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Walker Will Be Inaugurated Tomorrow as 12th President

Dr. Eric A. Walker will be formally inaugurated as the 12th president of the University at a ceremony at 11 a.m. tomorrow in Recreation Building.

Faculty, students, alumni and friends of the University will attend the program.

Three hundred invited guests at the inauguration will include representatives of other Pennsylvania colleges and universities, representatives of the State government and leaders in Pennsylvania and industry.

To enable the out-of-town guests to meet the President, a reception and luncheon for the invited guests will be held at the Hetzel Union Building following the inaugural ceremonies. Members of Hat Society Council will usher at the reception.

Walker was named by the Board of Trustees as the 12th University president more than a year ago, following the resignation of Dr. Milton S. Eisenhower, now president of the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md. He assumed the position last October.

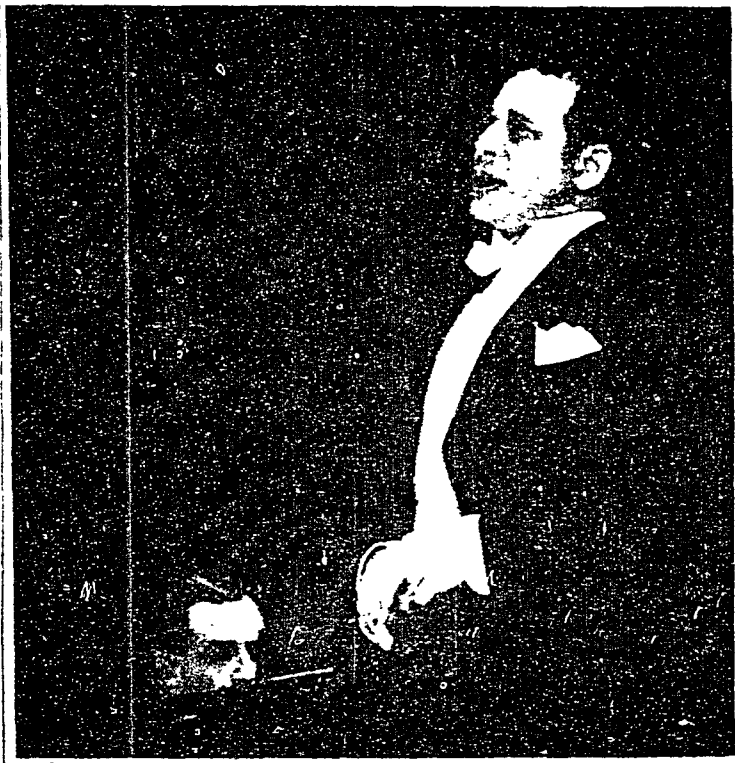
For the first time in the inauguration of a University president, a mace will be used. The mace, as a symbol of office, has been used by various governing agencies throughout history.

The mace, which will be presented to Dr. Walker by George H. Deike, president of the Board of Trustees, was made from a newel post which Jesse Pennington, retired maintenance worker, had saved from the original Old Main. It was designed by Dr. Edward L. Matfil, associate professor of art education.

It will be carried at the inaugural ceremony by David H. McKinley, University marshal, assisted by Dr. Hummel Fishburn and Dr. John B. Nesbitt, assistant University marshals. Following the induction ceremony it will be returned to the marshals, who will deposit it in the Penn State Room at the library.

The program will open with a procession of the seven participants to the rostrum, followed by the singing of the National Anthem. Frank W. Gullo will direct the singing. Organist will be George E. Ceiga.

The Rev. Dr. Luther H. Harshbarger, University chaplain, will present the invocation. Greetings will be expressed by Robert Steele, All-University president; Dr. M. Nelson McGeary, professor of political science; Eugene T. (Continued on page eight)



—Daily Collegian Photo by Harry Farminger
GEORGE LONDON, bass baritone, shown during last night's concert.

Classes Suspended For Inauguration State College Concert Group Offers Tickets

To enable students and faculty to attend the inauguration of Dr. Eric A. Walker as the University's 12th president, classes will be suspended at 10:45 a.m. tomorrow.

The inauguration will be held in Recreation Hall at 11 a.m. All 11 a.m. classes for the day will be canceled.

Childhood Ed Group To Explain Program
The Association for Childhood Education will explain its fall programs at 7 tonight in the Grange playroom. The meeting is open to students in the College if Education.

Although students have instituted their own Artists' Series, memberships in the State College Concert Association are available again to them this year.

The membership campaign will continue until noon Saturday. Approximately 600 of the \$7 series tickets are available at the headquarters across the hall from the assembly room in the Hetzel Union Building.

Dr. Robert W. Stone, head of the Department of Bacteriology and Frank T. Kocher, instructor of mathematics, are co-chairmen of the campaign.

In spite of the Artists' series, a surprising number of students have shown interest in buying memberships, according to association officials.

Membership in the association entitles one to admission to all concerts. No tickets will be sold for individual concerts.

The first program of the series will be a concert by the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra Nov. 19 in Schwab Auditorium. The Roger Wagner Chorale will present a concert April 8.

At least one, and probably two, additional concerts are planned for the year. The number of concerts, however, will depend on the membership sale. The program for the series will be completed at the close of the campaign Saturday.

Prospective members may pay the association by check or cash at the HUB desk.

EE Society to Sponsor Tutoring for Students

Eta Kappa Nu, electrical engineering society, will sponsor free tutoring for freshman and sophomore engineering students.

The series will begin 7 tonight in 220 Electrical Engineering and will continue every Wednesday night.

Respiratory Cases Reported Here, At Nearby Schools

Respiratory illnesses are sweeping schools and colleges in parts of central and western Pennsylvania, causing thousands of absences, including a number at the University.

University Hospital authorities said "quite a number" of respiratory illnesses have been reported and several persons have been detained at the infirmary. Exact figures could not be obtained.

The Associated Press last night said there is no indication any of the cases are Asiatic Flu. None of the University cases has been diagnosed as such, but the disease requires exhaustive laboratory tests taking up to two weeks.

The University Health Center yesterday exhausted its supply of Asiatic Flu vaccine for the second time in two weeks.

A total of 200 students were inoculated yesterday before the vaccine ran out.

Authorities said they expect more vaccine to arrive in a week or 10 days. A total of 636 students were inoculated before the previous supply was exhausted on Sept. 17.

Most of the illnesses reported were believed to be colds, grippe and common flu.

More than 160 of 800 students were reported stricken at Lock Haven State Teachers College, about 45 miles from the University. Tests were begun yesterday to determine whether the illness is Asiatic Flu.

An outbreak also was reported at Indiana State Teachers College.

Hardest hit, according to the Associated Press, are high schools in northern Allegheny County and southern Beaver County. Other outbreaks were reported in Westmoreland and Fayette counties.

All public schools in Monessen, Westmoreland County, were closed for the rest of the week. Nearly 1000 of 1300 senior high school pupils were absent. Inter-scholastic and intramural athletic and social events for the week were canceled.

Homestead, Uniontown and Shesango High Schools also postponed football games.

A number of teachers also have been stricken.

Elementary schools generally have escaped any serious outbreaks of illness so far.

Senior Wins Eng Post

John C. Williams, senior in agricultural engineering, from McKees Rocks, has been elected vice president of the national student branch of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers.

15 Groups Enter Ugly Man Contest

Fifteen groups—13 fraternity and two independent—have registered for the Ugly Man contest to be held Oct. 22 to 25 by Alpha Phi Omega, men's national service fraternity.

Registration, open to male members of a fraternity or independent organization, will close Monday at the Hetzel Union desk. A registration fee of \$2.50 is required.

Photographs of the Ugly Man contestants will be taken from 1 to 10 p.m. Oct. 9 and 10 at the Penn State Laundry on Beaver Avenue instead of at the Storch Motor Co. as previously reported.

Five trophies, which will be presented to the contest winners, and pictures of last year's Ugly Man contestants will be on display in the Waring Hall showcase until Sunday.

Each marching unit in the Ugly Man parade, Oct. 22, will be permitted one motor vehicle, and the vehicle must be decorated, according to a rule made by a Senate subcommittee on student affairs last year. However, hand-drawn floats will be barred from the parade this year as the subcommittee, ruling on the parade vehicles, felt that the hand-drawn floats are too dangerous as they must be taken up and down Shortlidge and Burrows Roads.

Individual campaigning will be held on the Mall from noon to 1 p.m. and from 5 to 5:30 p.m. Oct. 23 and 24. A penny-voting booth will be located on the Mall from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Oct. 22 through Oct. 24.

Matric Cards Available

Students who have not picked up their identification and activity cards may do so by 5 p.m. Friday in 4 Willard.

They will need them for Saturday's football game.

Seating Plan Announced For Four Home Games

(Illustrated on Page 2)

Ticket Manager Edward Czekaj yesterday announced the student seating arrangement for all four Penn State home football games during the 1957 season.

Seating arrangements will be:

Seniors and graduate students will sit anywhere from

section EG to section EK in the east stands of Beaver Field. These seats will extend from the 50-yard line to the goal line.

Juniors will sit anywhere in sections NM, NL, NK and one-half of section NJ—the half on the east side of the aisle. These seats are located in the end zone.

Sophomores will sit anywhere in sections NC, NB and NA. The limits of the sophomore sections are from the west of the aisle in section ND up to and including seats in the northwest of the aisle in section WK. These seats are also in the end zone.

Freshmen will sit anywhere in sections NE, NF, NG and NH. The boundaries of the freshman section extend from seats to the north of the aisle in section ND up to and including seats to the east of the aisle in section NJ.

These seats are also in the end zone.

Czekaj emphasized the fact that all student seats are reserved on a first-come, first-served basis. He also said students must use their activities-matriculation card to get into the stadium and again to get into their proper sections.

The Beaver Field seating plan will remain essentially the same as in last year, with the only exception being the seating of sophomores in the west stands of the horseshoes. The student body takes up approximately 13,744 of the total 27,820 permanent seats.

Only one ticket will be available per student, except for married students. They will be able to buy an extra ticket to entitle them to a seat in the same section as the student.

French Government Hits Worst Crisis Since 1945

PARIS, Oct. 1 (AP)—France today started dealing with what generally was agreed to be the nation's gravest crisis since World War II.

The government of Premier Maurice Bourges-Maunoury, defeated last night in a confidence vote over Algeria, was serving only until a new premier could be found.

The Algerian rebellion, after three bloody years, still had no end in sight. The franc was slipping and prices were going up. Strikes were breaking out or threatening.

As the politicians began their usual shuffle in and out of President Rene Coty's office in the quest for a solution, the man in the street seemed openly disgusted.

The realization was being brought home to many that this might not be just another government turnover like the others which have marked the 10 years since the Fourth Republic was founded. Bourges-Maunoury's government was the 23rd since the war.

Some of the questions raised were: Does the constitution really work? If it doesn't, what is to be done about it?

of a possible appeal to Gen. Charles de Gaulle, who has remained in the background since stepping down as provisional president in the early days of 1946. But his terms are high.

They call for a drastic change with establishment of a strong executive on the U.S. model. Few Frenchmen appeared ready to take that step yet.

The decision on Algeria—rejections of even partial self-rule for the country—may cause France some trouble in the United Nations, where Arab demands for Algerian independence are mounting.

Another factor contributing to Bourges-Maunoury's defeat was his austerity program to combat inflation, particularly his price-fixing measures.

Coty has begun his search for France's 24th government since World War II.