

We the Women

By Frances Keeney

No sooner do we recuperate from the Turkey Day holidays, than bigger vacation ideas keep popping into our heads. Spurred on by sleigh bells, bright red and green decorations and "White Christmas," we start counting the days before the next evacuation of this peaceful town.

The advance Christmas guard has already hit State College and campus. First the shops brought out their gay colors, and next came the beautiful Christmas scene on front campus along College avenue. Guess the tree will brighten the Corner one of these days. But we're wondering what the poor motorists will do when they try to pick out the traffic signals from the red and green Christmas Tree lights.

Dorm Trees

Down in Simmons Hall, the big Christmas Tree was put up yesterday, followed or preceded by many sorority trees, and we suppose the same is true in the other women's dormitories. It won't be long before dormitories and fraternities will be nightly serenaded by the strains of "Silent Night" and "O Come All You Faithful." While we're talking about Christmas music here's a plug for the Chapel Choir's Christmas Candle Light program to be held in Schwab 12 o'clock midnight next Saturday night. And also, don't forget the All-College Christmas Carol program on the steps of Old Main December 16.

Gift Suggestions

Since Christmas isn't all carols and holly, we decided maybe some of you coeds could use a few gift suggestions as well as a few hints if you're undecided what to ask Santa for.

If you think you might like a sweater don't overlook bright yellow for a blond; red or green for a brunette; midnight blue for silver gray hair; and soft purple for a red-head. They're the new and exciting colors. Also, if looking for gloves, be sure the cuff is long enough if they are to be worn over suit sleeves, which incidentally will be the vogue in Spring.

Spats Revival

If you're interested in something to dress up that old suit, don't miss the spats revival. They add warmth, plus style, and come in shepherd's check, tweed, pearl gray and fawn color. For you girls with the protruding hips (don't fret, it's an organization with a large membership) how about suggesting a suit with a backward swing. They're most protection to hide under.

In the accessories line try the new sparkling bronze or gunmetal to dress up your attire. If you're short why not suggest a new, small handbag to replace last year's over-sized one. Ditto for shoes. For an unusual gift, don't overlook the lace-edged handkerchief. It's excellent for one of your mother's friends, or one of your own, as the days with the delicate lace handkerchief peeking out of pocket or belt are fast returning.

Don't Let Death
Take Your Holiday!

"A" for
Attractiveness
**SEAM-FREE
NYLONS**
WOMEN PATENTED HEEL



You're bound to get a high fashion rating when you team up your favorite costumes with the seam-free

nylons identified by the Seal of the DANCING TWINS. They feature the exclusive patented heel* for perfect fit the Gusetoe for comfort. All this and seam-free beauty, too! Sold under leading brand names at your favorite college shop or store.



No. 6, Pat. No. 2,388,440

WSGA Sets Date For Womens' Dorm Christmas Dinners

WSGA set Thursday, December 16, as the date for girls' dormitory Christmas dinners at its weekly meeting Thursday. This corresponds to the same night as that planned for the annual carol sing.

Other business of the meeting included the discussion of tentative plans being made by WSGA to sponsor exchange dinners with the men of Pollock Circle or Nittany Dorms, according to a precedent set last year. Committee members for the exchange dinners are Carolyn Henshaw, Jessica Lightner and Madelyn Bush.

In the absence of Janet Lyons, president, and Shirley Gauger, vice-president, Madelyn Bush, senior senator, presided at the meeting.

Engineers Hear Student Papers

Student papers and a sound film were presented to the student branch of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers yesterday in one of several programs planned to give student engineers experience in public speaking and presenting technical information.

Subjects, in the form of five to ten minute student papers, were "Climatic Testing for the U. S. Signal Corps", "Functions of the Methods Department", "Sunbury Power Plant", "Mechanical Time Fuse", and "Marine Engineering". Awards were given for the best paper, as judged by the members present, and also to each participant.

Business Men Back Yule Basket Plan

The retail division of the State College Commerce Club is sponsoring a "Santa's Basket" program, being carried out by most of the business firms in town.

All persons buying merchandise costing from one to 10 dollars in a store that is backing the "Basket" campaign, will receive a ticket to deposit in a box in that store. Another ticket will be given for each \$10 worth of merchandise bought.

Radio station WMAJ is cooperating with the Commerce Club by giving out prizes each day to contestants who can correctly explain what "Santa's Basket" is over the air.



Penn State's Newest
and Smoothest
Orchestra

THE
Collegians

New to Penn State, the "Collegians" have established a fine record of satisfied listening. Featuring HAL CATHEMAN as the vocalist, this nine-piece orchestra can give your dance the melody touch you desire.

THE
Collegians

Call Bill Rogers, 3124 or 2130,
for information

Simmons Beat KD Court Team

In League I of WRA intramural basketball, Simmons swamped Kappa Delta by a score of 44 to 18. Blizzard, Simmons forward, piled up a total of 24 points. Cooped by Sammons, center, who tallied 20 points, annexed a 40-15 victory over Philotes. Delta Zeta won by forfeit over Alpha Xi Delta, and Gamma Phi Beta defeated Kappa Alpha Theta, 29-19. These games were all played on Tuesday, November 30.

Zeta Tau Alpha topped Alpha Omicron Pi, 28-20, in the League II games on Wednesday, December 1. Baily, ZTA forward, scored a total of 18 points. Delta Delta Delta showed a strong offensive team when they defeated Sigma Delta Tau, 34-6. Atherton I forfeited to Alpha Chi Omega and Alpha Epsilon Phi won by forfeit over Leonides.

Chi Omega in League III sparked their way to victory over a strong Delta Gamma team, winning 34-27. Alpha Gamma Delta shellacked Phi Mu by a score of 40-4. Kriner, Alpha Gamma Delta center, helped speed the team to victory by piling up a total of 27 points. Kappa Kappa Gamma defeated Atherton II, 38-36, and Atherton III topped Town by the close score of 28-27.

Alpha Sigma Phi

Alpha Sigma Phi will entertain Alpha Omicron Pi at a tea dance Sunday afternoon.

More than 2000 daily papers are published in the United States each day.

Leonard Explains Training Rules for Swim Telegraphics

Approximately 15 girls reported Thursday to the first organization meeting of womens' telegraphic swimming. Miss Leonard, sponsor of the swimming club and coach for the telegraphic team, explained training rules and the participation expected from each girl trying out.

Three half-hour swimming periods should be fitted in by each contestant before Christmas vacation begins, said Miss Leonard. These shall be mainly for the purpose of acquainting members with take-offs, strokes, and racing turns. Swimming periods after vacation should be utilized in building up endurance, Miss Leonard stressed, after which emphasis will be placed on speed swimming and time trials.

Miss Leonard and officers of the swimming club are particularly anxious to have a large representation of girls and an active interest shown, in hopes of maintaining the record set by previous College teams. Last year's team won first place in the Eastern Region and came in fourth in the Nationals.

The remainder of the meeting time was spent in swimming laps, trial races, and starting practice. Second organizational meeting was held last night for interested coeds unable to attend the first meeting.

Miss Jacque Zivic, an outstanding member of last year's telegraphic team and now a graduate assistant at the College, is assisting Miss Leonard in coaching the team.

Don't Let Death
Take Your Holiday!

Co-Edits

Beta Sigma Omicron

June Weimer and Joanne Winston were recently pledged to Beta Sigma Omicron sorority. Other new pledges are Pat Botkin, Pat Bradshaw and Annabelle Eshleman. At a recent meeting of the sorority Mrs. McElfresh, hostess of the Beecher House, was guest speaker, who spoke about Christmas decorations and arrangements.

Sigma Delta Tau

Anita Weiner was initiated into Sigma Delta Tau Sorority Thursday night.

Theta Phi Alpha

Mary Lou Rule and Virginia Mary Sinclair were recently pledged by Theta Phi Alpha sorority.

Beta Theta Pi

Victor Lynch was recently pledged by Beta Theta Pi fraternity.

Engagements

Whittier—Irwin

The engagement of Margaret Irwin to Arthur Whittier was recently announced.

Miss Irwin, a senior in the School of Liberal Arts, is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta and is from Ellems Park.

Whittier attended the College and is a member of Kappa Sigma. He is from Williamsport and is now working for the Insulation Service company.

It's Tops....

The Night Club of the Area

Yes, you can spend a memorable evening dining and dancing at the New...



HI-VUE HOTEL

BETWEEN PHILIPSBURG AND TYRONE ON ROUTE 350

Phone Philipsburg 9531-J-11

NIGHTLY ENTERTAINMENT

CALIFORNIA NIGHT HAWKS

Saturday Eve.

FRED HOLT and His ORCHESTRA

Wednesday Eve.

—A Special Feature—

Full Course Meals Served Daily From

5 P. M. Until 9 P. M.

Prepared by Expert Chefs of Long Experience

And Excellent Reputation

IT'S A NICE DRIVE TO THE FINEST DINING AND DANCING SPOT

IN THE AREA — PARKING FACILITIES ARE UNLIMITED