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President Eric A. Walker marked his fifty-fourth birthday on Wednesday, April 29.

Born in Long Eaton, England on April 29, 1910, Walker came to the United States in 1923. He lived with an aunt in Wrightsville, Pa. during his high school years.

From eighth grade through high school, Walker worked before and after school at the York County Foundry. During the summer he did construction work on the York-Lancaster County bridge located between Columbia and Wrightsville.

The President was awarded a scholarship to Harvard University where he received his bachelor's, masters, and doctorate degrees.

He started his association with the University after World War II, having taught at Tufts College and the University of Connecticut.

Walker rose from the position of professor and head of the electrical engineering department to dean of engineering and architecture in 1951 and finally to President of the University in 1957.

#### Circle K at Kiwanis

On Tuesday, April 28, three members of the Circle K Club, Richard Jameson, Martin Mehall, and Gary Hagenbach, accompanied by Mr. William Schneider, Assistant Director, attended a Kiwanis Luncheon at the Hotel Altamont.

The high point of the luncheon was an address by the Former Commandant of the U. S. Marine Corps Brigadier General James Hittle (U.S.M.C. Ret.). General Hittle's remarks were concerned with the present situation in Cuba.

An announcement by Attorney Pascoe Schiavo was also made during the meeting of a bottle drive to be sponsored by Kiwanis for the benefit of the local Boy Scouts. Atty. Schiavo announced the pickup date to be May 2.

## 3 Profs. To Attend Summer Sessions

Three members of the Highacres faculty have been selected by the National Science Foundaation to attend summer sessions. Mr. Richard McKinstry is one of the forty selected applicants to do graduate work in Contemporary Psychology at Beloit College, Wisconsin.

Mr. Dennis Cimino has been chosen by the National Science Foundation Summer Institute for college teachers of chemistry to take graduate courses in chemistry at the City University of New York City.

The National Science Foundation Institute for college teachers of physics has designated Mr. Jesse Pollard as one of those college teachers to take graduate courses in physics at the University of Kansas.

## Activities Schedule For The Spring Term

May 4-18 — National Sculpture Sculpture Society Exhibit.

May 8-9 — Pennsylvania State University Intercampus Speech Concourse.

May 8 — Dance — Music by the Crescendoes.

May 15—Movie—"The Grapes of Wrath."

May 15-16 — O. S. G. A. Spring Term Meeting at University Park.

May 23—May Ball.

June 6—Convocation.

June 10—Classes end.

June 11-12-13—Final Exams.

June 14—Commencement.

## World's Fair Trip

On Saturday, May 2, students of Highacres and their guests plan to attend the World's Fair. The trip, which will be made by bus, is being sponsored by a group of Highacres students.

## **Club News and Activities**

### S.G.A. ELECTION RESULTS

The Student Government Association held its election on April 15 and selected the following officers: president, G. Kane Hoefling, Jr.; vice president, Jerry Kapes; treasurer, Cathy Stepanik (appointed); and secretary, Karen Kreitzberger (appointed).

The students elected to the nine vacancies which occurred when students transferred to the Main Campus, University Park, include: Robert Lutz, Richard Tito, Elaine Hahn, Stanley Milora, Merv Schaefer, Louis Misentone, Jack Richards, Thomas Murmello, and

Andrew Selitsky. These individuals will serve on the Student Government Association during the coming Fall term.

## Reading Festival

The 16th Intercollege Interpretative Reading Festival was held at University Park on Thursday and Friday, April 23 and 24. Dr. Elbert R. Bowen, professor of speech at Central Michigan University, was commentator for the program.

Students participating in this event from the Hazleton Campus were Margaret Boyer, Joseph Broyan, Paulette Vetter, and Jerry Kapes. They were accompanied to University Park by Professor Andrew Kafka, Assistant Professor of English.

Four sessions were held during the Festival: prose, multiform, poetry, and drama.

#### Circle K Election

The Circle K Club recently held an election of officers for the 1964 Spring Term. The newly elected officers are as follows: President — Gary Hagenbach

Vice-President — Brent Klinetob Secretary — Dave Rhinard

Treasurer — Vincent Gennaro Chaplain and Chairman of the Sergeant-of-Arms Committee— Albert Harry

#### Dr. Strong Lectures

On Friday, April 17, Dr. Earl P. Strong, Dean of the Business College of P. S. U., addressed a group of students from the economics and I. E. classes, as well as members of the Business and Economics Club.

In addition to outlining the Business College of Penn State, Dr. Strong informed his audience of the many opportunities in the business field. He also pointed out the importance of developing personality, intellect, and imagination, regardless of one's curriculum.

# 2 Highacres Dances Two dances have thus far been

Two dances have thus far been held during the Spring Term at Highacres: Beginning of Term Dance on April 3 and April Showers Dance on April 10.

Students enjoyed the music of the Velmonts and the Citations respectively at these dances.

Chaperons for the affairs were Professor Andrew Kafka, Professor John Longo, and Mrs. Mary Ferry.

## Movie Shown at SUB

On Friday, April 17, "The Trial" was shown to a group of students and faculty members in the Student Union Building.

"The Trial," based on a novel by Franz Kafka, was written, produced, and directed by Orson Wells.

The symbolism and controversy of the movie resulted in much conversation at the end if the show.

## MID-TERM GRADES DUE

Mid-term grades will be due the week of May 8 at the advisor's office. All students are requested to check the bulletin board for the exact date.

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