

# Lions Seek End to Pitt Streak

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# State Governments Lack Qualified Men—Leader

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By ED DUBBS

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Gov. George M. Leader said last night that centralization of the federal government will continue unless state governments are able to attract qualified professional personnel.

Leader, speaking at the fourth annual Career Day conference in Schwab Auditorium, said centralization of federal power has come about because state governments have been unable to meet the problems facing them. The same is true, he said, for the loss of power from local governments to state governments.

Leader, noting that government has become more complex, stressed the need for qualified personnel to meet the complex problems of government today.

Noting also that business is getting bigger and more complex and is seeking top-level men, Leader said he hopes "we in government will be able to get our share of able administrators."

He urged the state's colleges and universities to "lead the way" in persuading political authorities to "broaden the opportunities for highly educated people" for complex government work.

To point out the complexity of government, he used as an example the federal-state road program planned for Pennsylvania. The state, he said, is planning to build 1400 miles of 4-lane highways and to spend thousands of dollars for consultants for the project.

### Skills to Build Roads

"Roads don't design themselves. It takes the highest degree of skills to build these roads," he said.

Mentioning that he has been criticized for spending too much money for professional opinions of "experts," he said:

"Until the average citizen recognizes the complexity (in government) and agrees to have competent people do the job, we're going to be in trouble."

Leader pointed out the change of emphasis on government from enforcing laws to providing services, which he said are largely bipartisan. Ninety per cent of government action now deals with services, he said.

### Roads Are Bi-Partisan

Leader, emphasizing this point, said "there is no such thing as a Democratic or Republican . . . road."

Leader said government more and more will have to turn to colleges and universities for capable administrators. It is both the obligation of the colleges and the universities and the government to see that these men are available.

The colleges and universities, in addition to providing basic education for its students, must also cultivate a spirit of citizenship and leadership, he said. Government, he said, must increase security, salaries, prestige and opportunities for its employees.

### Stresses Broad Education

Leader stressed the need for broad education even in highly technical fields. He said a highway engineer is also a government administrator.

Participating in the program were Ossian R. MacKenzie, dean of the College of Business Administration, who spoke on the purposes of Career Day; the Rev. Luther H. Harshbarger, University chaplain, who gave the invocation; and President Eric A. Walker, who introduced the Governor.

All-University President Robert Bahrenburg presented Leader with a miniature Nittany Lion statue on behalf of the student body.



—Daily Collegian Photo by Bob Thompson  
GOVERNOR GEORGE M. LEADER chats with students at a reception at the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity house.

# Leader Sees Action On Grad 'Stipends'

By MIKE MOYLE

Collegian Editor

Gov. George M. Leader yesterday afternoon said the state Assembly is currently working on a measure which would legally allow nine University graduate students to receive "stipends" from the state for their work in psychology, social work and occupational therapy.

## Politician Lion Views Clouds

The band stopped playing and the cheering crowd suddenly became hushed as the Nittany Lion stepped to the rostrum.

An air of expectation hung over the forest clearing.

"Some of my friends have approached me," he said in a resonant voice, "concerning a position of great service to my animal friends."

"After deep personal consideration, I have decided to yield to the public demand, and therefore I announce my candidacy for the All-University presidency on the Peapicking Party write-in ticket.

This morning the Lion peered from his portable smoke-filled room into an increasingly cloudy sky. The Peapicking Party politicians have decreed that, after a low of 45 last night, the temperature will hit 65-70 degrees today, accompanied by scattered showers.



At an informal afternoon coffee hour with administration officials and student leaders, Leader said that the unconstitutionality of the present setup is merely a technicality.

The nine students are among 50 in six state universities and colleges who receive these "stipends" under a previously little-known program of Secretary of Welfare Harry Shapiro.

State Sen. Rowland S. Mahany, who has called the arrangement unconstitutional, said, "My understanding is that the state cannot pay anyone except an employee of the Commonwealth."

Eventual adoption of the absentee voting law in the state was predicted by the Governor also. He said that in recent years the movement to get absentee voting has been growing and that more and more legislators have been favoring it. The near future should see its adoption in Pennsylvania, Leader added.

The Governor, while being introduced to the members of the business administration faculty and student leaders, mentioned that he had been in Washington yesterday testifying before a committee investigating the proposed redevelopment bill for the coal regions. (Continued on page five)

# EIWA Grind Starts At 2 in Rec Hall

By LOU PRATO

For two years Penn State's bid for the Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Association tournament title has been stymied by the one-point victories of the University of Pittsburgh.

The Lions will take the first step to break this so-called "jinx" this afternoon when the 53rd renewal of the eastern wrestling extravaganza opens at Recreation Hall.

Preliminary matches start at 2 o'clock and the quarter-finals begin at 8 p.m.

Pittsburgh—loser only to Penn State in its last 28 dual meets—is favored to haul in its fourth consecutive team title. It won the crown the first year it entered, 1954, and has been the scourge of the tournament ever since.

One hundred and thirty-seven men representing 18 schools will be shooting for individual honors.

Four winners from the 1956 tournament are back this year to defend their titles while two men

# Crash Kills Ex-student, Two Others

Anne Hilton, a former University student from Carlisle, was killed in an automobile accident Wednesday night.

Miss Hilton was a freshman in the College of Education until she left the University on Feb. 24 to transfer to Dickinson College. She was returning from an afternoon at a resort area, Pine Grove Furnace, with three other students, when their car hit a bridge abutment near Mt. Holly and tumbled into a shallow creek, according to the Associated Press.

### 2 Others Killed

Two of the other three students, J. Clifford Kelly, 21, of Bay Shore, N.Y., and Edna Carol Walton, 19, of Baltimore, Md., were killed, and the third, Francis D. Ventura Jr., 19, of Norristown, is in critical condition.

Miss Hilton lived in McAllister Hall when she was at the University.

### Was Minister's Daughter

She was the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. John G. Hilton of Carlisle. The Rev. Hilton, rector of St. Johns Episcopal Church, learned of his daughter's death at Harrisburg, where he was participating in a Lenten service.

Funeral services will be held for Miss Hilton at 10 a.m. Saturday in St. John's Episcopal Church in Carlisle.

The Rt. Rev. J. Thomas Heistand, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Harrisburg, will conduct the services.

No viewing will be held before the services.

## Cap, Gown Orders Due From Student Teachers

Today is the final day for seniors who will be student teaching during the last eight weeks of the semester, to order caps and gowns.

Orders are being taken at the Athletic Store. Seniors must give their hat sizes and leave a \$5 deposit.

## BULLETIN

Pittsburgh's all-out bid for its fourth straight EIWA tournament crown became evident late last night when the Panthers revealed a major switch in their tournament lineup.

Bill Hulings, the 1955 123-pound champion and 1956 runner-up, did not make the trip with the Pittsburghers. Instead, Coach Rex Peery made a lineup change that affects everyone but 167-pound Dave Johnson and heavyweight Ron Schirf.

The revamped lineup will see Ed Peery at 123, Vic De Felice at 130, Ted Bienkowski at 137, Bob Bubbs at 147, Bob Richardson at 157 and Jack Sventouski at 177.

who won top honors in 1955 have also returned. Ten other matmen who reached the semi-finals last year are also entered.

Coach Charley Speidel will send a full team into the fracas. Sid Nodland will be at 123, Johnny Johnston at 130, John Pepe at 137, and Dave Adams at 147.

Either Earl Poust or George Gray will get the nod at 157 with the latter also having a chance at 167 where Bruce Gilmore is tentatively set. Les Walters, 177, and Sam Markle, heavyweight, round out the Lion entries.

Penn State dominated the tournament from 1951 through 1953 with three straight team championships and seven individual crowns. But that was in the "Before Peery" era.

Coach Rex Peery's matmen copped their first title in 1954. In 1955 they squeezed by the Lions 51-50, and last year they narrowly (Continued on page seven)

# Egyptian Civil Control Re-established in Gaza

CAIRO, March 14 (AP)—Egypt re-established civil control tonight in the Gaza Strip, under the new governor assigned by the Nasser regime.

There was no indication of Egyptian troops moving on the Strip now policed by the UN Emergency Force.

The return of Egyptian administration over the Gaza Strip was regarded here as a tremendous victory for Egypt's President Gamal Abdel Nasser and a setback for Israel.

The Egyptian Middle East News Agency carried the official announcement that Maj. Gen. Mohammed Hassan Abdel Latif arrived in Gaza City with his administrative crew.

So far as could be determined, the UNEF remains the principal defense force in the Strip.

### Israeli Withdrawal

The Israelis in withdrawing just over a week ago announced they understood the Big Powers, through the UN, would prevent an Egyptian return.

Egypt had occupied the 26x8-mile strip under the 1949 armistice terms until the Israeli invasion of last October-November. Israel had bitterly denounced the step.

Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion said his country would use "all political and security steps" to prevent the Egyptian return and would give no warning of its next step.

### Strain Also Eased

Although the Egyptian move probably will increase tension in the Middle East, it perceptibly eased immediate strain between Egypt and UNEF. This tension was increased by demonstrations in Gaza last Sunday.

Egypt announced it intended to cooperate fully with UNEF as it performed its duties along the armistice line. Cairo press attacks on UNEF dwindled.

UN Undersecretary Ralph Bunche and Maj. Gen. E. L. M. Burns, UNEF commander, went to Gaza to be on hand when the new governor arrived.