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Cabinet to Decide Tonight On High Court Elimination

If two members of All-University Cabinet change their vote tonight the Supreme Court will be eliminated.

An amendment to the Cabinet constitution abolishing the court has been approved by Cabinet at two consecutive meetings. It was supported by a 13-11 vote Oct. 18 and by a 14-9 vote Oct. 25. Tonight, the third and final vote, a two-thirds majority is necessary to pass the amendment. There are 24 voting members in Cabinet. Therefore, in order to pass, 16 must vote in favor of the amendment.

Several student organizations and councils represented on Cabinet have taken a definite stand

All-University Cabinet will meet at 8 tonight in 203 Hetzel Union instead of 7 p.m. as originally scheduled.

on the court issue. However, their representatives on Cabinet are not obligated to vote according to the group's decision.

Substitute Needed
If the amendment is defeated, a substitute motion will be in order to either retain the Supreme Court as it is or to revise its present form.

The court as it now stands is a judicial body that has constitutional jurisdiction over Cabinet legislation if it is appealed. The court is composed of the senior members of the Women's Student Government Association Judicial Board and Tribunal.

Talk about Supreme Court abolition was in the air last year, but the push came in September when a Student Encampment workshop recommended its elimination and the transfer of its functions to Cabinet.

Reports to be Given
Cabinet will also hear tonight recommendations from two Encampment reports—"Social, Cultural and Recreational" and "Counseling."

Dr. Albert Christ-Janer, director of the School of the Arts, will present the report on cultural aspects.

Included in it are recommendations to improve the acoustics of (Continued on page five)

Scattered Rain Forecast Today

Intermittent showers accompanied by slightly warmer temperatures have been forecast for today by observers at the University weather station.

Yesterday's shift in wind direction to the south brought warmer weather and the mercury is expected to climb today to between 70 and 75 degrees, three to six degrees above normal.

Rain is predicted to end sometime tonight in advance of a clearing weekend. Tomorrow will be cooler with temperatures rising over the weekend.

Wet weather will resume Sunday or Monday when an inch or more of rain is expected.

Ticket Sales Progress For Boston U. Game

Tickets for the Boston University football game, Nov. 10, are on sale at the ticket window, 238 Recreation Hall.

Tickets are \$3.50 each. Five thousand high school band members will be in attendance for Band Day. Seats are available in the east section from the 30-yard line to the end zone.



Daily Collegian Photo by George Harrison

STUDENTS WATCH tense and quiet as President Eisenhower tells the nation in a special radio-TV broadcast last night that there will be no United States "involvement" in the Mideast fighting. The students are viewing the speech at Phi Delta Theta fraternity house.

Student Involved in Head-On Collision

Mathew Robinson, junior in arts and letters, escaped injury when his car collided head-on into an automobile operated by Mrs. Gordon D. Kissinger of State College, about 11 p.m. Tuesday at the intersection of Pollock and Shortlidge Rds.

Patrolmen said Robinson was going east on Pollock Rd. approaching the intersection when an unidentified auto, traveling north on Shortlidge, crossed the intersection in front of the Robinson car.

21 Freshmen Representatives Named to 6 College Councils

By MARIAN BEATTY
Twenty-one freshmen representatives were elected yesterday to six college councils as voting closed with a slight increase over yesterday's low turnout.

Total voting percentages ranged from 10 to 60 per cent, generally lower than the expected turnout. The College of Business Administration reported the highest percentage of voters. About 60 per cent voted, setting a record slightly higher than last year's. Only 35 freshmen, or 10 per cent of the freshman enrollment, voted in the Liberal Arts Council election. This was the lowest percentage reported. The council had considered extending the voting until 5 p.m. today, but decided

against this yesterday afternoon. Voting in the College of Home Economics and the College of Education was about 50 per cent. Most of the council presidents expressed disappointment over the low number of voters, but felt that on the whole the elections had been well organized.

World Tension

LONDON, Thursday, Nov. 1 (AP)—British and French jet bombers pounded Egypt in an opening naval-air assault and a British cruiser has sunk an Egyptian frigate in the Gulf of Suez.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Oct. 31 (AP)—The Security Council overrode British and French objections tonight and called the U.N. General Assembly into extraordinary session to halt the fighting in Egypt. The council vote was 7-2.

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Oct. 31 (AP)—Most of the Russian troops cleared out of Budapest today and exuberant nationalist concentrated their fire again on Communist Premier Imre Nagy's government.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 (AP)—Units of the U.S. 6th Fleet moved to Mediterranean ports of Egypt and Israel to help in an evacuation which has already seen more than 1000 Americans leave the Middle East under box.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Oct. 31 (AP)—Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold said today he is transferring all dependents of U.N. and all non-essential persons outside the danger zone. They are being sent to Beirut, Lebanon, and other points.

Fine Imposed On Fraternity

Delta Theta Sigma fraternity was fined \$35 Tuesday night by the Interfraternity Council Board of Control for late registration of pledges.

The fine is payable within one week. The fraternity pledged men last semester whom they did not register until this semester, according to Richard Shillinger, board chairman.

The offense is a violation of the IFC Rushing Code, which requires fraternities to register pledges and pay the \$2 pledge registration fee within two weeks after pledging a man.

Shillinger has advised that other fraternities be careful not to violate this provision of the code.

'Egypt and Israel' Film To Be Shown Nov. 11

"Egypt and Israel," a film made available by the Instructional Committee on International Understanding, will be shown at 7:45 p.m. Nov. 11 in the Mineral Science auditorium. The showing is open to students and faculty members.

Will Attempt To Localize, End Strife

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31 (AP)—President Dwight D. Eisenhower said tonight the United States will steer clear of "involvement" in the Middle East fighting, will strive to localize it and end "this tormenting problem."

In a television-radio address to the nation, the President said it was an "error" for Britain, France and Israel to launch their attacks on Egypt, though he asserted they had "grave and repeated provocations."

To Go to General Assembly
He announced that the United States, having been vetoed by the British and French in the United Nations Security Council, would now turn to the UN General Assembly, "where the opinion of the world can be brought to bear" in an effort to stop the hostilities.

Even as the President spoke, the Security Council voted to call the General Assembly into session within hours. The vote was 7-2, with Britain and France dissenting but unable under the parliamentary circumstances to wield a veto again.

Stevenson Telegram
Shortly before the President broadcast his pledge of no American "involvement" in the hostilities, Adlai E. Stevenson, Democratic presidential nominee, announced he had telegraphed Eisenhower expressing the hope "that you will not commit us to any precipitate military action."

White House press secretary James C. Hagerty told newsmen the President's "no involvement" remarks were not dictated in any way by Stevenson's wire because the President "never heard" of the telegram before beginning his speech at 7 p.m., EST.

No Congressional Session
Eisenhower ruled out any special session of Congress to deal with the Middle East emergency but promised to keep in close contact with congressional leaders on the swift developments.

The President, seemingly grave and tense, laid down this government's policy in a 15-minute address from his office which was beamed simultaneously around the world by the Voice of America.

Reported Angry, Shocked
The President had been reported angry and shocked at the British-French decision to attack Egypt, but his speech tonight avoided any harsh denunciation of them or Israel. He did make clear he opposes this resort to force.

"We believe these actions have been taken in error," he said, "for we do not accept the use of force as a wise or proper instrument for the settlement of international disputes."

Straw Ballot Will Be Held

Although most University students are too young to vote, they will be given an opportunity to express their choice in the presidential race in a Daily Collegian poll.

A "ballot" is printed on page five of today's paper. Students may cast their "ballot" in a box provided in the Collegian office, basement of Carnegie Hall.

The deadline for "voting" is noon Monday. The results of the "vote" are to be printed in Tuesday's Collegian, the same day the nation goes to the polls.

The Daily Collegian is now planning to keep page one of Wednesday's paper open as late as possible in an attempt to give complete coverage the morning after election day.