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## New Lecture Series To Open With Talk By Malayan Prof

Four lectures have been scheduled by the University Lecture Series for next semester.

The first lecture, "Parkinson's Law," will be given by C. Northcote Parkinson, Raffles Professor of History at the University of Malaya in Singapore at 8 p.m., March 8 in

## Ike Reopens Battle Over Bond Ceiling

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower reopened his tight money battle with Congress yesterday in a brief, almost curt, special message demanding removal of the interest ceiling on government bonds.

Congressional inaction on removing the 4 per cent ceiling last session, Eisenhower said, has had the effect of loading taxpayers with interest rates on the national debt at the highest levels in several decades.

"I deem it imperative, therefore, that this restrictive ceiling be removed," Eisenhower's 3-paragraph message said.

It was the first special White House message of the new session, attesting to the urgency which Eisenhower attaches to the measure left languishing in a House committee when Congress adjourned last summer.

Widespread opposition in Congress is ascribed to the unwillingness of the Democrats—who oppose the administration's tight money policy—to vote for any increase in interest rates.

Eisenhower gave notice he is asking Secretary of the treasury Robert B. Anderson to transmit proposed legislation that would take away "this archaic restriction on flexible debt management." The ceiling dates back to the Liberty Loan drives of World War I.

It forbids the Treasury to pay more than 4 1/4 per cent on securities maturing in five years.

## Women's Loan Funds Close Until September

All funds for loans to women students have been depleted, according to Miss Lois McColloch, assistant to the dean of women.

Miss McColloch said the University and National Defense loans would not be offered again until the fall semester.

Schwab Auditorium. Parkinson is noted for giving humorous speeches on the organization of businesses and expanding bureaucracies.

The second scheduled lecture will be the fourth in the Darwinian Series which was started this semester. Hermann J. Muller, professor of zoology at Indiana University will lecture on "The Future Physical Development of Man" at 8 p.m. March 13 in Schwab Auditorium.

John Scott, assistant editor of Time magazine and expert on Russia is also scheduled to lecture at 8 p.m., March 15 in Schwab although the final contract has not yet been confirmed.

The fourth lecture, "The Future Development of Man's Culture," will complete the Darwinian Series. The talk will be given by Leslie A. White, professor of anthropology at the University of Michigan, at 8 p.m., March 20 in Schwab.

Several lecturers were invited to campus who were not able to accept the invitation, Christian Arnold, staff assistant to the president, said. They include: Vice President Richard Nixon; John Kennedy, United States Senator from Massachusetts; Chief Justice Earl Warren; Walter Reuther, president of the United Auto Workers; former president Harry Truman; and Adlai Stevenson, 2-time Democratic presidential candidate.

The Parkinson and Scott lectures will be sponsored by the new University Artists Series which will be composed of the present Lecture and Artists Series. The lectures by Muller and White will remain under the auspices of the present Lecture Series, since plans for the whole series would be complicated by changing the administrators responsible for the Series.

The new University Artists Series (Continued on page eight)

## Special Hours Granted

Upperclass women will receive special 11 p.m. permissions from Jan. 20 until the end of finals, Jessie Janjigian, Women's Student Government Association President, announced yesterday.

First semester freshmen women will receive special 10 p.m. permissions for the same period, she said.

## 6 Sororities Get New Dorm Suites

By BARB YUNK

Alpha Delta Pi, Alpha Epsilon Phi, Alpha Gamma Delta, Alpha Phi, Alpha Xi Delta and Delta Gamma sororities were chosen by lot last night to move into the new residence halls being constructed in Pollock Circle.

The six names were drawn by Mrs. Norma Mountan, advisor to Panhellenic Council.

All 15 sororities now located in Simmons and McElwain Halls decided to move except

Beta Sigma Omicron. The change in the sorority suites will leave three sororities in Simmons and five in McElwain.

The sororities remaining in these dormitories will be moved around to make each of them more accessible to outside entrances, said Mrs. Mountan.

The rest of the sororities have been listed on a preference sheet in the order in which they were drawn to decide which will move if one of the first six drawn is unable to move.

The order on the preference sheet is: Alpha Omicron Pi, Theta Phi Alpha, Zeta Tau Alpha, Sigma Delta Tau, Delta Zeta, Pi Beta Phi, Phi Mu and Kappa Alpha Theta.

Mrs. Mountan also announced that sororities must turn in a list of their pledges to the dean of women's office before they are initiated. Further infractions of this rule, after this warning, she said, will be acted on by Panhel judicial.

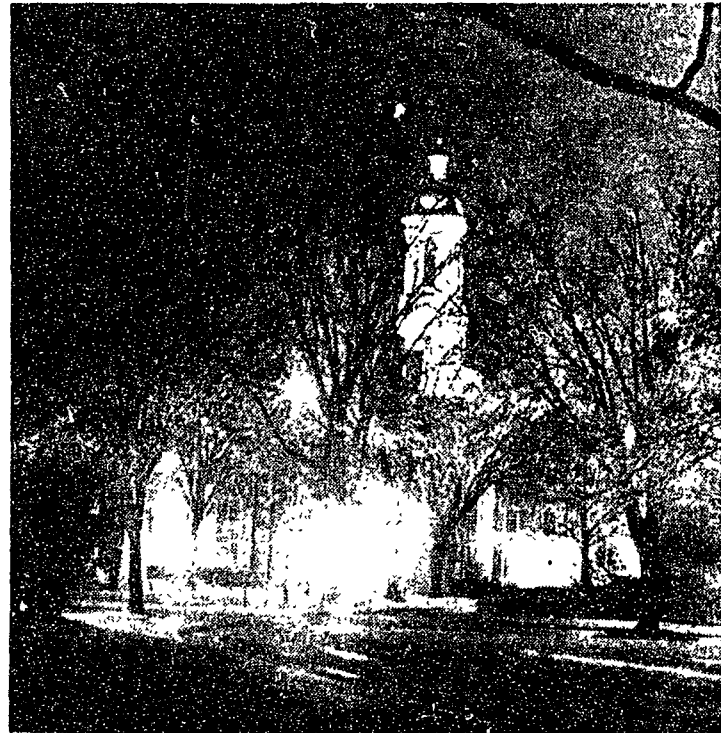
She also reminded the sororities that they may not initiate September transfer students because they do not have a University average.

The dates of the Panhel workshops were announced as Feb. 13 and 14. The banquet on Saturday night and the workshops on Sunday will be held in the Nittany Lion Inn.

Panhel will conduct interviews from 7 to 9 p.m. next Tuesday in 105 Old Main to select members for the banquet, program and publicity committees.

Nancy Gilliland, acting Panhel rush chairman, said that the tentative budgets for rushing and the skit plans for Bermuda Junction must be turned into the dean of women's office by Friday.

Carol Dominick Koons, Panhel president, announced that Emily Bradley, junior in arts and letters from Washington, D.C., will be the Panhel chairman for Greek Week.



BEAUTIFUL BUT DANGEROUS ice covered the campus last night. Warmer weather is predicted for today and should melt the glassy surfaces, making driving relatively safe again.

## Freezing Rain, Sleet Produce Hazardous Conditions in Area

The first ice storm of the winter caused hazardous walking and driving conditions throughout Pennsylvania, including this area, yesterday.

Sleet and freezing rain combined with below freezing temperatures to deposit a layer of ice on roads, trees and other exposed surface areas. Almost one-half inch of ice accumulated.

Temperatures rose slowly during the day, but they had only managed to reach the 30 degree mark by sunset.

Quiet warm air that was above the cold air that covered this area yesterday will manage to reach

the surface today causing considerably warmer weather. In fact, afternoon reading may reach the upper 50's.

The forecast is for cloudy, windy and much warmer weather today with occasional rain in the morning and a chance of a few showers during the afternoon. The high should be about 56 degrees.

Tonight will be mostly cloudy and rather mild with a low of 42.

The warm weather will continue tomorrow as afternoon temperatures again approach the 56 degree mark. Showers will probably begin late in the day and then continue tomorrow night.

## Players' List to Be Posted

The call-back list for tryouts for Players' "Detective Story" will be posted today in the Green Room of Schwab Auditorium.

## Council Will Hear Set-Back Protests

State College Borough Council set Feb. 1 for a public hearing on the proposed changes in the commercial district set-back laws, which affect four fraternities, when it accepted the report of the Planning Commission Monday night.

The set-back requirements concern the distance that the

face of a building must be placed from the building line. Since they are part of the zoning ordinance, any change requires a public hearing and an amendment to the ordinance.

Those who would be affected by a change will be notified by mail of the hearing. Council will take action after the hearing is held.

Changes are proposed for five areas. Four fraternities, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Kappa Sigma, Tri-angled and Phi Kappa Sigma are located in one of the areas in question—the south side of E. Beaver Ave. from S. Pugh St. to Locust Lane. The commission proposes a reduction from a 7-foot to a 3-foot set-back in this area.

This means that these four fra-

ternities would have their possible expansion area for additions to the building and the parking lot reduced.

The land reduction most directly concerns Kappa Sigma which has plans to build a new house which would extend to the present 3-foot set back. The other three fraternities at present, have no plans for expansion.

In other business, Council accepted a petition for the paving of a portion of E. McCormick Ave. from the vacated Pine St. to University Dr. Since the petition for the project was signed by more than 66% per cent of the residents, the paving will be financed by adjoining property owners.

## Educational Television

## Studies Say TV Courses Accepted

By NICKI WOLFORD  
Sixth of a Series

Research studies show that students don't particularly mind being registered in a television course and many actually prefer them in some cases.

During the spring of 1955 a team of observers was sent out to watch the reactions of students who were registered for television courses.

Researchers found this procedure "not very productive" because only 15 out of 900 students registering for the courses showed

either favorable or unfavorable reactions.

Even in 1955, researchers report, students appeared to accept the televised courses on the same basis as normal courses and seem to be more worried about the hour they were scheduled than how they were taught.

During the project, students were given a behavioral test in an attempt to determine the acceptability of educational television. Students were given a choice between televised instruction and the conventional method.

They were given the chance to return to a large lecture or remain in the television section.

Out of 315 students in one large lecture, 104 chose to re-

turn to televised instruction. Many of these, however, had seats in the back of the room.

Students who had been exposed to both methods of teaching for a single course were given tests to determine their preference for a method.

Of the students who had been in a large lecture room and preferred to return to a television section, 33 listed "too crowded" in the directly-taught section, 27 listed too noisy and confusing in a large group, and 24 listed "too hot" as their reason for preferring television.

Of those who preferred to remain in the large lecture, 13 thought there was a better (Continued on page eight)