

TODAY'S WEATHER:  
SNOW SQUALLS  
AND COLD

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## Confidence Pledge Given By AIM Governing Board

The board of governors of the Association of Independent Men gave the administration of its four officers a vote of confidence at the board's first meeting of the semester Wednesday night.

The charges of "inefficiency" and "lack of organization," which Francis Turk, former president of Nittany dorm council, hurled at the officers before the West dorm and Nittany dorm councils Monday night, were brought before the board by George Levchak, treasurer of the West dorm council.

Levchak, appointed by the West dorm council to investigate the charges, asked for a clarification of the situation. Richard Bard, chairman of the board, denied Turk's charges, and Richard Mills, secretary, read the statement disputing the charges which appeared in the Daily Collegian yesterday.

Bard was authorized to ask All-College Cabinet last night to sponsor and finance a Christmas lawn display in front of Old Main. According to Bard's plan, Leonides, Interfraternity council, Panhellenic council, and AIM would put up the displays.

William Raymond, member of Pollock dorm council, was appointed chairman of a freshman housing committee. The group will investigate a statement in the Daily Collegian of Oct. 13 which said there was a possibility that the West dorm area would be occupied mainly by freshmen next fall.

The statement was attributed to Wilmer E. Kenworthy, assistant to the President in charge of student affairs. It was suggested at the meeting that the freshmen be placed in the Nittany-Pollock area next year.

The board voted to continue its entertainment bureau formed last year to get a file on all amateur  
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## Dr. Eisenhower Honorary Head Of Androcles

Dr. Milton S. Eisenhower, was initiated honorary charter president of Androcles, junior men's hat society, in his Old Main office last night.

"I'm thrilled to belong to the society, and surprised that the group would ask a person of my age to join," Dr. Eisenhower said. "One of the things I like best about education work is that I'm always working with young people," he said.

After the initiation ceremony, Dr. Eisenhower was presented with a key, shingle, and hat of the activities honorary. The words "honorary charter president" were inscribed on the back of the key.

Donald Carlson, president of the group, Robert Amole, George Glazer, and William Zakor conducted the initiation. Shingles were given to members after the initiation. Dr. Eisenhower suggested that the society hold a meeting at his house.

Fifteen members of the 1949-50 hat society council were named honorary members of the organization. Students named who are still on campus are Gay Brunner, Rose C. Eifert, Frederick Huston, and Rudolph Valentino.

## Laundries Opened In West Dorms

Laundry rooms in the West dorm area were opened to students yesterday. Instruction in the use of the washers was given at dorm floor meetings Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

The rooms will be open all day until 10 p.m. Clothes in the machines at that time will have to be picked up in the morning.

Pressing rooms equipped with irons and ironing boards were opened last week in Hamilton, Thompson, and McKee halls.

## Campus Drive Closes Today; \$6000 Needed

Campus chest chairman Herbert Axford announced that \$9000 had been received at chest headquarters late yesterday.

The drive, extended one week, ends today. The goal is \$14,000 which will be apportioned among the ten agencies participating in the drive. Final figures on the funds collected by the drive and how much each organization will receive will not be available until sometime next week, Axford said.

Solicitors who have not yet turned in their reports are asked by Axford to do so before Saturday noon. The reports should be handed in at the PSCA office in 304 Old Main.

Axford announced that the faculty has given about \$1800 to the drive. He said that a few fraternities still have not reported.

The chest campaign was the first ever held on the campus. In former years each organization held its own drive for funds throughout the year.

## Patrolman Errs In Traffic Tickets

Members of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity house were more than mildly irritated on Wednesday when they found that traffic violation stickers had been placed on the windshields of all their automobiles in the parking lot behind the house.

Phi Gams were inclined to blame freshmen in nearby dorms for the supposed prank until Captain Philip Mark of the campus patrol informed them that the job had been done by an over-zealous new member of the patrol who thought that the fraternity parking lot was part of illegal parking space in the adjoining West Dorm area.

## Lion, State Campaigns Begin; To Hold Parades Next Week

State and Lion parties began their campaigns yesterday with the distribution of posters to downtown business places and dormitories.

The Lion party has distributed about 400 small printed posters with candidates' names on them, according to Ray Evert, public relations committee chairman. He said that distribution of large posters with candidates' pictures on them would begin today. Some of the Lion posters contain catch phrases and word puzzles.

State party publicity workers began distributing 300 multilithed posters yesterday afternoon carrying candidates' pictures. This is the first time in campus history, according to Harry Cover, State clique chairman, that a political party has run pictures of candidates on the majority of their posters.

### Explain Platforms

Candidates for both parties started campaigns by contacting members of fraternities and dorm residents. They explain in their talks the platforms of their party and what their party intends to do if their candidates are elected.

The parties have both sched-

At Prom Tonight . . .



Johnny Long

## Junior Prom Tickets Go On Sale Today

Tickets went on sale this morning at Student Union for the junior prom tonight in Rec Hall featuring Johnny Long's orchestra. No estimates were available for the number expected at the dance, but attendance will probably be at least equal last year's 1500.

Fur wraps and heavy evening jackets will be in order with the predicted low temperatures and snow flurries. In the past, it has been almost standard practice for it to rain every big weekend.

Last year's prom featured Jimmy Dorsey's orchestra and decorations had a "Jungle Time" theme based on voodoo and primitive culture. This contrasts with this year's French theme using street lights and striped awnings. George M. Trahan of New York, this year's decorator, also worked on last year's dance.

According to Don Carlson, chairman of the prom committee, 1500 programs have been ordered and will be handed out at the door. This year's programs are the most expensive in the school's history, he said. They are cellophane-covered and are black and white with a picture of a dancing couple.

Bandleader Johnny Long is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity, and at past appearances at the College, has been a guest of the local chapter of the fraternity.

Hours for the semi-formal affair are 9 to 1, and tickets are \$4 per couple. WSGA Senate has granted 2 o'clock permissions for upperclass women and 1 o'clocks for freshman tonight.

## Registration Set For Next Month

Plans to hold final registration for the spring semester next month were revealed last night in a meeting of All-College cabinet.

All-College president Robert Davis will confer with Wilmer E. Kenworthy, assistant to the President, today to discuss details of the proposal put forth by the College senate to set aside Dec. 4 and 5 as registration days for the spring semester.

## Large Crowd Attends Rally Despite Rain

More than 1,000 students braved the rain to participate in the West Virginia game pep rally on the steps of Old Main last night. Speeches by President Eisenhower, football Coach "Rip" Engle and the arrival of the Nittany Lion highlighted the ceremonies. The rally was well advertised by signs all over the campus and a banner above the mall, but less than 50 students were present at the beginning of the parade which preceded it.

However, the playing of the Blue Band and the cheers of the accompanying group, drew students from dormitories as the parade passed. When it ended on the steps of Old Main more than 1,000 marchers were present.

### Eisenhower Speaks

In his speech, President Eisenhower said he was glad to see so large a crowd despite the rain students would keep the same and he expressed the hope that kind of spirit behind the team "win or lose."

Coach Engle said the team is playing good football and doing their best to win. He said he didn't know what would happen Saturday, but it would take a good team to beat them.

During the rally emceed by Robert Davis, All-College president, the Nittany Lion arrived on top of a coffin containing the West Virginia football team. The bereaved relatives of the team accompanied him. They were dressed in hillbilly clothes and carried shotguns and moonshine.

While Samuel Vaughan, Froth editor, offered a prayer to President Eisenhower for the poor people in West Virginia, the Lion patrolled Old Main's steps with a shotgun.

## LA Committee To Plan Mixer

Plans for sponsoring a liberal arts student-faculty mixer were made at the last meeting of the liberal arts student council.

Merrill Sporin was appointed chairman of a committee to decide the date for the mixer and to make other arrangements. Members of the committee are Patricia Wertz, Jean Marohnic, Thomas Farrell, Ann Quigley, Jane Yahres, and William Slep.

The council passed the revised constitution and Jack Baron was appointed parliamentarian for the group. Members of the council went on record as favoring the measure to preserve Hort woods. They also supported All-College Cabinet in its objection to the activity file in its present administrative form.

The first issue of L. A. Angles, a newspaper for the School of Liberal Arts, will introduce members of the council to the students, and will outline council plans for the semester. It will be published within the next two weeks, says Edward Shanken, president. Any club in the School of Liberal Arts which would like to have news of their organization published in the paper please contact Jack Boddington at 2220.

Davis's meeting with Kenworthy is a result of a request by cabinet members last night for more information about the proposed advanced registration dates. Kenworthy had asked cabinet to consider recommendation of a fine which would be imposed on students who fail to register on the specified dates.

Points to be discussed at the meeting today include the registration procedure to be used for the 400 freshmen expected in February, and plans for keeping students on campus the entire week of registration. Since classes will be suspended on the days set aside for registration, cabinet felt that many students would out remaining classes during the week for a prolonged vacation.

### Timetables Needed

Release of timetables for the spring semester will also be discussed. The advanced registration dates makes it imperative that students have access to the timetables within the next three weeks, it was pointed out.

Cabinet also passed a recommendation of the inter-class finance committee to allocate to the sophomore class \$300 for their annual dance and set Dec. 1 as the date.

### Dance Tickets

Sophomores may pick up tickets for the dance at the Student Union desk upon presentation of their matric cards. Dates for ticket procurement will be announced later by dance co-chairmen Thomas Smith and Marian Whitely.

Clark Young, of the Hort woods committee, told cabinet that the committee met yesterday with President Eisenhower to discuss dedication of the area. According to Young, President Eisenhower suggested that the woods be dedicated to a specific person, but that the name "Hort woods" be retained. President Eisenhower also said that the College can and should maintain the financial upkeep of the area.

## Women Barred From West Dorm Lounge Areas

Lounges in the West dorms will be for men only, except on special occasions under supervision of counsellors, according to an understanding between H. K. Wilson, dean of men, and Pearl O. Weston, dean of women, and the President's office.

Wilmer E. Kenworthy, assistant to the President in charge of student affairs, explained that the administration was providing social areas in the West dorm dining hall, that men call at women's dorms when dating, and that many men not dating will want to use the lounges.

It was announced that the dining hall lounge and snack bar will be open for women from 1 p.m. until 15 minutes before the women's dorms close.

### Flash Card Workers

Students interested in working on flash cards for the Penn State-West Virginia football game were asked yesterday to report to Recreation hall from 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 3 to 5 p.m. today, by Rudolph Valentino, head of the cheerleading squad.