

# Collegian Questions Coeds On New AWS Councils

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(This is the final article of a series of surveys conducted over the past two weeks by the Daily Collegian on student opinion on various phases of the new Association of Women Students program.)

The community council has great potential in women's student government, but the student body is generally unaware of its purpose, aim and function.

That was the consensus of opinion of 100 women selected for questioning in this survey.

Community Councils are subordinate bodies of the Association of Women Students

composed of representatives from residence communities to provide jurisdiction for each of the five communities.

Over half of the women interviewed had no conception as to how the councils functioned while those remaining had varying degrees of knowledge of council operations.

About an equal number of students knew who all their council representatives were as did not while 20 per cent were aware of only several of the members.

Most of the women felt that community councils had definitely benefited the University but others felt that they did not live up to their potential or that they were dominated by the community coordinators who acted as the Council advisors.

Most were impressed by the activities sponsored by the Councils such as dances, cultural programs, intra-dorm contests and baby-sitting agencies.

Most felt that councils could improve if they publicized themselves more widely, communicated student feeling to food and housing services, or provided more cultural activity for residence halls.

A major point of puzzlement with those interviewed was the relationship of Community Councils with the administration and what influence each had on the other.

Others wanted to know exactly what the councils plan to do for the communities in the future.

## Deutsch to Talk At Colloquium

Dr. Morton Deutsch, social psychologist from the Bell Telephone Laboratories, will speak on "Studies of the Conditions Affecting Cooperation" at the Psychology Colloquium 8:15 tonight in 114 Boucke. His talk is open to all interested.

Deutsch will discuss conditions relevant to the initiation of cooperation. He will outline a theory and will describe a number of experiments that have been done. The experiments were concerned with such topics as trust and suspicion in interpersonal relations.

## Sunset Tonight Begins Jewish Winter Holiday

The eight-day Jewish holiday, Hanukkah, begins at sunset today. Hanukkah, known variously as the Festival of the Maccabees, of Dedication and of the Lights, commemorates the struggle of the Jews against the Syrian monarch, Antiochus.

Antiochus sought to impose paganism upon the Jews toward the close of the first century before the Common Era. Led by the Maccabees, the Judeans fought the superior forces of the world's mightiest nation for five years, and were victorious. Their success insured the survival of Judaism and paved the way for Christianity.

With victory, the first act of the triumphant Jews was the rededication of the temple in Jerusalem, which had been desecrated by the invaders. The word, "Hanukah," means dedication.

To observe the festival, lights are lit on a special candelabrum (menorah) each night for eight nights, one the first night, two the second, and so on. Prayers are given thanking God for instilling the love of freedom into human hearts.

The Bellefonte-State College Jewish Community Council will observe the holiday with a special program to be held at 6 p.m. Sunday. The program will begin with a family "Latke Supper" which will be followed by Hanukkah Skits and plays. The program will conclude with the candle lighting ceremony.

## Brown Publishes Article

Dr. Ira V. Brown, professor of American history, has published an article on Biblical studies in the December issue of the Journal of the Presbyterian Historical Society.

It is entitled "The Higher Criticism Comes to America, 1880-1900."

## 5 O'Clock Presents Antigone

Talking lights and twirling dancers will depict the story of Antigone at 5:15 p.m. today in the Little Theatre, Old Main.

In combining the old with the new, Director David Rahe, graduate in theatre arts, will present the ancient drama via ballet and experimental lighting. Silent dancers will relate the last part of the Oedipus trilogy while the effects of the traditional Greek chorus will be represented by beams and bolts of electric illumination.

The title role of the burial scene of the ballet "Antigone" will be

danced by Joannah Purnell. Creon will be played by Rahe and Tiresias by Ralph Guoaks. Henry Wessel will play Polynyses.

Costumes for the performance have been arranged by Marilyn Lundy and lights by Michael Forgacs. DeFalla's Concerto for Harpsicord will provide musical accompaniment.

## Hat Societies Carol Sing

All hat society members will meet at 9:30 tomorrow night in front of the Hetzel Union Building. The group will tour the campus singing Christmas carols.

## Construction Okayed For 2 Campuses

(In an effort to aid in the integration of the University's 14 campuses and centers, the Daily Collegian is offering this column of news drawn from contributions submitted by the outlying campuses.)

The University's most westerly campuses, Behrend and McKeesport, have had construction plans for two buildings approved by the Board of Trustees.

Detailed plans for a \$675,000 classroom-laboratory have been approved for the Behrend Campus at Erie, and floor plans for a proposed \$150,000 student union building have been approved for the McKeesport Campus.

The one-story building at Behrend will consist of a main unit with an entrance lobby, a classroom for 120 students, a conference room, a series of eight faculty offices and two small interviewing rooms. An adjoining wing will have nine classrooms, two drafting rooms and five laboratories.

The McKeesport building, which will be financed by student funds, includes a cafeteria and adjoining kitchen, offices, lounges, meeting rooms and a bookstore.

In the reading area, the University's Wyomissing Center will offer a two-year program in chemical technology beginning next fall, according to Kenneth L. Holderman, coordinator of Commonwealth Campuses.

The program will lead to an associate degree, and will only be offered at the Wyomissing Center next year, Holderman said.

Liberty Bowlers will be able to take advantage of the University's Philadelphia campus. The Omega Campus will hold a "Victory Dance" for all students and their guests Saturday night.

The 54-acre campus is located at 1600 Woodland Rd. in Abington, a northern suburb of Philadelphia, and admittance will be by matriculation card.

## Roy Will Use Grant From AF for Research

Research on solid phase reactions will be pursued by Dr. Rustum Roy, professor of geochemistry, under a new two-year grant of \$47,300 from the Office of Scientific Research of the United States Air Force.

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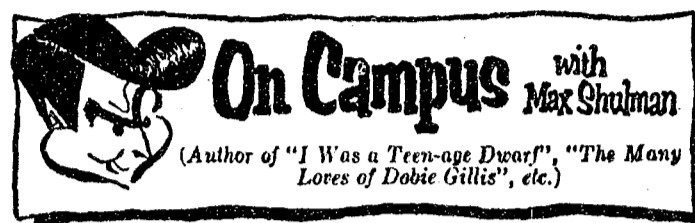
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## DECK THE HALLS

The time has come to make out our Christmas shopping lists, for Christmas will be upon us quicker than you can say Jack Robinson. (Have you ever wondered, incidentally, about the origin of this interesting phrase "Quicker than you can say Jack Robinson"? Well sir, the original phrase was French— "Plus vite que de dire Jacques Robespierre." Jack Robinson is, as everyone knows, an anglicization of Jacques Robespierre who was, as everyone knows, the famous figure from the French Revolution who, as everyone knows, got murdered in his bath by Danton, Murat, Caligula, and Aaron Burr.

(The reason people started saying "Quicker than you can say Jacques Robespierre (or Jack Robinson as he is called in English-speaking countries)" is quite an interesting little story. It seems that Robespierre's wife, Georges Sand, got word of the plot to murder her husband in his bath. All she had to do to save his life was call his name and warn him. But, alas, quicker than she could say Jacques Robespierre, she received a telegram from her old friend Frederic Chopin who was down in Majorca setting lyrics to his immortal "Warsaw Concerto." Chopin said he needed Georges Sand's help desperately because he could not find a rhyme for "Warsaw." Naturally, Georges Sand could not refuse such an urgent request.

(Well sir, Georges Sand went traipsing off to Majorca, but before she left she told her little daughter Walter that some bad men were coming to murder daddy in his bath, and she instructed Walter to shout Robespierre's name when the bad men arrived. But Walter, alas, had been sea-bathing that morning on the Riviera, and she had come home loaded with sea shells and salt water taffy, and when the bad men came to murder Robespierre, Walter, alas, was chewing a big wad of salt water taffy and could not get her mouth open in time to shout a warning. Robespierre, alas, was murdered quicker than you could shout Jacques Robespierre (or Jack Robinson as he is called in the English-speaking countries).

(There is, I am pleased to report, one small note of cheer in this grisly tale. When Georges Sand got to Majorca where Chopin was setting lyrics to his immortal "Warsaw Concerto," she was happily able to help him find a rhyme for "Warsaw," as everyone knows who has heard those haunting lyrics:

In the fair town of Warsaw,  
Which Napoleon's horse saw,  
Singing cockles and mussels, alive alive o!



Yes, Virginia, there is...

But I digress.

We were speaking of Christmas gifts. What we all strive to do at Christmas is, of course, to find unusual, offbeat, different gifts for our friends. May I suggest then a carton of Marlboro Cigarettes?

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