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2 '41 Cliques **Combine For Political Fray**

Locust Lane Merges With Independents For Elections

Set Up To Prevail Only For Present Campaign

By HERBERT B. CAHAN Apparently in an effort to turn the freshman election tide away from the powerful Campus clique, the '41 Locust Lane party has combined with the freshman Independents in presenting their candidates for '41 class elections to be held next

This unprecedented move, it appears, will make for a more evenly divided fight, inasmuch as the way things stood before, the Campu clique looked like the sure winner in a walkaway. Now, with Locust Lan-and Independents merging and a big

turnout at the polls expected next week, the vote should be close.

It has been rumored that there is some dissension in the ranks of the '41 Campus party, and if this is true then the Independent-Locust Lane combine should stand a better chanc than they would against a united

Campus clique.
Campus announced its nominee two weeks ago while Locust Lane and the Independents held off until the merger was final. Now that they have definitely combined they have announced the following candidates: For president, Thomas E. Vargo; for secretary, Louis A. Sipos; for treas-

secretary, Loss A. Shos; for treas-urer, Ralph Sapp; and for historian, Milton L. Keiser.

It was made known that this fresh-man Locust Lane-Independent setup will not be permanent, but is just a move for this election and will not be nove for this election and will not be followed in the Spring campaign, Joseph A. Peel, junior class president, is in charge of the elections next Monday night in the Chemistry amphitheater, and will be assisted by Lion's

ng chapet service, resident harm.

D. Hetzel announced yesterday. Prof. Exhibited by Dr. Konrad Prothman. Eddie Sauter dees most of the ar Richard W. Grant, director of the College music, is in charge of the propaintings will be on sale and purchases may be made through him.

She Sings, He Swings, Sophs Hop







P.S.C.A. To Hold Norvo Features 2nd Book Display Famous Jazzmen

About 300 Recent Best-Sellers Mr. and Mrs. Swing' Lead Will Make Up Exhibit In Library Dec. 13-15

Approximately 300 books will be on inder student supervision from 1 to 5 o'clock each afternoon and from 7

to 10 o'clock each night. Furthers Literary Interest

Designed to further appreciation of good books, acquaint the student body with the best of the recent publications, and present an opportunity for an early Christmas gift-book se-lection, the fair is sponsored by the Christian Association through the co-operation of Willard P. Lewis, librarian, Keeler's book store, and the Athletic store.

Emerson Zettle '39 is chairman of the committee in charge.

Facsimilies Of Famous

Collegiate Dancers At Sophomore Hop

In addition to the leader being one display at the second annual book of the finest all-around musicians in fair to be held in the library next Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. Open to all, the exhibit will be held the second annual book of the finest all-around musicians in the country, Red Norvo's orchestra features some of the nation's out-

> Tickets will go on sale Friday, and all final arrangements have been made, including the chaperone list and arrival of programs, it was an nounced by F. Richard Bloom and Ir

Sprinkled With Stars

Among the famous "hot men" in Norvo's band is Herbie Haymer, who ranks among the best tenor saxo-phone players. Other stellar perfor-mers on their respective instruments are Stew Pletcher, trumpeter and vo-Paintings On Exhibit Calist: Pete Peterson, bass player; Hank D'Amico, clarinet and alto sax virtuoso; and Bill Miller, pianist.

Xmas Service Slated

A Christmas vesper service at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon will be held in the exhibition room of instead of the usual 11 o'clock morning chapel service, President Ralph D. Hetzel announced yesterday. Prof. Richard W. Grant, director of the College music, is in charge of the nro-

Oxford Group To Publish Aims In News Pictorial, 'Rising Tide'

Dr. Frank Buchman Was Founder Of Movement On Penn State Campus During His Office As P.S.C.A. Leader

There is a risingitide of people in the Oxford Group to make new mer men, new nations, and a new world. How can this be done? In the opinion of the group, God has a plan to answer world unrest. His plan, they say, is an American answer and was first expounded by a man or Dr. Frank N. D. Buchman, College Y. M. C. A. director from 1908-1913.

founded the world-wide movement, now called the Oxford Group, while Honorary Seeks

Mortar Board Asks Panhellenic

Council To Bar Overnight

Sorority Parties

Mortar Board, senior women's hon orary, has petitioned Panhellenic Council to reconsider its previous de-

cision allowing freshman or transfer women to be rushed by sorority houses at overnight parties. The following reasons have been is-sued by Mortar Board to substantiate

its premise in opposing this phase

Reasons Listed

on this campus provides an oppor-tunity for personal contact with freshmen outside of classes without placing undue emphasis. Rushing in the freshman dormitories may

require more effort on the part of the sororities but there is the added

2-There is less need of rushing

for financial gain than on other campuses since our sorority houses

3-Under the present ruling, each sorority feels it must use the

same rushing techniques as the other secorities. The freshmen feel ob-

er screttes. The freshmen teet ob-ligated to accept each invitation for fear that a refusal will indicate disinterest. The abolition of this ruling will not prove disadvantage-ous to any one sorority since all would be on an equal basis.

4-Overnight rushing is a strain

4—Overnight rushing is a strain on both the freshmen and the sorority women. The season both before and after Christmas is one of the busiest of the year, both scholastically and socially. Most upperclass women have learned how to organize their time and know how to combine activities and study. Freshmen, however, have to be taught first how to orient themselves to the new study situation.

selves to the new study situation, and secondly to adjust that with the social and extra-curricular life.

5-Late hours and overcrowded sleeping conditions, together with the high nervous tension, tend to

lower each woman's resistance to

are college-pwned.

1-The extended rushing period

rushing:

Mobilizing Spiritual Forces

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That God has a plan for every man
and that every man can know God's
plan is the belief of the Oxford Group
which is compr.sed of thousands of
smaller groups in 50 different countries. Its people are trying to mobilize the spiritual or constructive
forces in the world to fight the destructive forces of materialism and
moral rot that are threatening Chrismoral rot that are threatening Chris tian civilization today.

tian divilization today.

That there has to be a change in the world and that a rising tide must overcome the faults of modern civilization is recognized by the Oxford Group. To acquaint the rest of the nation with the movement, the Group is publishing a pictorial called "Rising Tide," to be issued next Tuesday. Absolutism Prevails

In addition to the leader being one of the finest all-around musicians in the country, Red Norvo's orchestra features some of the nation's outstanding swing artists. Norvo and Mildred Bailey, the "Mr. and Mrs. of Swing," will bring their ace group of These are concrete facts, feels the musicians here Friday night for Soph Hop. er gives God complete control of his life to right wrongs and to enable him to "listen in." Answers not com-patible with the above absolutes are discarded as self-deception.

An advance guard of the "Rising Tide" visited the Penn State Oxford Group meeting of almost 60 person who met Sunday night at the hom of Prof. Chesleigh A. Bonine. Converted to Group

The oldest living group member, William Pickle, told at the meeting

how in 1911 he was "changed" through the influence of Buchman hom he called his benefactor, Pickl

Penn State 26 years ago was the freshet which now is termed the "Rising Tide."

LeBoutillier Gets Top Matrix Prize

rieda Knepper, Mary O'Connor Also Honored at Banquet In Nittany Lion Inn

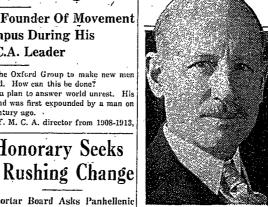
Adjudged as the senior woman contributing most to the College, Naomi C. LeBoutillier '28 was presented with the Matrix Girl honor at the Matrix Table banquet at the Nittany Lion Inn last night.

Other top awards were given t Frieda C. Knepper '38 and Mary II. O'Comor '40. Miss Knepper was named Cap Girl. because of her versaed Cap Girl, because of her versa-tility as manifested by her various ac-tivities and interests, while Miss O' Connor received the Quill Girl award. designating the most popular woma on the campus.

Columnist Speaks

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Featuring the speakers program
was Florence Fisher Parry. Pittsburgh
Press columnist, who talked on "Interesting Personulities I Have Met."

Heads Installation



DR. FRANK P. GRAVES President of the University of the State of New York and Commissioner of Education for New York state, he will install a Phi Beta

NYA, Chemistry

Before Dec. 15

NYA and chemistry refund checks re now available at the Bursar's of fice, Bursar Russell E. Clark annound ed yesterday.
Differing from the procedure of

previous years, students must call perconally for their NYA checks; present their matriculation cards, and sign their names to the official navroll sheet, in accordance with the regulaions of the National Youth Administration

Extra Hours In Effect

In addition to the regular hours from 8 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. each day. the Bursar's office will be open from 7 to 9 o'clock tonight and tomorrow night. Checks not called for before December 15 will be returned to the state disbursing offices.

Chemistry refunds are available to students who have completed all their chemistry courses. The students, however, must appear at the Bursar's office in person. Notices will be mailed only to those who are no longer enrolled in the College.

Banner Will Address

Newly-included memoers of Alpha Delta Sigma, national advertising honorary, will hear Prof. Franklin C. Bunner, head of the department of ournalism, speak tomorrow night on his experiences in the Orient during the past summer.

6—Sorority women have much freedom in working out their own problems, and practices which are detrimental to sorority women and rushees\ may ultimately count against the sorority as an institution. Banner will speak at a banquet following initiation ceremonies in Old Main. Initiates will include adver-tising students and public business board members interested in the advertising profession.

Induction Will Take Place In Alumni Office

Exercises To Conclude With Mass Meeting In Auditorium

Hetzel, Morse Will Be **Foundation Members**

Dr. Frank P. Graves, presilent of the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa, Liberal Arts honorary and oldest Greek-letter society in the United States, will conduct the installation ceremonies of the Lambda Pennsylvania chapter here, which will begin at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon in the offices of the Alumni Association and conclude with an open mass meeting in Schwab auditorium at 8:30 c'clock

Checks Available

Academic gowns will be worn at the first meeting where the induction preper will take place.

President Ralph D. Hetzel and Addrian O. Morse, assistant to the president in charge of resident instruction, will be initiated as foundation members of the charge of the bers of the chapter.

Invitations Extended

Invitations to attend the exercises have been sent to the 27 senators of the United Chapters of the society, to representatives of Phi Beta Kappa chapters at other Pennsylvania institutions, and to the national fraternal

officers.

Inasmuch as Phi Beta Kappa is the progenitor of the modern social fra-ternities and the oldest of honoraries, invitations to attend the open mass invitations to attend the open mass meeting tonight have been extended also to all local social and honorary fraternities. Students, faculty, and townspeople also are welcome to at-

townspeople also are welcome to attend the meeting.

Dr. Carl E. Marquardt, College examiner and president of the local Phi Beta Kappa Alumni Association which will have received chapter status at the afternoon ceremony, will act as chairman of the meeting. Members of Phi Eta Sigma and Alpha Lambda Delta, men's and women's freshman honorary sociation will freshman honorary societies,

To Talk on Leadership

At the meeting, Graves will deliver an address on "The Duties and Re-sponsibilities of Leadership," Presi-Advertising Honorary

Advertising Honorary

New York and Commissioner of Education for that state, Graves, who is 68, twice took the degree of doctor of honorary philosophy, once in Greek and once in ducation.

He was graduated from Columbia with the degrees of A.B., A.M., and Ph.D. He took graduate work at four American institutions and abroad. He holds the honorary degrees of Litt.D. from three colleges, degrees of Lh.D. from two others, and degrees of LL.D. from 17 different universities.

Snow Ball Free For All Hits Campus Fraternities

Incited by heavy snowfall Sunday night, the adventurous youth here ventured out on all parts of the camnowball.
On the campus proper, fraternities

Examination Schedule, 1st Semester

*Final examinations for the first semester will be held from Monday, January 24, to Saturday, January 29, inclusive. The designation "SEE LIST" AH 201 indicates that the rooms for examinations will be announced by the depart-Arch 8

ments concerned.

Any student having two examinations scheduled at the same time or three examinations on the same day is required to report the fact in person at the office of the Registrar on the special form provided there. Seniors Arch 12 M 8 102 MEng arch 12 M 8 102 MEng arch 12 M 8 102 MEng arch 12 M 8 107 MEng after Tuesday, January 25, should re-

port that fact on the conflict card in order that they may be scheduled for AgEc 2 M 8 206 Ag an earlier-regular conflict examinal AgEc 8 W 8 117 Dairy tion, if possible. Since grades for graduating seniors are due at the offect of the Registrar by noon on Wednesday, January 26, it will be necessary for instructors to give special AgEc 10 By Appt. sary for instructors to give special AgEd 11 T 8 103 Ag examinations for such students in certain courses after the conflict examinations are arranged. To veceive adjustments, all conflicts must be relaxed for the ported not later than 5 p. m., Friday, lageng 13 By Appt.

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justments, all conflicts must be reported not later than 5 p. m., Friday,
December 17, 1937.

Notices of adjustment will be available at the office of the Registrar for
those students who filed conflict cards
and will be mailed to heads of departments on January 10. Appointment
examinations should not be scheduled
until after notices of conflict examinations are available. The dates of
the appointment examinations will be
announced by the instructors concerned. Examinations will be of two
hours' duration, beginning at 8,
10:20, and 2 o'clock.

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Dick Powell Will Manage Soose In Western Bouts A contract to fight on the West Coast and a possible entrance into the

movies is Billy Soose's reward for his two years of spectacular fighting in the intercollegiate ring.

Dick Powell, singing star of Warner Brothers studios, will back Penn

was Florence Fisher Parry. Pittsburgh Press columnist, who talked on the treesting Personalities I Have Met."
Following a Hindu theme, three Hindu seers—Margaret R. Giffen "35. Edith J. Rowe "35. and Jane Gulick '40—spun the Wheel of Fate to peer into the futures of the guests.

Toustmistress was Jean L. Lyman "38, president of Theta Sigma Phi, national women's professional journalism honorary, which sponsors the affair annually throughout the nation. Entertainment was offered by Bess Edelbinto "38 and Patricha Altwater '40.

Honored guests at the main speakers table in addition to Mrs. Parry were: Mrs. Raibo D. Hetzel. Dean of Women Charlotte E. Ray, Miss Mary Ellen Burkholder, Mrs. Donald Davis, Mrs. E. R. Van Sant, Amy D. McCielland '38, Italia A. De Angelis '39, Jan. L. Lyman '38, and M. Jane Gordon '38.