



Sputnik II Yields Orbit Info to U.S.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6 (AP)—Sputnik II was sighted all across the country today, giving scientists the information needed for an accurate fix of its orbit around the earth.

The Soviet satellite appeared to be tumbling end over end in its furious flight at nearly 18,000 miles an hour. This caused renewed speculation about the fate of Laika, the little Russian dog harnessed inside.

A late report from Moscow, based on radio signals received from the satellite, said Laika was still alive and in "satisfactory" condition. At that time Sputnik II had been up for about four days. Soviet scientists indicated several days ago that eccentric movements of the satellite might in time cost the dog's life.

Dr. Fred L. Whipple, director of the Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory at Cambridge, Mass., said the tumbling is indicated by the many reports on the changing brightness of the satellite. Observers said sometimes it was as bright as the planet Jupiter and at other times, looked like a relatively faint star.

These changes, Whipple explained, would be caused by seeing the satellite broadside and then endwise as it tumbles through space.

Preparations were under way today for a Senate investigation of this country's lagging pace in the field of satellites and missiles, and Chairman William L. Dawson (D-Ill.) of the House Government Operations Committee said he was considering a similar investigation by his group.

Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey (D-Minn.) accused the Russians of using their satellite successes to "blackmail" the free world in disarmament negotiations.

Sen. Wayne L. Morse (D-Ore.) opened the debate in this country, saying the best way to halt the threat of Russian aggression is for the United States to demonstrate to the world "that we are ready to negotiate peace."

Today was the first time U.S. observers were able to get a good look at the satellite. They will get another glimpse tomorrow during three predawn passes.

Shulman Talk Set for SDX Dinner Sunday

Humorist Max Shulman will speak at a dinner Sunday sponsored by Sigma Delta Chi, men's professional journalism society, on "So You Want to be a Writer... You Fool, You!"

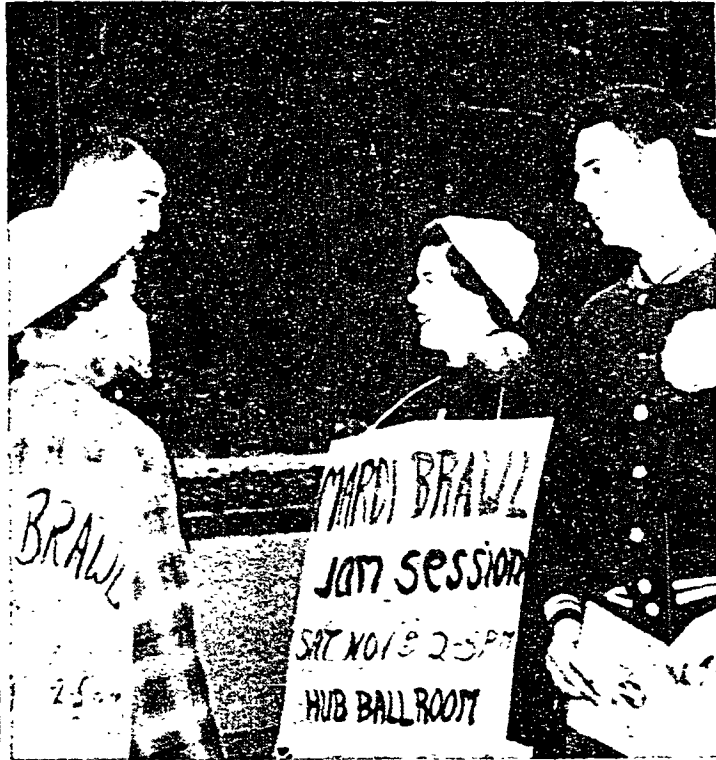
The dinner marks the 25th annual celebration of the society. The society is departing from tradition to make the event open to guests, both men and women. Previously the dinners were stag affairs.

Shulman, a University of Minnesota graduate and former editor of that university's humor magazines, is the author of "Rally Round the Flag, Boys!" and six other novels.

He also has written numerous magazine articles and movies, a syndicated campus newspaper column—which appears as a cigarette advertisement in The Daily Collegian—and two Broadway plays, including 1954's "The Tender Trap."

Dinner reservations at \$2.75 per plate are available in the School of Journalism office at 115 Carnegie. The dinner will be held at 6 p.m. at the State College Hotel.

The initiation of seven professional and six undergraduate members will take place at the hotel earlier in the day.



—Daily Collegian Photo by Harry Furringer
 'COMING SOON'—Mary Lytle, Sidney Kornberg, Lois Henderson and John Segal advertise the Mardi Gras. Twenty-five groups have entered contestants in the event, scheduled for Friday.

Blood Bank Donors Fall Short of Quota

Only 108 pints of blood were donated to the Red Cross blood bank yesterday.

In order to reach the 600-pint quota, 492 pints of blood must be donated today. Six hundred pints from campus are needed to replenish the blood bank supply in Johnstown, regional distribution headquarters.

The state's flu epidemic has depleted the present supply and the shortage is critical, according to Loren D. Tukey, Red Cross chairman in State College.

One hundred and three students were scheduled to make donations today but only 59 gave blood. There were 65 walk-in donors and 16 students were rejected for medical reasons.

Red Cross authorities said this year's donations were half of the normal contributions, probably due to the recent flu and respiratory illness.

But students who have been sick still may apply for donations since they will have to pass a physical before they can give blood.

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at the card room of the Hetzel Union Building from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. today.

Donors and their families, in the future, may receive a pint of blood free, in case of emergency, for every pint they have given.

Blood donated is shipped to the Johnstown Red Cross center where it is processed and typed. Among the hospitals served with the blood is the Centre County Hospital in Bellefonte, which supplies University students who need blood.

Last April's blood drive collected 541 pints of blood, 41 pints over the quota.

Unitarian Vespers To Be Held Today

The vesper service at 4:30 p.m. today in the Helen Eakin Eisenhower Chapel will be conducted in the Unitarian tradition.

Mrs. Margaret E. Skell, instructor in sociology, will speak on "Unitarianism, A Universal Faith for Modern Man."

The Girls' Choir will sing "Create in Me a Clean Heart" by Bauman.

IFCPA: Present and Future

IFCPA Plans Buying Produce At Reduced Prices In Future

Fourth of a Series
 Buying of produce at reduced prices—and a filing system to enable fraternities to hire extra waiters and kitchen help on a temporary basis are planned for "the near future" by the Interfraternity Council Purchasing Association.

Produce buying and the filing system are two of the major items on IFCPA's future expansion plans.

Bids have already been sent to vendors in the Altoona and State College areas on prices for produce, and the produce buying program is expected to get underway within the next two weeks,

according to James Burns, chairman of the association.

The filing system, which will be centered in the IFCPA office in the Hetzel Union Building also will include a list of cooks which could be consulted by fraternities who need a new cook.

A system of obtaining kitchen supplies for fraternities also is expected to be set up within the next two weeks.

But IFCPA's long-range expansion plan, which includes services far more extensive than these now in operation, faces one acute problem—obtaining 100 per cent fraternity participation in the program.

Although there now are only 24 fraternities active in IFCPA, Burns said, at least five more fra-

79 Women Sign Coed Honor Code

By DICK DRAYNE
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A total of 79 coeds to date have placed themselves on an honor system by signing an honor code pledging them to obey all women's regulations and report themselves for violations.

The honor code was drawn up by a Women Student Government Association committee.

The code, under study by WSGA for over a year, says:

"I pledge myself to abide by and faithfully uphold the rules set by the University and WSGA while under the jurisdiction of the University. I will withdraw this pledge if I find myself unable to keep it."

Coeds who sign the code and are guilty of violation of a University or WSGA regulation are on their honor to report themselves to the proper authority.

A few coeds who signed the code already have reported themselves to housemothers for rule violations, according to Suzanne Smith, WSGA president.

Coeds who turn themselves in for rule-breaking are subject to the same penalties for the offense as are other women students.

The honor code so far has been presented only to a small percentage of women on campus, Miss Smith said. Presentation of the code to the student body as a whole began last night with talks on the subject in two freshman women's dormitories.

Members of the WSGA Implementations Committee held hall meetings in Ewing and Stephens Halls last night to present the code to freshman women and answer any questions they had about it.

A 3-page mimeographed sheet containing the code and an explanation of its background and purposes was distributed during the meetings.

The purpose of the honor code is to give each coed the opportunity to live under an honor system and to assume the increased responsibilities that the system involves, Miss Smith said. The code, she said, proposes to develop in each coed the ability "to govern herself without outside supervision."

Miss Smith emphasized that the code is not compulsory, and the decision to sign it is a personal one and must come from "within each coed."

If a girl who has signed the code feels at any time she cannot or does not want to live up to its provisions, she can withdraw.

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Pep Rally To Include Varsity Men

The season's sixth football pep rally will be held at 7:30 tonight in front of Old Main and will include a skit, a ventriloquist act and the introduction of the starting eleven players.

The rally will be sponsored by Druids, junior men's hat society.

The skit will consist of the Lion's being attacked by a Marquette Indian and his plans for revenge, according to head cheerleader John Coller.

Richard Christian, junior in business administration from Lansdowne, will serve as master of ceremonies for the rally. He will present a puppet act, a feature of the Army pre-game rally.

Assistant coach Sever J. Torelli will introduce the starting eleven members of the football squad to the students and will speak briefly on the spirit of the team.

The Air Force band will provide music for the rally.

Students will gather at Burrows and Pollock Roads and at Entrance and Pollock Roads. From there they will parade to the site of the rally.

Lion Left Cold By 'Mutnick'

It wasn't today's chilly high of 48-52 degrees that kept the Nittany Lion shivering in his cave this morning.

The Lion has read Collegian reports of Russia's dog-bearing satellite—the "Mutnick"—and of reported plans for a U.S. insect-laden missile.

Fearing a similar fate, the Lion has turned his cave into a veritable fortress and is trying to contact prominent anti-vivisectionists and SPCA members by special telephone.

It is not likely he will venture out to see today's predicted cloudy skies.



Students May Buy Holy Cross Tickets

Tickets are on sale at the ticket office in Recreation Hall for the Penn State-Holy Cross football game to be played Nov. 16 at Worcester, Mass.

The Lion-Marquette football game ticket sales will close at 4:30 p.m. today, according to Edward M. Czekaj, assistant business manager and ticket manager.

Tickets for the Holy Cross game will be on sale from 8:15 a.m. until noon and from 1 to 4:30 p.m. weekdays. The ticket office will be open from 8:15 a.m. to noon Saturday.

Circa Editorial Staff to Meet

The editorial staff of Circa literary magazine will meet at 8:15 tonight in 102 Boucke.

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