

# 7 Frosh Named To Eng Council; Voting Continues

Seven freshmen were elected yesterday to the Engineering and Architecture Student Council.

Voting for six other councils will continue today following a light turnout yesterday.

Newly-elected representatives to the Engineering and Architecture Student Council are Donald Scutt, architecture

## East Council Backs Court, Longer Yule

Nittany council voted Monday night to stand in favor of retention of the Supreme Court and of extension of the Christmas vacation.

Speaking for retention of the court, Benjamin Winslow, AIM social chairman, said the court is the only check on All-University Cabinet.

Cabinet passes some legislation for "purely personal or political reasons," he said, and the court should be in existence to nullify such measures.

**Objections to Court**  
The council heard objections to the court on the bases that it did not sit often enough to justify its existence and that its members were not well enough informed about governmental affairs to decide cases of constitutionality.

Before voting 11 to 6 in favor of extending the Christmas vacation, the group heard objections to the brevity of the recess on the grounds that not enough time would be allowed for Christmas shopping, that many students would not be able to procure Christmas jobs, and that many would not be able to see relatives during the short period.

**Most Do Not Work**  
President Melvin Weaver said most of the students do not work during the Christmas holiday regardless of its length.

Weaver said a system of self service milk dispensing was going into effect in the dining hall on a trial basis. Under this system, the student will "tap" his own glasses of milk from a machine in the hall.

Any abuses of this system would lead to its repeal, he said.

## Fair Weather Forecast Today

Continuation of generally fair weather is predicted for today.

Another rise in temperature is expected due to an increase in southerly winds. The weatherman said that temperatures should climb to the low 70's today after a predicted low of 50 degrees last night.

Yesterday the mercury rose to 65 degrees. A low of near 45 degrees was reported yesterday morning.

The University weather station said there is no indication of rain as was forecast yesterday.

## AFROTC to Hold Blood Campaign

The Air Force Reserved Officers Training Corps will sponsor a blood drive in connection with the Red Cross from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nov. 6 and 7 in the Card and T.V. room of the Hetzel Union Building.

Blood forms and minor release slips may be obtained at the Hetzel Union desk. Friday is the deadline for the returning forms. Delta Delta Delta and Kappa Kappa Gamma will act as hostesses for the serving of refreshments.



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# UN Fails to Cool Mideast Hot Spot

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Oct. 30 (AP)—The Western Big Three split sharply tonight over the Middle East crisis when Britain and France vetoed a United States cease-fire plan and announced they would land troops in the Suez Canal zone.

The Soviet Union voted with the United States and five other council members when the ballot was taken at the end of a tense Security Council session. Australia and Belgium, whose delegates said they did not have instructions, abstained on the vote.

It was the first time in United Nations history that the United States and its British and French allies disrupted their unity on such a major problem.

**First British Veto**  
It was also the first time that Britain had used the veto. France had used it twice.

The United States resolution called on Israel and Egypt to observe an immediate cease fire, for Israel to withdraw immediately to its borders, and for all outside power to refrain from the use of force in the area in any manner not consistent with the United Nations.

The last provisions was aimed at the British and French who persisted, in spite of a personal appeal from President Dwight D. Eisenhower, in their plans to land troops at key points in the Suez Canal zone.

**Shipping Dangers Cited**  
The British and French told the council that the fighting was endangering shipping in the canal and they wanted only to station their forces there temporarily until calm is restored.

Britain and France gave Israel and Egypt an ultimatum to stop fighting by 11:30 p.m. EST tonight or they would land troops. Later they said they would send them in anyway. President Gamal Abdel Nasser of Egypt rejected the ultimatum.

U.S. Delegate Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. denounced the ultimatum as not consistent with the principles and purposes of the U.N. Charter.

**Lodge Sits Stiff**  
Lodge sat stiff and silent as the British and French delegates, Sir Pierson Dixon and Bernard Cornut-Gentille, broke the longstanding Western unity of action.

The Council convened in emergency session at the request of the United States. Delegates skipped their customary smiling handshakes as they sat down and were extremely grim-faced as country after country called for immediate action. The Council chamber was packed with other delegates, their wives and some public fortunate enough to obtain a few tickets.

**W&J President Named New Head of ACU Chapter**  
Boyd C. Patterson, president of Washington & Jefferson College, has been elected president of the Pennsylvania Association of Colleges and Universities, succeeding Harry V. Masters, president of Albright College.

Other officers named to one-year terms at the 60th annual meeting of the association, which opened Sunday at the University and closed yesterday noon, were: William W. Edell, president of Dickinson College, vice president, succeeding Patterson; the Reverend William G. Ryan, president of Seton Hill College, reelected secretary; and Raymond S. Hauptert, president of Moravian College and Theological Seminary, reelected treasurer.

President Masters and Gaylord P. Harnwell, president of the University of Pennsylvania, were named to the executive committee and Harry M. Pluebell, Harrisburg, will continue as executive secretary of the association.

**World Tension**  
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**BUDAPEST, Hungary, Oct. 30 (AP)—**Hungary's harassed government turned against its Soviet military supporters and in effect hauled down the Red flag today.

Its air force threatened to attack Russian troops and tanks involved in the battle of Budapest unless they leave the capital within 12 hours.

**VIENNA, Austria, Oct. 31 (AP)—**The official Hungarian news agency announced today that Josef Cardinal Mindszenty has been liberated by Hungarian revolutionary troops and is on his way to Budapest.

**ISRAELI ARMY HEADQUARTERS, Tel Aviv, Oct. 30 (AP)—**The Israeli army said tonight Israeli troops developed their slash into the Egyptian Sinai Peninsula on a 70-mile front.

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A SLOW DAY at the polls and a dreary Tuesday afternoon was enough to make two business administration council members rather sleepy while supervising the "voting" yesterday. This is exactly how the Collegian photographer found the two.

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**Land at Dawn**  
The first combined operations troops are expected to land in the Suez Canal zone around dawn in the midst of Israeli-Egyptian battle.

Egypt defied the British and French.

President Nasser rejected their demand for a cease-fire in the fighting against the Israeli invaders.

Then, a government spokesman

reported, Nasser warned the British and French that Egypt will—in his words—defend her dignity. This apparently meant the expeditionary force may have to fight its way in.

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Israel's reply came after Egypt rejected the ultimatum and vowed to keep fighting until the last Israeli is driven from Egyptian soil.

Fierce tank and air battles were reported from Egypt's invaded Sinai Peninsula. There was no indication that either the ultimatum or the diplomatic maneuvering would check the fighting.

The United States' isolation from Britain and France in the Middle East crisis was underscored in the UN Security Council in New York.

Britain and France vetoed a U.S. cease-fire plan. They warned they would land troops in the canal zone.

Egypt then officially asked the council to meet again to discuss "British and French aggression."

Russia sided with the United States in the Security Council debate. The veto was the first break among the Western Big Three on a major issue.