

## edna: the poor students' philosopher

Welcome freshmen! Are you wondering if you are yet well-adjusted to this new academic life? Do the sophomores seem more confident or perhaps more insane? How does one measure this social status? You know that you are well on the way to adjustment if you .....

- Start counting the chimes every time they ring.
- Feel as though classes keep interrupting your free time
- Master the three P's: pinball, pinochle, and ping pong.
- Learn to relish coke with-

out fizz, cold coffee, and warm orange drink.

- Have so many papers that ALL of the librarians know you by your first name.
- Wish you could remember half of the things that you've long since forgotten.
- Seventy minute classes seem like eternity.
- Talking to the profs because they're people too.

If your answer to these statements is yes, then you are as well-adjusted and as insane as the rest of us.

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## ASSISTANT DEAN TAKES OFFICE

by Christie Tito

Has anyone noticed sparks flying around the campus lately? If you have seen any, they are very probably coming from our Assistant Dean of Student Affairs, Mr. Everitt F. Binns.

Newly-appointed, Mr. Binns' duties include supervision of the residence hall

and student activities. He and his wife, Brenda are currently occupying the residence hall. A Norristown native, he attended the Ogontz Campus,

received his B.A. at Penn State, and also earned his M.A. in Counselor Education.

While at U-Park he served as residence assistant at Pollock Halls, fire safety chairman, and was an active member of Alpha Pi Omega, national service fraternity.

Fired with enthusiasm (he thinks that Highacres is "just great") and overflowing with plans, he has decided it is time for the students to have some entertainment.

He plans on having some coffeehouses for the students. One is scheduled for November 3 and will feature Stan Shepherd. Students usually look forward to Comeriety Night (Highacres own Laugh-In) but this year it will not be simply for one night. A whole week of comedy fun is intended. Mr. Binns also wishes to organize some sort of entertainment during "common hour" which should

## TEA WITH THE ADMINISTRATOR

by Linda Gallagher

There is more behind any administrator than the number of degrees he holds, It takes a certain kind of charisma and understanding to successfully run a college campus. Did Highacres receive such a director?

After my talk with Dr. William David, I can judge that we have. Dr. David is interested in the faculty and students and in the problems that each encounters. As an "outsider" to our campus he is observing situations with a new outlook, in hopes of finding fresh solutions.

He will strive to give Highacres student a first class education. To achieve this goal he found a "faculty personally interested in the students." He said that the small campus atmosphere and the close association of students and faculty is helpful toward a better education. A more & flexible academic program, tailored to individual needs, will also help to achieve a first class education. A full two years at Highacres for ALL students may be in the future.

Dr. David will continue to expand all phases of the campus. Plans ahead include the final preparations for the gym construction, the requisitioning of the organ from Heln Eakin Eisenhower Chapel at U-Park for the Music department, and possible purchase of a bus to be used for group trips to U-Park conventions, transportation of athletic teams, field trips, and a weekend shuttle service from the dorm to downtown Hazleton.

Dr. David is ambitious, concerned, and aware of his duties as the new director of the Hazleton campus.

be a welcome break between classes.

Also in the planning stage is an art exhibit (for all you budding artists), a play-Thurber Fair, eight movies, a Winter Weekend sponsored by SGA, and much, much more.