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Women's week at Denison

STAFF-"An excellent opportunity for total campus awareness," claimed one Denison female in reference to Women's Week which began Monday.

The week began with reports by students who participated in the Mellon Career Exploration trips. The trip funded through a grant from the Mellon Foundation, included excursions to New York and Washington, where the students investigated career opportunities.

Tuesday's Convocation which was to feature Lucille Clifton was cancelled due to complications in the speaker's family. However, a one woman show featuring Annette Modesitt giving her rendition of Eudora Welty's "Why I live at the P.O." was given in Burke Hall.

A Workshop for Women Students in Leadership Roles was sponsored by the DCGA, and given in Knapp Hall on Wednesday afternoon. It was followed by a chapel service with the sermon given by the Religion Department's Joan Novak. She gave a startling oration on the exploration and dehumanization of women in our society. Her talk encompassed a variety including racism and world peace.

Rita Snyder spoke yesterday at the common hour on "Helping the Blind to Read." She spoke of a new device known as the Optacon which is designed to help the blind read faster.

Today, there will be a slide/film presentation for women presented by Ann Simon and Pat Jeanchild at the Pi Phi House at 6:30 PM. The topic of the presentation will be "Redefining Female Anatomy."