

Hibbs Dies After Prolonged Illness

Mrs. Cordelia L. Hibbs, former assistant to the dean of women, died at 9:45 a.m. yesterday after an illness of nearly a year. She was 62.

At the time of her death, she was residing at the home of her niece, Mrs. Ralph Denney, of Brownsville.

Mrs. Hibbs was appointed to the staff of the office of the

Enrollment Statistics Announced

A total of 15,352 students have been enrolled on the campus and at University centers for the fall semester, C. O. Williams, dean of admissions and registrar, has announced.

According to the official figures, compiled as of Oct. 1, the campus enrollment of 12,653 students—9897 men and 2956 women—establishes a new record of 650 students more than the 12,003 on campus last year.

Over 1000 Increase

The total enrollment of 15,352 exceeds by over a thousand last fall's figure of 14,271. The figure even tops the University's record total enrollment of 1949 when 14,732 students were registered. However, of this number, 1269 freshmen were enrolled at off-campus points other than centers.

Enrollments at the centers and Mont Alto forestry school total 2699 students, including 2322 men and 377 women. The enrollment at the 11 centers also includes 1092 men and 24 women enrolled in two-year associate degree programs.

2830 Fresh

A breakdown of the campus enrollment includes 2830 freshmen, 2918 sophomores, 2695 juniors, and 2526 seniors. There are also 1448 graduate students and 236 special students.

Of those enrolled on campus, 10,967 are full-time undergraduate students and 238 are part-time undergraduates. Four hundred forty-one full-time graduate and 1007 part-time graduate students are enrolled.

Outdoor Living Is Hort Theme

Outdoor Living is the theme for the 42nd Hort Show to be held in the Livestock Pavilion Saturday and Sunday.

The show is designed to show how the back yard of a modern house can be arranged.

Edwin Selby is manager of the show; Nicholas Stehahn, assistant manager; and Kathryn Simons, secretary.

Committee heads announced by Selby are Harry Fries, publicity; Joseph Knepper and John Kennedy, landscape horticulture; Rudy Grab, floriculture; Ernest Carter, ornamental horticulture; Douglas Moorhead, pomology; Stephan Horlacher, plant breeding; Marjorie Taylor, refreshments; Nancy Stephens, flower sales; Miss Simons, Joseph Nudge, and Margaret Porter, program.

AAUP to Hear Edgerton Tonight

Dr. William B. Edgerton, assistant professor of Russian, will speak at the first meeting of the University chapter of the American Association of University Professors 7:30 tonight in 121 Sparks.

His topic will be "Education and Research in the Soviet Union: Some Personal Observations."

Dr. Edgerton has recently returned from a visit to the Soviet Union, where he traveled widely and conducted specialized research on Russian literary works.

Alas, Poor Men! Ratio Rockets To 3.28 to 1

Things are rough all over. For the men on campus this is especially true. The long-behemoaned ratio of men to women has jumped over the 3.0 mark for the first time in years.

In fact, it now stands at 3.28 men to each woman on campus—a blow for those who last fall only had to face a 2.92 to 1 ratio.

This fall, official enrollment figures list 9897 men and 2956 women on campus. Last fall's figures were 8946 men and 3057 women.

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Penn Game Half-Holiday Undecided

A decision on a half-holiday for the Penn game on Oct. 29 will have to wait until at least next Tuesday, since the Council of Administration did not meet yesterday.

Adrian O. Morse, University provost, said yesterday he will raise the half-holiday question for discussion at the council's next meeting. It did not meet yesterday because too many of its members had conflicting engagements, Morse said.

Five student organizations—including All-University Cabinet—have gone on record as favoring the half-holiday. The board of directors of the Association of Independent Men requested it, and four student councils—Liberal Arts, West Halls, Agriculture, and Chemistry-Physics—said they do not want classes that day.

At last Thursday's Cabinet meeting, Dean of Men Frank J. Simes said an extra half-day holiday for the Penn game would have to be taken from some other vacation period. He explained that a college or university must have a required number of class days to be an accredited institution.

Officials of the administration and student leaders have proposed that the scholastic calendar in future years provide for a "floating" half holiday. An extra half day of classes would be scheduled to let the student body take a free half-day whenever it would want to.

Morse said a representative from the administration would attend a future Cabinet meeting to discuss such a holiday if Cabinet requested it.

Cabinet Agendas

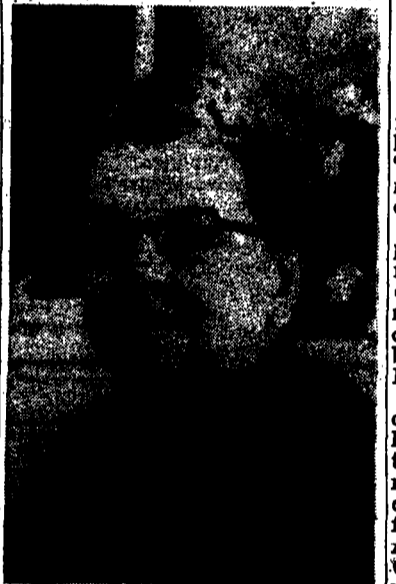
Cabinet agendas for tomorrow night's meeting will be available beginning at 9 a.m. today at the Hetzel Union desk.

dean of women in 1946 as a hostess in McAllister Hall. The following year she moved to the office of the dean of women, and at the same time she served as chaperone for Delta Gamma sorority.

Elected Mother

Members of the sorority elected her a Delta Gamma mother.

In 1948, Mrs. Hibbs was named an assistant to the dean of wo-



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men, a post which she held until her illness. She was in charge of rooming assignments for women students on campus.

Born near Uniontown, she is a graduate of the Office Training School, Uniontown. She was a member of St. Paul's Methodist Church, Altruss Club, and the Business and Professional Women's Club, all of State College.

She also served as an adviser to Mortar Board, senior women's hat society.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Pershing Rifles to Meet

Active members and pledges of Pershing Rifles, Co. B-5, will meet at 7 tonight in the Armory. Class "A" uniforms must be worn.

Players Advertising Group

Penn State Players Advertising group will meet at 7 tonight in the loft of Schwab Auditorium.

Ike, Dulles Confer on Policy

DENVER, Oct. 11 (AP)—President Eisenhower and Secretary of State Dulles discussed today Soviet activities in the inflamed Middle East, and Russian ideas on armaments in a momentous hospital bedside conference on foreign policy.

One by one, the chief executive and the secretary covered eight separate points in a 25-minute work session Dulles described as "very satisfactory" and "extremely helpful."

In their first conference since Eisenhower's Sept. 24 heart attack, the two worked out an "interim" reply to a letter in which Soviet Premier Nikolai Bulganin had found fault with the President's proposals for trading military blueprints and for mutual

aerial inspection of military installations.

Eisenhower signed the reply a few minutes later. It was delivered to Dulles to carry back to Washington for transmission to Moscow and it will be made public, the secretary said, after it is received in the Russian capital.

Another of the eight points—Dulles declined to disclose all of them on grounds security is involved—was preparations for the Oct. 27 meeting in Geneva of the Big Four foreign ministers.

In addition, Dulles told a news conference, Eisenhower asked for a report on the secretary's speech yesterday at the American Legion convention in Miami. In that address Dulles said that at this time the United States is not prepared to reduce military forces until it can be sure other countries also are doing so.

Dulles said the President was

A Phi O Turns Down Centennial Group Plan For Ugly Man Contest

Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity, has turned down a recommendation to make the Ugly Man Contest part of Pitt Weekend.

The recommendation was passed by the University Student Centennial Committee at its meeting Monday night.

Alpha Phi Omega said that having the contest in the fall would deprive them of their major spring activity.

Campus Chest

John Riggs, chairman of Campus Chest, said Campus Chest would not have time to take over the contest, as it has too many other activities planned for this fall. Proceeds of the contest will fall. Proceeds of the contest will

Centennial Committee suggested that the contest be carried on through the last days of the week preceding the Pitt game. Previously the event was part of the Spring Week program. According to the committee's plan, the winner of the contest would be announced at the Pitt game.

Centennial Committee

Albert Jordan, member of the Centennial Committee, presented the plan to Alpha Phi Omega Monday night following its approval at Centennial Committee Meeting. Members of the service fraternity said there are too many general campus activities in the fall to undertake the responsibilities of the contest at that time.

The Ugly Man Contest is a national contest of Alpha Phi Omega. It has been held during Spring Week for the past several years, but there is no regulation as to when it must be held. The 1955 Student Encampment recommended excluding the Ugly Man Contest from Spring Week because it felt there were too many events being held during that week.

'Chest' Proceeds

Jordan explained that the main consideration in deciding when the contest should be held is the amount of proceeds that can be taken in for the Chest. He said he felt that Pitt week would be an excellent opportunity to make a good collection and start the Campus Chest off well for the academic year.

Also included in the Centennial Committee plan was making the Ugly Man presentation an annual event with the Pitt game. Robert Heck, chairman of the committee, said he felt that enough students go to the Pitt game even when it is held at Pittsburgh to make it feasible to hold the presentation there. He added that this game is considered traditionally one of the biggest games of the year.

Motorcade

The contest starts with a motorcade with each of the contestants trying to attract as many votes as possible. Sororities, fraternities, and independent groups may sponsor contestants for the Ugly Man title. The contest is actually one of popularity rather than ugliness.

Voting is carried on by pennies being placed in milk bottles labeled with the names of the contestants. The winner is the contestant with the most pennies. Proceeds are the pennies which go to Campus Chest.

Probation List to Go To Faculty

A list of students placed on academic probation for this semester will be printed in the Faculty Bulletin in the near future.

Dean of Men Frank J. Simes said yesterday that the list would enable faculty advisers to extracurricular activities to check whether any student on probation holds an office in the activity.

This action is part of the dean of men's office crack-down on students on probation who continue to hold offices in activities.

Error Corrected

Assistant Dean of Men Harold W. Perkins said Monday that approximately 35 student leaders in activities are now on probation. It was erroneously stated in yesterday's Daily Collegian that approximately 35 students are now on probation. There are approximately 770 men and women on probation this semester, according to Perkins.

Academic probation allows students to participate in activities only as "ordinary members, without holding any office or committee membership whatsoever."

Law Quoted

University law states that students who fail 35 per cent of their credits for any semester, and who are not dropped because their All-University average does not fall below 1.65, will be placed on academic probation.

All students whose All-University averages fall below 1.65, are also placed on probation. If a student's All-University average falls below 1.5, and the student has not had a 2.2 or better for his "most recent" semester or a 2.0 or better for "each of his two most recent semesters," he will be dropped from the University.

Some Colleges also have probation regulations. Simes explained that students on either College or University probation are subject to the crack-down.

Prexy to Visit Ike at Denver

Dr. Milton S. Eisenhower, president of the University, will fly to Denver today for a brief visit with his brother, President Dwight D. Eisenhower.

It will be the first time Dr. Eisenhower will see his brother since the latter's heart attack on Sept. 24.

Dr. Eisenhower will leave at 8 a.m. today from Washington, D.C., where he attended a meeting yesterday. He is scheduled to return to the University tomorrow.

Asked if his trip will be strictly a social visit, Dr. Eisenhower said, "Just say it's a visit."

Prom Queen Candidates Must Enter by Oct. 26

Entries for the Junior Prom queen contest are due by Oct. 26, according to the Prom coronation committee.

Entrants, who must be juniors enrolled at the University, should submit either a 5x7 or 8x10 photograph at the Hetzel Union desk. The back of the picture should contain the entrant's name, address, telephone number, and sponsor.

Any fraternity, sorority, or independent group may sponsor one candidate for queen.