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Rides For Voters

The Penn State Christian association is sponsoring a transportation pool which should be of considerable aid to those wishing to vote in the congressional elections Tuesday. Main objective of the plan is to get student voters with transportation together with those who lack means of getting to the home town polls.

HERE IS A GOOD solution to a problem which plagues politically conscientious Penn State students. Since no school time is allotted so that students may vote, it is fortunate that we have this plan whereby voters need cut only a minimum of classes.

Only one thing is necessary for success of the "election rides" program—cooperation of those who have made plans to vote. Students can register at the Student Union or in 304 Old Main.

This is one demonstration of genuine interest in the plight of a considerable number of voters. Past student efforts to induce the administration to grant a voting holiday have failed. In years of heavy veteran enrollment, the College did accept signed excuses procured from local elections board officials.

STUDENT ABSENTEE balloting has been suggested as a solution. Ohio has such a provision in its election code. The National Student association, of which Penn State students are members, has shown interest in the problem.

All-College Cabinet in past years made extensive studies of the problem and proposed solutions. It would be to the advantage of all if cabinet would now—in anticipation of a similar problem next year—again look into the matter.

— John Ashbrook

Friendly Relations

The offer of several Boston college students to find rooms for traveling Penn Staters this weekend is an excellent example of the friendly relations which can be fostered between schools that are rivals on the gridiron.

WHEN BOSTON COLLEGE played here last year, a number of fraternities in town won themselves the friendship of a whole group of tired travellers from Boston. The fraternities not only found rooms for the group but they also included the Bostonians in their entertainment program for the weekend.

The fine impression of Penn State formed by these Boston college students has not been forgotten, as evidenced by their recent offer.

We think this example could well be a cue for similar relations with other schools on the football schedule.

— Herbert Stein

Safety Valve . . .

Permanent Memorial

TO THE EDITOR: Hort Woods has been temporarily saved from the piece-meal removal of trees for parking space. In view of a likely recurrence of the threat of removal the Dendrologic Committee (formed in 1947 to promote an interest in trees) would like to go on record as favoring legislation TO PERMANENTLY SET ASIDE AND MANAGE Hort woods as a memorial woods and nature preserve.

— R. C. Czapiewski

The Bleak Life

TO THE EDITOR: Having read Howard Miller's letter concerning the "bleak and demoralizing" effect of army life, I rather thought it was written by someone with no experience to justify his statement. From the reports of conditions prevalent in Thompson hall, it would seem that many of these CHILDREN could use some of this "bleak and demoralizing life." As I remember, regard for property was rather well taught in that demoralizing atmosphere.

• Letter Cut

— James S. McQueer

Gazette . . .

Friday, November 3

ENGINEERING 2 and 3, lecture, 4:10 p.m., Schwab auditorium, R. H. Smith, Pennsylvania Department of Commerce, speaker.

PHILOTES bus for cabin party will leave in front of Simmons hall 5:30 p.m.

WESLEY foundation skating party, for transportation meet 7:30 p.m., 258 E. College avenue.

PENN STATE Bible fellowship, 405 Old Main, 7:30 p.m.

COLLEGE PLACEMENT

Radio Corporation of America, Radio Victor division, will interview January graduates in Chem. Eng., E.E., I.E., and M.E. on Wednesday, Nov. 6. Men interested in manufacturing should have an average of 1.5; those in design and development, 1.8 or better.

Westinghouse Electric Corp. will interview January graduates at all levels in Ch. Eng., chemistry, physics, Aero. Eng., E.E., I.E., M.E., ceramics, and metallurgy on Tuesday, Nov. 7.

Carbide and Carbon Chemicals division, Charleston W. Va., will interview January graduates in chemical engineering, chemistry, and a few in mechanical engineering on Friday, Nov. 10.

E. I. DuPont de Nemours & Co. will interview January graduates at all levels in chemistry, chemical engineering, industrial engineering, metallurgy, and physics on Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 13 and 14.

Ingersoll-Rand Co. will interview January graduates at all levels in M.E., I.E., and mining engineering Tuesday, Nov. 14.

Standard Oil and Development Co. will interview January graduates at the B.S. and M.S. level in C.E., M.E., E.E., I.E., and Chem. Eng. Friday, Nov. 10.

West Penn Power company will interview January graduates in M.E. and E.E. Wednesday, Nov. 15.

General Electric company will interview January graduates in I.E., M.E. and E.E. Wednesday, Nov. 15.

Armstrong Cork company will interview January graduates in C&F, Phys., Labor Mgt., I.E., M.E., E.E., at the B.S. level; also chem. eng., at the M.S. or B.S. level and chem. eng., and phys. at the Ph.D level Wednesday, Nov. 8.

STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

For information concerning the following jobs, applicants should stop in 112 Old Main.

Machinist or electronics technician for assembling lab equipment.

Dishwasher and waiter for weekend duty in fraternities; remuneration in meals only.

Orderlies for Centre County hospital; hours 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. alternate nights. Must have transportation. Hospital will provide salary, meals and uniform.

COLLEGE HOSPITAL

Patients: Julie Krell, Norma King, Mary Ann Honess, Katherine Nicoll, Bernard Friedman, Harry Knable, Charles Rohrbeck, Charles Wolf, James Townsend, Richard Bauer, Kenneth Horton, Leonard Mattick.

Little Man On Campus

By Bibler



"And now a slight pause for station identification - This is Professor S.N.A.R.F." —

Pro and Con

By STAN DEGLER

Lesson From GI Joe

For good or for bad, depending on how one views it, there has been a tremendous change in College life in the last few years.

After the war an influx of veterans swelled the college population and set its tone. Classes for the first time became of paramount importance. GI Joe came for an education, or at least technical training, something which would get him a job, get him started on his career too long delayed.

PROFESSORS LIKED THE CHANGE, for GI Joe was a good student and he took his work seriously. Maybe he had a wife and children in Windcrest and no hankering to stay there any longer than necessary. Maybe he was just more mature than pre-war students and realized the seriousness of college studies.

Even younger students who started college during this period caught the veteran's spirit and knuckled down. The mature outlook, call it cynicism if you wish, was a dominant aspect of college life. At Penn State it was accentuated by the absence of a freshman class.

Now the veterans are mostly gone. Joe College is assuming his normal place in the college scheme and naturally becoming the dominant factor again.

Blue jeans replace khaki and pea jackets on the Mall. And milk shakes are to replace alcohol, at least officially. Married veterans are becoming the exception instead of the rule.

The shift is marked by visible changes like the revival of customs and intangible things like school and class spirit. It isn't necessarily a change for better or for worse, but merely the logical outcome of a younger, less experienced student body.

HOWEVER, IT DOES SEEM that many new students are not meeting college life in a manner suitable to adults. Damage done to dormitories, for instance, is an example of harmful effects of immature exuberance.

College students would do well to remember some of the things GI Joe taught him in the immediate post-war years. College is more than a four-year lark at Dad's expense. And it is more than a preparation for a career. It is a part of life. It should mean attainment of maturity: broadening of scope, development of personality.

And it is time to become adult.

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FRIDAY

'Riding High'

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