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Ready, AIM . . .



Photo by Len-Boy

Among the girls who will sell tags for the AIM dance tonight in Rec Hall are (l. to r.) Bernadette McCahill, Nola Lloyd, and Betty Lou Lentz. The girls, who are members of Leonides, will wear white blouses and dark skirts.

## AIM To Hold Dance Tonight

A dance sponsored by the Association of Independent Men will be held after the basketball game tonight in Recreation Hall. Music will be provided by Gene Magill and his orchestra.

Tags will be sold for 25 cents apiece to persons wishing to remain for the dance. The money will be used to pay the orchestra, and suggestions will be accepted for the disposal of any profits. AIM president, Robert Davis emphasized that the dance is non-profit for AIM, and that the money would not be spent for AIM activities, as was stated in the Daily Collegian yesterday.

All-College Cabinet agreed at their Thursday night meeting to provide the amount in the event that a loss is incurred.

Davis stressed that this is an All-College, and not only an independent activity. According to him AIM is providing the dance to fill the gap between the end of the sports events about ten o'clock and the women's deadline at one.

### Music Recital

Alan Buechner and Clyde Shive will appear in a recital in Schwab at 4 p.m. tomorrow. Buechner will play the violin and viola and Shive the organ and piano. The

## News Briefs

### Vocational Test

All Freshmen and Sophomores registering on the Main Campus for the first time this semester are required to take the regular vocational test battery administered by the Student Advisory Service.

These tests will be administered in two parts: Part I, Monday 7 p.m., 316 Sparks; Part II, Tuesday 7 p.m., 316 Sparks.

### Religion-in-Life Week

Deans Pearl O. Weston and H. K. Wilson will sponsor an informal tea in the main lounge of McElwain from 2:30 to 4 p.m. tomorrow, for the purpose of introducing the guest leaders for Religion-in-Life Week. The student body is invited to attend.

Margaret Flory, eastern area secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions will be the Religion-in-Life speaker for Leonides in 405 Old Main at 7 p.m. Monday.

### Alpha Rho Omega

Alpha Rho Omega, Honorary Russian Club will meet tomorrow at 7 p.m. in the Home Economics Living Center. After the business meeting, Dr. Edgerton, professor of Russian, will speak.

# Alpha Kappa Psi Voices Protest to Constitution

## Services Begin Religion-in-Life Week Program

Religion-in-Life week will start tomorrow with services in the community churches and the College chapel. There will also be an All-College worship service in Faith Evangelical and Reformed Church from 8 to 8:45 p.m.

Seminars will be held on Monday. Henry E. Kagan and Lexie Ferrell will speak on "The Psychology of Brotherhood" in the main lounge of Woman's Building, and Bayard Rustin and Harold Ingalls will speak on "Techniques of Reconciliation" in the lounge of McElwain Hall at 11 a.m.

Monday afternoon at 4:10, Charles T. Douds and Robert L. James will discuss "The Economics of Brotherhood" in Simmons Hall lounge, and Hilda Koch and Ray Hartsough will consider "Toward Community in Race and Religion" in the NE lounge of Atherton Hall.

At 8 p.m. Bayard Rustin will speak in Schwab Auditorium about "The Religious Imperative of Brotherhood." Mr. Rustin is director of college work, Fellowship of Reconciliation.

## WMAJ To Present Negro Week Skit

"Human Interest," a radio program commemorating Negro History Week, will be presented on WMAJ at 7:30 Monday night. Script was written by Bernard Korenblit, former student of the College, and directed by Francis Fatsie of the dramatics department.

The program is part of the observance by the College this week of Negroes' achievements in history. Among the activities have been exhibitions of art in Simmons Hall and books at the Central Library, a panel discussion by faculty members and a speech by W. E. B. DuBois, author and sociologist.

Sponsoring organizations on campus are: NAACP, PSCA, the Daily Collegian, YPA, PanHel, AIM, IFC and the Nittany-Pollock councils.

The religious program illustrating the theme, "What Price Brotherhood," will continue all through the week.

## Removal of Restrictive Clause From National Code Requested

Members of the newly-chartered local chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi, national commerce fraternity, have gone on record as opposing the restrictive membership clause in the national constitution.

A northeastern regional convention of Alpha Kappa Psi chapters, at which the petitioning Penn State group was

represented, passed a resolution two months ago in Buffalo calling for removal of the clause which restricts membership in the organization to "Christians and members of the Caucasian race."

In a letter addressed to the Grand Council of Alpha Kappa Psi, the Penn State group also said that if its petition to join the national organization was accepted, it would press for removal of the restrictive clause at the next national convention.

At Senate Committee on Student Welfare hearings, before the charter was granted last week, the members pledged themselves to work for removal of all bars restricting membership in Alpha Kappa Psi because of race or religion.

"The members of the group, both faculty and students, definitely disapprove of excluding members because of racial or religious qualifications," Dr. Sheldon Tanner, one of the chapter's four faculty advisors, said yesterday.

Dr. Tanner and the three other advisors, Dr. George Leffler, Dr. E. Orth Malott, and Prof. Kenneth Wherry are all Alpha Kappa Psi members from other universities.

"We had no choice if we wanted to go national," Dr. Tanner added. "The only two national commerce fraternities in the country, to my knowledge, have this same restrictive clause. We felt the addition of a chapter here would be one more vote to rid the constitution of the clause we dislike."

The other national commerce fraternity, Delta Sigma Pi, which already has a charter from the College, also recruits its members from white non-Jews.

"Reform," Dr. Tanner said, "is not very far off."

He stated that he approved the establishment of an AKPsi chapter here, despite its present biased character, because a commerce department as large as the one at Penn State needed more than one professional society.

The decision to approve the AKPsi charter was followed by a Senate committee motion, last Friday, to refuse to charter any group, in the future, with a restrictive membership clause in its constitution.

## Men Debaters To Meet W&J

Men's Debate squad will be defending a trophy, won last year, in a meet today at Washington and Jefferson college.

Richard Schweiker, debating captain, and Peter Giesey will take the negative while Clair George and Marlin Brenner the affirmative. Schweiker was on the team which brought the W and J cup to the College.

Prof. H. J. O'Brien will accompany the team. Question used will be the national debating topic on nationalizing the basic non-agricultural industries.

On Tuesday Joel Fleming, Nathan Feinstein and Frank Mathias met a team of women from the University of Pittsburgh in a non-decision three-way cross examination match.

# Cabinet Advised To Drop Dorm Issue

The withdrawal of an All-College Cabinet investigating committee from the controversy over space allotment in the new West Dorms was recommended at a meeting of the government agency Thursday night.

Robert Keller, chairman of the Cabinet dorm committee, pointed out that only 550 West Dorm applications had been submitted to the dean of men's office prior to the Wednesday deadline.

"This is an indication that there is no need for further action by the committee," Keller said.

### 650 Allotted

Originally, the College Trustees had allotted accommodations in the new structures for 650 upperclassmen. Keller will present a final committee report at the next Cabinet meeting.

Cabinet also acted on insurance, ring, election, health, and board of publications proposals. It voted to assume any debt which might be incurred by the AIM-sponsored dance to be held in Recreation Hall following the Saturday night athletic contests.

An insurance plan in which part of policy dividends would be assigned to a College trust fund

for a Student Union Building was voted Cabinet support following

Approval was given a report by William Shade, elections committee chairman, who recommended a report by James MacCallum, chairman of the insurance committee.

### Specified Amount

MacCallum explained that graduating seniors would be offered policies in which a specified amount of the first dividends would be assigned to the College fund.

"I feel that it would be a fine source of funds and would indicate student attitude and enthusiasm toward Student Union plans," MacCallum said. "The only risk being taken is by the insurance company."

A plan proposed by the Equitable Life Insurance Company was adopted. Acting-President James Milholland will be notified of the Cabinet action by letter.

### Request Withdrawn

John D. Harris, junior in engineering, withdrew a request that the student government group reconsider its adoption of a new class ring after several members gave reasons for the

Cabinet action. the rejection of a request by Nittany Council for dorm-area ballot boxes.

Shade read a letter from William Wells, chairman of a Council ballot-box committee, citing "inadequate operation" of last year's election machinery in Old Main. The Cabinet committee chairman pointed out that use of the second-floor Old Main lounge will allow utilization of additional check-points for the spring All-College voting. Paper ballots will replace voting machines formerly used. Shade summarized that the Council suggestion was presented to relieve voting congestion, and felt the elections committee plan would do that "while still maintaining a single voting place."

### 'Rec Hall Slate

2 p.m. Wrestling — Princeton  
7 p.m. Boxing — Virginia  
8:30 p.m. Basketball — Georgetown  
9:15 p.m. Soccer Awards  
10 p.m. AIM Dance

Late (AP) News. Courtesy WMAJ

## Truman Asks To Seize Mines

WASHINGTON — President Truman has asked Congress for power to seize and operate the nation's coal mines. The President says that the country will be virtually out of coal in a few days and warns that the emergency demands action at once.

Chief Fact-Finder David Cole however, says the government is hoping for a prompt settlement of the contract dispute between John L. Lewis and the mine owners.

The urgency of the coal shortage is pointed up by a new order from Interstate Commerce Commission directing railroads to cut coal-burning passenger and freight service 15 per cent more by midnight tomorrow.

### Chrysler Rejects Offer

DETROIT—The Chrysler Corporation yesterday rejected the offer by the CIO United Auto Workers Union to end its 38 day strike against the corporation. The union said it would end its walkout on the basis of its pension dispute of Chrysler, leaving other issues to arbitration.

### Sander Murder Trial

MANCHESTER—Euthanasia — or mercy death—has been mentioned for the first time in the murder trial of Dr. Hermann Sander. Sander's star witness, Dr. Albert Snay, has denied under cross-examination that he ever spoke in favor of mercy killing. Earlier Snay testified that he found Mrs. Abbie Borroto dead minutes before Sander injected air into the veins of the cancer patient.