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Two Sigma Chi's Turn 'Kidnappers'

By RON LEEK

Here's the answer to the collegiate \$64,000 question "Who stole the Navy goat?" Two University students from Sigma Chi took Billy XIV from his cage under Thompson Stadium at Annapolis Sunday afternoon.

They brought the Navy mascot to a farm about 40 miles from campus near Clearfield, with the intention of keeping

it there until the Penn State-Navy game Oct. 15. They had planned, with their fraternity brothers, to bring the goat to Beaver Field in grand fashion, possibly with a float, and then return it to the Middies.

However, their plans were interrupted and Billy XIV has been returned to Annapolis. Navy officials have not brought charges and "probably" will not.

Interstate Alarm Ends

The solution of the mystery ended an interstate alarm for the mascot. After the theft was discovered Sunday, officials at the Academy asked state police to join in the search, and a fraternity house at the University of Pittsburgh was invaded by the Marines when a goat was seen there.

The Pittsburgh goat, however, turned out to be a nanny, and the plot was revealed as a hoax, according to the Associated Press.

Students Tell Story

The two students told their story to The Daily Collegian yesterday with the stipulation that their names be withheld. As proof of their deed, they supplied pictures of the goat.

It all started, they said, last Saturday evening when they made their first attempt to take the goat from its cage under the stands. The area was too well guarded then, and they merely "cased the job" for a later try.

Downfall Explained

However, they suspected that a guard wrote down the license number of the car they used, which might have been part of their downfall.

The next and best opportunity they got was about 4:30 p.m. Sunday. The cage was protected by three locks and chains. They worked their way through the links and broke the chains.

Goat Given Ether

They gave the goat several whiffs of ether and got him groggy so they could control him. Next, they tied his legs and carried the animal to the back seat of the car.

As they were tying the animal, two boys about eight years old approached them and asked what they were doing. The students told them and gave the boys fifty cents each to act as lookouts. However, the two youths became scared and ran away.

It was the only incident they

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Navy's Goat



BILLY XIV, the Navy mascot, grazes on a farm near Clearfield, about 40 miles from the University. He was returned to the Academy Monday after two Sigma Chi men admitted they took the goat as a college prank.

Prexy Hit by Cold—Unable to Attend Education Council

President Milton S. Eisenhower, who planned to leave today to take part in the 38th American Council on Education in Washington, D.C., will not attend the conference.

A spokesman close to Dr. Eisenhower said yesterday the president has been bothered with a "messy" cold the past several days but it is not serious. The spokesman said he did not know if this is what caused Dr. Eisenhower to cancel the trip.

Dr. Eisenhower was to serve as chairman of one of the five sections of the council, which will be held Thursday and Friday.

The general theme of the meetings will be "Goals and Progress in Planning for the Future of Higher Education." Dr. Harold C. Hunt, newly appointed under-secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, will be one of the speakers.

Cabinet Agendas

All-University Cabinet agendas are available at the Hetzel Union desk. Cabinet will meet at 7 p.m. tomorrow in the student government room of the Hetzel Union Building.

Collegian Candidates

Students interested in working on the editorial staff of the Daily Collegian will meet at 7 tonight in I Carnegie.

Candidates need not be journalism majors.

Autopsy Shows Wilson's Death To Be Suicide

The death of John J. Wilson, sophomore in chemistry from Sharon, has been declared a suicide. The announcement was made yesterday by Thomas J. Fritchey, Dauphin County coroner, following an autopsy which was performed on the body Friday.

Wilson was found dead at 9 p.m. Thursday in the bathroom of his room in the Penn Harris Hotel, Harrisburg, less than 48 hours after he was reported missing from his State College residence.

Fritchey told the Daily Collegian last night that Wilson committed suicide by inhaling the fumes from a mixture of potassium cyanide, hydrochloric acid, and water.

The coroner reported he found a partially full one-pound box of potassium cyanide in Wilson's room. A pitcher containing a mixture of the chemical and water was also found in the room. It is believed the student also mixed in some hydrochloric acid, Fritchey said.

Wilson, a former student at Gannon College, Erie, had resided at 630 Franklin street at the time of his disappearance. When he didn't come home after Wednesday classes, his landlady notified borough police.

Registers at Hotel

Wilson registered at the Harrisburg hotel at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, according to the hotel manager. How Wilson got to Harrisburg is unknown. His landlady reported he did not own a car.

The hotel manager became concerned when Wilson wasn't seen around the hotel after he registered. All attempts to enter the student's room, or to call him were unsuccessful.

Door is Forced

The manager ordered the door to Wilson's room smashed. When Wilson was not found in the room, the door to the bathroom was forced. Wilson was found slumped on the edge of the bathtub.

On the floor beside Wilson was an empty bottle with a hydrochloric acid label on it. Splashed in bathroom basin was a dark, blackish liquid. Wilson's suitcase was still packed, Fritchey reported.

Graduated in 1952

Wilson was the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wilson, 449 N. Oakland avenue, Sharon. He was graduated from Sharon High School in 1952, and then spent two years in the service.

He entered Gannon College in 1954 as a freshman, and transferred to the University during Orientation Week.

Auto Victims Reported Improving

University officials said yesterday that one of the six students injured in an automobile accident last Saturday near Milford will resume her studies at the University by the end of this week.

Four other students are expected to be released from the St. Francis hospital, Port Jervis, N.Y., within the next two weeks.

Margaret Forster, junior in home economics from Wilmington, Del., the most seriously injured of the six, is expected to be absent from school for at least two months. Miss Forster fractured her hip in the collision.

Return This Week

The dean of women's office reported that Judith Pendleton, senior in physical education from Bryn Athyn, is expected to be back in school by the end of this week.

Miss Pendleton suffered only minor brush burns and shock in the collision. A more complete report on the condition of the others is expected to be available when she returns.

The father of Margaret and Ann Forster telephoned the dean of women's office last Saturday night to report on his daughters' condition.

He expressed relief that the girls were not more seriously injured.

Broken Vertebrae

The girls' father said he expects Ann, who suffered a broken vertebrae, to be back in school within two weeks.

The three other students involved in the accident—Ellen Donovan, freshman in arts and letters from Emporium; George Althouse, sophomore in the division of intermediate registration from Gladwyne; and Harry Leopold, the driver of the car, a sophomore in the division of intermediate registration from Limerick, are expected to be released from the New York hospital within the next two weeks.

The six were injured in a head-on collision which occurred at 2 a.m. last Saturday outside of Milford as the students were enroute to the Penn State-Army football game at West Point, N.Y.

Decline in Cold Cases Reported

A slight drop in the number of cold cases treated at the dispensary was announced by dispensary officials yesterday.

Approximately 130 students were treated at the dispensary between 8 a.m. and noon yesterday.

However, only 40 of these complained of colds and sore throats, a nurse said.

Last week, an average of 60 students a day visited the dispensary for cold treatment.

The infirmary reports 18 patients with five confined due to colds.

UCA to Meet Tonight

The University Christian Association will hold an assembly at 7 tonight in 304 Old Main to discuss the Sermon on the Mount.

President Signs Six Documents

DENVER, Oct. 4 (AP)—President Dwight D. Eisenhower continued to make satisfactory progress toward recovery throughout today and signed half a dozen more official documents, the most since his heart attack.

One of the papers on which President Eisenhower put his name in a 10-minute business conference with his top assistant, Sherman Adams, releases \$500,000 of disaster relief funds which the Agriculture Department will use for conservation measures in the hurricane-flood damaged states of Connecticut, Massachusetts and North Carolina.

Signs 3 Commissions

Three of the signatures were on commissions for federal positions and one was on a letter accepting the resignation of Jack K. McFall as ambassador to Finland.

Like the President, McFall has a heart condition and that was the reason for turning in his resignation.

The commissions, giving recess appointments requiring Senate confirmation later, were these:

Herbert V. Prochnow, 58, of Evanston, Ill., to be deputy under secretary of state for economic affairs. Prochnow is a Chicago banker and a Republican. He succeeds Samuel E. Waugh, resigned to become president of the Export-Import Bank.

Sprague to be Counsel

Mansfield D. Sprague, 44, of New Canaan, Conn., to be general counsel of the Department of Defense, replacing Wilber M. Brucker, now secretary of the Army. Sprague also is a Republican and practices law at Bridgeport, Conn. He is a former speaker of the Connecticut House of Representatives.

John D. Hickerson, 57, of Washington, D.C., to replace McFall as ambassador to Finland. Hickerson is a career diplomat who formerly was assistant secretary of state for international organization affairs and later assistant secretary for United Nations affairs.

Warm Weather to Stay; Showers Are Expected

Yesterday's warm weather is expected to continue today with a high temperature near 80 degrees, the department of meteorology reported yesterday.

However, increasing cloudiness and possible showers are expected this afternoon. Tomorrow morning's low should be in the middle 50's.

Yesterday's high temperature was 75 degrees.

Council to Plan Elections

Final plans for freshman elections and for elections to fill two sophomore council positions will be made by the Chem-Phys student council at their meeting at 7 tonight in 214 Hetzel Union.

The council will also start plans for the chem-phys student-faculty mixer and for their faculty banquet.

Dodgers Make Good on 8th Try, 2-0

NEW YORK, Oct. 4 (AP)—Brooklyn finally won a World Series on the eighth try today after long years of bitter frustration, tumbling the New York Yankees in a tense seventh game, 2-0, on Johnny Podres' gritty pitching.

Scorned as 19-5 underdogs after dropping the first two games at Yankee Stadium, the Dodgers slugged back to become the first team ever to win a best-of-seven series after losing the first two.

Five times the Yanks threatened to jar the 23-year-old left-hander loose from the premises, as they had jolted five other Dodger series bids. But this blue-eyed blond from Witherbee, N.Y., and Sandy Amoros, a speedy little senior from Cuba who started a sensational double play with a dazzling one-handed catch in the sixth, were equal to each challenge.

When Podres marched from the

dugout to take his turn at bat in the ninth, a roaring ovation from the 62,465 fans at Yankee Stadium beat down upon his ears. It was Podres who lifted the Dodgers off the floor in the third game and it was Podres who led the grand march into the promised land of World Series victory.

It was the first Yankee series defeat since Billy Southworth's St. Louis Cardinals upset them in 1942 and their fifth defeat in 21 series. They had won seven in a row since 1942.

When other details of this series are covered with dust and all but forgotten, they still will remember the catch by Amoros that saved the day for the Dodgers.

The Yanks were making one of their sporadic raids on Podres in the sixth. Billy Martin walked and Gil McDougald, who had three of the eight hits off the left-hander, had beaten-out a perfectly placed bunt for a single.

Brooklyn's 2-0 lead appeared shaky as Yogi Berra strode to the plate. The Dodger outfield was

pulled around to right, leaving a big gap in left. Berra slashed the ball into a high arc toward the leftfield corner, and Amoros, who was playing in left center, raced close to the stands with his gloved right hand fully outstretched, catching up with the ball at the last possible second. One step less and the ball would have dropped for a probable double, scoring both scooting base runners to tie the score with a man on second and nobody out.

Sandy had just been sent to left on a wise bit of strategy by Manager Walter Alton, after second baseman Don Zimmer was lifted for a pinch-hitter in the Dodger sixth. Junior Gilliam was called in from left to play second.

Amoros whirled and threw a perfect peg to Reese who relayed the throw to Hodges at first, just nipping McDougald for a double play.

It was a ball game with \$100,000 riding on every pitch by Podres and his assorted opponents, starting

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