

Late AP News

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More Communist Claims

PRAGUE—The Communists claim that they have captured the Social Democratic Party, the group that has been holding the balance of power in faction-ridden Czechoslovakia. A Communist newspaper sound truck blared out the news that former Premier Fierlinger had been restored as leader of the Social Democrats. Fierlinger was ousted from the party leadership last November when he insisted on continuing an alliance with the Communists.

Columbia Asks Debate

LAKE SUCCESS—Columbia has asked the United Nations Security Council to consider calling a special U-N Assembly to reconsider the Palestine partition plan. The United States has declared its opposition to such a move and its standing on its recommendation made earlier than the Big Five powers meet in a diplomatic move for peace in the Holy Land.

Democrats Split

WASHINGTON—Southern Democratic leaders, who are up in arms about Truman's civil rights program, expressed their opposition to Mr. Truman's nomination for a full term. Senator John McClellan of Arkansas said he thinks the President, by his stand on civil rights, has thrown away his chances of being elected.

Marshall Plan Attacked

WASHINGTON—Henry Wallace, speaking on the Marshall Plan before the House Foreign Affairs Committee, claimed that big bankers, monopolists, and militarists have turned the plan into a "blueprint for war."

Senate Extends Control

WASHINGTON—The Senate has passed a bill continuing rent control in a somewhat altered form for another 14 months after present controls expire Sunday.

Red Cross Supply Drive On Campus Ends Today

Aid for overseas students is the object of the campus unit, American Red Cross, in a campaign which ends today. The drive to collect notebooks, pencils, paper and all types of school supplies has been going on at the college campuses throughout the nation.

Frank Tidona, student chairman of the campus unit, has asked that all fraternities, independent houses, dormitories, and sorority houses have their contributions ready. Members of the Blue Key and Parma Nons will collect them.

Central Government Powers Decreasing, Says Livengood

Bureaucracy Wanes

Government trends in Pennsylvania and the nation are away from centralization, with more emphasis being placed on county and municipal control, William S. Livengood, Jr., secretary of internal affairs of the Commonwealth, said Tuesday night in inaugurating the Liberal Arts Lecture Series.

The move away from bureaucracy and concentration of authority is a healthy one, he emphasized. It means economy, rather than inefficiency, he said, since it puts governmental spending closer to the voter.

Like a nation half slave and half free, he said, "we cannot exist half a republic and half a socialistic bureaucracy."

"Where are we going to draw the line on those to whom we give power who are not answerable to the people?" he asked.

"The governor of Pennsylvania has more power . . . than any one man can effectively administer," he said in citing the Phila-

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Debate Team Meets Bucknell

Men's Debate will participate in a dual symposium with Bucknell tonight.

One team will travel to Bucknell to compete and another will be host to the visiting squad in 316 Sparks at 7:30 o'clock.

A symposium is not a debate, but a discussion group organized with a definite order of speaking and a presiding chairman, according to Richard Hill, manager. It is new to most colleges and will be the College squad's first entrance in this type of competition.

The topic will be "What should be done to insure peace in the world?" Each speaker may take any position, but must develop his thoughts originally and interestingly. He must also maintain a cooperative attitude, Hill said.

George R. Drumm, John H. Kelly, and Albert Sitter will represent Men's Debate on the campus. Samuel E. Neely, a student debater, will serve as chairman.

The team traveling to compete at Bucknell will be Royce W. Nix, James M. Richards, and Stanton F. Roth.

Rev. Stoner Leads Religious Seminar

"Finding Time for Faith" will be the seminar discussion led by Mildred Winston and Rev. James Stoner, 304 Old Main, 11 o'clock this morning, as part of Religion-in-Life Week.

Seminars are not lectures, Dorothy Park, seminar co-chairman, emphasized, but discussion periods in which students take part.

Other seminars scheduled for today are "Life's Lost Dimension," led by Rev. Robert James, 304 Old Main, 4:10 o'clock, and "Ingredients for a World Mind," with Dr. Herrick Young and Prof. S. K. Patro, Atherton Lounge, 4:10 o'clock.

"Religion and Its Present Day Rivals" will be the Town Meeting topic discussed by Rev. Robert James, Muriel Jacobson, Rev. J. Maurice Trimmer and Dr. Herrick Young, with James Stoner as moderator, 10 Sparks, 8 o'clock tonight.

Devotional services and breakfasts will be held at Westminster and Wesley Foundations 7 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Official Favors Counties

"It takes five mistakes to get poor administration at the county level as long as we maintain our system of direct election," Mr. Livengood said in response to the questions of students and faculty members following his address Tuesday night.

"If you stop electing all but an administrative head for the county, it only takes one."

Asked if he did not agree with the streamlining of county government proposed by political scientists, the internal affairs secretary said, "You must remember that all those things sound good in theory, but they don't work out in practice."

"I hate to quote statistics," he said, then quoted some to show that administration of relief in the state cost 400 percent more in 1938, a high employment year, than in 1932, at the depth of the depression.

He attributed the paradoxical jump to the centralization of relief administration from county to state levels.

'Glockenspiel' French Gets Sinking Feeling

Ben French, paternal guardian of Phineas T. Glockenspiel, claims to be the only man in this vicinity to own a subterranean bed.

Indulging in a bit of "heavy" reading (The Daily Collegian), French and Marty Brill, Froth photographer, relaxed on the corner of French's uncomfortable couch. Suddenly a crash! A sickening sinking sensation! Could be an earthquake in Pollock Circle? Mutiny? TNT?

"Naw," explained the janitor, "We've had lots of beds fall through floors out hyar in the Circle."

"Something's rotten in the state of Boy's Town," murmured Glosky, as he was evicted for the night.

Circle Residents Choose Officers

New officers were elected last week by residents of Pollock Circle dormitories.

Results of the election appear below.

Dorm 1—Frank W. Tuppeny, president; George R. Williges, vice-president; Seymour F. Kuvit, secretary; and William H. Phillips, treasurer.

Dorm 2—Robert E. Hoyer, president; John T. Biggers, vice-president; Clark M. Sherwood, secretary; and Draper Williams, treasurer.

Dorm 3—Donald W. Mitchell, president; Louis W. Davis, vice-president; Jack F. Crowe, secretary; and Pius L. Dillon, treasurer.

Dorm 4—William B. Reed, president; Roderick R. Gaetz, vice-president; George A. Armstrong, secretary; and George W. Dodson, treasurer.

Dorm 5—James E. Richards, president; Martin H. Brill, vice-president; Albert A. Rapoport, secretary; and John F. Ewers, treasurer.

Dorm 6—Harry C. Dunegan, president; Dominick J. Abrunzo, vice-president; Gordon L. Morgret, secretary; and Leon W. Cottrell, treasurer.

Dorm 7—Donald D. Faust, president; Walter F. Gard, vice-president; Bernard P. Miller, secretary; and Al Krieg, treasurer.

Dorm 8—Leon Flaxgold, president; Joseph Durniak, vice-president; Spencer E. Boyer, secretary; and Robert F. Schmieder, treasurer.

Dorm 9—Leo H. Skellchock, president; Edward P. Lasko, vice-president; Joseph A. Grebnardt, secretary; and George M. Zaharis, treasurer.

Dorm 10—Myron S. Freed, president; Eugene J. Kashmar, vice-president; and Marvin L. Thall, secretary-treasurer.

Dorm 11—Richard M. Hall, president; Ned C. Master, vice-president; Joseph Johns, secretary; and David Shapiro, treasurer.

Earlier results from Dorms 4, 6 and 14 were announced in the Collegian last week. Election returns on selections to the Pollock Circle Council will appear later this week.

Ag Council Elects Cease, Extends Library Hours

Philip H. Cease was elected president of the Ag Student Council at a recent meeting. Other newly-elected officers include Donald Seipt, vice-president; Robert D. Four, treasurer; and Maria Hughes, secretary.

Plans were also formulated on keeping the Agricultural Library open between the hours of 5 and 7 p.m.

Noted Author Speaks Monday

Bruce Marshall, Scottish writer whose latest novel was a Book-of-the-Month selection, will speak at Schwab Auditorium, Monday. "Conduct and the Atom Bomb" is the title of Marshall's talk, sponsored by the Newman Club.

There will be no admission charge for the lecture. It is open to townspeople as well as to students and faculty.

"Vespers in Vienna," which was published in August, 1947, is the name of the book club choice. The novel was on the best seller lists both in the United States and in England.

One of the best-liked novels in 1931, "Father Malachy's Miracle," won for Bruce Marshall a wide following in the United States. In dramatic form it became a success on Broadway and in London.

Two of Marshall's other novels added new height to his stature. These were "The World, the Flesh and Father Smith" and "Yellow Tapers for Paris." His writing is characterized by a deep tenderness and an unflinching insight into the minds of man.

TUB Snack Bar Adds Sandwiches

Sandwiches and ice cream have been added to the TUB menu, George Donovan, Student Union manager reported yesterday. Twelve physical education students are presently compiling a schedule of chess, table tennis, and bridge instructions and tournaments to be announced at a later date, he said.

Donovan estimated the capacity of the dance floor at 275 couples on the basis of the Forestry Ball turnout. Although the hall is available for any all-College dances, he asked that groups would seek TUB facilities only when Recreation Hall was in use. When a paid admission dance is held, he explained, the game room must be converted to a checking room and this cuts into the entertainment of those not attending the dance.

A cigarette machine has been installed, and green draperies, when pressed, will be hung around the dance floor. The TUB administration toyed with the idea of installing a public address system as a substitute for the nickerdeon. The plan was dropped, however, because of the complexity of the required machinery.

News Briefs

Forestry Society

The Forestry Society elected the following officers at a recent meeting: Heinz Heineman, president; Alan Schmidt, vice-president; Stanley Stankevich, treasurer; George Kern, recording secretary; Russell Hutnik, corresponding secretary; and Joseph Owens, athletic manager. George Armstrong, John Middleton, Edmund Geary, and J. Theodore Jensen will act as forestry representatives on the Ag Student Council.

Wednesday Readings

Arthur R. Warnock, dean of men, will give the third in the 16th series of Wednesday Readings in 105 Central Library, 4:15 o'clock today. He will read "Favorite Paragraphs."

Chess Club

Chess Club will meet in 7 Sparks, 7 o'clock tonight to elect new officers. All members are urged to attend.

New Association Of Independents To Replace ISC

ISC, Troxell Group Drafting Constitution

Association of Independent Men (AIM) and Association of Independent Women (AIW) are to be the names of the two independent groups being set up to replace ISC.

The new groups will be entirely new associations not connected with the old IMA and IWA.

Several sections of the AIM constitution were outlined by ISC and the committee to revise the All-College constitution, headed by Robert Troxell, All-College vice-president.

The AIW constitution will parallel that of the men.

The AIM will be governed by a Council made up of "representatives from dormitories on campus and specified districts in town." The exact number of delegates will be worked out at a later meeting.

The constitutional group will divide the town into districts with as nearly equal student population as possible. This will mean ascertaining where each independent man lives.

At the next meeting of the ISC and Troxell's committee next Wednesday, a draft constitution will be presented. Troxell, Frank Tidona, ISC president, and Harold E. Brown, All-College parliamentarian, will prepare the rough draft.

The change in independent representation was necessitated by the fact that many independent men were not represented on All-College Cabinet. The new groups will take the seats on Cabinet now held by ISC.

When the AIM-AIW constitutions are adopted an amendment to the All-College charter will be necessary to replace ISC.

Bursar Sets Monday As Receipt Deadline

Veterans are reminded to submit book and supply receipts to the bursar's office before 4:30 p.m. Monday.

Those submitting receipts after the deadline will not be paid March 15, but on the fifteenth of each succeeding month.

Charles F. Mattern, co-ordinator of veterans affairs, urges accuracy to be used in filling out the receipts. Inaccuracy and incompleteness will necessitate notifying concerned persons to make corrections, thus delaying receipt of checks.

Ag Student Forum

Professor S. K. Patro of India will address the Ag Student Forum in 109 Ag, 8 o'clock tonight. His subject will be "Agriculture in India." Professor Patro who has taught in India for many years, is at present studying for his doctor's degree in international relations at the University of Chicago.

Book Displays

Book exhibits, sponsored by the Religion-in-Life Week Committee, are now on display in the PSCA office, 304 Old Main, and on the second floor and lobby of the College Library. Anyone who wishes to buy any of the book on display may purchase them at the TUB from 10 to 5 o'clock today and tomorrow.

Telegraphics

All coeds interested in participating in Telegraphic Swimming meets are urged to contact Miss Marion Whallon, White Hall, concerning practice hours.