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PRICE FIVE CENTS

## Taxes May Force Bowling Price Rise

An increase in the assessed valuation of the Dux-Club in State College, if allowed to stand, will force a rise in bowling prices, P. H. Gentzel, owner of the alleys, said yesterday.

Gentzel was unable to set the amount of the increase, but hinted that the only alternative would be closing the alleys completely, as was done in protest to an increase in the borough licensing fee, Dec. 31, 1949.

## Students Must List Fire Losses

Students who suffered losses in the Gentzel Building fire must report to Daniel DeMarino, assistant Dean of Men, if they desire help in recovering their losses.

The men have been asked to report several times before, but as yet only a few have done so. According to DeMarino, "The cooperation of these men is necessary if we are to be of any service to them."

Marilyn Levitt, Panhellenic president, has announced that the Panhellenic Council has begun soliciting funds for the fire victims. She said that each sorority will be responsible for its own contributions.

Leonides, independent women's organization, has also started to solicit funds, according to Edna Baylson, president. Each council representative will solicit the girls in their individual units, and the money will be turned into the central fund, jointly collected by Association of Independent Men, Panhellenic Council, and Leonides.

Although much of the clothing which was in the building at the time of the fire was destroyed, there is a great deal of it that was only partially ruined.

Values on articles that were partially destroyed will have to be agreed upon before any settlements can be made. It would be very helpful if the men who suffered losses would arrange an itemized list of what they lost, including what is still usable and what is no longer useful, DeMarino said.

It would also expedite matters if the men would have information concerning personal insurance coverage at hand. Some of the men have said that their family insurance might possibly cover some of the losses but probably not all of them.

## Board Takes Loyalty Oath

FORD CITY, Pa., Dec. 4—(P)—Six members of the Ford City school board voluntarily took a loyalty oath last night.

Sen. Albert R. Pechan (R-Armstrong) sponsor of a proposed loyalty oath and a member of the school board, administered the oath to the members after taking the oath himself from Board President Louis Goldman.

All members of the board took the oath except one absentee. School board members are not required to take the oath under Pechan's proposed loyalty bill.

TODAY'S  
WEATHER

PARTLY  
CLOUDY



### Jam Session Canceled

The jam session usually held on Sunday afternoon will be canceled this Sunday because of the tea-dance to be held by the Association of Independent Men in the West Dorms.

## Cranston Stresses Strong UN

By MARSHALL O. DONLEY

The American people "can stand on their feet and lead the world to peace" by adopting a policy of strengthening the United Nations, Alan Cranston, president of the United World Federalists, said last night.

Speaking before about 400 townspeople, professors, and students, Cranston said action on this important matter must be taken before the world is plunged into a third world war.

The United Nations under its present system lacks the power to prevent aggression, Cranston said, and therefore no one depends on it for security. The UN must be reinforced, he said, by giving the Assembly a better system of representation, by removing the power of veto from the Security Council and Secretariat, and by giving the World Court the power of compulsory jurisdiction.

The United States need not lose its sovereignty in the UN, for through adequate UN machinery each nation could "exercise its sovereignty," Cranston said.

Stressing the effects of the arms race on the present world, Cranston said that our enemy—communism—will not be destroyed through another war any more than it was destroyed in the last two.

However, he added, the present United States policy for arms cannot be deserted, but should be transformed into a "two-barreled defense policy," with the second barrel being a plan for peace through strengthened UN.

Cranston, who worked under President Milton S. Eisenhower in the Office of War Information in the last war, was well-received by the mixed crowd in 121 Sparks.

### Students Admit Guilt, Pay Fines and Go Free

William Scanlin and William Shaffer, students at the College, who were caught attempting to remove an air filter from a car in State College, yesterday pleaded guilty to larceny charges before Guy Mills, justice of the peace.

The two were released when they paid \$1 damages and \$10.50 costs.

## Politicians to Decide On College Tax Report

HARRISBURG, Dec. 4—(P)—Sen. James S. Berger (R-Potter), Republican caucus chairman, said his colleagues have yet to decide on what to do about a report by four college presidents who estimated state revenues in the next two years will be \$22,350,000 higher than the governor's estimates.

The report was prepared at Fine's direction by the presidents of the Pennsylvania State College, University of Pennsylvania, University of Pittsburgh and Temple University.

Their report said \$111,621,000 in new taxes would be needed if Fine's budget for the current two-year fiscal period is left untouched. It made no recommendations, however, on specific taxes.

It boosted Fine's estimate on likely collections of corporate net taxes by \$15 million; public utility receipts tax, by \$2,500,000 and inheritance taxes, by \$2 million. Lesser increases in other levies also were estimated.

The report said the increased estimates were based on the as-

## Court Campaign Opens Tonight Against Ithaca

By DAVE COLTON

The curtain goes up for the 1950-51 Penn State basketball team at 8 tonight when the Lion cagers open their 24 game schedule against Ithaca College in Rec Hall.

Coach Elmer Gross has a veteran lineup which has won five practice games while dropping one. Gross expects a fast-breaking

### Basketball Mentor



Elmer Gross

team with more scoring and a better offense than last year's squad which finished with a 14-9 record.

Last year the Lions dumped Ithaca 70-31 in the home opener. But this year Ithaca has the advantage of three games experience. Coach Ben Light's courtmen have played LeMoyne, Sampson Air Base, and St. Bonaventure. Sunday night they lost to the Bonnies 69-43, and the Air Base team defeated them, 91-75. Five Lion Vets

Ithaca has seven veterans from last season including four starters. Grey Cordtnes, six feet two inches, Al Gilbert, six feet, Don Howard, six feet two inches, and Ray Moore, six feet one inch, were in the starting lineup against the Lions. Other men back are Angelo Fuciletti, John Fletcher, and Burt Masken. A promising newcomer is Ed Byrne, a sophomore, who averaged 17 points for the Ithaca frosh last year.

Although the Nittanies first string has five lettermen, Gross is bothered by a lack of experienced reserves. Co-captains Hardy Williams and Jay 'Tiny' McMahan, Chet Makarewicz, Joe Piorowski, and Herm Sledzik will start. Williams and McMahan were both regulars last season, and the others saw a lot of action.

### Reserve Problem

This year's squad is the tallest Gross has had in his three years as State coach. The first team averages six feet four inches, and the second five about six feet three inches.

Gross admits his first team is good, but hesitates to be too optimistic because of his reserve problem and the tough 24 game schedule. Fifteen of the Lions games are away from home, including two contests against Virginia and Michigan in the Steel Bowl in Pittsburgh, Dec. 27-28. (Continued on page six)

## Junior Group Suggests Gift Of Phonograph

Donation of a record player and several records for the Pattee Library has been suggested as a junior class project by a special committee.

The class would begin a collection of records which the College would add to, so that non-music majors, who do not have access to records in Carnegie Hall, could listen to music for enjoyment.

The committee, headed by Robert Sherman, is also awaiting suggestions for projects from other members of the class. A hundred dollars is available for the class' use. Suggestions may be given to Sherman at Beta Sigma Rho or left at the Student Union desk in Old Main.

Members of the project committee also suggested installing a fountain in Schwab Auditorium or dedicating a memorial plaque to former Dean of Men Arthur R. Warnock. The plaque would have enscribed on it each year's outstanding junior in student government.

Members of the committee are Allan Miller, Terese Moslak, Jean Nisley, Virginia Opoczenski, Elsa Pasline, Benet Rosenthal, James Schneider, Stefan Schreier, William Shomberg, and Nancy Showers.

## Committee Distributes 65 Scrolls

A total of 65 scrolls was distributed Monday by the Crusade for Freedom committee, Harry Cover, All-College vice president, announced yesterday.

Yvonne Carter, Women's Student Government Association representative on the committee distributed 20 scrolls; John Laubach, Association of Independent Men, distributed 20; and James Wharton, Interfraternity Council passed out 25 scrolls, one for every two fraternity houses.

Miss Carter and Laubach promised to have their scrolls turned in today. Wharton asked for an extension of time due to the difficulty of contacting each fraternity.

The assistant county chairman, R. G. Shannon, commended the students in charge of the drive on campus. He said their work will be greatly appreciated.

The drive, which netted over 2400 student signatures last year, included approximately 1133 fraternity names, 574 independents, and collected about \$80 last year.

The College, similar to last year, is given more scrolls than any other area in the county. The county totaled 10,879 Centre County signatures including the College. Contributions, which were sent to finance Radio Free Europe, totaled nearly \$2000.

Marilyn Levitt, Panhellenic Council president, with the aid of 12 women students will help distribution of scrolls in the borough of State College.

### Christmas Parties

Organizations or individuals planning to have Christmas parties for children or wanting to give baskets to needy families should contact Agnes McElwee, coordinator of Christmas activities in State College, at 4318 or 8441 extension 2413 for detailed information.