

Friday Is Day For Big-Top To Hit Town

King Brothers Circus, complete with bareback riders, trapeze artists, jugglers, and animals, will make a one-day stand in State College next Friday.

There will be two performances given, one at 3 p.m. and one at 8 p.m. The circus will be set up at the junction of Route 322 and Country Club road, next to the Autoport.

Lucio and his family, bareback riders, will display accomplished equestrianism combined with humor. Aerialist La Louisa, who works without a net, will perform her "Aerial Ballet." She has been traveling with circuses since the age of sixteen.

Another feature of this year's circus is Truzzi, the juggler.

An elephant parade will open festivities at noon on Friday.

Alpha Phi Omega, service fraternity, will sell tickets for the circus on the Mall Monday and Tuesday. Half the proceeds from the advance sale of tickets will go to the State College Youth Welfare Fund for a youth center. Student tickets are 60 cents if bought before the day of the circus, but \$1.20 the day of the performance.

Jumbo And The Lady



MARY LAKE, shown with "Ol' Marm," an elephant reputed to be nearly 100 years old, can be seen next Friday in the King Brothers Circus to be held at the circus grounds at Route 322 and Country Club road.

Four Debaters To Go Abroad

Plans are being made to send four outstanding American college debaters to Great Britain and Australia in the spring of 1952, according to Prof. J. F. O'Brien, of the Speech department.

Two men will go to each country to participate in a series of international debates.

Prof. O'Brien is a member of the middle-Atlantic regional committee, which will submit names of candidates to the national committee. In addition to debating ability, men must be genuinely interested in many activities and be representative of the best in American youth.

Post-graduate as well as undergraduate students are eligible for consideration. The committee will pay all expenses from the port of embarkation.

The Institute of International Education and the Speech Association of America will sponsor the tours.

Church Groups To Hold Picnics

Picnics and programs honoring graduating seniors are on the agendas of local student Christian foundations for tomorrow.

Members of Roger Williams Fellowship will meet at the Baptist Church at 5 p.m. for the annual senior banquet.

United Student Fellowship will hold its annual senior dinner at the Reformed Church at 5:30 p.m.

Westminster Foundation will have a "Senior Night" at 6:30 p.m. A film on Palestine will be shown.

Wesley Foundation will honor its seniors with a picnic in Hort Woods, beginning at 4 p.m.

The Lutheran Student Association will hold its annual outdoor worship service at Greenwood Furnace. Cars will leave the student foundation at 1:30, 2:30, and 3:30 p.m.

Canterbury Club will hold a picnic at the Ralph Armington property on route 322. Cars will leave the Episcopal Church at 5 p.m.

Wesley Foundation To Hold Retreat

The Wesley Foundation Cabinet will hold a retreat today at Haugh's cabin for the old and new cabinet members and foundation students. Plans will be made for next year's program.

Participants will meet at the foundation at 1 p.m. today for transportation. The retreat will last until 9 p.m.; and close with a worship service.

Under the Hats

Androcles Is Baby Of Hat Societies

This is the sixth in the series, "Under the Hats," about campus hat societies and their activities.

By JOHN PAKKANEN

Androcles, junior men's hat society, has the distinction of being the youngest member sitting on the Hat Society Council.

The organization, approved by the Senate on April 20, 1950, has just entered its second year of life on campus.

Rose Eifert, Elliot Krane, Morton Snitzer, and Thomas Morgan, students, were instrumental in founding the organization last year, according to the new president, Richard Rostmeyer.

The name for the society is based on an Aesop's fable of a slave, Androcles, who pulled a thorn from the wounded paw of a lion. Later they were both captured and when the slave was thrown to the lion, the animal remembered the former service and began licking the hands of Androcles. Both were pardoned and freed.

Fable Adapted

The hat society, the constitution reads, was founded in the spirit of service to the Lion, or to Penn State.

The symbol of the group in-

cludes a large blue A with an L underneath it, representing Androcles and the Lion.

Fourth semester men in dramatics, forensics, government, politics, athletics, publications and other fields of activity are tapped in the late spring. A point system is used to select the tappers from letters of application that are received by the organization.

President Eisenhower became the honorary president of Androcles last November.

The officers, as in most of the (continued on page eight)

Girl 'Ambassadors' Exhibit Precision

By MIMI UNGAR

Even though the Sofialickorna, famed girl gymnasts of Stockholm, Sweden, didn't arrive in State College until 7:45 p.m. Thursday, they still gave their colorful performance at 8 p.m. in Recreation Hall.

Included in the first part of their show were calisthenics which emphasized grace and form; walking, twirling, and swirling on a horizontal bar, and work on something similar to a gymnastic horse. Two girls also demonstrated perfect timing while walking up opposite ramps.

Before leaving for State College to give their performance, the girls performed before the Swedish Ambassador in Washington D.C. Since the show ran overtime, they were late in leaving for State College and were unable to eat. They arrived here two hours later than expected and were also unable to eat before their second performance of the day.

When asked how they performed without eating, one of the girls replied, "Oh, it was easy. I guess you get used to it."

The Sofialickorna girls have been in this country since March 20. They come from different

schools throughout Sweden. Some are students on vacation now; others are girls who are employed.

Tensions Removed

Mrs. Maja Carlquist, leader of the group, told us her ideas about gymnastics. "Everybody must learn how to move in a free way without tension, because our modern life has made us too lazy. It is full of tension, and we must learn once again how to be graceful."

The system of gymnastics used is the Ling system developed with the principle of least possible tension and greatest possible effect.

The girls go through training twice a week and are recognized as the "good will ambassadors" (continued on page eight)

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