

To Choose a President—

Who will choose the next president of Penn State? At the last meeting of the Board of Trustees it was decided that members of the Board themselves are most qualified to select a president. Consequently James Milholland, acting president of the College and chairman of the Board, was given the authority to choose a committee composed of Trustees which will undertake the tremendously important task of selecting a president.

On first examination it seems obvious that the men best qualified to choose the president of a college or university would be in the group which guides the destinies of the institution.

But what is the composition of the Board of Trustees? It is made up of appointees of the governor, Penn State graduates elected by the Alumni Association, and delegates elected from agricultural and industrial societies.

According to acting-president Milholland, "The Trustees are aware of the Commonwealth's growing need for the unique educational services of its Land-Grant College."

Educational services are supplied mostly by members of the faculty.

Therefore, it would seem logical that several of the outstanding educators on campus should be members of the committee to seek and study the qualifications of Penn State's next president.

Cooperation between faculty and administration in the governing of an educational institution is not something new.

Ten years ago the four municipal colleges in New York City began an important experiment in democratic government that startled the traditional members of the academic world. Provision was made for an elected faculty council which acted on such things as new faculty appointments, promotions and budgetary matters.

Dr. Ordway Tead, noted educator, recently stated that the democratic approach has improved the relationship between the faculty and the administration and is carried on in the interests of better education.

The ultimate challenge, Dr. Tead observed, is to support and protect the teaching profession, provide the stimulus of enthusiastic leadership and clarify the advancing objectives of education. This result is more likely to be attained where a democratic approach prevails than under the older pattern, where a gulf exists between the faculty and the administration.

As late-president Ralph D. Hetzel once pointed out, the College is made up of three groups, the students, the faculty, and the administration, all of which must work together for the best interests of the College.

Students are a transitory group and therefore should have little or no voice in the selection of the next president, while it is obvious that the faculty should have a voice if the man selected is to be an educational as well as an administrative leader.

CALENDAR

Thursday, April 8
 INTERNATIONAL Relations Club, NW Lounge, Atherton Hall, 7:15 p.m.
 PSCA Cabinet, 304 Old Main, 6:30 p.m.
 PRE-VETERINARY Club, 119 Osmond Laboratory, 7:30 p.m.
 SIGMA Alpha Eta, 309 Sparks, 8 p.m.
 BIBLE Fellowship, 210 Main Eng. 4:10 and 7 p.m.
 HORT Club, 100 Hort, 7 p.m.
 FROTH Sophomore Editorial Board and candidates, 111 CH, 7 p.m.
 Junior Editorial Board, 111 CH, 7:30 p.m.
 LION Party, public relations committee, 416 Old Main, 7 p.m.
 STUDENTS for Eisenhower, 3 CH, 7:30 p.m.
 BOWLING Club business meeting, WH, 6:30 p.m.
 KAPPA Phi Cabinet, Wesley Foundation, 6:30 p.m.
 HAT Society Council, 409 Old Main, 7 p.m.
 PARMY News, 410 Old Main, 8 p.m.
 WRA Field Hockey, Holmes Field, 4 p.m.
 CLOVER Club, 103 Ag, 7 p.m.
 At the Movies
 CATHAUM — Call Northside 777.

NITTANY—Romance of Rosy Ridge.
 STATE—Sign of the Ram.

College Hospital
 Admitted Tuesday: Donald Baldwin, William Hollenbach, Abraham Kleiner, Avis Kresin, Marilyn Marcus.

Admitted Wednesday: Leta Oblinger, George Rosenkranz.

Discharged Wednesday: Robert Baker, Richard Barnhart, Gloria Bittner, Sonia Coyne, Irving Effross, Warren Fetteroff, Marvin Goldenberg, Donald Jucena, Evelyn Smith, Robert Thompson.

Placement Service
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 International Telephone & Telegraph Corp.
 General Motors Corporation, April 14 and 15. Eighth semester men in ME, EE, IE, Metallurgy, and Accounting. Two Chem Engineers—Lab control and manufacturing in Electroplating field. M.S. or Ph.D. Physicists.
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14, 15, 16. Eighth semester men in IE.
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