

## New Freshman Coed



—Photo by McNeillie  
**JANE MASON** (right), a Cwens hat girl, gives some advice on dormitory life to **Dixie Waring**, one of 690 freshman women who arrived on campus Sunday. Dixie is the daughter of Fred Waring, well-known choral director.

## Ag Council Represents 15 Clubs

The Agriculture Student Council, one of eight student councils on campus, is formed from 15 clubs representing the 13 curriculums in the School of Agriculture.

Each of the 13 departments is represented by a club. The Liebig Chemical Society stems from agricultural and biological chemistry. Other clubs are the Agricultural Economics Club, representing the agricultural economics and rural sociology departments; Future Farmers of America, stemming from agricultural education; and the Clover Club, which comes from the agronomy course.

Included in the 13 clubs are the Pre-Vet Club, Botany Club, Dairy Science Club, Forestry Society, Hort Club, Poultry Club, American Society of Agricultural Engineers, and the Zoology and Entomology clubs.

The clubs send a varying number of representatives to the council, according to their membership. In addition to the clubs mentioned, Grange and 4-H Club are represented on the student council. Two student publications, the Ag Hill Breeze and the Penn State Farmer, each send a representative to the council.

Officers of the Ag Student Council, which meets every other Tuesday, are elected once a year. Richard Stanley was elected last spring to serve as president this year. Other officers are Joseph Arnold, vice-president; Nancy Bigley, secretary; and James Boodley, treasurer. The president represents the council on All-College Cabinet.

Through the council, such functions as the Ag Open House, held last spring, and the annual Ag Hill party are made possible. The Harvest Ball, one of the big dances of the fall, is sponsored annually by the Agriculture Student Council.

## West Dorm Men Have Own Governing Council

The West Dormitory Council was formed in 1950 to provide student government for the male residents of the West Dormitories.

Students living in this area are represented on All-College Cabinet through the president of the Association of Independent Men. The officers of the West Dorm Council represent the area on the AIM Board of Governors.

Organization of the West Dorm Council will take place early in the semester. The dorm area is divided into districts. In the new dorms, a floor is a district. In the Tri-Dorms, each dorm is a district.

### To Nominate Soon

Each of these districts will elect a president, vice president, and secretary-treasurer. The presidents and the vice presidents, if there are 105 or more electors in the district, will represent the district on the West Dorm Council.

Nominations for district offices will be held within the next two weeks. Nominating petitions for these offices may be obtained from resident counselors and must have the signatures of at least ten men from the district. One week will be allowed for campaigning, after which voting will be held in the resident counselors' suites.

The West Dorm Council will hold its first meeting within one week of the district elections. Officers will be elected by majority ballot of the council two weeks after its first meeting.

### Members May Be Dropped

Meetings of the council are held once a week and are open to residents of the area.

Organization of the new council will be advised by the resident counselor in charge of student government.

The executive committee of the council will include the adviser, the officers, and the parliamentarian, who may be appointed by the council president.

Council members will be dropped from their posts if they are absent from three meetings

without sending an alternate or without a valid excuse.

Council committees may be set up by the president. The chairmen of the committees must be members of the council. Any resident of the area may be a member of a committee.

The West Dorms are also represented on the AIM Board of Governors by two AIM representatives-at-large to be elected after the AIM board is organized.

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## IFC Defines Rules On Rushing, Dating

The Interfraternity Council, representing Penn State's fraternity system, has announced and defined the interfraternity rushing, pledging code and dating regulations for this year.

This code, set up by the IFC, became effective in the fall of 1951. The American Interfraternity Council, composed of representatives of all national fraternities, and the College administration acted as advisers in the formulation of this code.

The code states that rushing shall not interfere with any regularly scheduled Orientation Week activity for newcomers on campus. This is to insure the success of meetings and counseling

each fraternity. Upperclassmen under contract to live in the college dormitories and freshmen are not permitted to live in fraternity houses until their dorm contracts are fulfilled.

Neither the rushee house guest nor the fraternity is obligated to the other in any way. All fraternities will have free and equal access to any rushee, according to the wishes of the rushee.

Pledging regulations state that no freshmen are to be pledged until they have completed one semester on campus. The date of pledging will be announced by the IFC.

No upperclassman may be pledged in the fall before 48 hours prior to the beginning of classes.

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Upperclass male students living in the dormitories or in town interested in fraternities are requested to register this interest immediately at the Dean of Men's office, 109 Old Main. Fraternities interested in contacting these students are referred to the same office.

programs set up to aid the newcomers.

Fraternities may invite upperclassmen to live in the chapter house under conditions set by

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