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Barr's Loss Stuns Penn State Students

Campus reaction to wrestling captain Homer Barr's first loss in eastern competition seemed to center on two thoughts—surprise and disappointment,—the Daily Collegian learned yesterday in a poll of students on the Mall.

Most of those questioned said that when they first heard the news, they didn't believe it. Nobody interviewed hadn't heard about Barr's loss.

Parties Dampened

Fraternity parties this weekend were interrupted and dampened by the news of Barr's loss, his first in 24 dual meet matches. Even Penn State team members, newspaper men and fans who followed the team to Cornell for the match didn't seem to believe it even after it was all over.

Robert Morgan, a State graduate, class of '42, said that he had never believed he would see the day when Barr would lose.

Cornell fans were just as surprised by the sudden turn of events. One unknown Cornellian said, "I've seen Barr wrestle before, and he never looked like a guy that could lose to anybody in the East. You have to admit that Dick (Clark) put up a good fight though."

In State College, when the news was first flashed, most people were inclined to disbelieve it.

Courtney McMahon said the first thing he said when he heard the news was, "What? You're kidding."

Anese O'Brien, another Mall interviewee, said that she'd "never thought that he'd lose."

'Shocked'

Roger Owens probably expressed what a lot of people thought when he said, "I was shocked to beat all hell."

Lindi Bortolotto said that he couldn't believe it and thought that it was all a mistake. Victor Lynch said that it was a shame that he had to go so far and then lose. Thomas Farrell and Jane Sutherland both had reactions similar to those of Lynch. Lois Shuster was very disappointed, being a friend of Barr's.

Dr. Garber To Speak

Dr. R. J. Garber, head of the Pasture Research laboratory, will discuss the activities of the pasture lab at a meeting of the Cloyer club at 7:15 o'clock tonight in 111 Plant Industries.

Dorm Council OK's Blood Donor Plan

By GEORGE GLAZER

West dorm council last night approved a motion to attempt to provide 15 donors to give blood in Altoona on March 15.

Harry Cover, reporting on the Association of Independent Men's plan to sponsor a blood drive in conjunction with several other campus and town organizations, said that when the committee met, it considered the idea of lending its support to the Altoona undergraduate center which is participating in the present blood drive in Altoona.

Cover said that someone unknown to the committee had stated falsely that Penn State would back the Altoona center. He said that the committee had not backed such a plan, but that now the group felt that unless it did, future plans for a drive in State College might not receive the cooperation of the Red Cross.

15 Men Needed

Cover said that approximately 15 men would be needed from the West dorm area to fill the quota.

He said that a bus would leave Old Main at 12:30 p.m. next Thursday to take the donors to Altoona. Cover said that the donors would be given legal excuses. He said that only those over 21 would be permitted to give blood unless they had written consent from their parents.

The council also approved a motion to allow the Centre County Alumni club to take over the main lounge in the dining

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New Heads Chosen By State Party

By MARV KRASNANSKY

Ignoring the formality of voting, the State party accepted steering committee recommendations for 11 clique positions at a brief meeting Sunday night.

The creation of the two positions of secretary and treasurer to replace the former office of secretary-treasurer was the only change in the preliminary slate presented last week. Murray Goldman, named all-College clique chairman, explained that the change was designed to aid the party's fund drive.

Seek Wider Support

Goldman, confident of a State party success in the April 18-19 voting, predicted a victory for the organization. "After this election," Goldman told almost 400 supporters, "things will be a lot different."

Virginia Laudano, nominated last week for the position of secretary-treasurer, was named secretary. Norman Kaplan was named treasurer.

Bernardine Fulton, nominated for the position of secretary-treasurer of the junior class last week, was named secretary. The treasurer's job went to Barbara Horman.

Final approval was also given Richard Mills as all-College clique vice-chairman, and Melvin Glass as all-College clique treasurer.

The other senior clique positions went to John Price, chairman; and Merritt Dinnage, vice-chairman. Thomas Flemming was elected junior class clique chairman, and Jeffrey Gray was elected vice-chairman.

Council Presidents Schedule Meeting

Plans for the coordination of the student councils of the College's eight schools are underway, David Ludwig, chairman of the coordinating committee, disclosed yesterday.

The first meeting of the council presidents will be held Thursday, Ludwig said.

Among the points to be discussed is the possibility of scheduling one date for the school open houses. They are now held on separate dates.

The NSA faculty rating system will also be discussed by the group.

Ludwig said that the election of new council members will receive consideration at the meeting.

A report of the progress of the coordination of the councils will be made at All-College cabinet in the near future, Ludwig said.

WSGA, WRA Announce Nominees For Offices; Election Is March 15

Nominees for WSGA and WRA offices have been announced by Betty Lou Jones and Audrey Brua, election chairmen.

WSGA candidates for president are Virginia Miller and Mary Jane Woodrow. Carolyn Barrett, Marilyn Williams, and Nancy Worthington will run for president of WRA.

Primary elections will be held March 13 and finals March 15.

Vice-presidential candidates for WSGA are Joyce Buchanan, Yvonne Carter, Mary Lou Elliot, Janet Herd, and Doris Sher. Seven coeds whose names will appear on the primary ballot for the WRA vice-presidency are Rita Keeney, Janice Robbins, Phyllis Szolack, Frances Stridinger, Meredith Williamson, Mary Ann Wertman and Terese Moslak.

Senior Candidates

Lila Barnes, Esther Beck, Ruth Jean Diehl, Barbara Klopp, Nancy McClain, Grace Porello, Jane Steiber, and Mary Lou Transue will run for WSGA senior senator.

Nominees for the junior senatorship of WSGA are Donna Estabrook, Bernadine Fulton, Alice Guthrie, Joan Hutcheon, Virginia McMillin, Virginia Opoczinski, Ruth Schliecher, Joan Yerger, and Joanne Williams.

Sophomore senator of WSGA will be chosen from candidates Joyce Gardiner, Ann Grieco, Linda Jacobs, Diane Miller, Rose Monack, Carolyn Pelczar, Marian Ungar, and Nancy White.

Robin Brunner and Sylvia Powers are running for town senator.

Secretary-Treasurer

Campaigning for secretary-treasurer of WRA are: Olive Cochran, Barbara Wallace, and Betsy Anne Younkens. Dorothy Rose, Isabelle Diefenderfer, Barbara Holzka, Mable Marple, Ann Broomall, and Joan Kronewetter have been nominated for the WRA intramural chairmanship.

Freshmen who are running for assistant WRA intramural chairman are Nancy Lusk, Patricia Colgan, Nancy Maloy, and Ann Skapil.

An election code was also announced. Candidates are not per-

Leonides Organizes Dorm Units

By JOAN KUNTZ

The independent women of every dormitory living unit are now being organized by their respective Leonides representatives for informative and social purposes.

Under this new unit system the Leonides council representative will report to the independents any pertinent information which may be noted in council meetings. Speakers desired by the women may be obtained, as well as other cultural programs planned along with informal parties.

Independents Vote

For the first time since Leonides began, every independent will be permitted to cast a vote for her officers this spring. Nominations will be made by the council, and a campus-wide election for Leonides officers will be held in April.

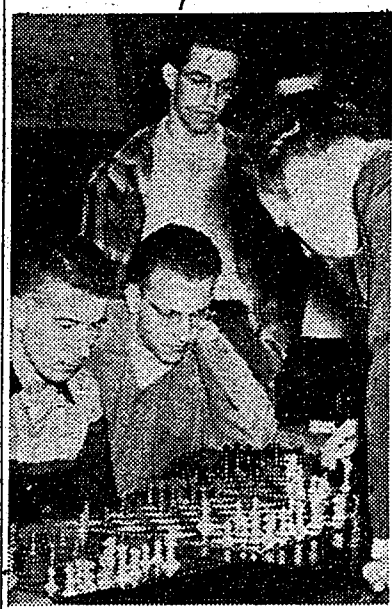
A special meeting of the council will be held next Monday at 6:15 p.m. in McElwain lounge to make first nominations. Qualifications for girls nominated must be given. Janet Magrini is chairman of the elections committee.

Blue book files will be available for independent women, at the TUB starting Monday. These may be obtained from 10-11 a.m. and 2-3 p.m. in the room at the BX. A Leonides representative will be on duty these hours and students will sign out for the blue books.

A Leonides council retreat will be held Saturday, April 28. At

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RALPH GRIFFITH, left, takes on M. Pousseur deBois, chess expert from New York city, in the TUB Sunday afternoon. DeBois won all the matches.

Chess Expert Wins 12 Games In Exhibition

M. Pousseur de Bois, chess expert from New York city, appeared at the simultaneous chess exhibition sponsored at the TUB on Sunday afternoon by the Penn State Chess club.

M. de Bois engaged in 12 matches of various games and won them all. The matches included five chess, four checkers, one Wei-Ch'i, one Mangala, and one Polish checkers.

After competing with the several students, de Bois explained some of the strategy which he used in the games that were played. Besides the players, several spectators were present to watch the proceedings.

Home Ec Festival Termed Successful

Approximately \$175 was received from ticket sales and the sale of foreign foods at the International festival Saturday afternoon and night in the Home Economics building.

The affair was termed "extremely successful" by members of the International Relations committee of the Home Economics school, which sponsored it.

Part of the money collected will go into the committee's fund for a foreign scholarship. The rest will be used for postage for food and clothing packages to be sent overseas to foreign students.

5 O'Clock Theater Gives Whelan Play

"Seattle Hunch," a one-act play written by Peter Whelan, will be presented at the Five O'Clock theater in 11 Old Main at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

Whelan's effort will also be produced at the eighth annual Arts forum at Woman's college of the University of North Carolina.

The cast includes Sonia Goldstein as Agnes, Marcia Yoffee as Martha, and Robert Klein as George. Technical director and assistant are Wesley Pfirman and Jeff Gray. Herbert Arnold will direct.

Senate Sets Stage For Drafting At 18

WASHINGTON, March 5 (AP)—A 55 to 31 test in the Senate today set the stage for voting a draft of 18 years olds. Also, the Senate approved extending draftee service from 21 months to 24.

The test on the age issue came in the rejection of a compromise, offered by Senator Morse (R-Ore.), to draft no one under 18½ years old. The minimum age now is 19.

In the sharp debate that led up to the vote, Senator Taft (R-Ohio) vigorously backed Morse's plan and accused Secretary of Defense Marshall of trying to "blackjack" Congress into drafting 18 year olds.

It appeared probable the Senate would vote on the question of the 18 year olds Wednesday or Thursday.

The extension of draftee service to 24 months was agreed to on a voice vote. The military high command had asked that service be extended to 27 months but Chairman Russell (D-Ga) of the Armed Services Committee proposed that the Senate make it 24. One of Russell's own committeemen, Senator Lyndon Johnson (D-Tex) protested in vain. Johnson helped write a committee bill that proposed 26 months. He called the 24 months proposal "another method of hacking at our armed forces in time of emergency when the need is the greatest."

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Repairs To Begin On Campus Roads

The Pennsylvania Department of Highways will probably start repairs on campus roads within three weeks, W. W. Trainer, supervisor of construction and maintenance, announced yesterday.

Trainer said Pollock and Burrows roads were in the worst condition since he has been on campus. Heavy trucking for construction work, and severe winter weather, were responsible for this condition, Trainer said.

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