

TODAY ON CAMPUS

WDFM Interview

T. Sherman Stanford, associate dean of admissions, will be interviewed at 9:30 p.m. on WDFM's "Focus." He will discuss criteria for admission, problems in budget limitations and changing college standards in the next 10 years.

Lectures

A lecture on "Scientific and University Education in India," will be given by Dr. S. Bhagavan-tam, director of the Indian Institute of Science, at 8:45 p.m. in the HUB assembly room. The lecture will be sponsored by American Institute of Physics.

Dr. Helen Adolf, professor of German, will speak on "Under the Great Eclipse," at 7:30 p.m. in the HUB assembly room for the Liberal Arts Lecture Series.

Dr. Frank Restle, professor of psychology at Indiana University, will be the speaker at the psychology colloquium at 8 p.m. in 117 Home Economics.

Newman Forum

Msgr. Thomas J. O'Shea of St. John the Evangelist Church, Belle-

fonte, will speak on "Courtship: A Preparation for a Lifetime" at 7 p.m. in 111 Boucke as the second lecture of the Newman Club's Spring Forum series.

AAUP Meeting

The annual business meeting of the Penn State chapter of the American Association of University Professors will be held at 7:30 p.m. in 124 Sparks.

Other Meetings

Arnold Air Society, 8:30 p.m., 213 HUB
 Camera Club, 7:30 p.m., 214 Boucke
 College of Business Administration reception, 8 p.m., HUB ballroom
 Ed Student Council, 6:30 p.m., 217 HUB
 Froth, 7 p.m., 214 HUB
 Liberal Party, 7:30 p.m., 216 HUB
 M.L. Student Council, 8:15 p.m., 217 HUB
 Panhel, 6:30 p.m., 203 HUB
 P.S. Science Fiction, 7 p.m., 213 HUB
 Sophomore Class Advisory Board, 8 p.m., 214 HUB
 Spring Week Publicity, 8 p.m., 217 HUB
 TIM dancing lessons, 6:30 p.m., HUB ballroom
 TIM Council, 7 p.m., 212 HUB
 UCA, 8:45 p.m., 218 HUB
 USAF recruiting representative, 9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., HUB ground floor
 USG, 8:15 p.m., 203 HUB

'Penny Mile' Contest Set for Friday; TIM, Fraternities, Dorms to Compete

A mile of pennies stretched outside by side on Pollock Road is the goal of "Penn State Penny Mile," to be held from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Friday on Pollock Road.

Penny Mile, sponsored by World University Service, will begin on the chained off section of Pollock Road near the Mall. The purpose of the event is to raise funds for students in underdeveloped countries. Michael Winters, chairman of the WUS drive, said recently.

Three groups will be competing against each other to see, who is

able to contribute the most toward the goal of a mile of pennies. The groups are the Town Independent Men, fraternities and seven residence hall areas — West, South, Pollock, Nittany, East, North and Atherton-Simmons-McElwain.

Tables will be set up on Pollock Road where the students from the three competing groups will be able to donate their pennies, Winters said.

Gamma Sigma Sigma, women's service sorority, will be assisting in the contest.

Spring Week Spells Rain

By JOAN HARTMAN

Spring Week began and the rains came down and down and down.

Frightened by continued predictions of bad weather, the committee for the first Spring Week in 1949 decided on the day of the carnival to postpone the event for a month.

However, the other events scheduled for the original week, such as the selection of a "Miss Penn State Spring Queen" (now called "Miss Penn State") and the IFC-Panhel Ball with Tommy Dorsey's orchestra, went on as planned.

IN 1948 the staff of Froth originated the idea of Spring Week and presented it before the Interfraternity Council, which in turn brought it before the All-College Cabinet, the student government organization. In December of that year, the Cabinet approved the bill and Spring Week began.

And so did the rain. For it rained and it rained and the second Spring Week carnival had to be postponed. The annual rain forced students into a Carnival Sun Dance, a ritual sacrifice prayer to the sun gods, for good weather.

THE RITUAL dance included a high priestess, four Indian maidens, a medicine man and the

Spirit of the Carnival. The dance was performed on Old Main lawn, and it may have been effective for the rain stopped and the carnival was held the following week.

The original carnivals were not a collection of skits as they are now. Dice games, a mouse gambling game, a colored chicken gambling game and even a fortune-telling booth were all advertised as part of the carnivals.

A MAD HATTERS Parade was inaugurated in 1950. Contestants wore hats pertaining to the theme of their carnival booth and marched in front of Old Main where judges were stationed. The parade was discontinued after 1956.

Two donkey basketball games, one between the faculty and the CLWDN (Campus Leaders Who

Do Nothing) and the other between fraternity presidents, were also a part of Spring Week festivities. They were dropped from the schedule when the University Senate cut Spring Week to three days in 1957.

A CARAVAN of student cars advertising carnival booths marked the beginning of the float parade in 1950. In 1952 all cars were banned from the parade and floats were drawn by horses or students dressed in costumes.

This year the float parade has been dropped from Spring Week activities, but a poster contest has been added.

And though there are no more sun dancers, there are still Spring Week enthusiasts who are hoping that the sun will shine this year on Carnival Day, April 26.

4 Fraternities Win Trophies; McLeod Speaks at IFC Banquet

Pi Kappa Phi, Alpha Tau Omega, Alpha Zeta and Phi Delta Theta fraternities received the scholarship trophies at the annual Interfraternity Council banquet last night.

Pi Kappa Phi and Alpha Tau Omega shared the Sigma Chi improvement trophy for the fraternity which improved most in scholarship rank. Alpha Zeta won the social-professional trophy for the professional fraternity with the highest average and Phi Delta Theta received the social-scholarship trophy for the social fraternity with the highest average.

JAMES C. McLEOD, dean of students at Northwestern University, was the principal speaker at the banquet.

In his speech to about 75 people, McLeod said that if men refer with pride and not shame to their fraternities, there is no need to fear the future of the fraternity system.

"A fraternity offers a place to

make the best of friends in this best of all times," he said, "so long as it helps men to broaden their horizons, gives sense to their personal significance and aids in scholarship."

He said that the fraternities should give themselves four tests. The tests are:

- Are they able to stand up against exposure to outsiders?
 - Do they make a significant contribution to the college or university?
 - Do they compare themselves with those that are above them rather than with those below them?
 - Do they sacrifice themselves in order to stand up for what is right?
- "There is no more potential on any campus than a Greek fraternity," McLeod said, "but the tragedy is that some chapters fail to realize it and won't meet their responsibilities."

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10 SPARKS 9:00 P.M. TONIGHT

Senior Ball

featuring

Larry Elgart

and his orchestra

first choice of dancing America



Liberal Arts Student Council Lecture Series

Presents DR. HELEN ADOLF

"Under the Great Eclipse"

TONIGHT... April 17

7:30 P.M.

HUB Assembly Room

Reception with refreshments follows in Main lounge.

All students and faculty invited to attend.

HUB Ballroom

Semi-Formal

\$5.00 per couple

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