



—Collegian photo by Ron Kerr  
**PAUL M. SWEETZ**  
Authority on Marxism

### ATO Leads In Bridge Play; PiPhi Second

Alpha Tau Omega is leading with 32 points for the Fraternity Trophy of the Penn State Bridge Club.

In second place is Pi Kappa Phi with 18 points, and Alpha Epsilon Pi is in third place with 15 points.

Richard Goldberg and Craig Miller are tied for first place with 23½ points for the Graduate Student Trophy. In second place is Michael Bolgar with 20 points.

Leading for the Independent Trophy are Robert Bishop with 22 points, Dennison Fairchild with 21½ points and Raymond Wiesen with 21 points.

The winners of the bridge tournament played Thursday evening are Jack Neifert and Raymond Wiesen, North-South, Section A; Bolgar and Jed Diem, East-West, Section A.

The winners of Section B are Robert Bishop and David Goldberg, North-South; William Mount and Fairchild are tied with Carolyn Portnoy and Mathilda Scott, East-West.

There were 64 members playing in Thursday's tournament.

### Hillel to Show Film

"The Eddie Duchin Story" will be shown at 8 tonight in the Hillel Foundation auditorium.

The movie stars Tyrone Power and Kim Novak and the showing will be open to everyone.

Penn State's Armory, built in 1890, served as the University's first gym.

## Pittsburgh Editor To Address SDX

Frank N. Hawkins, associate editor and chief editorial writer for the Pittsburgh Post Gazette, will speak to the Penn State Chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, men's professional journalism fraternity, at 6:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Hawkins will speak at the fall initiation banquet following initiation ceremonies for four undergraduate and two

professional members at 4:30 p.m. at Theta Delta Chi fraternity. The banquet will be at the Autoport Restaurant.

Hawkins, who has been with the Post Gazette since 1946, began his newspaper career as a reporter for the Macon, Ga., News in the 1930's. He was named managing editor of the Macon News in 1941.

He was a reporter for the New York Herald Tribune in 1943 and 1944, and was an editorial writer for the Atlanta Journal from 1944 until he went to the Post Gazette in 1946.

Presently living in Sewickley, Hawkins is a member of the Sewickley Board of Education, and a trustee of the Pittsburgh Child Guidance Center. He is a guest lecturer at the University of Pittsburgh School of Journalism.

Undergraduates who will be initiated at Sunday's ceremony are William Deibler, junior in journalism from Altoona; George French, senior in journalism from Sewickley; Paul Scheckler, senior in journalism from Palmerton; and Wayne Schlegel, senior in journalism from Springfield.

Professional initiates are Edward J. Garrity, managing edi-

tor of the Scranton Tribune, and Kenneth P. Williams, managing editor of the Meadville Tribune.

Officers of the Penn State Chapter of Sigma Delta Chi are Louis Prato, president; Matthew Mathews, vice president; William Jaffe, secretary, and Robert Thompson, treasurer.

Sigma Delta Chi was founded at Depaw University in 1909. The organization is made up of both undergraduate and professional members who are employed in the news and editorial field, or who plan to enter the profession.

Two of the major projects of the Penn State Chapter are the publication of "Who's Who in the News," and the presentation of the annual Gridiron Banquet each Spring.

Adviser for the organization is John D. Vairo, instructor in journalism. Founder of the Penn State Chapter was Professor Franklin Banner, professor emeritus of journalism.

Last year the sale of cigarettes reached an all-time high of 22 billion packs.

### "Capitalist Society Poor"

## Lecturer Airs Marxist Views

By KATIE DAVIS

"A capitalistic society according to Marxist doctrine is a bad society because it frustrates, distorts and corrupts the human material of which it is composed," said Dr. Paul M. Sweezy, authority on Marxist economics and former professor of economics at Harvard University Thursday night.

Sweezy spoke on "The Meaning of Marxism Today." This was the first program of the Graduate School Lecture Series for the fall semester.

Sweezy said he believes that this basic criticism directed at capitalism is the most radical and most important part of the Marxist critique of our society. "A Marxist sees no direction of economic order in a capitalistic society," Sweezy said. "Everyone is for himself in a business market and men do not meet as whole persons do to satisfy their needs."

"In such a community others are used as a means to one's personal ends. The consequences of such a society reach into the levels of the individual personality and conscience. According to Marxism, a man becomes alienated from his own true self," he said.

Sweezy quoted sources from leading American economists which reflect a feeling that the United States has reached a dead end. Americans have no idea what to do with their wealth and fear facing total meaninglessness or alienation, he said.

"Americans need new values," Sweezy said. "There is a searching of aims and discovery of mo-

tives along with our increases in wealth," he continued.

Sweezy pointed out that Marx realized these deficiencies in capitalism and thought he saw how our society would be superseded by a new society.

"Marx's error was that the revolution he foresaw did not come in the western countries as he thought it would," Sweezy said. "The advanced countries of the West expanded much longer and farther," he said, "than one in the nineteenth century would have believed."

"But," Sweezy concluded, "the message of Marxism today is that capitalism's economic successes are empty until we add a new dimension to our social structure."

"Capitalism must overcome the results of fragmentation and competition and until we can do this we must suffer the consequences of an alienated society of total meaninglessness," he said.

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### Pitt to Inaugurate 3-Semester Year

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The University of Pittsburgh will inaugurate a three-semester academic year next September, it was announced Wednesday.

At the outset the 3-semester plan will operate for the freshman and sophomore classes. It gradually will be extended to upperclassmen and finally to post-graduate programs.

Under the 3-semester plan the academic year will be divided into three 15-week periods. There will be one month of vacation.

Participation in the new plan will be voluntary.

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