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Beginning Of 'New Era' Closes

Today brings to an end, at least for the Collegian, the first year of a new era for Penn

The cry of "new era" was heard many times at the beginning of the school year last fall but gradually as we moved in to the body of the '50-'51 semesters, we forgot that we really were part of the change.

With a new President, recently re-titled "Prexy," a new football coach, freshmen on campus for the first time since the war, and finally Air Force men marching to a singing cadence past the women's dorms, we skipped merrily along becoming adjusted to the new things almost automatically.

New buildings appeared where none had been before and even now large holes are marking the campus waiting to spring up into more new buildings.

Almost as soon as the great post-war evolution period has passed, a new kind of evolution must be made. We must adjust to a new bigger feeling about the College. We are expanding. We have been expanding for years but the expansion is not complete.

The new development is being slowed down a bit by the United Nations war and the new draft (although the addition of 700 more women to the campus population will not be considered slowing down by all) but we are taking all conditions in stride as we move along.

We have been living in a changing environment, the evironment will change more during the summer, and more changes will be encount-er when we return next fall.

"It's all part of the game" but it is fun growing with the College and it will be much more fun if we remain aware of it as we move

-Bud Fenion

First WD Complaint

When it was first announced that a studentfaculty committee would set up a priority system to select West Dorm residents we com-mented that no matter what decision was reached, there would be complaints.

Well, we'll be first in line. One of the chief faults of the system set up by the committee is the fact that one of the requirements for residence in he West Dorms is that students must have filled out a pledge circulated by the

The pledge was circulated among independent men simply as a poll that would indicate how many men would be interested in living in the

What did he say!

Fill in the squares. If

you want to check your

solution ask

the business

manager of

this, your

Safety Valve—

Supports Editorial On Gift

TO THE EDITOR:

I find myself quite concerned about the letter in Saturday's Collegian submitted by the senior class gift committee chairman and the senior class president.

First of all, I am wondering where those men received their information that \$5000 was the figure requested for the campus radio station. Certainly they never received this information from the radio station committee. This figure was discussed only in connection with setting up the system on campus, not with the setting up of a system that would include the fraernities. If the committee had thoroughly completed the job they were supposed to carry out, that of selecting and investigating possi-bilities submitted by the senior class for the senior class gift, it would have discovered that the total cost of establishing the station was much more than \$5000.

Furthermore, I see no justification for a small committee making a decision as to where the senior class gift should go after the class as a whole has already made a decision. A majority vote is a majority vote and is hardly subject to a change by a small committee whose only function is to investigate and select possibilities for the Senior gift.

I am wholeheartedly in favor of the memorial idea suggested by the committee, but it would probably be much better as an All-College loan fund set up from the proceeds from the Spring Carnival rather as a senior class fund from the money allocated to another purpose by the class itself.

In closing I would like to state that the radio station committee firmly supports the editorial by Mr. Fenton.

-Emerson Jones, All-College secretary-treasurer (retiring) and co-chairman of the radio station committee

Gazette

Tuesday, May 29 NAACP, final meeting, 303 Willard Hall,

7:30 p.m. WRA BOWLING, White Hall alleys, 7 p.m. WRA FENCING, White Hall, 7 p.m.

STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

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

Man with car to care for grounds one-half day every day:

Man with car to care for grounds one-half day every day:
75c per hour.

Two congenial, studious men for desk work at local rooming house this summer, also some janitorial work; in exchange for room.

COLLEGE HOSPITAL Joan Friedman, Bonald Greenberg, John Gruber, Rudy Marrazzo, Pat McCarthy, Dorothy Miller, Pat Nahas, Walter Petroski, Henry Pitt, Donald Roberts, Frank, Zorn.

West Dorms. Unlike the form distributed by the College, the poll was unofficial. The distribution was sporadic. One adviser is known to have told his men not to bother with the pledge because it didn't mean a thing.

Under these circumstances, it is difficult to understand why the signing of this pledge has been made a prerequisite for living in the



"Would you like to have a photo to remember your graduation night by?



Bonn

By RON BONN

"That Will Be \$2, Please"

Those sad forms dragging slowly up and down the Mall these days are a species known as graduating seniors. Like false Sextus, "With haggard face and laggard pace," they make their final trips across the swamps of alma mater. And deep are their thoughts, sombre their recollections.

Let us look into a senior's memory of Penn State.

* "I don't believe in curves,"
"Tomorrow cloudy with show-

"That will be \$2, please."

"The grade of minus one includes 50 to 59."

"The number wrong will be subtracted from the number "That will be \$2, please."

"We are sorry to inconventience you, but your car is inconveniencing others.

"Two buses leave Lewistown daily.

"Tomorrow cloudy with showers."
"The fine is 50 cents the first

day and 25 cents for each additional day."

"Pledge!"

"From the President of the United States: Greetings.'

"A copy of the transcript will sent to your parents."

'We will have an hour quiz." "It is now one minute after

"That will be \$2, please." "Sure he is, but he's got a

"This dining hall closed 30

seconds ago."
"A fee will be assessed." "Tomorrow cloudy with show-

"And do you know which half of you is on the left, cadet?"
"The class median was rather

"That will be \$2, please."

"How did I know he'd switch xams?"

"That will be \$2, please."

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"That will be \$2, please." "Tomorrow cloudy with show-

College Buys Heifer For \$1000 In Butler

A top price of \$1000 was bid bv the College for a grand champion heifer, the Associated Press reported recently. The animal was purchased by

the College at the Pennsylvania Short Horn Breeders Association auction sale in Butler.

"Mind Went Blank," Bus Stripper Says

Charged with disorderly conduct because he took off a heavy winter suit in a crowded, sweltering bus late yesterday, Joe Burns pleaded temporary insanity because of the heat in Police Court here today.

"If you had been wearing one of the new Palm Beach* suits," Judge Solomon Wise sternly told Burns, "you would not have made such a spectacle of yourself."

Judge Wise gave Burns the option of paying a \$29.95 fine or spending the \$29.95 for a new Palm Beach suit.

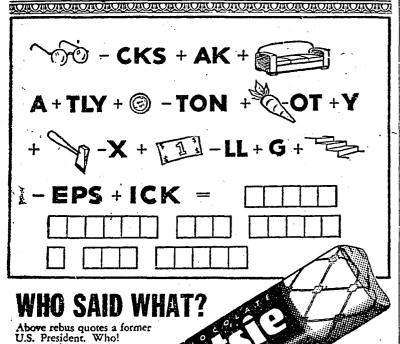
As a safeguard against possible luture mental lapses, Burns chose two Palm Beach suits from the handsome selection of checks, stripes and smart solid colors at

JACK HARPER'S.

"Oh, boy," Burns grinned,
"these new, smooth, lightweight
Palm Beaches are like wearing no suit at all. And I'd really be crazy not to love the new patented Fiber-Lock method that bounces out wrinkles and locks in smooth feel."

JACK HARPER

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Also Selected Short Subjects

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