

# Marriage Talks Start Tuesday

"Marriage for Moderns" will be the topic of the second annual marriage conference, to be held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday in Simmons lounge.

The series is sponsored jointly by the University Christian Association, Women's Student Government Association, Association of Independent Men, and Interfraternity Council. It will be open to the public.

Dr. Clifford R. Adams, professor of psychology, will speak on "Look Before You Leap" Tuesday's meeting. Dr. Adams is the author of "Your Marriage," a regular feature of Women's Home Companion. He will give suggestions for preparation for marriage and selecting a mate.

### Kahn to Speak

"If You Marry Outside Your Faith" will be the theme of a symposium Wednesday. Rabbi Benjamin M. Kahn, director of Hillel Foundation, and the Rev. Luther H. Harshbarger, University Chaplain, will discuss the social, cultural and religious effects of marriage between faiths. Dr. Winona Morgan, professor of child development, will discuss the effects of such a marriage upon children.

Helen Buchanan, instructor in family relations, will speak on "Is Love Enough?" at Thursday's meeting. Mrs. Buchanan will talk on adjustments after marriage and problems that may arise.

### Androcles, Chimes to Host

Discussions and coffee hours will follow each talk. Members of Androcles, junior men's hat society, and Chimes, junior women's hat society, will act as hosts and hostesses for the conference.

Members of the marriage conference committee are Arlene Borgeson, UCA; Sherry Kofman, WSGA; Richard Dunkelberger, IFC; and Francis Wachter, AIM.

### Hostesses Named

Hostesses for the three coffee hours will be Margaret Davis, Nadya Freidel, Mildred McCowan, Phyllis Richards, Alice Boorman, Patricia Ellis, Janet Townsend, Ann Curtis, Audrey Neff, and Meta Bailey.

## 3 Prizes Offered In Silver Contest

Reed & Barton, silversmiths, are conducting a "Silver Opinion Competition." Women students may compete for a first prize of \$500 cash scholarship and second and third prizes of \$250 scholarships.

An entrant is asked to name her favorite Reed & Barton design and tell why this design best suits the way she wants to live. There is no set limit to the number of words. Entries will be judged on the basis of interesting opinions rather than on literary techniques.

Students interested in entering the contest may contact Nancy Brebner, fourth semester education major, in 21 Atherton for entry blanks and complete details on the competition rules. The closing date is midnight, March 31.

## Engagements

### Barnes-Buzby

Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Buzby of Medford Lakes, N.J., announce the engagement of their daughter Marilyn to Mr. Geoffrey Barnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Barnes of Penn Valley.

Miss Buzby is a graduate of the University and is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma.

Mr. Barnes is also a graduate of the University and is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. He is now serving in the U.S. Army.

### Frye-Hammersberg

Col. and Mrs. Robert E. Hammersberg of Silver Spring, Md., announce the engagement of their daughter Helen to Lt. William Frye, son of Mrs. Mary Frye of Carlisle.

Miss Hammersberg is an eighth semester home economics major and a member of Alpha Xi Delta. Lieutenant Frye attended Dickinson College and is now stationed with the U.S. Army at Ft. Campbell, Ky.

# Elections Information Announced

Self-nomination blanks for Women's Student Government Association are due at the dean of women's office, 105 Old Main, by noon today. Nomination blanks for the Women's Recreation Association are due by noon March 12.

Nominees must have a 1.5 All-University average and may not have a major judicial record.

When all blanks have been returned, a screening board will interview nominees. Candidates selected by the screening board will be introduced at dormitory meetings.

### Primary Elections

Primary elections will be held March 22 and final elections March 24. The two candidates for each office receiving the highest number of votes in the primaries will run in the final elections.

Qualifications for WSGA positions are president, sixth semester woman who has served on WSGA Senate for one year; vice president, fourth semester; senior senator, sixth semester; junior senator, fourth semester; and sophomore senator and treasurer, second or third semester.

### Runner-Up Offices

Runner-up for WSGA president will become secretary and runner-up for vice president will become junior senator. Town senator nominees may be any semester.

Candidates for WRA president must be sixth semester with one year on the WRA Board. Qualifications for other officers are vice president, fourth semester; secretary-treasurer, second semester; sophomore representative, second semester; intramural chairman, fourth semester; and assistant intramural chairman, second semester.

### Fraternity Correction

Pi Kappa Phi was erroneously omitted from the list of approved fraternities by yesterday's Daily Collegian.

The fraternity was approved for both last night and tonight.

# WRA to Host Three Colleges At Sports Day

The Women's Recreation Association will play hostess to Bucknell University and Lycoming and Juniata colleges today in the 16th annual intercollegiate Sports Day.

The program will begin with registration in White Hall, 12:30 p.m., bowling and volleyball, 1 p.m., modern dance, 1:30 p.m.; and basketball, 1:45 p.m.

Swimming will begin at 3 p.m. and includes the 25-yard free style, 25-yard back stroke, 25-yard breaststroke, 3-woman relay, and a 4-woman free style relay.

The events will continue with badminton at 3:30 p.m.; a general swim for everyone at 3:45 p.m., and dinner served to all members of the teams at 4:30 p.m.

The WRA Sports Day originated in 1939, one year after White Hall was built. At that time the physical education staff was increased and WRA was organized.

Patricia Farrell, committee chairman, said schools participate by invitation. Miss Farrell said the athletic contests stress friendly competition and no awards are given. The purpose of Sports Day is to enjoy sports and promote amiable relations between individuals and schools.

Last month Lycoming College was hostess to the University team.

### Cwens' Scholarship

Sophomore women may pick up application blanks for the Cwens' scholarship in the dean of women's office. The deadline is March 30.

### Losing Weight?

# Coeds, Webster Vie On 'Diet' Definition

By MARY BOLICH

Collegian Assistant Society Editor

A diet, according to Webster's dictionary, is "food and drink regularly provided or consumed"; to a doctor a diet means an allowance of food according to a particular state of health. But to a Penn State coed the term diet has a different definition—a means to look trim in campus attire.

Coeds are known to be the most frequent dieters. One way to learn of the different ways to diet is to walk in on a gab session in a dormitory. Next to men, the best bull session subject may be dieting.

This column, therefore, is for the people who are unfamiliar with the numerous types of diets coeds frequently employ in their search to lose.

### Starvation Diet

First there is the starvation diet, one of the most common forms of the art. It is usually the "plump" coed who selects this particular diet. It includes giving up meals but provides incentive for one to eat candy, ice cream, or drink soda pop whenever one feels a hunger pang.

Another common form of dieting is the nicotine-caffeine type. Here again the coed forgets she has paid for a meal ticket and instead smokes two or three packs of cigarettes and drinks about ten cups of coffee a day. Almost all coeds go on this diet at one time or another, especially, and unintentionally, during final exams.

### Exercise-Ambition?

Ambitious coeds sometimes supplement diets with the exercise form of losing weight. They do all types of calisthenics every morning and night. All outdoor sports are also encouraged. It is usually the slim, can't-afford-to-lose-weight coed who tackles this reducing method.

For those that like to take the

easy way out there is the RDX plan. This involves no work or pain. The coed eats all she wants and still loses weight to get that slim look. When she feels those hunger pangs taunting her she takes an easy-to-swallow pill and is all set.

### Reduce by Machine

Still easier is the Relax-A-Cizer plan. This reducing involves no dieting. The machine looks like a tape recorder but instead of putting the tape on the machine the coed puts it wherever she wants to reduce. Advertisers claim it will give one that "prettier, trimmer figure that excites romantic glances."

While there are probably many other types of diets that could be described it seems pointless to go on. No matter how much coeds try they can't beat "Mother Nature."

### The Other Half--

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Week include: only girls are allowed to make dates, must call for the men in dormitory lounges, and must pay all bills. During the week the coeds were to walk their dates to fraternity meetings, carry their trays in the dining hall, and on Thursday, "Slave Day," carry their books and provide free cigarettes.

## Religion

# Churches Plan Socials, Talks

Student religious groups have planned a variety of programs for this weekend. Speakers, socials, discussions, and suppers are on the agenda.

Open house with dancing, cards, and refreshments will be held by Newman Club at 8 tonight in the student center. The group will

have a roller skating party at the Coliseum rink at 2 p.m. tomorrow. Those attending should meet at Old Main. Devotions will be held at 7 p.m. tomorrow at Our Lady of Victory Church.

"Forgiveness" is the topic for discussion at the meeting of the United Student Fellowship, Evangelical and Reformed Church, at 6:30 p.m. tomorrow. Ann Hertzler, third semester home economics major, will be the leader.

Canterbury Club, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, will meet at 5:30 p.m. tomorrow for supper. Dr. Joseph G. Rayback, associate professor of American history, will speak on the "Medieval Church" at 6:15 p.m.

Students from the Lutheran Student Association who attended the Regional conference in the Pocono mountains last weekend will discuss the conference at the regular meeting at 6:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Dr. Robert W. Stone, professor of bacteriology, will speak to the Wesley Foundation on "Science and Religion—Is There a Conflict?" at 6:30 p.m. tomorrow.

A film on discrimination entitled "We Hold These Truths" will be shown to the Westminster Foundation at 6:20 p.m. tomorrow.

Young Friends will meet at 8 p.m. tomorrow at the meeting house to attend a supper at the home of Dr. John H. Ferguson, professor of political science, at 555 W. Ridge avenue.

Zakaria Sabry, graduate student in agricultural and biological chemistry, will speak on "Islam" at the meeting of the Student Fellowship, St. John's Evangelical United Brethren Church, tomorrow. Dinner at 5 p.m. will precede the speech.

Roger Williams Fellowship, University Baptist Church, will meet for supper at 5:30 p.m. tomorrow in the Fireside Room of the church student center. Carolyn Allen, of the University Christian Association, will speak on "Life's Decisions" following the supper.

### Cwens to Start Chapter

Cwens, sophomore women's hat society, will go to St. Lawrence University, Canton, N.Y., April 14 to 17 to establish a new chapter. Plans for the trip were made at a meeting Thursday night.

It was also announced that a workshop for members of Cwens will be held from 2:30 to 5 p.m. Sunday in Simmons Hall.

### FMA Trustees to Meet

The Board of Trustees of the Fraternity Marketing Association will meet at 8:30 p.m. Monday at the Home of Mrs. C. R. Keister, Orlando Apartments. Plans for the annual FMA meeting, to be held March 23 at Beta Sigma Rho, will be discussed.

## Co-Edits

Recently elected officers of Theta Chi are William Landis, president; Jackie Miller, vice president; Joseph Crudo, secretary; Roscoe Snedeker, first guard; James Forsythe, second guard; Alfred Klimcke, historian; Thomas Smith, librarian; Richard Cordori, chaplain; Robert Spinazola, rushing chairman; Robert Urban, social chairman; Roger Voegelsinger, Interfraternity Council representative; Walter Segl, house manager; Daniel Zellum, alumni secretary; Robert Hammel, athletic chairman; Richard Sherwood, caterer; and John Starkey, publicity chairman.

The local alumnae chapter of Zeta Tau Alpha will hold a white elephant sale in the last week of March in order to raise funds for the International Zeta Tau Alpha scholarship loan fund. Loans are made from the fund to worthy undergraduates to complete their college education. The chapter appointed Mary Fuqua representative to Panhellenic Council.

Recent initiates of Pi Beta Phi are Annaliese Bierker, Margaret Boyd, Susan Conklin, Naomi Dunn, Elsa Gastrich, Camille Gellert, Anne Gjesdahl, Sally Laughlin, Joyce Ramsey, Janice Strickler, Shirley Vansant, and Rebecca Zahn.

The alumnae chapter presented a wedding pin in honor of the late Helen Eakin Eisenhower to the active chapter at a breakfast held in honor of the initiates. President Milton S. Eisenhower and his daughter Ruth were present at the breakfast. A color picture of Mrs. Eisenhower was given to the chapter along with the pin.

Mary Frank was named outstanding pledge of Alpha Chi Omega at a banquet at the Autoport Friday night.

Recently initiated in Sigma Alpha Epsilon were David Hedge, Richard James, Steven Jordan, James Lysek, Ronald Mountain, James Musser, Gilbert Remy, James Varshay, and Mason Walsh. The fraternity has pledged Richard Erb, Thomas Goas, Edwin Henrie, William A. Kelly, Christopher Kuebler, and Howard Nuss.

Delta Tau Delta has pledged Roger Alexander, Frank Zucco, Arthur Moyer, Robert Berry, Wendell Lowry, Robert Koch, William Fell, William Hoffman, James Sloan, Frederic Keck, Ronald Urlick, Paul Pritchard, George Maybey, Robert Richards, and John Coxhead.

Pi Kappa Alpha has initiated Thomas Blandford, James Clark, Robert Fitzgerald, Lloyd Hughes, Ronald Martin, Joseph Slotnik, Peter Voskamp, and Bruce Williams.

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