

## Sorority Registration Scheduled for Sept. 29

Women students who are interested in joining a sorority and are eligible under Panhellenic regulations will have a chance to register on Thursday, September 29, for the first formal rushing period.

Coeds must first have maintained a 1.00 All-College average on the College campus with the exception of sophomore women who were considered Penn State students at a state teachers college. This regulation eliminates the rushing of freshman women, who have not as yet secured a College average.

Coed transfers who do not have a College average cannot be initiated into a sorority until they have been on campus one semester. They may, however, be rushed and pledged by a sorority.

### Open Houses

Following the registration of women desiring to be rushed by sororities, Open Houses will be held by all sororities to acquaint new coeds with the chapters. The first Open House has been scheduled by Panhellenic Council from 2 to 5 p.m. Saturday, October 1, in the various sorority suites. Open Houses are also scheduled on Sunday, October 2 from 2 to 5 p.m. and from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

In order that coeds may make the most advantageous use of their time a rotating schedule has been devised by Panhellenic Council. Sororities have been divided into three sections according to geographic location, while rushees are divided into alphabetical groups.

### System Change

A second registration period will be observed on Monday, October 3, from 8 to 12 a.m. followed by the first week of actual rushing. A system change from last year's procedure is constituted in the fact that rushing is carried on from 1 to 5 p.m. and from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. each day instead of in the morning and afternoon as followed last year.

## College Organizes Home Ec School

On January 1, 1949, the department of Home Economics became the eighth undergraduate school at the College. The department of home economics was formerly a part of the School of Education. The Board of Trustees approved the recommendation of the executive board to elevate the department to a school in June, 1948. At the same meeting, officers of the College were directed to recommend an appropriate organization for the school.

### Inauguration Program

A formal inauguration program beginning February 8, 1949, with a Convocation marked a week of festivities commemorating the school's opening. Dr. Lee Vincent, dean of the College of Home Economics at Cornell, was the principal speaker. James Milholland, acting president of the College, presented a charge to the new school.

### Women's Clubs

Home economics courses have been offered at the College since 1879. In 1906 the Pennsylvania Federation of Women's Clubs passed a resolution demanding the State Legislature to appropriate funds for a department of home economics at the Pennsylvania State College. Louise Waugh served as the first director of the department from 1907 to 1910. Miss Grace M. Henderson is the present dean of the school.

In 1944-45, the home economics

## Vacancies Remain On WRA Club Board

Three vacancies on the WRA Club Presidents' Board, which is comprised of the presidents of the nine WRA clubs, are yet to be filled, according to Virginia Miller, president of WRA.

Mary Ann Krepps is chairman of the Board. Presidents of their respective clubs are Patricia Weaver, bridge; Patt Wolfe, fencing; Joan Witherow, dance; Jean McDermott, outing; Lucy Mittinger, swimming; and Ida May Brandt, tennis.

The vacancies in the Board which will be filled early this fall when the remaining club presidents will be chosen are bowling, badminton and rifle.

To be eligible candidates for nomination to any WRA club office must have a minimum All-College average of 1.3. Nominations are then approved by the Executive Board.

department ranked 11th in the nation in number of home economics majors enrolled as undergraduates and fourth in the number of non-majors. More than 2000 students have received degrees in home economics since the department was established. The new school was the first new school organized since January 1930, when the School of Physical Education and Athletics was created.

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## New Coeds Get Acquainted At Sunday Teas in Dorms

Get-acquainted teas in the women's dormitories from 2 to 3 p.m. Sunday bring to a near close the intensified week of orientation for all new women students.

Miss Edith Zinn, assistant to the dean of women in charge of orientation, stresses the fact that these teas are not strictly formal affairs, but are for the purpose of enabling new girls to become better acquainted with the women in their own groups. All girls are most cordially welcome, Miss Zinn adds.

### Location For Teas

The tea for freshmen will be held in Atheton Hall from 2 to 3 p.m. Cwens will serve as hostesses. The Sophomore Tea will take place in Simmons Hall, where members of Chimes will be hostesses. For the 100 or so junior and senior transfers a tea will be held in the New McElwain Hall. Members of Mortar Board and Alpha Lambda Delta are hostesses.

Final orientation meeting for

new women students scheduled by Miss Zinn is the WRA meeting in White Hall at 7 p.m. Monday for sophomores, juniors and seniors. The performance will be a repetition of the one presented to freshmen last Monday.

An Open House in White Hall will be sponsored by WRA from 7 to 9 p.m. today.

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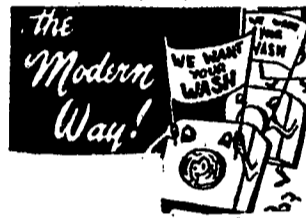
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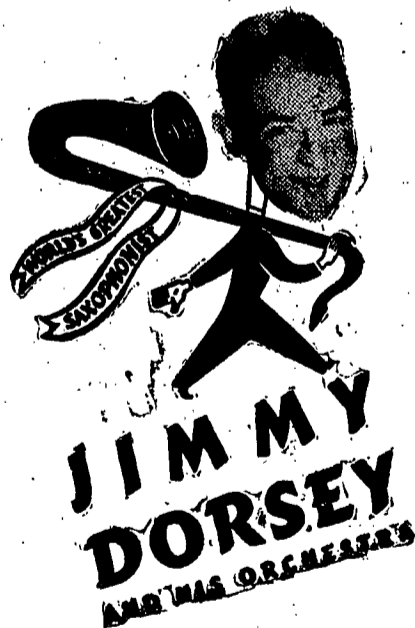
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