near West Campus for student, preferable single. Inquire Collegian office. 2tpd 21, 22 C.



DEFENSE AIDER—Jean Babcock '42, WSGA president, is serving on the sub-committee on Protection appointed by President Ralph D. Hetzel to cooperate with campus division of the national program for civilian defense.

We The Women Spirit Needn't Stay Dead . . .

Footsteps echoing across the campus, a place for all in the unusual—an exaggerated picture of State College on a big weekend away from college.

More than 3,000 students cheered their football team at the rally Thursday night. Then the campus bustled with activity. It was all part of pre-game spirit.

Today, activity will seem duller than ever. Most of these enthusiastic supporters migrated westward yesterday. More will leave today. Seemingly the campus will be void of spirit.

Pittsburgh will be the hub of activity. Penn State rooters will disregard the soot and dust and yell for their team.

Back here, we'll miss the excitement and probably feel sorry for ourselves. But too much time is wasted on self-sympathy.

There is a team on campus that is just as deserving of our support. We could use our energy in cheering the soccer team in its game today.

Music Honorary Pledges 8 Coeds

Louise Homer Club, women's music honorary, has pledged eight women.

New pledges are Margaret M. Lams, Barbara J. Mollenauer, Margery N. Plyler, Sarah K. Richards, juniors; Frances A. Brown, Doris Glahn, Reta J. Jenkins, and Jane G. Ludwig, sophomores. Jacqueline Shafer '43 and Jean E. Hershberger '43 will be pledged at a later date.

Special piano music was provided by Rachael McMaster '42 and Ann M. Civitts '42, president, presided. Initiation will be at the home of Mrs. John Taylor at 7 p. m. December 10.

Rides Wanted

R.W.—Erie for Thanksgiving. L. Wednesday noon. R. Sunday. Call 2325, ask for Annette. 2tch 21, 22 C.

R.W.—Washington, D. C., or Baltimore. Lv. Wed. afternoon. Rt. Sun. Call Florence Miller 3878. 3tpd 20, 21, 22 DS

R.W.—Philadelphia for Thanksgiving. L. Wednesday R. Sunday. Call 2565, ask for Eill. 2tpd 21, 22 C.

R.W.—Washington, D. C., for Thanksgiving. L. Wednesday. R. Sunday. Call 4275, ask for Wenger. 2tpd 21, 22 C.

R.W.—Washington, D. C. L. after 11 a. m. Wednesday. Call Norcross, 4662. 1tpd 22 F.

R.W. (2) — Wilkes-Barre for Thanksgiving. L. Wednesday. R. Sunday. Call R. Goldstein, 41 Atherton Hall.

R.W.—Erie for Thanksgiving.

Women Vital In Defense Jobs

Women are playing a new part in the nation's defense—the part of labor in defense industries.

Women, according to federal reports, are helping to build Army and Navy dive bombers, high explosive shell fuses in government arsenals, and millions of rounds of machine gun and small arms ammunitions. Aircraft engine plants find women indispensable for inspecting and assembling intricate electrical instrument parts.

Other jobs utilizing the feminine touch are aircraft factories where women cover oil lines, upholster pilot headrests, and spray paint. Hundreds of skilled women workers produce time fuses.

Government reports reveal that the number of women in arms and ammunition plants reaches nearly 30,000, in aviation industries 8,000, and at least 5,000 in government arsenals.

Government officials feel that the day is near when male labor shortage will necessitate many more women in defense industry jobs. Government statistics show that a reserve of nearly 2,000,000 women are available for defense industries.

Nutrition Course Open To Grads

Second Refresher Course in Nutrition, open to all home economics graduates, will begin in '24 Home Economics from 10 to 12 a. m. and from 1 to 3 p. m. today.

The Refresher Courses, taught by Miss Ina Padgett, associate professor of home economics, will be given for five consecutive Saturdays as a means of improving the critical health situation called to attention by present national emergency.

MODERN DESIGN BEST

'Good Old Days' Not So Gay; Granny's Dating A Problem

At the turn of the century when granny was a Penn State coed, dates were scarce.

Sunday afternoon walks were considered a liberal concession. Before a coed and date could stroll about the campus, the house mother had to approve of the escort with the right to withhold permission if he didn't please her.

Men were not allowed in the lounges longer than five minute periods. This eliminated lounge lizards and "necking problems."

Campus strollers were required to return from their walks before Old Main tolled five in the afternoon. If the coed were late, she was punished by having her social privileges removed; that is, if she were allowed to remain in college.

By 1930 conditions looked a little brighter. "Freshman Bible" of that year was the first to men-



FIRST AID CHAIRMAN—Betty L. Zeigler '42 is working as a student assistant chairman on the campus sub-committee for First Aid Instruction, Physical Fitness, and Recreation.

Vitamin Foods To Be Exhibited

Foods containing one-tenth the daily adult requirement of thiamin and riboflavin will be displayed at the nutritional exhibit in 209 Home Economics from 3 to 5 p. m. Monday and from 8 to 12 a. m. Tuesday.

Weekly exhibits, open to the public, provide vital information concerning vitamin food sources and dietary requirements.

Thiamin, or Vitamin B-1, has become known as the morale vitamin due to its relationship to efficiency, attitude, and facility. Because thiamin is present in no one food in large amounts the problem of B-1 foods is great. It has been estimated that one-third of the U. S. population is living below the vitamin safety level, principally from lack of thiamin.

Journal Editor To Speak Here

Sub-Deb, Watchbird, and Ann Batchelder are familiar contacts of Miss Laura L. Bookman, associate editor of the Ladies Home Journal, who will speak at the Matrix dinner December 8.

Miss Brookman will be the guest of Theta, Sigma Phi, national women's journalism honorary and sponsors of the annual BWOC dinner in the Nittany Lion Inn.

Working on the Journal and trying to keep up with the ever-increasing interests of American women is a job which includes most of the news-gathering essentials and just as many surprises, commented Miss Brookman.

Although coming from South Dakota, Miss Brookman received her A.B. and B.J. at the University of Missouri. Work on staffs of the Columbia Tribune, Des Moines Register, Baltimore Post, and NEA soon followed. After free-lancing for Kings Features Syndicate, she joined the Ladies Home Journal staff.

HE Honorary Plans Activities

Omicron Nu, Home Economics honorary, appointed H. Kathleen Frazier '42 chairman of the vocational conference scheduled this spring for Home Economics students.

Mary E. Roberts '43 was appointed chairman of a committee to send round-robin letters to alumnae before Christmas.

Julia A. Adams '42 will be Omicron Nu's representative on a committee for the administration of the School of Education student emergency loan fund.

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Shows at 1:30, 3:00, 6:30, 8:30

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R.W.—Philadelphia for Thanksgiving. L. Wednesday afternoon. R. Sunday. Call Gable, 4122.

R.W. (2) — Philadelphia for Thanksgiving. L. Wednesday morning. R. Sunday. Call 127 Atherton.

R.W.—Harrisburg. L. Wednesday, Nov. 26. Call 3166, ask for Ruth. 1tch 21 J. O.

R.W. (2)—Lewistown or Philadelphia for Thanksgiving. Call Vivian Klein, 3rd South Mac Hall. 2tpd 22, 25, R. S.

R.W.—NYC. L. Wednesday afternoon. R. Sunday. Call Kimmel, 4839. 1tch 22 R. S.