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WASHABAUGH, RITTER WIN AA OFFICES IN PRIMARY VOTE LEITZELL DENIES BOROUGH PLANS BAN ON BEER

First Day Vote Gives Majorities

993 Ballots Are Cast To Pick President, Secretary

Groyer C. Washabaugh '40 and George E. Ritter '40 were elected President and Secretary respectively of the Men's Athletic Association at elections held yesterday.

A total of 993 votes were cast in the all-College balloting for the Athletic Association offices.

Paul G. Menzie '40 and Sidney S. Altie '40, the other candidates for President polled 220 and 171 votes respectively.

The election rules for the offices state that should any candidate gain a majority of one vote over half the total votes cast, he shall assume office without run-off elections being held.

Froth Elects 1939-40 Board

Rubin '40, and Gittelsohn '40, Named Co-editors; Adler '40, Business Head

Samuel K. Rubin '40 and George Gittelsohn '40 were elected co-editors of Froth, College humor magazine, and Monroe A. Adler '40 was chosen business manager at staff elections held Sunday.

Others elected to the editorial staff were: William R. Neilson '42, managing editor; F. Richard Eilenberger '40, editor; Marjory L. Askwith '40, women's editor; and Fred C. Stewart '42 and Edward A. Wakeman '41, pictorial editors.

Art Board Named: All board members are A. Roswell Gilbert '42, Thomas J. L. Henson '42, and George W. Reinbold, Jr. '42.

The business board includes: Donald E. Wilson '40, circulation manager; Irwin R. Supow '40, advertising manager; Norman N. Lang '40, associate business manager; Shifra Kirchman '40, office manager; Janet A. Reese '40, recording secretary; and Sybil E. Ivles '40, corresponding secretary.

Others on the business board are: Connie E. Kahn '42, Fredrick H. Pottash '42, Henrietta A. Kauffman '42, Aileen M. Holz '42, Medora Wolbert '42, Lenore Goldberg '42, E. B. B. Margolin '42, William A. Grun '42, Jacob M. Shuberg '42, Frank W. Rabinowitz '42, Henry I. Levy '42, and Arthur H. Jaffe '42.

Business associates elected are: H. Jean Fox '41, Frances K. Baron '41, Harriet King '41, Eleanor Finnerberg '41, Estelle Magulies '41, Gertrude L. Hellmers '41, Bethé Long '41, Sidney Hausman '41, Eugene B. Kroopa '41, David E. Wegensoller, Jr. '41, Philip M. Ferman '41, and George Joseph '41.

To Further Democratic Student Government--Independents



HOWARD C. McWILLIAMS, All-College President (Independent); DAVID E. PERGRIN, '40 Class President (Independent)

Statement of the Independent Party to all Penn State students: WE OF THE INDEPENDENT PARTY, victorious in the first all-College elections in the history of Penn State, recognize the great responsibilities which have been bestowed upon us as the result of our victory.

Our fellow students, we are ever willing to leave ourselves open to suggestions which are constructive and beneficial to the majority of students. Our aim is to further the processes of democratic student government on the Penn State campus.

Complete Control! Landslide Gives Independents Cabinet Sway--IFC Stings Self

Thirteen of the 24 members who eventually will comprise the first All-College Cabinet under the new student government set-up have already been chosen, with another one—president of Men's Athletic Association—to be decided today.

School Council—Joseph C. Meyers, Chairman, Agricultural School Council—Donald G. Leich. Under the setup, senior representatives to the other school councils, as elected last week, will most likely become chairmen of their respective groups, thus taking seats in the Cabinet.

Five others—all chairmen of School Councils—have practically been decided with the election of senior representatives at the all-college elections last week.

The Independents also will probably have control of the representative from the Independent Student Association, which, under the Partition Student Tribunal for official recognition under the new constitution immediately following the inauguration of the All-College President.

Meanwhile, the large fraternities, which have held control of student government for countless years, dealt themselves another blow with the election of an Interfraternity Council president who is ineligible to take a seat in the Cabinet because of failure to qualify with the stipulated "1" average.

Besides the president of Men's Athletic Association and the IMA representative, other members of the Cabinet yet to be named are the chairman of the Board of Dramatics and Forensics, and a representative of non-society women. The Freshman Class president will not be elected until next December or January.

Representatives already assumed seats in the Cabinet: All-College President—Howard C. McWilliams; All-College Vice-President and Secretary—Saraabel Shinn; Senior Class President—David E. Pergrin.

Infirmary Will Hold Hospital Day Friday: All departments of the Infirmary will be opened to public inspection for National Hospital Day on Friday.

Mortar Board Taps: Included in the professional hall will be new members of Mortar Board, tapped at 6 a. m. Saturday, and announced with the new Cwens at the breakfast in Mac Hall at 7 15 a. m.

Departments Are Open For Public Inspection Tour: Visiting hours have been set from 1 30 to 4 30 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m. This day has been chosen because it is the anniversary of Florence Nightingale's birth.

May Day Program Set For Saturday

Approximately 185 Women To Participate; Metz To Be Crowned Queen

Approximately 185 women students, instead of the usual 40, will participate in this year's May Day exercises on front campus at 4 30 p. m. Saturday.

Senate Considers Bill For Exempting College Payment Of Bond Tax

HARRISBURG, May 8.—Approximately \$1,500,000 in bonds held by the Pennsylvania State College will be exempt from the personal property tax if the bill introduced by Sen. A. H. Letzler (R., Clearfield Centre) is passed by the State Legislature.

'42 Women Feel They'll Grow Up On Move-up Day

By VERA L. KEMP: Freshman women are about to grow up. At least that is the way they expect to feel after Move-up Day this Saturday, according to the conversations of several members of the class of '42.

President At Confab

President Ralph D. Hetzel attended the annual meetings of the American Council on Education in Washington, D. C., on Friday and Saturday. He went as a delegate from the Association of Land-Grant Colleges and Universities.

On Wednesday Dr. Hetzel was present at a dinner given in honor of the Pennsylvania members of Congress by the State Chamber of Commerce at the Mayflower Hotel.

Poll Names McNutt Best Presidential Possibility

Phillipine Commissioner Seen As Prospect In 1940 Race: By Student Opinion Surveys: AUSTIN, Texas, May 8.—American college youth have picked a new number one presidential possibility in their own poll, the Student Opinion Surveys of America.

Using the question, "If Roosevelt is not a candidate in 1940, whom would you like to see elected President?" interviewees for the Surveys queried a cross-section of the nation's collegiate population which included students of all ages, sex, study, geographical, and political groupings.



THOMAS C. BACKENSTOSE, '41 Class President (Independent)



JOHN J. LONG, '42 Class President (Campus)

3 Bids Still Need GSA Consideration

Six Equipment Contracts Total \$397,650.17; Factional Strife Delays Others

HARRISBURG, May 8.—Three contracts for fixed equipment for buildings at the Pennsylvania State College, totaling \$108,278.22, still awaiting approval of the General State Authority board here today as preparations were being made to launch installation of \$397,650.17 worth of other equipment, contracts for which were awarded Friday.

Legislators Study Bill To Include Secretary Of Mines As Trustee

HARRISBURG, May 8.—The House of Representatives was studying today a bill to give the State Secretary of Mines membership in the Pennsylvania State College Board of Trustees.

College Never Paid For Street Repairs

The College has not paid any money to borough authorities for street repairs according to records in the office of Neil Fleming, Graduate Manager of Athletics in charge of student funds.

Records Show Letzell Was Right In Charge Denial

The damaged intersection at Allen street and College avenue, is a part of the state highway system, and may be repaired by state funds if the state gives the borough permission to do the job, the College will probably be billed for its cost.

Burgess Letzell Says Borough Will Arrest Red Lantern Burglars

Borough authorities are preparing to take measures to capture one of their biggest current headaches—the purloiners of red lanterns. Over five dozen of the lanterns have been stolen during the last several months.

WCTU Also Ignorant Of Move Here

Students Would Have No Vote If Option Were Adopted

By WILLIAM E. FOWLER: Spiking rumors that beer may soon be ruled out of State College by local option, Burgess Wilbur F. Letzell yesterday denied the existence of any prohibition movement here.

"A petition must be presented to the borough council and filed in court before the question can appear on the September ballot," Letzell declared. "I've heard nothing of such a petition."

Local rumors that beer is on the way out, persistent for the past few months, appeared quashed as no evidence of such a movement could be uncovered in any quarter.

Talk of local option recalled the bitter beer referendum fight of November, 1925, when Collegian Editor Harry Henderson waged his struggle with local prohibition forces. Beer was retained in the borough by a very narrow margin.

Students Plan New Literary Magazine

A student-faculty literary magazine, as yet unnamed, will be published here next year if the necessary funds can be obtained.

The publication is being organized by 14 students and professors interested in English composition, who have been meeting weekly for the past six weeks to work on the project.

They are John A. Cornell '39, Helen L. Gamp, Walter P. Dickinson, Maren J. Dinstup, Sally H. Norris, and Rose B. Rubin '40, Jean C. Grogan, A. Boyd Harrier, and Jacob Hav. '41, Donald S. Williams '42, Robert E. Gilbreath, Theodore Roethke, William J. Gaskill, and Joseph J. Rubin instructors in English composition.

WSGA Makes New Freshman Rules

Will Forbid Association With Men For First 3 Weeks: Absolutely no association with men during the first three weeks of the college semester, is one revision in the W S G A's rules for next year's freshmen women as announced by Anne M. Borton '42, head of the Freshman Council.

Other changes at that freshmen may have three dates a week and a 1 o'clock, a 10 o'clock, and Sunday until 5 30 p. m., and that they may only associate with men on campus, not including the dormitories, until 5 30 p. m. on week days. After that time there will be absolutely no association with men.