

Bullock to Head IFC After Close Race; Elected by One Vote

By DON SHOEMAKER

Robert Bullock, Delta Tau Delta, was elected president of Interfraternity Council for the coming year last night, squeaking by Roger Beidler, Theta Delta Chi, 26-25, on the third ballot.

John Russell, Phi Gamma Delta, was elected vice president on the first ballot, and William Moyer, Delta Upsilon,

was elected secretary-treasurer, also on the third ballot. D. Edward Pollock, assistant to the dean of men in charge of fraternity affairs, was unanimously elected adviser to IFC, replacing Dr. Kent Forster, associate professor of history, who resigned.

Bullock received 16 votes on the first ballot, 20 votes on the second ballot, and 26 votes on the third. Beidler received 14 votes on the first ballot, 17 on the second ballot, and 25 on the third.

First Ballot Count

Charles Folkers, Phi Kappa Psi, received 12 votes on the first ballot and 13 on the second. Donald Reidenbaugh, Sigma Chi, received eight votes on the first ballot.

A majority vote was required for election. The man receiving the lowest number of votes was dropped after each ballot.

All houses were represented except Alpha Phi Alpha. The representative for Pi Kappa Alpha came in late, in time for the third presidential ballot.

Russell won the vice presidency easily, receiving 15 votes more than his nearest competitor. Allan Davies, Phi Sigma Kappa, received 11 votes, Howard Cook, Phi Kappa Sigma, received nine votes, and Dudley Potter, Beta Theta Pi, received five.

Secretary-Treasurer Ballot

Moyer defeated Carl Saperstein, 28-25 on the third ballot to get the secretary-treasurer post.

Moyer received 12 votes on the first ballot, 20 votes on the second ballot, and 28 on the third. Saperstein received 16 votes on the first ballot, 18 on the second ballot, and 23 on the third. Louis Galliker, Alpha Gamma Rho, received 12 votes on the first ballot, and 13 on the second. Philip Steel, Chi Phi, received 11 votes on the first ballot.

Officers were installed in a brief ceremony at the close of the elections. In a statement after he was installed, Bullock thanked all those who had voted for him, acknowledging the responsibility of his job.

"I'm proud that the members of IFC have placed their confidence in me. I will do everything in my power to uphold the ideals of IFC," he said.

Tharp Funeral Services

Funeral services for Paul Tharp, sports arena foreman of the University Physical Plant, who died suddenly while at work Monday, will be held at 10:45 a.m. tomorrow at the David J. Jeffries Funeral Home in Centre Hall.

Services will be conducted by Rev. Donald G. Raup with interment at the Zion Cemetery.

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15.6% Vote on First Day



—Photo by Mersereau

STUDENTS LINE up to cast ballots in the All-University elections which began yesterday in the recreation room of the Hetzel Union Building. Voting will continue from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. today. A light vote was reported yesterday. Election officials are hoping for a 50 per cent voting turnout. Three voting machines have been set up to accommodate voters.

Vote Is Short Of Record Set Last Spring

By DOTTIE STONE

A total of 1868 students, 15.6 per cent of those eligible, voted yesterday in the All-University spring elections. This is 251 less than last year, when a new voting record was set. According to University figures, 11,875 were eligible to vote.

Voting continues today from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. in the card room in the Hetzel Union Building. In order to vote, students must present their matriculation cards.

Voting yesterday was extended from the 5:30 p.m. deadline to an 8:30 p.m. deadline in order to allow more students to vote. Figures showed that approximately 100 students voted during the extended period.

Voting Breakdown

In a breakdown of the voting, freshmen and seniors, who voted for All-University officers only, had the largest number of votes, 1051. Juniors had 423 voting while 394 sophomores voted.

Juniors are allowed to vote for senior class officers and sophomores for junior class officers. All students may vote for All-University officers. Only men students are allowed to vote for Athletic Association officers.

Last Year Was Record

Last year a new first day voting record was set when 2719 students voted. This was 28.7 per cent of those eligible. The previous first day voting record, set in 1952, was 2250, or 24 per cent of the eligible voters.

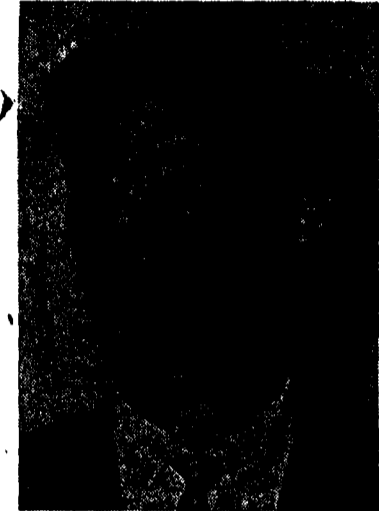
Last year a total of 4420 students voted. This means that almost twice as many students as voted yesterday will have to vote today to equal last year's total. However, last year only 1701 students voted on the second day of the elections. Last year's second day voting was just over half the first day's high record.

Elections Committee

All-University Elections Committee will meet tonight at 5:30 in the card room of the HUB, immediately after the polls close, and before the votes are tallied. The committee will hear any charges of violations by the three parties during campaigning.

Ernest Famous, chairman of the elections committee, said yesterday that the Lion party may be fined for turning their platform in late.

Each party has posted a \$25 bond, and this is the maximum any party can be fined for violating the Elections Code. If individual candidates have violated the code, they may be docked anywhere from 10 to 100 votes.



Robert Bullock
New IFC President

Reeder Set As Speaker For Banquet

Sherwood Reeder, president of the Pennsylvania Economy League will speak at the Interfraternity Council-Panhellenic Council banquet at 5:45 p.m. tonight in the main ballroom of the Hetzel Union Building.

His topic will be "A Vital Element of Survival."

Reeder received his B.S. degree in commerce and finance from the University in 1927. He received his M.S. in public administration from Syracuse University in 1928.

Before becoming president of the Economy League, a government financed private research organization, Reeder had an extensive career in city government.

The president of each fraternity and sorority, the IFC and Panhel representative, and the chapter advisor will attend the banquet.

Winner to be Named

The winner of this year's outstanding fraternity award will be announced. A rotating cup and a permanent plaque will be presented to the winner.

Donald Reidenbaugh, outstanding fraternity award chairman, said yesterday that the first six places will be announced. A complete list of tabulations will be available on request.

Last year only five places were announced. The winner was Beta Theta Pi.

Officers to be Presented

The present and new officers of IFC and Panhel will be introduced.

Other guests include Mr. and Mrs. O. Edward Pollock, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Simes, Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer E. Kenworthy, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Forester, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Dean, Pearl O. Weston, dean of women, Jean Lindeman, assistant to the dean of women, Rabbi Benjamin M. Kahn, Robert Dennis, president of the Association of Independent Men, Joan Packard, president of Leonides, and Nicholas M. Brentin, president of the fraternity advisers committee.

Cabinet to Consider Budget Cut, Parking

Four controversial issues will be discussed at All-University Cabinet meeting at 7 tonight in 203 Hetzel Union.

The four reports are:

1. A proposal to deny freshmen the right to have a car on campus.
2. The proposed budget for next year, which has lowered student compensations.

3. A recommendation that a Student-Faculty Board be set up to hear student appeals of educational procedures and standards.

4. A recommendation that a Joint Student Committee on Town Affairs be set up to handle matters concerning students in relation to the town.

The recommendation that freshmen not be allowed to drive or park on campus was tabled by Cabinet last week. The plan, which was approved by University administration, went back to the traffic committee for further study.

During debate last week, John Speer, All-University vice president, said that no more parking areas will be constructed in the central part of campus. Speer also announced that a University committee is studying methods of improving bus facilities in and out of State College.

Speer said last night that officials of the three bus companies in State College have said they are prepared to meet the needs of students for transportation. They said special buses would be put on for vacation traffic, these buses

running to specified towns where the numbers met a minimum number of passengers.

Speer said the University would provide desk space on campus for the sale of tickets and reservations, and parking areas would be used for assembly points.

The proposed Interclass budget for next year is \$875 below this year's budget, mainly due to the drop in compensations.

The nine College council presidents, who receive \$15 each, and the Chairman of the Intercollege Council, who presently receives \$135, have both been dropped from the list of compensations.

Also dropped from receiving any compensation are the Orientation Week committee, Tribunal, three members of the Student Handbook committee, six members of the Spring Week Committee, and the NSA coordinator.

The All-University president's compensation has been cut from \$375 to \$300 in the proposed budget. Ten other compensations have also been cut anywhere from \$50 to \$10. They are, All-University (Continued on page eight)

Carney Rebuked for Speculations

WASHINGTON, March 30 (AP)—President Eisenhower administered an oblique rebuke to Adm. Robert B. Carney today with a declaration that too much speculation about war does not serve world peace and tranquillity.

Carney, chief of naval operations, has been named as the source of predictions that war may start in the Formosa Strait around April 15.

To prophesy when a war is going to break out, Eisenhower told a news conference, is to assume an accuracy of information never yet attained by a country that was to be attacked.

The President said he cannot say, because he doesn't know, that there will not be an attack from April 15 onward on the National-

ist-held Matsu Islands off the Chinese mainland. "But I do say," he added, "that if anyone is predicting it will be that soon, they have information that I do not have."

While Eisenhower told a news conference that Carney will not be reprimanded "by me," he also said that:

"I do not believe that the peace of the world, is being served at this moment by talking too much in terms of speculation about such things."

And he told a reporter "you have something there," in a suggestion it is poor military strategy to talk about enemy war plans.

The President upheld the right of a subordinate to hold personal opinions. But the subordinate doesn't belong on the administration team, he said, if he is going

to create difficulty for the administration or his commander in chief or violate announced administration policy.

Aside from peace and war, the President's conference ranged over these other topics:

Formosa—The chief executive said he does not believe the cause of peace is to be served by making any further commitments about American intentions regarding the long range defense of the Chinese Nationalist stronghold. That was in response to a request for his opinion on proposals, attributed by a reporter to Brig. Gen. Frank Howley, that (1) the Chinese Nationalists be armed with atomic weapons and that (2) it be made clear to the Red Chinese that one more aggressive step will mean their destruction by atomic power.

Some Coeds Vote In AA Election

Women students were voting for Athletic Association officers in yesterday's All-University election.

The voting machines used in the election were not adjusted to prevent women from casting ballots for AA officers. The officers are normally elected only by male voters.

Election committee workers at the polls attempted to discourage women from voting for AA officers.

There is no way, however, to check how many women cast ballots in the AA race. Voting machines record only the votes cast.

There is a race only for the office of AA president. Only one man was nominated for secretary-treasurer.

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