## **Carter And Politics**

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and Kennedy spent over 80% of their time on the problems of foreign policy. Johnson watched his own mandate evaporate as he shifted attention from poverty and racism in American life to the affairs of Vietnam.

Even if the pitfalls of the past are avoided, new ones certainly lie ahead for Carter. Can he satisfy all elements of his coalition as he confronts the demands for military stringency and environmental safety on the one hand and the demand for jobs on the other? Early in his administration Carter must choose between the United Automobile Worker's support of the B-1 bomber and relaxed automobile emission standards, and the contrary demands of the peace and ecology groups. He must meet his obligations to the financially strapped cities of the North without alienating his rural support particularly in the South. And, when Carter inevitably moves to find the

programs such as jobs and comprehensive health insurance, can he rely, as he confidently reassured us during the campaign, on the revenues which will result from real economic growth? If he can't, as may be the case, he will have to confront the hard issue of priorities. Will he confront the upper-middle class (not just the rich) on the issue of tax reform? For that is where the revenues are to be tapped. How far will he go in imposing upon the corporations (and the unions) the obligations of social responsibilities on prices, wages, and the environment. If he exercises his populist mandate, his mark on American politics will be indelible. If he simply steers cautiously to the center. he may just write another sad chapter in the failure of American Reform.

This is a slightly abridged version of an article soon to appear in INTELLECT magazine

By Robert J. Bressler

## Old Fashioned Holiday

All faculty, staff and guests are invited to the Faculty-Women's Club annual dinner-dance. Circle Saturday, December 11, from 7:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. on your calender if you plan to come to this fun event which will be held in the newly remodeled Student Center. The theme this year is "An Old-Fashioned Holiday- A Time of Cheer."

Margie Harmon, the food chairman, is planning an oldfashioned menu of good things to eat. She will be asking for



your help with the food preparation when you send in your check for your reservation.

This year's dance will start with a social hour from 7:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Set-ups will be provided. The buffet dinner will follow from 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Dancing to the delightful music of the Skip Leeper Quartette will be from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.

Santa will be impersonated by Bob Lesniak. Instead of giving out door prizes as in the past, "Santa" will read a "WISH LIST" developed from written comments from you concerning the staff, faculty and wives. Send Bob your witty comments soon.

We would like each couple to bring a homemade decoration to put on our tree. They can be as simple or elaborate as you wish.

Be looking for your unique invitation created by Regina Susskind. Mary Gilmore is in charge of their distribution so let her know if you haven't received yours by the first week in December.

Margaret Alexander will accept your reservation check for \$5 per person made out to the Capitol Campus Faculty Women's Club. Place your check in an envelope and send it to her in E-355.

If you have any questions call Sue Cole, the dance chairperson, at 944-9965.

#### Science Teacher Convention

K W. Allison, associate profe or of education at Penn State Capitol Campus, and Mr. Daniel Jaycox, president of the Montgomery County Science Teachers Association, announce that the 1976 State Convention of the Pennsylvania Science Teachers Association will be held Dec. 2-4 at the Hilton Inn, 2450 Old Lincoln Highway at U.S. 1, Northeast Philadelphia, Pa

The main speakers for the program will be Dr. Robert Crippen, a U.S. astronaut connected with the Sky Lab program and Dr. Isaac Asimov, the author of numerous science textbooks.

The program will also feature tours to the Schuykill Valley Nature Center, the research laboratories of Rohm and Haas and the Oxford Valley Mall. Dr. Allison will be installed as president of the Pennsylvania Science Teachers Association during the convention proceedings.

Although the convention expects to host 1500 science teachers, it is open to any person engaged in the teaching profession. The registration is \$5 for members of PSTA and MCSTA, \$7 for out-of-state science teachers and \$10 for non-members.

Interested parties should contact Mr. Ed Otwell, Cheltenham School District, Elkins Park, Pa., 19117, for pre-registration information.

### Ski Club

All those interested in skiing-beginner, intermediate, and expert are invited to attend the Outdoor Club Meeting, Monday, November 22 at 7:00 p.m. in the Student Center.

Rod from Roundtop will be there with a movie and some equipment. He will demonstrate types, use and care of equipment. He will also have information on package deals for Capitol Campus skiing, including lessons and rentals.

There will be a trip to Vermont, December 12-17. Information will be available at the meeting for all interested parties.

Who's Who from pg. 1
Candice Mizenko
Janis Moore
Sheidon Munchus
Kent Odenwelder
Janet Paull
George Rovnack
Gary Sheriff
Robin Sherman
Paul Skvaria

James Straub Michael Szep Carol Uhlig Fresh Fruit

A wide variety of fresh fruits and vegetables is now available to all students, faculty and staff of Capitol Campus at 10-25% savings. These food bargains are made possible through the efforts of the Capitol Campus Food Buying Club.

Orders for fruits and vegetables may be placed on Mondays during third and fourth periods in Vendorville. Items may be picked up on Tuesdays from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. in the Placement Building near the Photo Lab.

Help in taking orders, and/or distributing them is truly needed. Any persons interested in donating their spare time and energy to this project should contact: David Fegley, President-925A Flickinger Street, 944-4917; or Robin Sherman, Executive Board-949A Kirtland Avenue, 944-1911. Volunteers may also sign up at the next meeting of the Food Buying Club which will be held Wednesday, November 17 at 7:00 p.m. in the Middle Earth Coffee House

# **Get Your Fho-Toes**

Although the 1977 Capitolite staff was late in organizing, there will be an opportunity for winter graduates to have their pictures taken in time to be included in the yearbook. Students can sign up for graduation pictures in the yearbook office (W-129) from now to November 22 anytime from 1:30 to 3:00 p.m.

Thanks to several members of the photography club, pictures will be taken free of charge on Friday, December 3, from 1:00 to 4:30 p.m. in the yearbook office. All winter graduates are sincerely urged to participate.

On Thursday, November 18, 1976, the Black Student Union of Penn State Capitol Campus will sponsor a "Canned Food Day." We are asking students, faculty and staff to donate at least one canned good. Your contributions will be distributed to the needy families in the surrounding area. Your participation will be greatly appreciated. Donations can be made in The Black Cultural Arts Center in Room W-132.

XGI Reporter

By Keith Millison

Coming up on Saturday, November 20th the frat is sponsoring another keggar featuring Red Delicious. The site of the keggar is once again in the Student Center. The last keggar was a big success and with a new group and hopefully a larger dance area we expect a bigger crowd. Myron wanted me to remind everyone who hasn't picked up their raffle tickets to do so in the near future. Time is running out to sell the tickets and the drawing for everyone who bought a ticket is Friday, December 3rd at 12:00 at the round table.

Under the heading of Sports the frat's flag football team ended the season last week with a win, loss, and a tie in sudden death overtime. The frat's overall record for the season was a disappointing record of 2 wins, 4 losses, and 1 tie. George Winterstein wants to extend his thanks to all those who came out and played their best. Some of the outstanding players on this year's squad were Bob Leader (offense), Rick Mosley (defense), Ed Driscoll (offense), George Winterstein (offense), Lenny Klonitsko (defense), and not to mention all the other players who were giving it everything they had. On a more positive note concerning

sports, both the XGI bowling teams are doing quite well and currently are in position for the playoffs. Pat Laurie led the way for the XGI #1 bowling team with a series of 476, a total of 68 pins over average. Congradulations to Pat and to both XGI bowling teams and best of luck in the playoffs.

During our last meeting on November 9th at the American Legion Post in Middletown we had 5 new juniors drink out of the frat's mug and become full fledged members. The following juniors drank in at the last meeting:

Mark McGuinn-6.5 sec. 1st mug 12 sec. 2nd mug 11.8 sec. 3rd mug Joe Mahar-7.5 sec. 1st mug 8.3 sec. 2nd mug Chuck Cales-4.8 sec. 1st mug 6 sec. 2nd mug 13 sec. 3rd mug 7.2 sec. 4th mug 12.5 sec. 5th mug Jim Gormlev-27 sec. 1st mug 13 sec. 2nd mug 15 sec. 3rd mug Gregg-5.8 sec. 1st mug 6.8 sec. 2nd mug

Chuck Cales tied a fraternity record by downing 5 mugs of beer.

