

# Restrictions Announced On Off-Campus Living

The Board of Trustees has approved a policy requiring men living off campus, unless in their own homes, to live in rooming houses inspected and approved by the University.

University representatives will inspect downtown rooming houses and fraternities for conditions of health, sanitation, fire safety, minimum housing requirements and terms and conditions of occupancy.

The new policy will be put into effect as soon as feasible, according to Frank J. Simes, dean of men. It is an extension of a program begun in 1953 with a voluntary inspection of off-campus living facilities.

### Checked Last Year

Last year volunteer teams from the Alpha Fire Co. of State College checked rooming houses and fraternities in several areas of the borough as part of a borough-wide inspection for possible fire hazards.

No definite time has been set for the beginning or completion of the inspection, according to Harold W. Perkins, assistant dean of men.

The process of inspection will be gradual, he said. Students will not be asked to move this semester.

### To Determine Facilities

Simes said the new policy will help students get adequate off-campus housing and will enable the University to determine future housing needs.

As housing facilities are a factor limiting enrollment, Simes said, it is essential to the growing needs of the University to know exactly the number of downtown housing facilities available.

### Inspection Invited

Under the program begun in 1953, representatives from the dean of men's office at the invitation of householders have inspected some downtown rooming houses. Houses approved are listed for student reference.

The policy now approved for men is similar to a policy used prior to World War II when many women lived in approved downtown rooming houses.

Other colleges and universities require school approval of off-campus housing.

## Dietician Joins Home Ec Staff

Clarice D. Gullickson, dietetic specialist for the Veterans Administration for the past 20 years, has joined the staff of the College of Home Economics.

As professor of hotel and institutional administration, Miss Gullickson will direct a program of research and service in dietary departments of various institutions in the state.

Prior to leaving her position with the Veterans Administration, Miss Gullickson was presented the Veterans Administration's Superior Accomplishment Award and an outstanding efficiency rating for developing a change in dietetic food and cost accounting from a manual operation to an electrical operation.

## Play Tryouts Set For February 6, 7

Tryouts for the Experimental Theatre production of "Precious Bane" to be presented March 19, 20 and 21, will be held at 7 p.m. tomorrow and Thursday in 107 Willard.

The play, which will be directed by Mark Wallace, graduate student in theatre arts from Bristol, was adapted by Warren Smith, associate professor of theatre arts, from a novel about Shropshire country folk by Mary Webb.

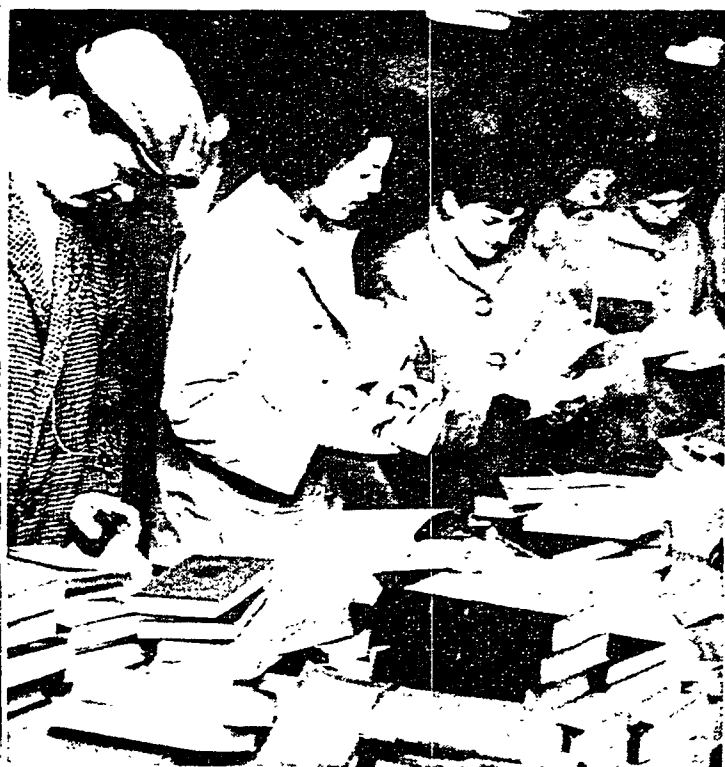
Copies of the script are available for reading in the Greenroom in Schwab Auditorium.

## Rush Registration To Be Continued

Sorority formal rushing registration will be held over until noon today.

Coeds wishing to register for rush should report to the dean of women's office. They are to bring their transcripts and the \$1 registration fee.

Three hundred and fifty coeds registered during the first three days.



USED BOOKS and lines of students can be seen all week in the Hetzel Union cardroom.

## UBA Lowers Rates; Charges Cut in Half

Increased business has enabled the Used Book Agency to reduce its handling charge from 20 cents to 10 cents.

Under the new rates, buyer and seller will each pay a 10-cent service charge as opposed to a previous rate of 20 cents each. The agency will accomplish collection by raising by 10 cents the quoted price of the book and paying the seller 10 cents less than the quoted price.

As before, there will be no handling charge if a book is not sold.

The new price will continue to be in effect unless there is a great unexpected drop in student support of the UBA.

### No Handling Charge

Tentative plans are that eventually the operations will not cost the student anything, according to Mark Levine, spokesman for the Book Exchange and the Used Book Agency.

The BX is now under a self service system, on an experimental system. At present it is not as efficient as it was hoped to be. However, it is impossible to tell how the new system will work out because of the increased business during the first weeks of the semester, Levine said.

Levine said that in speaking with the students they felt that the new self-service system is better than the old one.

### Self Service

Under this system, the student picks out the articles he wishes to buy and then takes them to the clerk. This gives the student a chance to have a better look at the merchandise and he does not have to wait for other customers.

The UBA will not receive any more books to be sold. It will continue to sell books until noon Friday in the Hetzel Union cardroom. The hours for the UBA are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, and 9 a.m. to noon Friday.

The BX will be opened from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday. It's regular hours, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, will be in effect for the remainder of the semester.

The UBA will start to return money and books Feb. 18 in the Hetzel Union cardroom. Failure to claim money or books within 30 days of this date will result in forfeiture.

## Painting Scheme Brightens Return Of Collegian Staff

The Daily Collegian cityroom was a little brighter yesterday when staffers returned to work after a long mid-semester layoff.

The cityroom, where most of this newspaper's copy is written and edited, was painted over the vacation.

Physical Plant painters must have gone wild when they wielded their brushes, for three walls are painted yellow and brown and the fourth, green and brown. The ceiling is white.

None of the shades could be classified "dull."

The cityroom was included in the Carnegie Hall paint project, a move to brighten up some of the classrooms and offices in the building, one of the oldest on campus.

## Frosh Board Will Meet

The Freshman Class Advisory Board will meet at 7:30 tonight in 209 Hetzel Union to discuss plans for a class dance.

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Now - 1:56, 3:51, 5:46, 7:41, 9:36

27th Century Fox presents  
**TOM EWELL**  
**JAYE MANSFIELD**  
**EDWARD GIBSON**

**THE GIRL CAN'T HELP IT**

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**"THE RAINMAKER"**  
Starts Friday—

# University Aid Approved For IFC Buying Program

By BOB FRANKLIN

The formation of an Interfraternity Council-sponsored cooperative buying program moved a step closer to reality with the announcement yesterday that the Board of Trustees has authorized University officials to counsel with fraternities on buying problems.

Under the board's action, various departments of the University would be available for consultation with an IFC buying agency and could assist in the audit of its books.

Such an agency has been proposed by IFC officers to assume the food-buying functions of the Fraternity Marketing Association, which will suspend operations by the end of the semester.

### Letter from Land

The board's action was taken in response to a letter from IFC President Daniel Land requesting University aid and official recognition for the proposed organization.

Although the board did not specifically grant University sanction to the IFC program, it helped clear the way for the University Senate Committee on Student Welfare to charter the planned organization, if it is established by IFC.

### Cites Rising Costs

In his letter, Land said that "today's costs are rising so rapidly that in the very near future fraternity living will be priced beyond the reach of the average student, upon whom the fraternities have depended for their members," unless some force, such as cooperative buying program, arrests these rising costs.

The proposed program has been described as similar to the present FMA, but under closer IFC control. Eventual expansion of the categories of buying to include most of the needs of fraternities has been suggested as a natural development for the plan in the future.

### FMA Voted Suspension

FMA voted to suspend operations by the end of last semester after IFC defeated an association-backed amendment to the council's constitution which would have made membership in FMA mandatory for all council members.

But the association's Board of Trustees last month agreed to continue operations this semester until IFC can establish a program of its own. The board members agreed to the extension of operations after Land assured them that the project would be financially underwritten by IFC and pledged the council's support to effect "an orderly transfer of buying functions."

## Physics Dept. Gets Grant of \$3000

The Department of Physics has received a \$3000 grant from the E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Co., Wilmington, Del.

It will be used to support research in the department concerning the relation of physical properties of high polymers to their molecular structure.

Several members of the Department of Physics are doing research in this field. They include Dr. John A. Sauer, professor and head of the department; Dr. Edwin R. Fitzgerald, associate professor; and Dr. Richard Work and Dr. Nicholas Fuschillo, assistant professors.

# Kenworthy Named Aide To Walker

Wilmer E. Kenworthy, who has been serving temporarily as administrative assistant to the president of the University since the resignation of Keith Spalding on Oct. 1, has been named executive assistant to the president.

He will continue to serve as director of student affairs. Kenworthy was also coordinator of scholarships, but this duty will now be taken over by George N. P. Leetch, in addition to his present position as director of the University Placement Service.

### On President's Staff

Kenworthy has served on the staff of the president of the University since 1937 when he was named executive secretary to the late Dr. Ralph Jern Hetzel. In 1939, when the office of student affairs was organized, he was named assistant to the president in charge of student affairs.

A native of Richmond, Ind., Kenworthy was graduated from the Westtown School, and received his bachelor of arts degree in liberal arts from Earlham College.

### Was Commercial Agent

Before his appointment to the staff at the University, he was a commercial agent for the New York Telephone Co., Brooklyn, N.Y.; with the advertising department of Conrad-Pyle Co., West Grove; assistant secretary of the American Rose Society, West Grove; with the public relations division of the Republican National Committee in New York, N.Y.; a secretary with The Texas Oil Co., New York, N.Y.; and assistant to the director and publication manager of Carl Schurz Memorial Foundation, Philadelphia.

## Students to Attend Religious Meeting

Marjorie Harris, junior in arts and letters from New Castle, and Dianne Herold, junior in home economics from Bradford, will attend the fifth annual Conference on Religious Vocations for College Students in New York City this weekend.

The conference will draw approximately 75 women students representing colleges and universities in 16 states. The women will be given an opportunity to consider positions which are open to women in the Christian Church and related fields, including teaching and YMCA work.

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NOW SHOWING  
JAMES WHITMORE  
"Crime in the Streets"  
with Sal Mineo  
COMING THURSDAY  
Ingrid Bergman - Yul Brynner  
Helen Hayes - "ANASTASIA"

**NITTANY**  
NOW - DOORS OPEN 5:15  
Tyrone Power - Kim Novak  
"Eddy Duchin Story"  
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Burt Lancaster, Anna Magnani  
"THE ROSE TATTOO"

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