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John W. Oswald Appointed 13th Penn State President

by CHARLY LEE

Accepting the appointment as Penn State's 13th president, Dr. John W. Oswald has pledged more responsive action to the expectations of Pennsylvania's young people and its citizens. The new president will take office July 1st as a result of the Penn State's Board of Trustees unanimous decision last Dec. 12th.

"Expectations of society for its universities are indeed high," said Dr. Oswald shortly after the results of the election were announced.

"They call for equal access and opportunity; for education of increasing numbers of more highly trained professionals; for solutions of problems nagging our nation; for broader service to its people; and for universities themselves to make changes appropriate to our times. These can be accomplished only through a community effort by all segments of an institution . . . and I dedicate myself to this great and important task."

Dr. Oswald served as president of the University of Kentucky from 1963 to 1968. In this five years there he developed a sound system of 15 two-year campuses

of the university, moved the university into new areas, strengthened its faculty and supervised the largest development program in the state's history.

From Kentucky Dr. Oswald resigned to become the executive vice president of the University of California, a system about four times as large as Penn State's.

Holding a doctor of philosophy degree in plant pathology, Dr. Oswald has done research at both Davis and Berkeley Campuses; in the Navy, where he discovered a world famous disease of cereals; and at the Agricultural University of the Netherlands in Wageningen.

In addition to his on-campus administrative work, Dr. Oswald

is in the works of many national educational groups and in community activities where he has resided.

At 52, Dr. John W. Oswald has been overwhelmingly accepted by the administration of Penn State.

Paul W. Bixby, chairman of the Senate Advisory Committee has pledged his hearty support to Dr. Oswald to help "continue Penn State's winning streak of able and successful Presidents."

President of Penn State's U.S.G., Theodore Q. Thompson said, ". . . Dr. Oswald has set some pretty idealistic goals for Penn State. I think the important thing now is for students to give him a chance and provide him as much constructive help as they can."



The new President of Penn State, John W. Oswald.



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Behrend Girls Oversexed

by Randy S. Kinkead

Behrend girls are immature, have abnormal sexual drives, and are potential targets for sex fiends. At least according to officials rationalizing girls' dorm hours here at Behrend. According to those in power, Behrend is in a "different situation" than is University Park. Here, we are not so centrally located—ergo the dorms are father away from the perverts, crooks, and maniacs than those dorms at University Park. So, logically, there is a greater chance of harm coming to the girls here than those at U.P. Right??—No! If you don't believe me, ask the coed who was murdered in the Pattee Library down state.

Since the preceding reason is obviously not warrant for the restrictions, we must therefore assume that Behrend girls are inferior to those at U.P. . . . You can't trust them. They're aggressive! They're not bad, but they're horny. And, these girls can only satisfy their desires after Midnight during the week, and 2 a.m. on weekends—right? Su-r-r-r-e it is!!! THERE IS NOTHING THEY CAN DO AT MIDNIGHT THAT THEY CAN'T DO AT NOON! You can quote me. As a matter of fact, I'd dig it.

Does it not seem that by not having the same hours as those at University Park (which are non-existent) we are dissociating our campus from the Pennsylvania State University.

I am willing to admit that it is not very often that one desires to stay out past 2 a.m. on weekends, but the principle of the restriction is galling. If you don't agree, join the ARMY.

It is not the University's, rather Behrend's place to insure that the girls don't stay out all night and not get their "homework." Whos paying the tuition? Even if they are on scholarships, the money is their own. It was granted for past performance.

Petition your SGA representative.



WHERE'S THE HEAT? (See page two.)

Only One Lead In Coed Death

With the November 28 stabbing death of a 22 year old graduate student in Pattee Library still unsolved, State Police have placed 25 officers on the case to work on a full-time basis.

Investigations have a composite of a young man sought as an important witness, if not an actual suspect in the slaying. The drawing was released by the police twelve days after the body of Betsy Aardsma was found in the core area of the second level stacks of the library.

Lt. William Kimmel stated that over 1,500 interviews and reinterviews have not produced any information which would point to any A-1 suspect in the homicide.

The only lead in the case is the man in the police composite, who is described as neat in appearance and believed to be in his early 20's. He was encountered near the scene of the crime.

Women Liberated at Main Campus Dorms

University Park, Pa., Jan. 15—A policy liberalizing regulations requiring women students to live in University-owned residence halls has been adopted by the Board of Trustees of The Pennsylvania State University.

The new regulations will permit women students under 21 years of age, with the written approval of their parents, to secure off-campus housing accommodations, after they have completed their freshman year.

The new policy will apply during the 1970-71 academic year which begins in September. University officers are directed to review the on-campus residency

policy each year and announce and changes in regulations.

Current policy requires all women under 21, regardless of their academic year, to live in campus residence halls unless specifically exempted by reason of their financial, medical or marital status.

Women over 21 years of age were authorized by the Trustees last year to secure off-campus living quarters if they so desired.

The new residence hall policy will apply uniformly to all students transferring to the University Park campus from another college or a Penn State Commonwealth Campus, as well as to those who are being re-enrolled in the University.

"Sound of Music" At Civic Theatre

Rodgers and Hammerstein are the creators of "The Sound of Music" that will be floating through The Erie Playhouse beginning Friday, January 30, when their hit musical will open for eight performances.

Howard Lindsay and Russell Crouse, authors of such great hits as "Life With Father," wrote the book for the musical that was one of Broadway's biggest hits beginning in 1959. It played to standing room for every performance for the first two years of its New York run, and continued for almost four years in all—a fitting success for the show that turned out to be the last of the famous Rodgers and Hammerstein musicals.—Hammerstein's death occurring eight months after its opening.

Starring in The Playhouse production will be guest artist Patricia O'Riordan as the plucky, cheerful and music-filled heroine. Cannon Ralph Darling will be seen in the role of the stern sea

captain who surrenders his bosun's whistle for pitch pipe, and his seven children will be portrayed by Cecily Cottrill, Martin Stebbell, Jennifer Price, Danny Margosian, Becky Lou Zellefrow, Mary Pat Roche and Margaret Lunger. The beautiful and rich widow who is the rival for the captain's affections will be played by Marian Nelson, and David Green will play a courageous concert manager who is a friend of the captain. Margaret Laver will be featured as the Mother Abbess. Musical direction is by Jim Long and choreography by Marge Long.

Tickets to "The Sound of Music" are \$4.00 for Wednesday and Thursday performances and \$4.50 for Friday, Saturday and Sunday performances. (Continued on Page 3)