

# Political Parties Release Frosh, Soph Platforms

By ANN LEH

Lion and State parties have released their platforms for the freshman and sophomore class elections following approval of the platforms by the All-University elections committee last night.

The platforms were read and discussed by the committee with only the committee, the party clique chairman and the Daily Collegian reporters present. At the request of Gordon Pogal, Lion party clique chairman, party representatives could not be present when the opposing party's platform was read.

## Lion Sets 2 Planks

The Lion Party platform, unique in that it contains only two planks, was released by clique chairman Gordon Pogal last night.

The platform text:

We of the Lion Party realize that the authority of elected student leaders is limited by the authority of the University Administration. Striving, as always, to serve Penn State as honestly and efficiently as humanly possible, to the limit of our authority, the Lion Party presents to you, the student voter, our platform:

1. Realizing that the problems concerning Penn State students are singular as well as general in nature and can not be determined too far in advance, we pledge ourselves to deliberate and constructive solutions to these problems whenever they arise.

2. We pledge ourselves, as elected voices of our respective classes, to always act with the best interests of Penn State in mind. We will work to the limit of our jurisdiction to uphold the dignity of the University with the welfare of each and every student as our ultimate goal.

When he presented the platform to the committee Pogal said he felt it was a "gamble."

The platform was prepared by the party's six candidates, he said, with any members of the party's steering committee who wished to sit in. It was unanimously approved, by them, he went on, in the hope that the students would appreciate its value.

## Players' Program Enters 3rd Week

Players production of John Van Druten's "Bell, Book, and Candle" will be presented for the third time at 8 tonight at the Center Stage in the Temporary Union Building.

The cast features a Siamese cat, through which a witch casts her love spells in Van Druten's romantic comedy on modern witchcraft. Tickets are \$1, and may be obtained at the Student Union desk in Old Main, or at the door.

## State, Lion Constitutions Are Approved

State and Lion Party constitutions last night were approved by the elections committee.

The only change in either platform recommended was a minor change in wording and clarification of one provision in the State party platform.

Section six of the State platform reads:

"An All-University clique officer may propose an amendment to the constitution at an official student representative council meeting, at which time it will be accepted or rejected."

When questioned about the democracy of this point, Rae DelleDonne, clique chairman, explained that any member of the clique could recommend an amendment.

However, she said, since the student representative council must approve the amendment, it would have to be presented for approval by a member of the council. This is the same situation as exists on All-University Cabinet, she went on. Although students are free to propose amendments to the All-University Constitution, she said, these amendments must be presented by a member of cabinet.

Ernest Famous, elections committee chairman, announced that the freshman and sophomore class elections will be from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Nov. 11.

Each party will be allowed to suspend one banner between the trees on the Mall, rather than tack posters on campus trees, Famous said. He explained that allowing posters on trees might set a dangerous precedent for other organizations over which the committee had no jurisdiction to do the same thing.

Bolts will be placed in two sets of trees on opposite sides of the Mall and each party will be allowed to suspend a banner across the Mall.

## State Gives OK

After considerable discussion as to the advisability of releasing the State Party platform at this time, clique chairman Rae DelleDonne released the party's platform last night.

Miss DelleDonne hesitated in presenting the platform for publication in Daily Collegian, she said, because she felt it was unfair that party platforms could be torn to bits before the party candidates had a chance to defend and explain the planks in campaigning.

However, because Gordon Pogal, Lion Party chairman, had already released his platform for publication, Miss DelleDonne decided it would be in the best interests of the party to have its platform published at this time.

The State Party platform reads: The state party platform is an announcement of state party's position in relation to certain problems of long standing. The state party wants your voting support of its candidates so that they may motivate the stagnant machinery of student government and obtain dynamic action for you on these glaring inadequacies:

1. Recognition of insufficient laundry and pressing facilities in the dormitories and the restoration of these necessities to a convenient level of operation proportionate to the number of students being served.

2. Revision of parking system so that parking assignments to individuals will be those closest to their campus living units and not most distant.

3. The inauguration of a committee to set up an activities listing which will provide a reference as to the importance of an activity as referred to a scale of major and minor activities.

4. The present scale of failing grades is not only unfair but excessive in its punishment of course failures and we call for a single failing mark which will be in accord with the present systems employed by other American colleges and universities.

5. The state party pledges to correct the present situations regarding appointments made by the

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## Guy and Dolls...



JUNIOR PROM QUEEN will be chosen from among these five finalists at the Junior Prom Nov. 5. Pictured with Junior class president John Thalimer they are, top to bottom, Ann Lederman, Lois Cowden, Ruth Grigoletti, Patricia Dickinson, and Jean Yemm, insert, who was not available for the picture. The Queen will be crowned at the prom by one of the Dorsey brothers. Thalimer will introduce her and the four runners-up who will form the queen's court. Members of the Junior class will vote for their choice Monday through Thursday at the Student Union desk.

## 400 Hear Kenworthy Urge Team Support

By TED SERRILL

"The team needs the support of the student body... I hope you will give it a try and make yourselves heard at the game," urged Wilmer E. Kenworthy, director of student affairs, at the football pep rally last night.

Speaking before a cheering crowd of about 400 fans in front of Recreation Hall, Kenworthy said that there are three ingredients needed to win tomorrow's Penn State-Pennsylvania football game: "a great team, a great coaching staff, both of which we have, and the support of the student body."

Also speaking at the rally was team co-captain Jim Garrity, who said the team has as much spirit going into tomorrow's game as they did before the Illinois game.

He also urged all students going to the game to watch their conduct, reminding them that University of Pennsylvania officials last year threatened to drop Penn-Penn State games if Penn State students again showed poor conduct while in Philadelphia.

Alec Beliasov, seventh semes-

ter agricultural economics major, acted as master of ceremonies and introduced to onlookers the "noted professor of sociology, psychology and physiology, Dr. Albert P. Guntsmeyer."

Several jokes were exchanged between Beliasov and Louis Fryman, fourth semester business administration major, hiding under the huge upturned collar of "Dr. Guntsmeyer."

Head cheerleader, Bruce Coble, announced that a car parade will be held before next week's Penn State-Holy Cross football rally.

At intervals throughout the 20-minute rally, the Penn State Blue Band, under the direction of James Dunlop, and the cheerleaders played and led, University songs and cheers.

# Cabinet Postpones Discussion On Bid for NSA Congress

By NANCY FORTNA

All-University Cabinet decided last night to postpone further discussion concerning the possibility of having the eighth National Student Association Congress at the University this summer until questionnaires for this purpose are received.

Robert Dennis, president of the Association of Independent Men, presented a letter to cabinet which stated that the United States National Student Association is now drawing up a questionnaire to be sent to schools interested in bidding for the congress.

Through the letter cabinet learned that the congress site must be able to provide facilities for feeding and housing up to 1000 students. The site must also be equipped with one hall large enough to seat 1000 persons, four rooms for commission sessions to seat up to 250 persons each, and 30 to 50 rooms capable of seating 20 to 50 people.

Cabinet accepted a report on Campus Chest presented by Ellsworth Smith, chairman of the committee.

Smith explained that the committee has decided to raise the percentage of money to be con-

tributed to organizations which refer directly to students and to lower the percentage for national funds.

Two Organizations Added Two new organizations were added to the list of charities which receive percentages of the drive. They are the National Student Service Fund for Negro Students and the Centre County Heart Association.

Smith said each student may donate as much as he wishes, but the committee will try to obtain \$1 from each person.

Junior Week Report Junior Week activities and progress were reported to and accepted by cabinet. Earl Seely, chairman of Junior Week and the Junior Prom, reported that five activities will be held during Junior Week.

The first event will be the Talent Show Wednesday in the Temporary Union Building. At 7:30 p.m. Thursday a pep rally will be held in front of Recreation Hall.

Miss Junior Class At the Junior Prom, the major event of the week, Miss Junior Class will be crowned. Voting on the five finalists will take place Monday through Thursday. The last event on the schedule will be the Chapel Service. The center

section of Schwab Auditorium will be reserved for juniors and their dates.

Carol Schwing reported for the Cabinet Secretarial committee. She said that no one is to use the new ditto machine purchased for cabinet unless a member of the secretarial committee is present. A schedule was given to all cabinet members when the ditto machine may be used.

Miss Schwing also asked that supplies be purchased by the groups, other than cabinet, that use the ditto machine. Miss Schwing's report was adopted by cabinet.

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