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Still Fighting

WANTED

BARBER SHOP LOCATION for two first-class barbers who wish to open a non-discriminatory shop. Have \$1800 capital and many years of experience. Call Ellen Stanley, secretary of CORE.

Yes, that's right. All the Council on Racial Equality needs today is a location and the non-discriminatory barber shop would cease to be an idea and become a reality.

CORE is not a new organization on campus; in fact, unless some new blood is pumped into its veins in the form of workers and fighters for religious and racial equality, CORE will cease to exist. The Council has been working for three years to establish the shop which would be open to all men.

CORE's history reads like the bottom of a plate of alphabet soup. AVC (American Veterans Committee) and PSCA (Penn State Christian Association) originated the Council to fight prejudice based on race, religion and color.

Last year, the group decided, when all efforts had failed to persuade the local barbers to cut Negroes' hair, to sell haircut tickets worth their face value in a non-discriminatory shop.

After collecting \$1800, the Council members took the money to the local barbers to prove that the shops in State College would not lose money if they ran a non-discriminatory shop. But the barbers still refused to admit Negroes and the only alternative left was that of establishing a new barber shop in State College.

While CORE was negotiating for barbers, NAACP (National Association for the Advancement of Colored People) decided to take the direct-action method of opening the shops and began a campus-wide boycott. Although this boycott and picketing had some effect on the barbers' business, a combination of factors terminated the action before it could bring results.

Now CORE is ready to open "a first-class barber shop in which all Americans can get haircuts" as Professor Harold Graves, CORE chairman, put it, but there is no location available.

CORE has not given up the fight against discrimination, but it needs help in the battle—your help. If you're against discrimination and want to do something to lick this evil right here in State College, call Ellen Stanley at 6711-177 or Dr. Graves in 200 Sparks and help form the corps of the fighting CORE.

—Elliot Krane.

Edit Brief

● Looking back to other big weekends, we find that in 1941, the IFC more or less encouraged the now strongly practiced custom of importing. They did this by a contest whereby prospective imports had to write an "essay" of 25 words or less why they would want to come to Penn State for the IFC ball.

The prizes offered for the best "reason" were free transportation by rail, bus, or automobile from the winner's home to the College, plus a complimentary invitation to the IFC ball.

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Tongue-lashing



Non-Partisans Do Count

About this time every spring, stirrings of the campus political cliques prompt editorial writers to exhort all their fellow students to assume an active interest in the forthcoming all-College elections.

But a sense of futility pervades the haunts of the Independent (by Independent we do not mean non-Greek, but non-party-affiliate) Voter. This what's-the-use-the-machine-elects-the-winner-anyway school blissfully ignores its own power and importance.

IF ONE PARTY BUILDS up a stronger machine than the other, it naturally will sweep the election—unless the free and independent voter, making his decision on personal qualifications rather than party tag, swings the balance in favor of certain contenders on the "weaker" slate.

Now probably most of the nominees are fairly capable, but the independent voter can force the cliques to present even more competent persons for all offices, by demonstrating their intention to vote intelligently and with discernment.

An opening wedge was made available last fall to aid non-partisan voters who desire to split their votes for president and vice-president. This tool should compel cliques to propose good candidates for both posts, if it is employed whenever necessary.

TRUE TO ITS TRADITION, as befitting to a monopoly newspaper interested in the election of the best possible officers, the Daily Collegian will not engage in partisan support or opposition to clique slates or platforms.

However, we shall find it within our province to make observations on the qualifications and past performances of individual candidates (honestly and objectively, without any trace of malice or muckraking).

Similarly it may be deemed desirable to criticize individual planks in the platform of either or both cliques. Again our viewpoints will be non-partisan, based on the best interests of the College.

Finally, the worth and importance of student government can scarcely be over-emphasized. Its value to the individual can be directly measured by his participation.

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Wednesday, March 23

NEWMAN Club Discussion Group, Church Rectory, 7 p.m.

PENN STATE Bible Fellowship, 417 Old Main, 4 p.m.

COLLEGIAN Editorial Candidates, 8 CH, 7:30 p.m.

WRA Badminton, WH gym, 6:15 p.m.

WRA Bowling (Beginners), 6:30 p.m.

WRA Modern Dance, WH, 7 p.m.

MODERN Dance Concert Group, WH, 8 p.m.

COLLEGE PLACEMENT

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

Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., March 24 and 25, June grads in Chem Eng, ME, EE, and IE. Need for Chemical Engineers lies chiefly in the fields of product and process development. The majority of mechanical, electrical and industrial engineers will be needed in the field of production management. A few men will be required for plant engineering, machine design, and product development.

Lukens Steel Co., March 25, June grads in ME, EE, and Metallurgy.

Harrison Construction Co., located at Pittsburgh and Maryville, Tenn., March 24, June grads in CE for either Pittsburgh or Knoxville vicinities, and would be associated with engineering as it pertains to construction.

Dr. Paul E. Williams, representing General Fireproofing Co., Youngstown Sheet and Tube Co., and Timken Roller Bearing Co., March 28 and 29, June grads in IE, ME, AL, CF, Met, ChE, and Accounting.

Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., Inc., March 28 and 29, June grads in ChE, Phys, Chem, PNG for foreign service only, and Ph.D. in Phys and Chem.

Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Co., March 28, June grads with B.S. and M.S. degrees in ME, ChE, also EE in upper third of class more interested in general engineering than in strictly EE.

Pennsylvania State Civil Service Commission has just announced examinations for the position of senior visitor in the department of Public Assistance. Applications must be submitted by March 31.

YMCA, March 24, to confer with senior students interested in YMCA as a career. The evening will begin with a complimentary dinner at St. Paul's Methodist church. All interested in attending are asked to notify the Christian Association by 5 p.m. on March 21.

Atlantic Refining Co., March 29 and 30, June grads in ChE and Chem. They will also see a few juniors in Chem and ChE or graduate students in Chem who have a 2.0 average or better and would be interested in summer work.

Eli Lilly and Co., March 29 and 30, June grads with bachelor or advanced degrees in Chem, Ag and Bio Chem, Bact, ME, ChE, and Ind Eng.

Army Security Agency, March 28, June grads with B.S., M.S. or Ph.D. in EE (communications). Also math majors for positions as research analysts.

Long Island Lighting Co., March 31, June grads in EE.

Corps of Engineers, March 31 and April 1, June grads in Arch Eng, EE, ME, and CE.

Bell System, March 30, 31, and April 1, June grads with 1.5 averages or better. Bell Telephone Co. of Pa., EE and a few IE grads for engineering planning and or technical operations. Bell Telephone Laboratories, EE grads with 2.0 or better and graduate degree candidates in EE, Phy, and Chem. Although Western Electric Co. will have no employment requirements, their representative will be glad to answer any questions regarding their organization.

EBASCO Services, Inc., March 30 and 31, June grads in ME, CE, and EE, for initial positions in their design and drafting department.

Procter & Gamble Co. will receive applications from sixth semester men from ME, IE, and Chem Eng for summer employment.

AT THE MOVIES

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STATE—Chicken Every Sunday.

NITTANY—The Search.

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