

HIGHACRES CAMPUS ELECTION

Mr. Mattern, student council advisor, has announced that a Freshman election will be held ~~February 19~~ February 19 for the selection of a Freshman Student Council member along with a Freshman President. The presidency has been vacated by Ted Tarone, who has risen to the status of Sophomore. One Student Council Membership was vacated by George Ripsom, who has transferred to the Ma in Campus. Anyone wishing to run for election to an office must circulate a petition to be signed by ten fellow class members. This petition must be turned in to Mr. Mattern by February 17.

WELCOME TO HIGHACRES' NEW ROTC INSTRUCTOR

Since last semester, a new addition to the faculty has been made in the person of Captain Arthur G. Lockard, Capt. Lockard, a native Pennsylvanian, is a graduate of Milton High School. He received his B.S. at East Carolina State, North Carolina, and his M.S. at Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana. Capt. Lockard though now an Air Force officer distinguished himself during World War II as a Navy man in the South Pacific and also served in the Korean action.

The Captain is enjoying his assignment to the Hazleton Center very much. He was enjoyably surprised over the beauty and setting of our Highacres Campus and is pleased to be on the faculty here. The Collegian on behalf of the students and faculty wishes to extend its heartiest welcome to the new ROTC instructor.

STUDENT UNION ON ITS WAY

Meeting on Saturday, Jan. 25, at University Park, the Board of Trustees of the Pennsylvania State University approved construction of a Student Union Building at the Highacres campus of Hazleton Penn State Center.

The general contract goes to Ralph H. Woelfel, lowest of seven bidders, as a figure of \$61,620.

George F. DeLallo was the lowest of six bidders on the plumbing contract and was awarded the work at his figure of \$5,893.

DeLallo was also the lowest of seven bidding on the heating contract, getting the contract at a figure of \$3,216.

Veglia Electric Construction will do the electrical work at a bid price of \$6,375, lowest of three bidders.

Harry B. Lentz, local architect, designed the building and will supervise its construction.

The new structure will be located about 150 feet west of the main building and will provide a spectacular view of Conyngham Valley.

To be built on two levels, the side of the building facing the valley will be almost entirely of glass. It will be 90 feet long and 55 feet wide. The plans call for a fireproof building of brick and stone with a structural steel frame.

Heating plans specify a central heating, automatic, anthracite coal plant. Consideration was given to a heating system tied in to the main building, but it was abandoned as impractical and uneconomical.

The building will contain a large recreation room on the main floor. This can also be used for a cafeteria, since a spacious kitchen is part of the main floor arrangements. There will also be rooms for varied student activities, such as the school newspaper and clubs. A book room is planned, and provisions have been made for a supervisor's office.

Lounge and rest rooms will be located on the lower of the two levels.

Plans have been incorporated for future expansion with excavation and finishing of the entire ground floor level.

Some authorities on higher education predict that much of the future development in Pennsylvania and in states will