

A Better Understanding

The oldtimers say that there has always been some friction between the student body and the town merchants. Perhaps, after all these years of "feuding," the time has come for both groups to realize that nothing can be gained from standing on your own side of the fence and shouting names at the other side. This approach affords some semblance of satisfaction, but does very little in the way of settling the problems at hand.

State College now has a well organized Commerce Club which is extremely active for a community of its size. Most of the merchants in town belong to the retail division of the club. Regular meetings are held, and many of the issues which affect the students in their role of the buying public are discussed.

On campus, the most representative group is All-College Cabinet. All of the big problems and many of the smaller ones which confront undergraduates are aired at the weekly meetings.

It would be a wise move if the all-college president made arrangements with the Commerce Club to exchange representatives at all regular meetings of both groups. According to Colonel Guy Mills, Commerce Club president, the town group would be receptive to the exchange.

Both of these factions stand to benefit. Better understanding is almost a certainty. Closer co-

operation on the part of two of the primary groups in this community will help to alleviate the friction that prevails. A lack of understanding has been apparent in many instances in the past; the prospects for the future are brighter.

This does not mean that closer relations with the merchants would reduce the students' desire for a co-op or a student union . . . rather it would pave the way for an amicable settlement of the smaller problems. Perhaps if enough of the smaller issues were agreed upon, those of a larger magnitude would seem less insurmountable or disappear altogether.

This meeting of minds will eventually lead to the betterment of the college community . . . which in turn means a better Penn State.—LGF

Editor's Mailcall

Sophomore Class Agenda

TO THE EDITOR: On Tuesday, January 13, the Sophomore Class will meet at 7:30 p.m. in 121 Sparks Building.

Following is the proposed agenda for the meeting:

REPORT OF OFFICERS:

Committee appointments
The Co-op plans
Interclass Finance setup
Class Funds

Second Semester Registration.

OLD BUSINESS:

Report from Dance Committee

NEW BUSINESS:

Explanation of USNSA, PRUSNSA

Yearbook payment plan.

—Ted Allen,
Sophomore Class President

\$66,453.59 for What?

TO THE EDITOR: Sixty-six thousand, four hundred fifty-three dollars, fifty-nine cents were added to the treasury of the Athletic Association this year which, if Penn State hadn't had an exceptional football team, would never have been collected. Did it cost so much to take our football squad (and those other people who just had to go at school's expense) that, forgetting about the Blue Band for the present, only one cheerleader and NO "Lion" could be sent?

Remembering the estimated cost of sending over eighty musicians and instruments to the New Year's Day Classic at Dallas as being twelve thousand dollars, I wonder if the expenses actually incurred could possibly have been any more than three times that amount? If legitimate expenses did not exceed that amount, there is still a handsome sum to be used for the benefit of the school.

In the very first issue of the Collegian since vacation someone was crying about not being able to get enough money for a new "Lion" suit. It seems to me that five hundred dollars would be a small amount deducted from the profit of the Bowl game.

Glass backboards in Rec Hall would give many more basketball fans an opportunity to see an entire game of basketball. These could also, I believe, be obtained at a reasonable price. My two suggestions are just a few of undoubtedly many more.

If the Athletic Association can't see its way clear to obtain two such small items, because the expenses of the Dallas trip were too high, I (and I'm sure there are many others) should like to see an itemized list of the trip expenses published. If there are other reasons why the money should not be used in such a way, I would like to know just what this Cotton Bowl profit will be used for.

—Taylor M. Potter

College Calendar

Tuesday, January 13

ARTISTS' Course, Schwab, 8 p.m.

INTERCOLLEGIATE Conference on Government meeting, 124 Sparks, 3 p.m.

MARINE Volunteer Reserve Unit, 200 EE, 7:30 p.m.

NEWMAN Club, Discussion Group, 102 Temp, 7 p.m.

FIRST Aid Group, 17 Frear, 8:30 p.m.

PSI Chi, 204 Burrows, 7:30 p.m.

RESERVE Officers, 3 CH, 7 p.m.

STUDENT Red Cross Group, 409 Old Main, 8 p.m.

AVC, 405 Old Main, 7 p.m.

ROD and Caucus, 206 Patterson, 7:30 p.m.

PRE-MED Society, 316 Frear, 7 p.m.

BLUE Key, 415 Old Main, 7 p.m.

ASCE, 219 EE, 7:30 p.m.

DELTA Epsilon Pi, 3 EE, 7 p.m.

INDUSTRIAL Education Society, 204 Eng B, 7:30 p.m.

BELLES Lettres Club, NE Lounge, Ather-ton, 7 p.m.

RELIGION-in-Life Campus Committee, 304 Old Main, 8:30 p.m.

COLLEGIAN Editorial candidates and Sophomore Board, 8 CH; Business Candidates, 1 CH; Sophomore and Junior Business Staffs, 2 CH, 8:45 p.m.

PENN State Flying Club, 416 Old Main, 7 p.m.

At the Movies

Catham—My Wild Irish Rose.

State—The Exile.

Nittany—The Great Waltz.

Placement Service

Equitable Life Insurance, January 19, eighth semester men, C&F, A&L.

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, January 16, eighth semester men, C&F, A&L.

Carnation Company, January 20, eighth semester men, CE, EE, ME, C&F, San Eng.

Arrangements for interviews should be made at once in 204 Old Main.

CLASSIFIED SECTION

All classified advertisements must be in by 4:30 p.m. day preceding issue. Prices are: 40c for one insertion; \$1.00, three insertions; 17 words or less. Call Collegian, 711.

FOR SALE

26-ft. TRAILER (insulated) with electric refrigerator, bottled-gas, all equipment and furniture, \$750. Call 2981 before 5 p.m.

NEW Underwood portable typewriter, Champion model. Call State College 2242.

ONE 16-ft. house trailer; occupancy end of semester. Call at 351 Windcrest.

AIR Corps flight jackets. Fur collar, wool lined, new, all sizes, \$12. Call Wilker 3925.

NEW Army cold-weather, fur-trimmed parka with white outer ski-parka, medium, \$10. Call 2416, Herb Kean, after 7 p.m.

CUSTOM-BUILT white pearl drum set by Leedy. Snare, bass and two toms. Jim Eaton 3359.

TWO TUXEDOS, silk vests. Sizes 36, 37. Reasonable price. Good condition. Phone Chuck 2486.

HOUSE Trailer, available at end of semester. Contact W. J. Rich, 708 Windcrest.

ONE PAIR Army surplus skis, new bindings and ski shoes — 9½. Reasonable. Call 830, George.

CAR HEATER for sale \$12, practically new. Call at apartment 44, 111 S. Allen after 5 p.m.

1937 2-door Oldsmobile, new rings, good rubber, fair body. Reasonable price. 310 Windcrest after 5 p.m.

LOST

FRIDAY night in vicinity of E. Beaver avenue, one pair of yellow pigskin dress gloves, lined. Call Hepler 851.

GONE but not forgotten: Light-weight zelan jacket, slightly dirty but has sentimental value. Call Mike Deckman 3997, Dorm 28, Room 22.

SMALL black and brown terrier, age 6 months, answers to "Rex." Call Mary Carson 2593.

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WILL exchange Hilli Bros. brown coat for Heinz Company, Scranton tailored coat picked up by mistake in Corner Room between 4 and 5 Thursday, January 8. Call Mary 4926.

LOST—before vacation, Dietzgen log-log Decitrig slide rule with brown leather case. Contact Thomas Miller, Room 27, Dorm 12, Pollock Circle.

WANTED

LIVE-WIRE student salesman to represent personalized beer mug manufacturer on campus. Contact Casey and Blake, 37 No. Mountain avenue, Montclair, N. J., immediately.

MISCELLANEOUS

FURNISHED room, private bath, private entrance, near Boalsburg, \$40 month. Call Boalsburg 3045.

GET your typing done reasonably. Manuscripts, theses, etc. Call State College, 2864 after 6:30 p.m.

TYPING of all kinds done by experienced secretary with AB in English on '47 Remington Standard. Call 4150.

CHORES at rooming house, for room, second semester. No firing. Call CR, dial 4850.

FRUIT punch (\$1.50 or \$2 per gallon), canapes (60c per dozen), sandwiches of all sizes, filled and iced cookies (40c per dozen), birthday cakes and other cakes. Frida Stern, 122 Irvin Ave. Phone 4818, State College.

Film Club Shows Foreign Movies

The International Film Club is presenting two movies of foreign production in the local theaters this week and next. The films are being shown in co-operation with Warner Brothers' Theaters and the modern language department of the College.

The first movie, "The Stone Flower," will be shown in the State Theater on Wednesday, January 14, and Thursday, January 15, at the theater's regularly scheduled times. "The Stone Flower" is a Russian movie, produced in that country. The story involves a fairy-tale plot and is filmed in Russian color.

The second film, entitled "The Shape of Things to Come," will be shown January 28 and 29. This movie was first produced in England in 1935, and is based on a book of the same title by H. G. Wells. It has become one of Britain's most famous movie productions. Leading actors are Alexander Korda, Raymond Massey, and Ralph Richardson.

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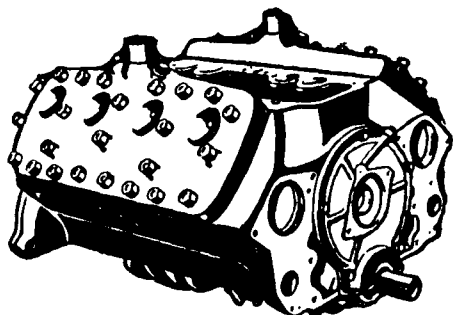
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—ENDS TODAY—

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS, JR.

in "THE EXILE"