

Practical Home Ec...

14 Career Women Do Housework, Too

By BETTY LOUX

A little practice never hurt anyone. So say the women at "228." Fixing lamp cords and defrosting refrigerators are just two of the many chores to be coped with when you're running your own home, and they are getting plenty of experience along this line.

Unless you happen to know one of the women at "228" or attended their open house, Jan. 21, you may not know that this is a cooperative rooming and boarding house which 14 young ladies—most of them secretaries at the College—call home. The name stems from its location, 228 W. College avenue.

The women started the enterprise about a year ago, and celebrated their first anniversary Feb. 1. A large, three-story structure, the house has two bedrooms, living room and kitchen on the first floor, three bedrooms and a living room on the second, and two bedrooms, living room and a den on the third. Three bathrooms, however, seem inadequate for taking care of 14 women, who must spend long hours soaking in the tub and primping before mirrors.

The Women Are Domestic After they've put away their typewriters and dictation for the day, the 14 career women don aprons and turn domestic. They do all the cooking and cleaning themselves, and for the purpose of using the kitchen facilities, divided themselves in to the "Red" and "Blue" groups. This is because they use red and blue rubber bands around the jars and bottles in the one refrigerator.

The women make lunch and breakfast at their leisure, but the kitchen is large enough to accommodate all 14 for dinner. The Red and Blue groups have separate tables and menus, and two cooks from each group take charge of dinner. They can relax in the knowledge that their efforts won't be criticized. That is an unwritten law of the group. They also take turns with KP duty, which involves cleaning the range, laundering dish towels and table cloths, scrubbing the kitchen floor and cleaning the cupboards. The women can always look forward to a kind of vacation, for each one occasionally gets a week of luxury with no chores.

The general cleaning of the house is done by floors rather than the red and blue division. The rooms are double, so each pair of women take care of their own room. They cooperate in cleaning the bathrooms and keeping the living rooms neat.

Melting Pot Of Campus Types Practically all parts of the campus are represented at "228." Jeane Good, financial officer and one of the founders, is office manager at the Home Economics

Late WRA Places First At Lycoming

The Women's Recreation association of Penn State took a first place in all the sport events which were held at the Play day at Lycoming college last Saturday.

Penn State, Lycoming college, and Juniata college participated in the play day in basketball, badminton, bowling, and swimming events.

In the basketball games State defeated Lycoming 14-8, Lycoming tied Juniata 14-14, and Juniata lost to Penn State 13-17. This was the first defeat Juniata has suffered in four years. Peggy Lamaster, Helen Rusinko, Hank Newsbaum, Dora Jep, Barbara Cochran, Pat Wolfe, Bid Stuter and Genie Deger participated for State.

State Wins In Badminton In the badminton series Penn State defeated Lycoming 15-13; and 15-6. There wasn't enough time to play Juniata in this event. Mimi Martin and Ev Lanning played badminton for State. Helen Griffith and Nancy Maye bowled for WRA as they defeated Juniata and Lycoming, 433-429-402, respectively.

In the swimming events, Penn State took all but one first place. In the 40-yard front crawl State's Bunny Lusk took first place. Johnny Johnson took second place in the 20-yard back crawl, while Pat Hughes won the 20-yard front crawl. In the 20-yard breast-stroke Barbara Benck won top honors.

Also Wins Free Style In the 80-yard free-style relay Bunny Lusk, Johnny Johnson, Barbara Benck, and Pat Hughes won the top honors for State. In the first and second novelties Bunny Lusk and Pat Hughes were the victors.

This play day was similar to the one held here in White hall several weeks ago. Mansfield college was scheduled to participate in the events Lycoming, but was unable to attend.

Panhel Meeting

Panhellenic council will hold its regular meeting tonight in the Alpha Epsilon Phi suite at 7 o'clock. All old and new representatives must attend this meeting, Nancy George, president, announced.

Masonic Club To Hold Organizational Smoker

The De Molay club, Masonic group for young men, will hold an organizational smoker at 7 o'clock tomorrow night at the Chi Phi fraternity, E. Hamilton avenue and Garner street. Refreshments will be served following the business meeting.

Co-Edits

Delta Tau Delta

Newly elected officers of Delta Tau Delta fraternity are: Dave Timothy, president; Tom Griferty, vice-president; Bill Gourley, treasurer; Dick Haemel, assistant treasurer; Jim Lamore, recording secretary; Bob Johnson, corresponding secretary; Tom Judge, guide; Jack Trexler, sergeant-at-arms.

Dick Haemel, Tom Judge, and Dick Pearson were initiated into the fraternity. The new pledges are Van Ernest, Allen Marshall, Fred Brown, Bob Gribbon, and Andrew Kearney.

Alpha Zeta

Alpha Zeta fraternity entertained Alpha Gamma Delta sorority at a roller skating party Sunday. Afterwards, they returned to the chapter house for a picnic supper served on the dining room floor.

Omega Psi Phi

Saturday night, the Omega Psi Phi fraternity held its Coronation ball at the chapter house. Roslyn Lynn was crowned "Sweetheart of Nu Chapter" and her attendants were Joanne Dodson and Charlotte Page.

Pi Kappa

New pledges at Pi Kappa fraternity for this semester are Charles Paul Ayers, Joseph Neil Dougherty, Robert Raymond Kritt, John Robert Usaites, and Gerald Joseph Walsh.

Delta Upsilon

The Provincial conference of Delta Upsilon will be held at the Penn State chapter house on April 13-15.

Acacia

Four sophomores, Donald Anderson, Richard Erb, Henry Johnson, and James Class were initiated into Acacia.

Kappa Kappa Gamma

Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority was entertained at dinner at the home of Helen Kinsloe, of Fairmont avenue, last night. The dinner was given by the State College Alumnae association.

After dinner new officers of the sorority were installed. They include: Nancy Queer, president; Jane Stabley, vice president; Pat Dennis, recording secretary; Helen Steliotes, corresponding secretary; Joyce Buchanan, treasurer; Meg Rouse, pledge captain; Joan Hepponstal, scholarship chairman; Pat Acosta, membership chairman; and Joyce Jeffries, social chairman.

Your Official Class Ring

CLASS OF '51 - It Will Soon be CAP and GOWN TIME Balfours at "A" Store

Local Druggist 'Helps' Hatlo

Robert D. Heiser, manager of a State College drug store, suggested a cartoon which was published in over 600 newspapers Wednesday under Jimmy Hatlo's "They'll Do It Every Time."

The inspiration for the cartoon came during the Christmas recess, Heiser said. His wife and his 14 year-old daughter, Ann, were walking along a State College street and Ann was greeting her friends with a cheery "Hi."

Mrs. Heiser, a former school-teacher, gently reprimanded her daughter for the use of such slang. Then, along came L. S. Hoffman, associate professor of English composition at the College.

Before Ann had a chance to greet him with a refined "How do you do?" Professor Hoffman uttered a "Hi" of his own. At that, Ann turned to her mother with a look of wonder.

Somewhat modified, this is the incident that Hatlo selected for his nationwide cartoon. Doubtless Hoffman knew little of the history he was making.

Sigma Nu

Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority was entertained at a spaghetti dinner, followed by skits, and dancing on Saturday afternoon by Sigma Nu fraternity.

Tau Kappa Epsilon

Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority was entertained by Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity Sunday night. Entertainment consisted of a radio skit, singing by the TKE quartet, and imitations by John Cox, master of ceremonies for the All-College talent show. After

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