

# Flu Epidemic Seen Possible Overnight

By LYNN WARD

The University is still awaiting an anticipated "guest." The "guest," more commonly known as Asiatic flu, has been predicted by public health officials to hit this area hardest sometime between January and March.

Dr. Herbert R. Glenn, director of the Health Service, said yesterday, "A spring epidemic may come overnight. When they are real, like our last one, they arrive suddenly."

He said nothing unusual has been detected yet in the number of respiratory cases, but the University could be in the midst of an epidemic tomorrow. He said the Health Service still has a good supply of flu shots and students should be sure they are protected.

Once an epidemic starts, he said, it will be too late for an injection as it takes ten days to two weeks for the injection to provide protection.

Glenn has said most students will have no reaction from the shots except for a slight redness and soreness at the site of the injection. But some others, he said, may have a "grippe-like response" with some fever, headache and general sickness lasting 24 to 48 hours.

Last fall, when the epidemic suddenly hit the University, the Health Service was not able to dispense the quantities of shots needed to take care of the mobs of "last-minute" students who crowded in line at the infirmary for the injections.

Now the Health Service has a large supply and Glenn urges students who have had one shot to receive another.

Except for the vaccine, which is called 70 per cent effective, there is no other effective treatment or cure for Asiatic flu. Antibiotics are of no help and once contracted, 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.

## Tri Delt Scholarship Applications Available

Application blanks for the annual Delta Delta Delta scholarship for women may be obtained in the dean of women's office from today until Tuesday.

The blanks must be returned to the office by Feb. 19. Applicants will be judged on the basis of financial need and scholarship.

# WSGA Gives 84 Blackmarks

The Women's Student Government Association Judicial Board issued 84 blackmarks Tuesday, six of which were issued to coeds who threw water under another woman's room door.

Although the coed had been pinned while living at Thompson Hall, she had not yet received the traditional shower. When her friends came to take her to the shower, she locked her door. The girls then threw water under the door.

The board issued four strict weekend campuses. The offenses were dating on a 1 o'clock traveling permission and dating when the coed had a 1 o'clock removal.

The board also issued 12 lenient weekend campuses and twelve 1 o'clock removals.

## BusAd Mixer Set For New Students

A mixer for new students in the College of Business Administration will be held from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. Tuesday at Sigma Nu.

The mixer, sponsored by the Business Administration Student Council, will be held for first-semester freshmen, transfer students and other new students in business administration.

Dean Ossian R. MacKenzie will speak briefly. Refreshments will be served.

# Director Announces 'Pajama Game' Cast

The cast of the Thespians' production of "The Pajama Game" were announced yesterday by Stuart Kahan, director.

The play, based on the book "7½ Cents" by Richard Bissell, will be presented Mar. 20, 21 and 22 in Schwab Auditorium. "Pajama Game" opened on Broadway May 13, 1954 and recorded 1061 performances before becoming a road company.

Playing the lead role of Sid Sorokin, superintendent of the Sleep-Tite pajama factory, is Kenneth Williams, a newcomer to Thespian ranks.

In the female lead role will be Paula Zeller as Babe Williams, head of the union grievance committee. Miss Zeller held the lead role in last year's production of "Guys and Dolls" and also participated in "A Great Future."

Gladys, the president's secretary, will be played by freshman Nina Baker. She will sing two of the more popular songs from the show, "Steam Heat" and "Hernando's Hideaway."

A veteran of Thespian productions, Theodore Pauloski, will play the part of Hines, the time-study man representing the management. The role of the union president will go to Larry Jacobson.

Appearing as one of the com-

pany's secretaries will be Bryna Nelson and the part of Hasler, president of the company, will be played by Charles Davis. Nancy Krow will fill the part of Mae; Sandra Deakter will play Poopsie; and Babe's father will be played by Ronald Weitz.

The remaining lead parts will be played by Mary Ann Raup as Brenda; Anthony Rotell as Max; Marc Specter in the dual roles of Charlie and Joe; and Steve Fishbein as the first helper.

## AIM, Leonides to Offer Beginners' Bridge Class

The Association of Independent Men and Leonides will sponsor a beginners' bridge class from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Feb. 13, 20, and 27 in the Hetzel Union card room.

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