

Group Again Seeks New World Calendar

By CHUCK OBERTANCE

Unless you're different from most persons, you are having a difficult time remembering to write 1953 instead of 1952. This is probably the smallest difficulty with our present calendar, or so says the World Calendar Association.

This group, as it always does at this time, has presented a recommendation that the world adopt a new and more satisfactory calendar. Action on a similar proposal of a new world calendar by the United Nations was prevented in 1949 when voting resulted in a tie.

Plans Set For RILW 'Firesides'

As part of Religion-in-Life Week, after-dinner "firesides" will be conducted in women's dormitories whenever the presence of 25 students is guaranteed, Irene Taylor, co-chairman of the women's firesides division of RILW, told Women's Student Government House of Representatives last night.

At least one speaker will be provided for each dormitory, Miss Taylor said, to meet with students who wish to participate in the program. RILW will be held during the week of Feb. 15-22.

Groups of 25 students may recommend discussion topics, and request speakers of particular faiths. Ministers, priests, and rabbis, as well as laymen of all faiths will be among the available speakers.

A cabinet suggestion recommending that campus groups cancel meetings during the week is hoped to encourage wider participation in RILW activities, Miss Taylor added.

Genevieve Castrodale, chairman of the clothing drive now being sponsored by WSGA, said individual solicitations for discarded clothing will be made in the women's dormitories by floor chairmen or other representatives.

Marriages

Rhoades-Williams

The marriage of Beverly Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Williams of State College, to Walter Rhoades, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Rhoades of Philadelphia, took place at the Presbyterian Church Dec. 22.

The church was decorated with rhododendron, Christmas greens, red poinsettias, and candles. The Rev. Donald W. Carruthers performed the double ring ceremony. Marilyn Williams, sister of the bride and a June graduate of the College, served as maid of honor.

The bride, a graduate of the College, is a teacher in the Tredyffrin-Easttown district of Berwyn. The bridegroom, a graduate of West Chester State Teachers College, is a graduate student at Temple University and is teaching in the Tredyffrin school district. They will reside at 25 E. Washington Street, West Chester.

Houston-Morgan

Marion Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morgan of Sharon, and Peter Houston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Houston of Fayetteville, were married Dec. 27 in the First Presbyterian Church, Sharon. Dr. William L. Wishart performed the ceremony.

Miss Morgan, a seventh semester major in arts and letters, is a member of Alpha Chi Omega. Mr. Houston, a graduate of the College and a member of Lambda Chi Alpha, is a lieutenant in the Army, stationed at Ft. Eustis, Va.

Weaver-Musser

Patricia Musser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Musser, Oak Hill Station, became the bride of Richard Weaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Weaver of Bellefonte RD, last Friday in State College. The Rev. Albert S. Asendorf, pastor of the Faith Reformed Church, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride was graduated from State College High School in 1952 and is employed at Mur's Jewelry Store. Mr. Weaver, an alumnus of State College High School, is now employed at the College.

Lytle to Play At Dance Tomorrow

Ross Lytle and his orchestra will play at Phi Sigma Sigma's third annual square dance from 9 p.m. to midnight tomorrow in Recreation Hall.

Proceeds from the dance will go into the sorority's national philanthropic fund, which is donated each year to various agencies and hospitals under the National Rheumatic Fever Fund. Last month a \$500 check from the national fund was presented to the Lancaster Heart Haven. Judith Lippmann and Miriam Flickstein, members of the Penn State chapter, attended the presentation ceremony.

Tickets, priced at 30 cents a person, are available from members of the sorority and at the Student Union Desk in Old Main.

The two previous affairs, with which the Association of Independent Men aided, each netted over \$200 profit. AIM will not co-sponsor this year's dance because of its newly organized Autumn Ball, held during Homecoming Weekend.

Judith Cohen, sorority philanthropy chairman and chairman of the dance, said yesterday that the dance will not be a strictly date affair like most other Rec Hall affairs. Miss Cohen said tickets for the dance have been printed through the courtesy of the Athletic store.

Phyllis Frankel is assisting Miss Cohen on the dance committee.

Swim Club Elects Fisher for Lead In Water Show

Nancy Fisher was elected to swim the part of Alice in "Alice in Wonderland," the WRA Swim Club's 1953 water ballet presentation. The theme of the show is based on characters and incidents from Lewis Carroll's "Alice in Wonderland."

Miss Fisher, a junior in physical education, took third place in the synchronized swimming event of the October, 1952 A.A.U. competitions. In addition to earning her Water Safety Instructorship at Red Cross Aquatic School, she has been a swim instructor at Idlewild Park for the last three summers.

A partial listing of the routines and music was announced by Nancy Lusk, president of the club. The ballet will be presented on April 24 and 25.

The fantasy will open with a scene in which Alice falls through the whirlpool into the pool of tears. The music will be themes from the movie "Lost Weekend." Butterflies and birds of "Waterland" will be represented by a diving exhibition. In the third scene, Alice will meet Mr. White Rabbit.

Tweedledee and Tweedledum will swim a duet to the music of "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers." "Waltz of the Flowers," the final scene of Part 1, will show the flower garden in Waterland.

The last part of the ballet will open with a "Tea Party," with "Fiesta" as the background music. The King and Queen of Hearts will swim a duet. A "Court Scene," depicting Alice's trial, will be backgrounded with the music "Pomp and Circumstance." "Where or When" will end Alice's adventures in Waterland, and the music "Where or When" will be used.



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Engagements

Soens-Ebright

Mrs. Margaret Golicher of Pittsburgh announces the engagement of her daughter, Elaine Ebright, to Ted Soens, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Soens, Allison Park.

Miss Ebright is a senior at Peabody High School, Pittsburgh. Mr. Soens is a seventh semester journalism major. He is assistant sports editor of the Daily Collegian and treasurer of Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Paterson-Shultz

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Shultz of Philadelphia announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret, to James Paterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paterson of Pittsburgh.

Miss Shultz is a seventh semester secondary education major and a member of Alpha Xi Delta. Mr. Paterson will be graduated this month in music education. He is a member of Beaver House.

Wood-Hennessy

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gerald Hennessy of Doylestown announce the engagement of their daughter, Alice, to Donald Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Wood of Warren.

Miss Hennessy is a junior majoring in elementary education and a member of Alpha Chi Omega. Mr. Wood, a senior majoring in commerce, is a member of Pi Kappa Phi. No date has been set for the wedding.

Gruver-Brenckman

Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Brenckman of Springfield announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis, to Walter Gruver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Gruver of Drexel Hill.

Miss Brenckman was graduated from the College in June and is a member of Alpha Gamma Delta. Mr. Gruver is an eighth semester meteorology major and a member of Pi Kappa Phi.

Irving-Comer

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Comer, of Overbrook Hill, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean, to Robert Irving, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Irving of Quakertown.

Miss Comer is a fifth semester elementary education major and a member of Alpha Omicron Pi. Mr. Irving attended the College and is now serving with the Air Force in Missouri.

Singer-Anderson

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Anderson of State College announce the engagement of their daughter, Grace, to Bruce Singer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Singer of Norristown.

Miss Anderson is a seventh semester home economics major and a member of Zeta Tau Alpha. Mr. Singer, a February graduate of the College and a member of Delta Sigma Phi, is employed by the U.S. Geological Survey, Arlington, Va.

Co-Edits

Tau Kappa Epsilon

William Lysinger will replace Jack Brame as treasurer of Tau Kappa Epsilon. Brame will graduate this month.



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Forrey-Laws

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Laws of East Lansdowne announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy, to William Forrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl R. Forrey of Lansdowne.

Miss Laws is employed by the Prudential Life Insurance Co. in Philadelphia. Mr. Forrey is a senior in landscape horticulture and a member of Phi Gamma Delta. He is captain of the tennis team and a member of Pi Alpha Xi, national horticulture fraternity.

Brouse-Kiel

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kiel of State College announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ann, to Charles Brouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Brouse of State College.

Miss Kiel, a fifth year architecture student, will receive her degree in June. She is a member of Delta Delta Delta.

Mr. Brouse was graduated from Penn State last June and is employed as a test engineer by Pratt and Whitney Aircraft, Connecticut. He is a member of Tau Kappa Epsilon.

A summer wedding is being planned.

Basch-Eisen

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Eisen of West Pittston announce the engagement of their daughter, Sally, to Charles Basch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Basch of Scranton.

Miss Eisen is a sixth semester sociology major. Mr. Basch is a seventh semester pre-law major and a member of Phi Sigma Delta.

Wolfram-Monack

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Monack of Charleroi announce the engagement of their daughter, Roseann, to Lt. Harold Wolfram, son of Mrs. Florence P. Wolfram of Towson, Md.

Miss Monack is a junior in home economics education and a member of Gamma Phi Beta. Lt. Wolfram is a graduate of the College and a member of Phi Kappa Psi.

Wenner-Curtis

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Curtis of Fair Haven, N.J., announce the engagement of their daughter, Doris, to Edward Wenner, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wenner of Fair Haven.

Miss Curtis is a graduate of the Red Bank Business Institute and is employed by the Prudential Life Insurance Co. at Red Bank, N.J. Mr. Wenner, a seventh semester forestry major, is a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon and Xi Sigma Pi, national forestry honorary.

Snoddy-Miller

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Miller Jr. of Harrisburg announce the engagement of their daughter, Caroline, to Lt. Stewart Snoddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Snoddy, also of Harrisburg.

Miss Miller is a senior in home economics and a member of Alpha Chi Omega. Lt. Snoddy is a graduate of Virginia Military Institute and is stationed at Ft. McClellan, Ala.

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