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Tiny TIM Sets the Pace

Since its inception Town Independent Men has complained to the Collegian that it did not get enough publicity. And for just as many years the Collegian's retort was that TIM didn't do anything worth writing about.

But now it is different. TIM has been written about and talked about not because of good publicity agents but because it has been one of the busiest individual governing bodies on the campus.

Its first big move was to suggest to the Association of Independent Men a plan to buy a block of 30 Community Concert tickets to be placed on sale prior to each concert and then to carry the plan through.

And its most recent endeavor has been to organize the push car race for the purpose of helping Campus Chest out of the red.

Good ideas do not come easily and TIM should be proud.

At the same time TIM boasts the largest membership of the individual student governing groups it must admit it is the weakest in unity. For there is little to bind a group of 3151 men living in separate houses, eating in

various boarding places, restaurants, and snack bars, and majoring in many curricula.

In common, the members of TIM have only their sex.

Being a Town Independent Man involves no coercion, carries no particular glory, and offers little material or social gain.

If this does not indicate, it certainly should hint strongly that what holds the workers of TIM together is the desire to work on worthwhile projects for the good of the University in general and for the betterment of individual students in particular.

Good ideas developed from unselfish motives by hard workers deserve commendation.

From TIM we turn to other student groups—most particularly those whose charters explain they are primarily service groups, those whose ties are socially, scholastically, and geographically stronger.

Have they served the University—the individual student, or even themselves to the extent that TIM has done? Or is TIM unique in its speedy growth?

—Jackie Hudgins

Safety Valve...

Favors Book Store

TO THE EDITOR: In regard to the "editorial" in Friday's Collegian regarding a University book store, we are very much in agreement with the Engineering Student Council and the other three organizations which have gone on record in favor of a University book store for the following reasons:

1) If properly planned, it would reduce crowded conditions at the beginning of the semester.

2) It would reduce the cost of books to the student, even though the retail price was charged, because a 10 per cent discount in the form used by the Book Exchange could be given and would be appreciated by all. Even with this discount there would be an adequate amount of profit to cover all expenses.

It is a well known fact that most small colleges, including state teachers colleges, have their own self-supported book stores. In the light of these reasons, we think Miss Hudgins has put very little thought on the subject when she wrote the "editorial" and feel that she should consult someone in the College of Business about the financial feasibility of such a project.

—Robert F. Cyphers
—Harry Grant Eichenmiller

Gazette...

Today
CONFESSION, 4 p.m. and 6 p.m., Our Lady of Victory Church
JAZZ CONCERT, 9 p.m., Hillel
T.V. PARTY, 8 p.m., Catholic Student Center

Tomorrow
ADVANCED FOLK DANCE WORKSHOP, 8 p.m., Hillel
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR YOUTH FORUM, 7 p.m., 218 E. Prospect Ave.

FRESHMAN COUNCIL, 7 p.m., Hillel
HILLEL CHOIR, 6:30 p.m., Hillel
HILLEL FOLK DANCE GROUP, 2 p.m., Hillel
LOX AND BAGEL BRUNCH, 11 a.m., Hillel
NEWMAN CLUB ROLLER SKATING PARTY, 1 p.m., behind Old Main (for transportation)
NEWMAN CLUB ROLLER SKATING PARTY, 2 p.m., Snow Shoe Skating Rink
ROSARY AND NOVENA, 7 p.m., Our Lady of Victory Church
STUDENT MASS, 9 p.m., Schwab Auditorium
TOWN MEETING, 8 p.m., Hillel Auditorium

Monday
AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY STUDENT AFFILIATION, 10 p.m., Diamond
BEGINNER'S HEBREW CLASS, 7 p.m., Hillel
CONVERSATIONAL HEBREW, 8 p.m., Hillel
NEWMAN CLUB DAILY ROSARY, 4:15 p.m., 209 Hetsel Union
NEWMAN CLUB DISCUSSION GROUP, 7 p.m., Catholic Student Center
NEWMAN CLUB RADIO PROGRAM, 7:30 p.m., WMAJ
VARSITY SOCCER SQUAD, 5 p.m., Recreation Hall
University Hospital

James Carey, Doris Epstein, James Erb, Earl Grisinger, James Headings, Franklin Kemp, William Nevin, Mary Peterson, Carolyn Quarles, Jane Schroepe, Charles Stanicka, Robert Tyson, George Weimer, and Faith Jackson.

Little Man on Campus

By Bibler



"He likes to tell th' boys about his drawing course."

Interpreting the News

Russia Invades Indian Neutrality

By J. M. Roberts
Associated Press News Analyst

The crudity with which Messrs. Khrushchev and Bulganin turned their Indian goodwill tour into an anti-Western campaign is reported to have embarrassed Prime Minister Nehru and other Indian officials.

They laid out the red carpet for the visitors from Moscow, only to see them walk all over the lawn anyway.

India is trying hard to establish her neutral position in the world. It's a neutrality with leftist leanings and sympathy for Russia because Russia, too, professes to be against colonialism. But India constantly offers herself as a mediator of disputes.

To have her premises used as the base of attack by invective violates her position as a friend of all.

Nehru, who is so much "Mr. India" that his actions usually receive only praise, has been criticized by part of the Indian press for getting the country into such a position, and for his extreme efforts to glorify the Russian visit. His mobilization of vast children's demonstrations has been questioned as producing indoctrination during an impressionable period which may bode ill for the country later. For one of the strange factors in the Indian position is the firm stand taken by the government against domestic Communists while playing footsie with them in the international field.

It's as though Nehru is willing to take chances abroad for the sake of embarrassing the West, with something he will not put up with at home.

There is evidence, however, that the Khrushchev-Bulganin visit has worked in reverse both for them and for Nehru. Right at this moment relations with the Indian government, which is firmly entrenched, would seem to be more important with the Indian people. But the visitors seem to have made more progress with the people, while causing officials to look a great deal more closely at Russian motives. Nehru would like to balance between Russia and the West without getting his people involved.

The Russians have moved on into Burma with their anti-Western line, and may find it unprofitable there, too.

My mother used to say that people who kept their mouths open all the time ran the risk of letting others find out too much about what was on their minds.

Centre, Erie, Blair, Perry, Allegheny, Franklin and Dauphin counties offered land for the site of the Pennsylvania State University.

Twelve Killed In British Train Crash

BARNES, England, Dec. 2 (AP)—A flaming train wreck killed at least 12 persons and injured 50 here tonight.

A speeding electric train packed with homeward-bound theatergoers and late workers crashed into a standing freight train and caught fire near the station of this suburban town, eight miles west of London's center. Victims screamed as they fought to escape.

Rescue crews pulled out 10 bodies.

Police said they believed the death toll would be at least 12. The front coach hit the rear car of the freight under a steel road bridge, left the rails, overturned and burst into flames. The impact had shorted the car's power circuit. The short sent sparks soaring into the sky like rockets. Firemen fought the fire from the bridge, with flames at times reaching 40 feet above their heads and lighting the sky for miles around. The girders of the bridge glowed red hot and melted tar ran across its roadway in the half hour before the fire was brought under control.

Police Constable Thomas Oliver, 45, was one of the heroes of the disaster. With a police sergeant, he arrived on the scene as flames were beginning to take hold of the front coach.

This Weekend On WDFM

91.1 MEGACYCLES

7:25	Sign On
7:30	Musical Marathon
8:30	Hubsapoppin
9:00	Hi Fi Open House
10:30	Thought for the Day
10:35	Sign Off
Tomorrow	
7:25	Sign On
7:30	Third Program
10:30	Thought for the Day
10:35	Sign Off
Monday	
7:25	Sign On
7:30	Third Program
8:15	As You Believe
8:30	Showcase
9:00	Informally Yours
9:15	News
9:30	Symphonic Notebook
10:30	Thought for the Day
10:35	Sign Off

Republican Bill For Sales Tax Reaches House

HARRISBURG, Dec. 2 (AP)—A Republican-sponsored bill proposing a 3 per cent state sales tax using Ohio's stamp plan reached the House today.

Introduced at a brief session by Rep. W. W. Waterhouse (R-Erie) "strictly on my own," the measure was sent to the Democratic-controlled Ways and Means Committee.

Gov. George M. Leader and top Democrats are flatly committed against a sales levy.

Kessler Opposes Levy
In another development, Chairman Edward J. Kessler (R-Lancaster) of the Senate Finance Committee said two days of hearings on the governor's 3½% manufacturers' excise tax failed to change his own opposition to the 400 million dollar levy.

"Although I'm concerned, I'm still against the tax," he said. "But the decision on whether to support it is up to the Republican Policy Committee."

Policy Makers to Meet
GOP policy makers will meet here Sunday night in a session that may decide the fate of the House-passed measure.

Kessler said his own committee act in accordance with whatever directive is received from the GOP policy unit.

Food bought for off premises consumption and anything used in agricultural production are among a host of exemptions called for in the bill. Clothing, however, would be taxable.

Chicago Labor Leader Denied Hearing at Capitol

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2 (AP)—A Chicago labor union leader, flanked by armed bodyguards, appeared at the Capitol today in an attempt to purge himself of contempt. But he was denied an immediate hearing and his guards were stripped of their weapons.

Angelo Inciso, president of Local 286 of the AFL United Auto Workers, sought to testify before a Senate Labor subcommittee investigating union welfare funds. He had ignored two subpoenas and the committee cited him for contempt.

Inciso, who says he fears for his life, picked up two Washington private detectives as bodyguards on his arrival at the airport from Chicago. When he and the guards reached the Capitol, police took away their guns.

Khrushchev Hits Western Traditions

RANGOON, Burma, Dec. 2 (AP)—Russia's Nikita S. Khrushchev broke through a devout silence among meditating Buddhists today with an outburst against Americans, British and French people and traditions.

The setting was the Shwe Dagon Pagoda, 2500 years old and the foremost of Burmese shrines. Worshippers traditionally preserve silence there.

Harriman Cites Russian Gain

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 2 (AP)—Gov. Averell Harriman of New York said tonight the Geneva conference enabled Russia to achieve a "major political breakthrough."

In an address prepared for delivery at a dinner of the New Orleans Foreign Policy Assn., Harriman said that because of the gains made by Russia through the Geneva conference "the lines of the great alliance of free peoples have been seriously breached."

"Our immediate and urgent task is to reform our lines and regain the initiative. There is a dangerous and fast-moving situation in Asia and the other underdeveloped areas of the world."

Harriman, considered a leading candidate by many for the Democratic presidential nomination, said he would touch only briefly on the way the Republicans handled foreign policy issues because he said the meeting was "a nonpolitical gathering."

Bullet Proof Glass Set In President's Windows

GETTYSBURG, Pa., (AP)—Bullet-proof glass has been installed in the windows of President Eisenhower's temporary office in the Gettysburg post office.

White House press secretary James C. Hagerty said today this is "the usual precautionary measure that is taken every time the President occupies a ground floor office."