

# Interfaith Marriage Discussion Slated for Conference Tonight

The Rev. Luther H. Harshbarger, University chaplain; Rabbi Benjamin M. Kahn, director of Hillel Foundation; and Dr. Winona L. Morgan, professor of child development, will be speakers for the second meeting of the Marriage Conference at 7:30 tonight in Simmons Lounge.

Topic for the evening will be "If You Marry Outside Your Faith." The Reverend Harshbarger and Rabbi Kahn will discuss the social, religious, and cultural effects of a marriage between faiths, and Dr. Morgan will discuss the effect of such a marriage on children.

The Reverend Harshbarger attended Millersville State Teachers College and Bethany Biblical Seminary, School of Music, and received his B.A. degree from McPherson College, McPherson, Kan. He received his B.D. degree from Yale Divinity School, and studied at Temple University School of Theology.

After ordination in the Church of the Brethren in 1927, the Reverend Harshbarger served several pastorates and acted as assistant director to the Y.M.C.A.'s War Prisoners' Aid service in Great Britain during World War II. He has been director for Germany in the War Prisoners' Aid service, and has also worked with the World's Alliance of the YMCA.

He was appointed executive secretary of the Penn State Christian Association in 1949, and college chaplain in 1951.

Rabbi Kahn received his B.A. degree from Harvard University in 1934, and did graduate study in philosophy at Columbia University. He was ordained Rabbi in the Jewish Theological Seminary of America in 1938.

After serving as assistant Rabbi at the Anshe Emet Synagogue in Chicago for two years, Rabbi Kahn became director of B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation at the University in 1940. During World War II he served as civilian chaplain to the Armed Forces stationed at the University.

Rabbi Kahn served as president of the National Association of Hillel Directors from 1951 to 1953. He is the author of "Sabbath Eve Services in Hillel Foundations," and contributor to the 1954 volume of "Best Jewish Sermons of the Year."

Dr. Morgan received her B.A. degree from the University of Illinois, and attended the Merrill-Palmer School in Detroit, Mich., as part of undergraduate work in child development. She received her M.A. degree in psychology from the University of Illinois, and her Ph.D. from the University of Minnesota, majoring in child development and minoring in psychology.

In her research program Dr. Morgan has done work on adopted children, the effect of the depression on family life, the influence of parental practices on child development, and nursery school practices.

Dr. Morgan served as director of a nursery school at Ohio State University for nine years. She came to the University in 1944, and is now head of the department of child development and family relationships in the College of Home Economics.

The three-day conference, sponsored by the University Christian Association, Women's Student Government Association, Association of Independent Men, and Interfraternity Council, is open to the public. Coffee hours will follow each talk.

Helen Buchanan, instructor in family relations, will talk on "Is Love Enough?" at 7:30 p.m. tomorrow.

# Youthful Marriages Advised

Marriages among people 19, 20, and 21 years old are among the happiest, Dr. Clifford T. Adams told a group of about 300 at the opening session of the Marriage Conference last night.

Young marriages, he said, can be more successful because younger people are better able to adjust and adapt themselves to new situations.

### Companionship a Basis

He pointed out that these marriages must be based on companionship and a long enough acquaintance for the couple to know each other well, however.

Dr. Adams, speaking on the topic "Look Before You Leap," stressed similar backgrounds and attitudes as the primary consideration for people planning to marry. He said these were more important than age and education factors.

### Responsibility Needed

Another consideration he discussed was willingness to accept responsibility, on the part of both people involved.

"The responsibility quotient of her husband is the primary factor in the happiness of a wife," he said.

In mate selection, men are more apt to be fooled by physical attraction than women, Dr. Adams explained, while women tend to confuse romantic ideas with love.

### Pinnings a Masquerade

During the question and answer period which followed his talk, Dr. Adams called "pinnings" a subterfuge and masquerade. He said that an engagement to marry must have formal announcement and a token of betrothal in order to be valid.

In closing, Dr. Adams quipped a word of advice to men students. He advised them to select their wives from home economics majors, since these women are spending four years in learning to be good wives and homemakers, and are more interested in marriage than women enrolled in other colleges.

### McIlvride to Address Wesley

Donald McIlvride, program director of the Westminster Foundation, will speak on "Self Discipline" at 7 a.m. tomorrow in a Lenten devotions program at Wesley Foundation.

# Dress of Egyptians Is Similar to U.S.

By INEZ ALTHOUSE

Egypt is very much like the United States, and clothing styles there are the same as those of Americans, according to Faika Ibrahim, eighth semester home economics education major from Cairo, Egypt.

"Many people do not realize that Egypt is a very modern country and has the same living conditions as the United States," Miss Ibrahim said.

Miss Ibrahim explained that it is only in some of the villages among the lower class of people that the old costumes are worn, and even there not all the people have adhered to the clothes of their ancestors.

### Long Dress Seen

The women in some of the villages sometimes are seen in the long, loose dress associated with old Egypt. The dress may be of any color, and is covered by a material called a "malaya."

The malaya is worn in public, and is draped over the head and wound about the body. It is folded across the arms and held back with the hands under the arms.

In the olden days, Miss Ibrahim said, it was customary for women to wear a veil in public, but that custom had been dropped.

### Low Heel Worn

Low heels are generally worn for comfort. A scarf is wrapped about the head to hold back the hair under the malaya. This scarf is often decorated around the edge with embroidery or beadwork.

Miss Ibrahim said Egyptian women are very fond of jewelry. She said long ago the women wore a great many long necklaces, like those now seen on campus. The fashion for these necklaces changed and they were not worn for some time. Now they are once more in style. Bracelets and big earrings are also favorites.

### Wear Same Styles

Miss Ibrahim was quite emphatic in stressing the fact that Egyptian women, in the majority, wear the same styles and follow the same fashions as women in the United States and other western countries.

Several Egyptian magazines confirm her statement, for pictures in these magazines show the conventional evening gowns, cocktail dresses, suits, skirts and sweaters, and even fur coats.

### UCA Meeting Cancelled

University Christian Association assembly will not meet tonight so that members may attend the marriage conference.

# Leonides Candidates Announced

Candidates for Leonides elections were announced at the Leonides meeting Monday night.

Joy Oram, sixth semester elementary education major, and Judith Pendleton, sixth semester physical education major, are candidates for president.

Other candidates are Elaine Cappelli, sixth semester elementary education major, and Norma Talarico, fourth semester education major, vice president; Helen Cummings, second semester recreation education major, and Gwendolyn Pardo, second semester home economics major, recording secretary; and SueAnne Pink, fourth semester psychology major and Annie Campbell, sixth semester education major, corresponding secretary.

Elections will be held March 15. Voting polls will be set up in Thompson, McAllister, McElwain, Simmons, and Atherton Halls. Town girls will vote in McAllister Hall.

The polls will be open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. All independent women may vote in the elections.

Judith Harkinson, second semester journalism major, and Carole Ruff, second semester business administration major, were appointed chairmen of Leonides Spring Week committee.

Camelia Blount, second semester education major, was appointed Leonides representative on the Pan American Day committee.

Leonides and the Association of Independent Men will set up a display in Pattee Library depicting the history and general structure of the two organizations during Independent Week, March 11 to 18. They will also have a mobile advertising Independent Week in the lobby of Old Main.

# 'Sweetheart' Photos Due On Friday

Friday is the deadline for submitting photographs for the Independent Sweetheart contest.

A 5 by 7 inch photograph of each candidate is due at the Student Union desk in Old Main by 5 p.m. Friday. Five faculty members will select five finalists on Saturday.

The queen will be chosen by ballots, which may be placed in a box in the Hetzel Union Building on Tuesday. Ballots will be printed in the Daily Collegian, and will also be available at the voting place in the HUB.

The Independent Sweetheart will be crowned during intermission at the Spring Dance sponsored by Leonides and Association of Independent Men. The dance will be held from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. March 18 in the HUB. The Sweetheart will receive a loving cup and a bouquet of flowers.

Johnny Nicolosi and his orchestra will play for the dance. Decorations will follow a St. Patrick's day theme. Green top hats will be given to the men as favors and the women will receive dance programs.

The dance will climax Independent Week, March 11 to 18. Independent men and women will attend Chapel services in Schwab Auditorium March 13 in observance of the week.

Chairmen for the dance are James McDowell, Claire Ganim, Anne Moore, and Loretta Hunter. Publicity chairmen are Robert Sturdevant and Annette Holtz.

# WRA Nominations Due on Saturday

Mildred McCowan, Women's Recreation Association president, announced last night that nominations for offices to WRA executive board will close at noon on Saturday.

Second semester freshmen with a 1.5 All-University average are eligible for the office of sophomore representative to the board. Other offices open include president, vice president, intramural chairman, and assistant intramural chairman.

Candidates will be introduced to the dormitory units on March 13, 14, and 15.

Primary elections will be held March 22 and final elections, March 24.

The executive board will have a cabin party this Saturday at the WRA cabin on Mt. Tussey.

Members of the executive board will vote next week on the acceptance of the WRA constitutional amendments.

# Hell Week--

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The average length of hell week is 5 1/4 days.

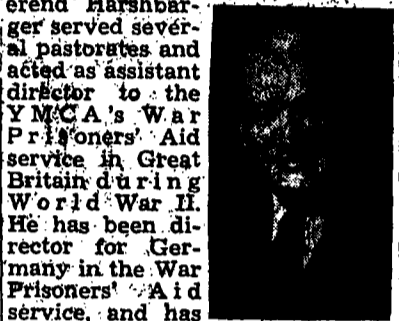
Four hours a day are allotted for study while three hours are allotted for sleep during hell week.

Under the code recommended by the committee, five hours a day would be allotted for sleep and three hours allotted for study.

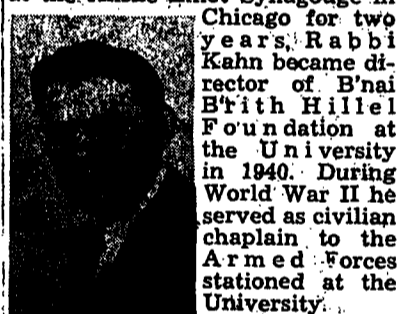
From what is shown in the survey results and the report of the hell week committee which accompanies them, it is apparent that hell week is coming under close scrutiny. It is also probable that changes will be made.

### Kappa Phi to Pledge

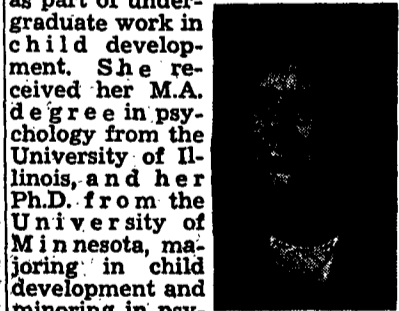
Kappa Phi, Methodist women's group, will pledge at 7:30 p.m. tomorrow at Wesley Foundation.



Rev. Harshbarger



Rabbi Kahn



Dr. Winona Morgan

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