

Sexes Join Forces -- Is Battle Finished?

By JACKIE HUDGINS

"If you can't beat 'em, join 'em!"

Perhaps the battle of the sexes isn't raging now as fiercely as it has in the past, but women attending colleges and universities all over the country who have refused to succumb to the superiority of men, are now considering joining the side of their proverbial opponents.

The merger would be on the administrative level, however, and not on the student level.

In about half the colleges and universities in the country the Dean of Men and Dean of Women have combined offices and operate under the common title, Dean of Students.

Such a merger seems quite harmless at first glance, but strangely enough, the opposition comes from the women.

Deans of Women all over the country are in an uproar because they think they will lose their independence. Once more, they will have to work for a "man". This would be true, because in the large institutions where combined counseling is in effect, there are many more men enrolled than women. As in all democratic societies, the majority rules—or as the women deans think, the "superior" sex is back in the driver's seat.

From the student's viewpoint, a joint counseling set-up would be more satisfactory than the segregated plan is now. Women do not always have problems that have to be heard by another woman. But women, now, feel a bit hesitant about going into Dean Sime's office if Dean Weston is at the other end of the hall.

Dean Weston, on the other hand, might be able to help a young man with a social or environmental difficulty with more ease than Dean Sime could.

In about five years the University might have one Dean of Student's Office—but to pacify the anti-progressive element there probably will have to be segregated waiting rooms.

False Fire Alarm Still Unsolved

Borough police have uncovered "no new developments" in the case of a false alarm which was turned in to the Alpha Fire Co. about 1 a.m. yesterday.

The fire was supposed to have been at Phi Delta Theta, but when more than 30 firemen arrived at the scene there was no fire and no one knew anything about it.

M. A. Seckinger of the borough police department said last night he may be able to identify the guilty party within the next day or so. He declined to give any further information.

Borough officials termed the false alarm a probable April Fool's joke.

Eugene Lee, president of the Alpha Fire Co., said last night that if the guilty party can be identified, "every action possible will be taken to bring the case to a head."

Lee pointed out that every time the firemen answer an alarm they expose themselves to danger which might result in tragedy. In addition, he said, six pieces of equipment—a ladder truck and five pumpers—worth nearly \$100 thousand were tied up at the scene.

Lee said the issue would be brought up before the membership of the fire company in the near future.

O. Edward Pollock, assistant to the dean of men in charge of fraternity affairs, reported yesterday he had received no information on the matter.

Panofsky Discusses Past Errors

By MARILYNN ZABUSKY

Dr. Erwin Panofsky of Princeton University, in discussing "Texts and Pictures: Traffic Accidents on the Roads of Tradition," Thursday night said that in history error is just as much a part of life as truth. Dr. Panofsky's lecture marked the opening of the Centennial Year Lecture series.

Dr. Panofsky, an eminent art scholar, showed slides to illustrate how errors have been committed by artists and writers in the misinterpretation of past writings and illustrations. He gave many amusing examples of rationalizations used by artists to justify this misinterpretation.

"When one looks at a work of art," Dr. Panofsky said, "it is an experience. However, we cannot easily be sure whether or not this experience we have corresponds to the experience that the artist had."

Misinterpretations, Dr. Panofsky said, result from four different spheres: 1. Misunderstanding of a text by an artist. This, for example, could be a misinterpretation of Greek mythology shown in the subject matter of an artist's picture. 2. Misunderstanding of a work of art by a critic. This can result when a critic reads symbolism into the work. 3. Misunderstanding of a picture by copyists. 4. A misleading text itself. This might be due to a clerical error.

Dr. Panofsky's advice was, "Never trust a picture, never trust a text, never trust a translation."

Spring Showers Expected Tonight

The spring rain which was forecast for last night is expected to arrive early tonight, according to officials of the University weather station. Cloudiness is expected for this morning and afternoon.

The speed of the low front, which will bring the showers, was misjudged, officials of the station said.

Tomorrow is forecast to be cloudy and warm.

Yesterday was the warmest day of the year as the mercury reached a shirt-sleeve 70 degrees. The previous high was 68, recorded three times early last month. Yesterday's low was 45.

Coaly Comes Calling in HUB

By RON LEIK

Shades of Coaly! Was that the skeleton of a mule you saw in the Hetzel Union Building?

It was. That was Coaly, mascot of the Coaly Society, the agricultural activities honor society, on exhibit Wednesday and Thursday.

Every year about this time the pledges of the society get Coaly down from the attic above the veterinary science department and put him on exhibition.

In 1951, a new agricultural society, looking for a symbol for the work they would perform, named itself after Coaly and adopted him its mascot.

Almost an explanation of the choice is the society's motto: "A

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New Officers Must Now Fulfill Promises

Campus party made a magnificent showing in the spring elections when the party's nine candidates were voted into office.

The vote percentage was only 37.7. This is by no means a good representation of the student body. But it is this percentage that has exercised its free voice, and thus it is this percentage that now has a right to demand that its wishes be carried out by those voted into office.

As a result of the elections, five All-University Cabinet seats will be filled by men who ran on the Campus party ticket. These men ran on a promise, according to the party's "open letter to students," to bring student government back to the students.

Students now have a right to demand of these new officers:

1. That a student welfare board be set up as a medium through which students can air complaints about anything concerning the University, and expect these complaints to be considered and channeled to the proper authorities if they prove valid.

2. That the new officers be readily available for consultation and discussion with students, through individual office hours in the Hetzel Union Building.

These are the two major specific moves the Campus candidates promised to attempt. We can now expect them to attempt them.

The plan to hold office hours will not have to wait for Cabinet action. They can be started as soon as the officers are inaugurated. It is doubtful just what purpose they will serve, but evidently Campus party had a good purpose in mind when incorporating the plan. Fulfilling that purpose is now up to the new officers.

The plan for a student welfare board will be a little more difficult to crystallize. Five of 25 Cabinet seats are not enough to carry a bill alone.

But the plan has potential and the new officers are obligated to attempt it.

This will be the first uni-party bloc on Cabinet for many years. No other party has ever had as strong an advantage in carrying out its platform promises.

The future actions of these new officers will help clarify just how worthwhile campaign promises are to student government. The new officers are capable of influencing enactment of these promises. They are also obligated to make an honest effort to give their voters what they promised them.

—Peggy McClain

Khakis Outlawed

Women's Student Government Association Senate's outlawing of khaki trousers in women's dining halls is one of the most inconsistent moves seen in a long time.

No justification exists in outlawing trousers on the basis of what material they're made. Trousers are trousers, regardless of whether they are of denim or flannel.

Under the ruling, mud stained, crumbled flannels would be permitted in the dining halls—but spic-and-span, freshly pressed khakis would be barred.

The only distinction being made is the material and the color. And might it be noted that evening gowns now are being made of denim.

—P.M.

Cwens to Meet Tomorrow

Cwens, sophomore women's hat society, will meet at 6:30 p.m. tomorrow in 217-218 Hetzel Union.

Social Gazette

Today
TIM Annual Dance, 9 p.m.-midnight, Campuseers band, Hetzel Union ballroom.

Tomorrow
Thespians, Finian's Rainbow, 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., Schwab Auditorium.
Chapel, Choral Service, 10:55 a.m., Schwab Auditorium.
Blue Band Concert, 3 p.m., Schwab Auditorium.

This Weekend On WDFM

91.1 MEGACYCLES

Tonight	
7:25	Sign On
7:30	Kuster's Last Stand
8:15	BBC Feature
8:45	Just for Two
9:30	Hi-Fi Open House
10:30	Thought for the Day
Tomorrow	
7:25	Sign On
7:30	Third Program
10:30	Thought for the Day
Monday	
7:25	Sign On
7:30	Phil Wein
8:15	Top Drawer
8:30	Progressions in Rhythms
9:00	Spotlight on State
9:15	News
9:30	Symphonic Notebook
10:30	Thought for the Day

Matinee, Night Show Set for 'Finian'

Thespians' production of Finian's Rainbow will be presented at a matinee at 2 p.m. today, and again at 7:30 tonight.

The musical comedy, with Edwin Grove, Louis Fryman, Jeanne Lippy and Michael McKay in major roles, will be presented at Schwab Auditorium, with tickets available for reserved seats for \$1.25 at the Hetzel Union desk.

Kurtz to Address Club

Robert Kurtz, sales manager for Kurtz Brothers, Clearfield, will address the Marketing Club on wholesaling at 7:30 p.m. Monday at Delta Sigma Phi. During the business meeting, a new constitution will be discussed. Interested students may attend.

STATE NOW

Victor Mature Susan Baskin
"CHIEF CRAZY HORSE"
In Cinemascope
Feature: 1:45, 2:45, 5:45, 7:45, 9:45

WARNER theatres

Cathann - NGW DOORS OPEN 11:45 A.M.
The Heart Warming Story of Sgt. Mary Maher in
"The Long Grey Line"
Cinemascope & Color
Tyroose Power - Maureen O'Hara
Feature 11:45, 2:05, 4:25, 6:45, 9:05

Willing

TODAY - Doors Open 1:00 p.m.
You Johnson - Walter Pidgeon
"Men of the Fighting Lady"
IN COLOR
—BEGINNS MONDAY—
"BREAD LOVE and DREAMS"

New COLLEGE DINER
Frozen Fresh Ice Cream
Good Food
Between the Movies

11 DAYS TILL FISHING SEASON
We have a complete supply for all your Fishing Needs
Sportsmen's Shack
Alley Behind the 'Skellar'