

Shaw Choral Group To Present Concert

The Robert Shaw Chorale will present a program of choral works on Sunday, Jan. 8 at 8 p.m. in Recreation Hall sponsored by the Artist Series.

Student ticket distribution will begin at 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 4 at the Hetzel Union desk.

Robert Shaw, director and founder of the group, has been recognized by such great musical personalities as Virgil Thomson and Arturo Toscanini as "the greatest choral maestro in the world today."

He founded the group of 45 professional singers, in 1948 and since then has led the group in numerous distinguished choral concerts throughout the country.

This season the popular group is making its 13th North American tour in which they cover more than 60 cities.

Shaw was discovered by Fred Waring while conducting the Pomona College Glee Club in 1934. Waring then brought Shaw to New York to train his orchestral choir.

In 1941 Shaw organized the Collegiate Chorale consisting of 125 amateur singers from the Marble Collegiate Church in New York.

This group gained fame rapidly and appeared in Carnegie Hall in 1942 and performed under such distinguished conductors as Toscanini and Stokowski.

Shaw served for a year as director of the RCA Victor Chorale. The Robert Shaw Chorale has made over 100 recordings ranging

from Beethoven's "Missa Solemnis" to Stephen Foster's songs and Leonard Bernstein's "On the Town."

The Chorale's Christmas Album is RCA Victor's all time best seller with 2.5 million sales to date.

Fraser Rd. Traffic To Be Rerouted

Construction of a sewer line will require the closing of the northern half of Fraser Rd. beginning at noon tomorrow, John F. Galaida, captain of the Campus Patrol, said today.

Only through-traffic will be affected by the construction. The southern end of the street will remain open to cars which park in Area 12, west of Sparks. No parking will be permitted on the road in this southern section, however, so that two-way traffic can travel to the parking area.

The construction will not be completed before the end of the month.

Penn State had the first institute of local government in the United States (1935).

1948 Grad Elected To House Post

Rep. Willard F. Agnew was recently elected Republican floor leader of the 1961 Pennsylvania House of Representatives. A 1948 graduate of the University, Agnew, has been the representative from Allegheny County since 1955.

On a secret ballot, Agnew defeated Rep. Albert W. Johnson (R-McKean) by a vote of 56 to 35. Agnew ousted Johnson, a three-term incumbent as Republican floor leader, by campaigning for a positive Republican legislative program.

Agnew was president of the Interfraternity Council and president of Sigma Phi Epsilon, social fraternity, during his student days at the University. He was also a member of the All-College Cabinet (the student government organization at that time).

Following graduation from the University, Agnew received a law degree from the University of Pittsburgh.

Panhel Offers Scholarships

Any interested sorority girl may apply for one of two scholarships of \$100 each being offered by the Panhellenic Council.

Applications may be obtained in the Panhellenic office in Grange hall.

1st Christmas Card Had Familiar Saying

By VICKI WENTZ

"A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to You." Sound familiar? It should. This message was found on the first Christmas card in 1843 in England and has remained the most popular greeting of Christmas cards today.

However, this Christmas season you will probably not

receive a card decorated as the first one was. John Horsely's card in 1843 consisted of three panels. The main one depicted a family party in progress. They are toasting the health of the absent friend, the addressee. The two side panels represent charity at Christmas time, picturing a poor family which receives food and clothes.

Little did the printers of 1843 know that what they thought was but a passing fancy would turn out to be the great commercial business that Christmas card selling is today.

The sending of greetings at Christmastime was not popularized until 20 years later and did not reach world-wide proportions until the postal system was greatly improved.

Favorite pictures on Yuletide greetings in the 1850's and 1860's, were bellringers and big bells, jovial elderly men or cooks weighted down by Christmas pudding they are carrying, "grand-papa" with his muttonchop whisker and little boys carrying big flower pots planted with Christmas trees.

The Christmas card was introduced in America in the

1880's by Louis Prang, the "father of the American Christmas card." Favorite subjects for Christmas cards through the years have been flowers, birds, Nativity scenes (which have been lately re-popularized), holly and ivy, mistletoe, Santa Claus, wintry scenes, animals, insects, and contemporary public figures, inventions, customs and habits.

In later years, politics and war have entered into the design and greeting of Christmas cards. One card, sent during the first World War, expressed this "Hooverized" greeting: "I wish you a very M.C. and H.N.Y."

Prof Elected to Ag Society

Dr. John B. Washko, professor of agronomy, was elected a Fellow in the American Society of Agronomy during the national meetings of the society held in Chicago, Ill., last week.

campus character:



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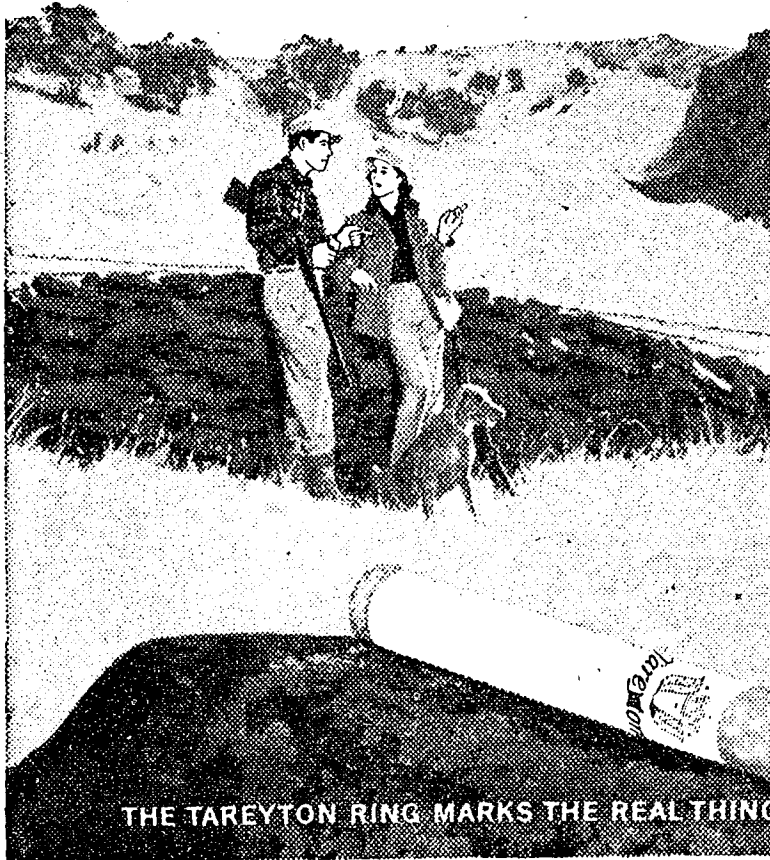
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