

## Panhel Launches 8 Days Intensive Rushing; To Buy \$100 Bond, Give \$50 Award

### Budget Reductions Go To Defense

As its share in the national defense emergency, Panhellenic Council voted last night to purchase a \$100 defense bond and to present a \$50 coed scholarship.

Money for bond and scholarship will be taken from \$5 reductions made in sorority rushing budgets and Panhellenic treasury. Qualifications for scholarship recipient will be decided by Panhellenic defense committee and announced at a later date. Council decided that the recipient would not necessarily be a sorority woman.

Invitations for Wednesday's basketball game must be made by phone after 6:30 p. m. Monday, stressed Frances E. Haley '43, Panhellenic rushing chairman. Sorority women must leave McAllister Hall before calling for basketball dates.

Freshman averages will be available for rushing chairmen at dean of women's office, Wednesday, February 11, Miss Haley stated.

Because Miss Haley, Panhellenic vice-president, will be unable to act as president during third semester, executive council suggested she immediately assume presidential duties. A new vice-president would be elected to serve as president during third semester. No action may be taken by council until National Panhellenic approves.

To save money for defense, executive committee cancelled annual installation banquet. Panhellenic will install at a regular meeting.

### Your WSGA— Behind The Lines

(Editor's Note: This is the third in the series of articles discussing purpose and organization of women's student government.)

Patterned after the federal bicameral system, WSGA divides its legislative duties between two houses—the Senate and House of Representatives.

As in the federal government, the House is the larger body but its legislation is subject to the veto power of the Senate.

Headed by the WSGA vice-president, the House is composed of presidents of upperclass Atherton Hall units, presidents of other upperclass dorms having not less than five women, and representatives from each sorority.

WSGA Senate must approve all House members. The Senate nominates dormitory officers within two weeks of the beginning of the first semester and must sanction additional nominations made from the floor.

Failure to maintain an All-College average of 1.3, unexcused absences from two meetings without a substitute representative, or a general attitude of indifference are grounds for removal.

WSGA House of Representatives, which meets at least twice monthly, legislates on all matters brought by representatives from upperclass houses or referred to it by Senate. It is in charge of the annual Christmas drive and transfer orientation.

Main duty of Senate, which meets weekly, is to initiate and control all business which deals with undergraduate women. This body names committee chairmen and must approve appointments of committee members.

WSGA committee membership is not restricted to Senate or House of Representative members.

Installation of State College alumnae chapter of Gamma Phi Beta will be held at the sorority suite at 7:30 o'clock tonight.



**BEHIND RUSHING**—Jean A. Krauser '42, Panhellenic president, has returned from student teaching in time to preside over Panhellenic Council during intensive rushing.

### We, The Women Perplexed, Frosh? Here Are Rush Tips

Old Main's first stroke of noon today opens formal rushing with Greeks and frosh alike plunging into eight days of social activity.

Informal parties, formal dinners, and very limited daytime association will be the only way for rushees to know Greeks better and vice versa.

More than ever, freshmen will need to use discretion in their decisions. They must remember that sorority life is not one party after another and that most of the time sorority life consists of informal, more natural contacts. Parties show houses at their best.

So look around, frosh, and judge houses on informal as well as formal occasions.

A paramount consideration is how you will fit into the house. Try to see yourself as a member and decide if the members are women you want to live with.

Look around at other coeds the house is rushing for those are the ones with whom you will be in constant contact for the rest of your college days.

Weigh sororities and decide if you honestly want to join one for more than superficial reasons such as appearance or popularity.

While you are considering houses, judge them by their rushing policies. Beware of the house that drip over you or talk down other houses. They are not worth your thoughts and a house that breaks the rushing code to contact you during silent periods can not be relied upon to keep its other promises.

Most important—make up your own mind. Don't be swayed by "advice" whether it be offered by male female, upperclassmen, underclassmen, classmates, Greeks, or Independents—the decision is yours. It's your college life, something that will last throughout your life. Others may judge such things by standards different from yours.

You are the one who knows what you want.

### Women To Save For Defense Week

"Coeds are urged to cooperate with the first campus Defense Week beginning Monday and sponsored by WSGA House of Representatives," said Margaret K. Sherman '43, speaker yesterday. Saving food, paper, tinfoil, electricity, and yarn will be the theme of the drive.

### Limited Contact Will Continue

Informal parties scheduled by ten sororities for 6:45 o'clock tonight will launch an eight-day intensive rushing period continuing until Saturday, February 14.

During this time there will be continuous limited association between rushees and sorority women except during strict silent periods. First silent period begins at 5 p. m. Saturday and ends at 1 p. m. Monday. Second silent period lasts from 9 p. m. Thursday, February 12 until 5 p. m. Saturday, February 14.

Four informal parties have been scheduled with Panhellenic Council by each house. Invitations for the first group of parties were taken to Panhellenic Post Office located at Student Union this morning and will be answered before 3 o'clock today. Invitations for the second group of parties must be delivered and answered in the same fashion on Monday. All invitations must be written and issued through Panhellenic Post Office.

Frances E. Haley '43, Panhellenic rushing chairman, urges all rushees to answer invitations immediately to help sororities complete final party plans.

Expenditures for this period have been reduced from \$25 to \$20. An itemized account of expenditures for each informal party should be handed into Panhellenic rushing chairmen by house treasurers.

Preceding formal bidding, each house is allowed two formal dinners. The first dinner will extend from 5:30 until 7 p. m., Saturday, February 14.

Invitations will be delivered to rushees by sorority members after 9 p. m. Thursday, February 13, beginning of second silent period. Written replies must be handed into Panhellenic Post Office between 1 and 5 p. m. Friday, February 13.

Rushees may attend two dinners but may not remain longer than one and a half hours at each.

Dinner expenditures, which must not exceed \$40, should be itemized and submitted to Panhellenic rushing chairman by the treasurer of each house not later than noon, Tuesday, February 10.

Bids will be handed into the dean of women's office by each house not later than 10 p. m. following formal dinners.

Any house using men in rushing will be penalized, according to Panhellenic rulings. Sorority alumni must follow the same rules as undergraduate sorority women.

### 41% Frosh Desire To Become Greeks

According to an unofficial survey of 61 per cent of freshman coeds (222 out of 361) the number of women pledging sororities this season might be lower than last year's total of 163 pledges.

Forty-one per cent (90) freshmen replied that they want to wear pledge ribbons a week from Sunday. Thirty per cent (67) are undecided and twenty-nine per cent (65) want to remain independent.

Twenty-one coeds living in town houses intend to go sorority and 69 from campus dormitories want to become "Greeks."

When asked if the war had influenced their decisions, only four per cent (9) of the coeds replied affirmatively. Other reasons for not pledging included lack of both finances and interest.

Krimcron, local social sorority, initiated Elizabeth Sherrholtz '43, Elaine J. Cox '44, Helen E. Huston '44, and Mary E. Kuder '44 last week.



**INAUGURATES PLAN**—R. Helen Gordon '42, inaugurated the plan for a coordinating committee meeting on coed defense work to be held Thursday.

### Coeds To Join Defense Study

In an attempt to unionize all coed defense work, a meeting of all women's governing units and several honoraries will be held in Miss Nina M. Bentley's apartment at 4 p. m. Thursday. Jean Babcock '42, WSGA president, will preside.

R. Helen Gordon '42, Mortar Board member, originated the plan to include a check upon the progress of all types of defense work being conducted among women. Misses Bentley and Mary J. Stevenson, assistants to the dean of women, will be present.

In addition, Mortar Board, senior women's honorary, will inaugurate Defense Stamp Days, Alice M. Murray '42, president, stated last night. Members will sell stamps outside dormitory dining rooms every Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

The coordinating committee on defense will study response to requests for blood donations, Red Cross knitting, book and yarn collection, and defense stamp sales.

WSGA House of Representatives, Cwens, Mortar Board, WSGA Junior Service Board, and Theta Sigma Phi will send delegates to the meeting.

### PSCA Holds Discussion

PSCA Freshman Forum sponsored a panel discussion on "A World in Crisis—Where Do We Serve?" in 304 Old Main at 7 o'clock last night. Mrs. Harry Seaman and Mrs. Henry Yeagley, guest speakers, were introduced by Miriam L. Zartman '45. Devotions were led by R. Christine Yohe '45 and Claire L. Weaver '45 presided.

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**PENN STATE'S Famous Dry Dock Night Club** will be open this Saturday, February 7. Make your reservation now at Student Union. Dry Dock will not be open again until March 7 and 14. 4tch 4, 5, 6, 7 G.

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## Women Grab Till U. S. Nabs

Coeds have a chance to grab off a man just once more before Uncle Sam drafts them all by dragging one off to WRA's annual Sweethearts' Dance in White Hall from 9 p. m. to 12 midnight, Friday, February 13.

For four years Penn State coeds have had plenty to pick from, but since defense efforts have been depleting student ranks, this may be their last chance.

Dance guests will include Miss Charlotte E. Ray, dean of women; Dean Carl P. Schott, head of the School of Physical Education and Athletics, and Mrs. Schott; Miss Marie Haidt, head of women's physical education; Dr. Lloyd M. Jones, professor of physical education, and Mrs. Jones.

Prof. Ray M. Conger, physical education instructor, and Mrs. Conger; Miss Mildred A. Lucey, physical education instructor; Mrs. Ivalclaire S. Howland, assistant professor of physical education; Miss Jessie Cameron, assistant professor of physical education; Mrs. Herman Reese, physical education pianist.

Miss Helen J. Swenson, physical education instructor; Miss Harriet Gray, graduate assistant in physical education; Miss Bernice E. Frazier, physical education secretary; Miss Nina M. Bentley, Miss Mary J. Stevenson, and Miss Ruth H. Zang, assistants to the dean of women; and Miss Kathryn Pontzer, MacAllister Hall hostess.

### Constitution

(Continued from Page One) appoint a Student Housing committee, one member of which shall be from Cabinet. It was pointed out that this is the first year in the last four that such a board has not been appointed and it is especially important during period of crowded housing conditions which will be probably next semester.

Baird was also given authority to appoint a Student Health Board, the chairman of which shall be from Cabinet, to serve as a link between the health department and the student body. This board has also functioned for the last three years.

Robert B. Jeffery '42, chairman of the Cabinet defense committee, reported that the National Anthem will be broadcast in Rec Hall at the beginning of each athletic event.

A new method for selecting senior honor men was suggested by H. Leonard Krouse, senior class president, whereby postcards with nominations for each honor would be sent to all seniors, thus assuring a larger number of votes than has been possible with the class meeting method.

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