

# Think Before You Vote Getting Acquainted

Citizens of the borough of State College will go to the polls today to take a stand on allowing movies to be shown on Sundays in this community.

Since several hundred of these citizens are Windcrest residents who are registered voters in Centre County, it is important that they see the issue in the light of student welfare. Townspeople too must look at the idea of Sunday movies objectively and not be swayed in their decision by speeches which attempt to cloud the issue.

Wednesday, Tom Lannen, All-College president, sent an open letter to the citizens of State College. The letter, which was published in the Centre Daily Times, pointed out that Sunday movies would provide recreation facilities "which are urgently needed with the expansion of our school." Lannen stated further that the showing of Sunday movies would greatly relieve the problem of insufficient recreation since there are large numbers of independent students both on and off the campus with no means of diversion on Sunday afternoons.

The problem of Sunday afternoon diversion, however, has been sidestepped by such organizations as the State College chapter of the W.C.T.U. The organization, set up supposedly to combat the use of drinking alcohol, is diligently soliciting all State College ministers urging them to fight Sunday movies from the pulpit.

The reason given is that "Sunday movies are in defiance of the Fourth Commandment, 'Remember the Sabbath Day to keep it holy'."

Yet the Arch-Deacon of the diocese of Harrisburg, John R. Leatherbury, Rector of the St. Luke's Episcopal Church recently said in a sermon in Altoona "there is no word in the Bible against entertainment on Sunday. I hope that my people will not be hypocrites. It is NOT a sin to go to Sunday movies or to have Sunday sports."

In a large paid advertisement in Friday's Collegian aimed at the veterans, "Your Comrade," Eugene H. Lederer spoke of honky tonks, gambling dens, and immoral sewers and intimated that Sunday movies would indirectly bring these "Hell-holes" into the community in place of the Churches.

Lederer, a World War I veteran and former burgess of State College, boasts of being a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion. Both of these organizations openly sell beer to members in their club houses on Sunday. Other community fraternal organizations display slot machines which can be operated seven days a week.

We suggest that Mr. Lederer and other "righteous" townspeople who insist that Sunday movies will turn State College into a "Hell-hole" think about the hypocrisy of their statements.

## College Calendar

All calendar items must be in the Daily Collegian office by 4:30 p.m. on the day preceding publication.

### Tuesday, Nov. 4

- POLLS Open, 7 a.m.
- LA VIE, Senior Board, 412 Old Main, 3:30 p.m. Art Staff, 223 Eng. "F," 7 p.m.
- WSGA House of Representatives, Second floor lounge, Old Main, 5 p.m.
- TAU Beta Pi, 107 Main Eng, 7:30 p.m.
- FROTH Junior Business candidates and board, 415 Old Main, 7 p.m. Junior editorial board, Froth office, 7 p.m.
- COLLEGIAN Editorial candidates, 1 CH, 6:45 p.m. Senior Editorial board, Editor's office 6:45 p.m. Ad and Business staff, 2 CH, 6:45 p.m. Ad and Business candidates, 8 CH, 6:45 p.m. Senior Business Board, Office, 5 p.m.
- BLUE Key, 409 Old Main, 7:15 p.m.
- MEN'S Bridge Club, 405 Old Main, 7:30 p.m.
- HOME Crafts class, 220 Home Ec, 7 p.m.
- FLYING Club, 418 Old Main, 7 p.m.
- PHI Mu Alpha, 200 CH, 8:30 p.m.
- STUDENT Union Committee, 8 Carnegie, 8 p.m.

### College Hospital

Admitted Friday: Harry W. Fillman, Leonard Weinstein, Shirley Marchalonis.  
 Discharged Friday: Ralph Fritts, James Beach, Richard McCandless, Shirley Marchalonis.  
 Admitted Saturday: John Finley, John Chuckran.  
 Discharged Saturday: Alan Benjamin, Daniel Reiber.  
 Admitted Sunday: Samuel Tamburo.  
 Discharged Sunday: John Chuckran.  
 Admitted Monday: Joseph Kress.  
 Discharged Monday: John Finley, Samuel Tamburo.

### At the Movies

Cathau—Welcome Stranger  
 State—Kiss of Death  
 Nittany—Captain Fury

### Placement Service

Shell Oil Company, Nov. 13, eighth semester men from Chem. E., Chem., Phy., Min. E., FT., EE., Met., Pet. & Nat. Gas, Geol. & Min.  
 Linde Air Products Company, Nov. 19 & 20, eighth semester men, Chem., Chem E., Phy.  
 Erie Railroad, Nov. 12 and 13, eighth semester men, CE., EE., ME.  
 Standard Oil Company, November 7, eighth semester men, CE., EE., ME., Pet. E., Chem. E., Bus. Ad (Acctg), Ind. Rel., C. & F., A. & L., Psy., San. E., Arch.  
 Arrangements for interviews should be made at once in 204 Old Main.

James Milholland has his work cut out for him. A segment of the student body received their first glimpse of the new acting president of the College Friday night at the pep rally on the steps of Old Main.

The difficulties which confront Mr. Milholland at the offset of his tenure of office are diversified and complex. He first has to adjust to the modern ways of campus life that prevail here now as compared to his undergraduate days. He then has to broaden his acquaintances so that they reach not only to the members of his administrative group, but to the growing list of faculty members as well as student leaders.

Along with the preliminary adjustments required for him to take his place as president of the College, he must delve into the countless problems which come before him in his job as chief administrator.

There is no doubt that Mr. Milholland is conscious of the tremendous responsibility which is his. He will undoubtedly rely on men like Messrs. Hostetter, Keller, Morse, Wyand, and Kenworthy for valuable assistance.

There is one phase of his job as president in which he can receive no assistance. It will be through his own efforts that he will be accepted by the student body. Perhaps Mr. Milholland's temporary status will prevent him from achieving this goal. We hope not, for a great deal of satisfaction can be derived from winning the respect and friendship of the undergraduates.

At the pep rally Friday Mr. Milholland's informal talk to the student body was a sincere effort to establish friendly relations. It was evident that his first try was successful.

It is hoped that the students will get to see a lot more of the president at future College functions. —LGF.

## Editor's Mailcall

### Passing the 'Buck'

TO THE EDITOR: At a house meeting recently we were informed that one of the hat societies was canvassing the fraternities and sororities for a \$5 donation to purchase a new lion mascot skin for next fall.

We find it difficult to understand why a fraternity man or a sorority woman is supposed to feel more pride in our mascot than the independent sitting beside us. Why not give everybody a chance to kick in on a new lion skin? Maybe somebody will feel hurt that they didn't get a chance to contribute.

We should also like to hear from someone in an official capacity at the College explaining just why the students have to buy band uniforms and things such as the proposed new lion. Is the College so poor that we can't afford it? We have seen more than capacity crowds at football games this fall. Are we still losing money on them?

We are getting fed up on having the bite put on us every time the College needs something. It's not the five clams we are griping about. We simply feel that if we have to underwrite part of the athletic needs of one of the largest schools in the country it's about time we make like the University of Chicago and drop out football, or give the students a larger voice in the athletic policy.

Name withheld

### Confused Coeds

TO THE EDITOR: We would appreciate your consideration of this letter in your next edition of The Collegian.

#### "Guilty?"

"Dirty Rushing!" Ever hear of it? It may mean anything from "twisting a right arm" to the great offense of "note slipping," which goes something like this, "Sorry we missed you, see you Tuesday at the house!" — or, even tell them the exact time. Who cares, it was still a note. Well, the Panhel Code vaguely said it was wrong—or did they say it was O.K.?

Perhaps many misunderstandings could and should have been avoided if the code were stated in a manner in which there could be one, and only one interpretation. We feel that this could eliminate a lot of "heartaches," "feudin' and a fussin'," "guilty" feelings, and the rest of those Groovology connotations.

The two misinformed victims of circumstances willingly "took it on the chin." Previously a third younger sorority undid all their wrong, yet still suffered. How about some justice? ? ? Maybe a revised code would do the trick!

W. M. R.  
 M. F. F.  
 L. M. D.

### 'Twasn't Nothing

TO THE EDITOR: Just a line from an "import" to thank dear Penn State for arranging such a scrumptious house-party weekend: perfect weather, swell Prom, triumph over West Virginia, good food, and plenty of friendly "hellos." Couldn't have been better. Tell me—how didja' do it!

Pat White

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### Who's the Culprit?

TO THE EDITOR: Some students on this campus insist on putting false notices on the already crowded bulletin board at the Student Union Office.

Occasionally, people are interested in the notice and upon inquiring find it to be a hoax.

I am conscious of two such acts committed by the same party, and I believe it would benefit the students if the responsible people would refrain from such practices.

—Name Withheld.

### Necessary Trip?

TO THE EDITOR: On behalf of the thousands of Penn Staters in this metropolitan section of southeastern Pennsylvania, we are writing to urge that arrangements be made for the Blue Band to come to Philadelphia on Friday, November 7, so that they can be with us for the smoker, as well as be at the Penn State-Temple game on that Saturday.

We were most surprised to learn there was any question about the Blue Band being with us for the Temple game. Great preparations are being made for the smoker and the game and the dance and our younger Alumnae and Alumni have been particularly helpful in setting up the program for that weekend. We feel that if the band and the authorities at the College can only appreciate how important it is for our fine band to be in Philadelphia, they will make the necessary arrangements for them to come.

It would certainly be publicity in reverse if this game is treated as unimportant and the many graduates and students and former students of the College have to be content without the Blue Band to add color and music to these occasions. Furthermore, Temple always took its band to the College when the game was played on Beaver Field and it would not seem proper handling for the Blue Band to be absent at this important game. The enthusiasm for Penn State's winning football team is mounting every week and we want to cooperate in having the Blue Band

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come to Philadelphia for the Temple game.

Our attention has been called to the fine letter in "The Daily Collegian" of October 22, in which Mickey Becket forcefully discusses this same matter. That letter states, additional reasons for the Blue Band to come to Philadelphia at that time.

We would say, in conclusion, that we consider the prestige of the College is at stake and we, in the Philadelphia district, are willing to cooperate in any way we can.

Hopefully yours,  
 Wilbur D. Benedict  
 Charles L. Alcorn  
 Ruth Kiesling  
 Laura Craig  
 Penn State Club of Philadelphia

## Management Society

A student chapter of the Society for the Advancement of Management, was organized Thursday at the College. The purpose of the society is to present the problems facing management today, and the solutions to those problems.

Officers elected at the meeting were John Householder, president; Larry Eberhart, vice-president; Fredrick Shaheen, vice-president, and Robert Boedecker, secretary-treasurer. Prof. David Bauer was named faculty advisor and Prof. Clifton A. Anderson, chapter coordinator.

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