



## Students Exhaust Vaccine Supply

The University's supply of Asiatic flu vaccine was exhausted at 11 a.m. yesterday with 636 students innoculated.

The innoculation program began on Monday.

Dr. Herbert R. Glenn, director of Health Service, said 7500 doses of the vaccine have been ordered. A portion of this

order is expected within 10 days, the time set by the U.S. Public Health Service for a release of the general supply to all states, according to their population.

If the student body accepts the vaccine favorably, enough will be ordered to innoculate the entire student body. Shots will be available at the dispensary in the west wing of the University Hospital. Shots will cost \$1.

**Slight Reaction From Shots**  
Glenn said most students will not have any reaction from the shots except for a slight redness and soreness at the site of the injection. However, some others, he said may have a "grippe-like response" with some fever, headache and general malaise lasting 24 to 48 hours.

Except for the vaccine, which is 70 per cent effective, there is no other effectual treatment or cure for the Asiatic flu. Antibiotics are of no help and once contracted, bed rest and nursing care are needed to fight the virus.

Symptoms are a sore throat, marked perspiration, fever, body aches and extreme prostration which lasts four or five days, followed by four or five days of convalescence.

**Nationwide Program**  
The University's innoculation program is part of a nationwide effort to vaccinate before the flu epidemic reaches the United States. The epidemic, if there is one, is expected to reach the U.S. in December or January.

U.S. Surgeon-General Leroy E. Burney has warned that "if the present attack and mortality rate continues, this country could have as many as 33 million people ill, with approximately 66,000 deaths."

In order to prevent an epidemic on campus in early winter, Glenn has urged students to receive innoculations.

**Epidemic Every 20 Years**  
Influenza epidemics occur about every 20 years, each time attacking a certain age group. This particular attack is caused by an influenza virus which originated in Asia and spread through the Eastern Hemisphere to Europe. It seems to be affecting mostly young adults.

The vaccine being used is not new but has been produced to fight one particular strain of the influenza virus, called the Asiatic virus.

### University Willed \$40,000

The University will receive a request of \$40,000 for the establishment of the Ermin Forest Hill Memorial Fund under the terms of the late Hill's will.



"BUT GIRLS, WE CAN'T SING" was a common plea over the campus yesterday as the upperclasswomen enforced the joint customs program. Freshman men found the going a bit

rough and for once cringed at the thought of being followed by women. Upperclassmen also had their day. (Picture on page 2).

## Group Plans Study Of Vote Habits

Peter Fishburn, All-University Elections Committee chairman, yesterday said the committee will study voting percentages from class and All-University elections in an effort to find more effective ways of encouraging students to vote.

He mentioned the possibility of including on ballots space for voters to indicate their sex and fraternity or independent affiliation. This would enable the committee to determine which segments of the student body lack interest in student government and politics.

**Code to Be Studied**  
Fishburn also said the committee will study the possibility of returning to a decentralized voting system. The elections code will be studied and possibly revised, he said, with particular attention given to methods of penalizing candidates and political parties for illegal actions.

About 120 applications for Elections Committee membership were received last semester. The Cabinet Personnel Interviewing Committee will interview the applicants. These interviews will probably be completed by early October, Fishburn said.

**Committee Size Set**  
From 12 to 20 students will be named to the committee. Fishburn and Jerome Breiter, CPIC chairman, will process the applications and choose the students to be interviewed.

Interested new students, except first-semester freshmen, who are ineligible, may contact Fishburn. Last year's committee members who have not already reapplied also may contact Fishburn.

## Concert Tickets Over Half Gone

More than half of the tickets for the Eleanor Steber concert, to be given at 8:30 p.m. Sunday in Schwab Auditorium, were issued to students yesterday, the first day the tickets were available.

A total of 405 tickets are still available at the Hetzel Union desk for the first concert of the Artists' Series. Students may pick up tickets until noon tomorrow at which time they will go on sale to the general public for \$1.75.

Tickets remaining on Saturday morning will again become available to students and may be obtained at the HUB desk between 9 a.m. and 4:45 p.m.

Graduate students who have paid the full fees of \$175 per semester also are eligible.

## Penn Game Tickets Go on Sale Today

About 2500 tickets for the Penn State-Pennsylvania football game Sept. 28 at Philadelphia will go on sale at 8:15 a.m. today in 249 Recreation.

Tickets may be obtained from 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and Saturday from 8 a.m. to noon.

The tickets are priced at \$4 each and seats range from the 50-yard line to the 20-yard line. They will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis.

## Frosh Coeds Enjoy Joint Days; Submit 'Bibles' With Pleasure

Freshman women seemed to react very favorably yesterday to the first day of joint customs as they readily submitted their Freshman Bibles to the scrutinizing eyes of the upperclassmen, who mentally noted dormitory addresses.

While the upperclasswomen weren't as interested in the freshman men's bibles, they added to the overall spirit of the joint customs by gathering large singing groups and requesting many "Buttons" from the frosh.

## Baker Resigns Foods Post; Proffitt Named Acting Head

Mildred A. Baker has resigned as director of Food Service, effective Oct. 12.

Robert C. Proffitt, manager of food stores and foods buyer since 1949, will become acting director of food service at that time, according to President Eric A. Walker.

After an extensive tour through Central and South America, Miss Baker plans to engage in consulting work.

Before coming to the University in 1948, Miss Baker held a similar position at the University of Arizona. Earlier she served on the institutional management staff at Iowa State College.

**Food Service Developed**  
While at the University, she developed a food service that now includes centralized buying and storage and serves between 16,000 and 18,300 meals daily. The department has about 400 full-time employees and more than 40 professional staff members.

During the time Miss Baker was director of food service, dining (Continued on page eight)



Miss Mildred Baker Leaving Food Service

## Thailand Will Remain Pro-Western

BANGKOK, Thailand, Sept. 17 (AP) — Army commander Sarit Thanarat moved today to set up a new government which he pledged would not swerve from the pro-Western policies of ousted Premier P. Pibulsonggram.

Sarit, recently forced to resign a cabinet post, toppled the Pibulsonggram leadership in a swift, bloodless coup.

Sarit also removed another foe and strongman, Gen. Phao Sriyanond who commanded Thailand's 40,000-man police force. Phao took a plane for Geneva after Sarit ordered tanks to surround this capital city, and later

arrived in Pakistan.

**U.S. Officials Speculate**  
In Washington, U.S. officials speculated that Sarit might invite Pibulsonggram to return as premier. These officials said they expect no change in Thailand's policies towards the United States or the Southeast Asia Treaty Organization, which has headquarters in Bangkok.

Sarit told a news conference he ousted Pibulsonggram, premier since 1947, "in the interest of the people." He declared there had been considerable unrest in Thailand since Pibulsonggram's regime was re-elected by a slim majority last February.

**Is Not a Politician**  
"I have nothing to do with politics," he added. He said he wanted a new government as soon as possible but he did not know what form it would take. Asked whether he would become premier, Sarit replied: "Many people want to be premier."

Sarit said he wants to continue to cooperate with the anti-communist SEATO group. Although he is reputed to be a foe of SEATO, SEATO military advisors are scheduled to meet here in two days.

Asked about U.S. military aid to Thailand, Sarit said the future of that aid will depend upon the new government.

Shortly after the coup Sarit proclaimed himself governor of Bangkok, rather than of Thailand.

## Lion Predicts Cloudy Skies

Today's prediction calls for cloudy skies and continued cool temperatures. The expected high will range from 75-78 degrees.

The balmy weather failed to bring the Nittany Lion out of his cave this morning, however, and when he finally did emerge, he informed a Daily Collegian reporter that Frosh customs must end at all costs, since they are "too dangerous."

An investigation disclosed that the Lion received severe head wounds while hazing a cute freshman during yesterday's joint customs.

