

First Reading Hour Features 3 Students

One graduate student and two undergraduates will give readings in the first reading hour of the spring semester at 7 p.m. tomorrow in McElwain Hall lounge.

Marian Ungar Barash, graduate speech major, Margaret Troutman, eighth semester English-speech education major, and William Grundy, fifth semester liberal arts major, will read in the program.

Four Students To Initiate Sorority Talks

Four Panhellenic Council members will lead a fireside discussion on "What Sorority Offers You" for women living in McAllister Hall at 9:15 tonight in McAllister Hall lounge.

Tonight's program will be the first in a series of discussions sponsored by the council.

Discussion leaders are Jane Bishop, eighth semester home economics major, Marilyn Buzby, eighth semester pre-medical major, Norma Reck, sixth semester education major, and Mary Heckman, sixth semester medical technician major.

The talk will include the sorority rushing program, sororities in campus and community functions, social activities, expenses of belonging to a sorority, average requirements made upon women by their sororities, the advantages of being a sorority member after graduation, and living and working with a group of women having similar interests and goals.

A question and answer period will follow the talk. Council representatives will serve refreshments.

Home Ec Group Initiates 59 Women

Fifty-nine new members have been initiated into the Home Economics Club by Doris Strathmeyer, retiring president.

New officers are president, Carol Jenks; vice president, Phyllis Richards; recording secretary, Jean Mercer; corresponding secretary, Gail Fromer; and treasurer, Ann Sterner.

Sophomore representatives elected to the executive council are Miriam Jones and Rhoda Good. Junior representatives are Judy Walter and Florence Gemmill. Ann Darbie and Ruth Eshelman are senior representatives.

Women May Participate In Duck Pin Contest

Women interested in bowling in a national intercollegiate telegraphic duck pin tournament will meet at 6:30 tonight in 110 White Hall.

The tournament will be conducted in the same manner as a ten-pin tournament. Although the contest is intercollegiate, the tournament will be conducted at each participating college or university. Scores will be telephoned to a central point.

WRA Board Meeting

The executive board of the Women's Recreation Association will meet at 6:30 tonight in the WRA room in White Hall.

Freshman Council

Freshman Council will meet at 6:30 tonight in the Day Student's room in Woman's Building.

WRA Will Hold Sweetheart Ball Saturday Night

The Women's Recreation Association will continue a 16-year-old tradition when it holds the Sweetheart Dance from 9 p.m. to midnight Saturday in White Hall. The dance is the only semi-formal affair held in White Hall, where WRA has been sponsoring the event since the building was constructed in 1938.

Each year the dance is a girl-ask-boy event based on a Valentine theme. This year's theme will be "Alice in Wonderland."

Jack Huber and his orchestra, assisted by vocalist Francis Spatafore, second semester arts and letters major, will play for the dance. Tickets are on sale for \$1.75 at the Student Union desk in Old Main.

Before 1945 proceeds from the dance were used for scholarship fund. Since then four war orphans have been aided through WRA efforts. Marie Aftanas, 14-year-old Polish refugee, will receive the proceeds of this year's dance.

Josianne Macquet, 10-year-old French child, was the first to receive aid from WRA. Ireta Pasztaul, 13-year-old Polish orphan, and Theodora Anna Buurman, 10-year-old Dutch child, have also benefited from WRA.

AChiO to Aid Easter Drive

Members of Alpha Chi Omega are addressing 14,000 envelopes for the 1954 Easter seal sale for the Pennsylvania Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Inc. Seals will be mailed to residents of Centre County.

This is part of the sorority's national project which was started at the end of World War II when the national vice president investigated various organizations to find where the sorority could emphasize its interests.

In 1947 Alpha Chi Omega adopted the project of providing assistance for the national society's cerebral division. The group contributes \$500 each year for funds to train workers in the cerebral palsy field.

To date, \$35,000 has enabled 80 people to get special training.

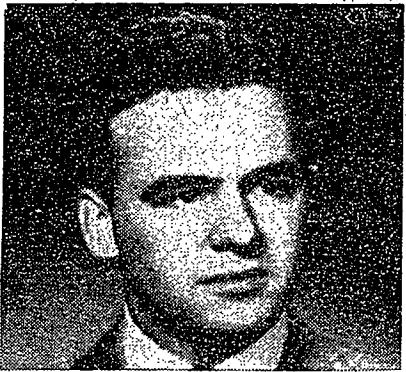
The State College chapter also makes self-help toys for cerebral palsied children each year.

Belles-Lettres Club To Hear Lecture

Frederick L. Gwynn, associate professor of English literature, will discuss "Cinerama in the Humanities" at a meeting of the Belles-Lettres Club at 7 tonight in the McElwain lounge.

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THOMAS BRASHER and Sylvia Smith get the worst of Richard Meek's fun at the Blue Key-Chimes Valentine Party which was held last Sunday at Phi Gamma Delta for 20 underprivileged children from Woodycrest.

Aches 'n Pains Suffered By Chimes, Blue Key

By NANCY WARD

Members of Chimes, junior women's hat society, and Blue Key, junior men's hat society, trudged stiffly around campus yesterday as a result of bumps and bruises suffered Sunday when the two groups entertained 15 children from Woodycrest at Phi Gamma Delta.

The hosts and hostesses were run ragged playing games the kids took in their stride. Members of Blue Key played horse for young "piggy-back" riders who battled gaily with balloons from unfamiliar heights.

It was a continual challenge to catch a racing Dennis-the-menace to include him in a game, feed him cake and ice cream, or give him a toy.

A glass of milk remained untouched until the depths of the kitchen were scoured for a straw.

Paper hats soared around the room and the popping of balloons interspersed with conversation. One clever member of Blue Key

attempted to entertain the children with bubbles (like soap bubbles but formed of an oily substance. The bubbles were stamped out on the floor by capricious four-year-olds and the entertainer spent some time after the party cleaning up the spots.

There were of course, those who refused to be entertained, preferring instead to trip the other players, sit sullenly in a corner, or bite balloons.

"It was all part of the fun, but exhausted students sighed wearily when the still-peppy youngsters left.



MISS "PERK" CHAWNER, Pi Beta Phi

Okay Joe?

A recent transfer from SMU, southern accent and all, Perk is a 7th semester Home Ec—child development major. (Really after an education). Though no mention made of men, she claims tennis and swimming as hobbies.

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