

Hawaii Joins Union; Becomes 50th State On Landslide Vote

WASHINGTON (AP)—Hawaii, enchanting paradise of the Pacific, won statehood yesterday.

Only a day behind the Senate, the House voted overwhelmingly to make Hawaii the 50th state. The vote was 323-89.

This "aloha" of the ballots was it, so far as Congress was

concerned—a ringing answer to Hawaii's half century of pleas and dreams for a place in the Union.

Joy and jubilation spread instantly from Washington to Honolulu, by way of an open telephone line.

The statehood bill sailed through the Senate Wednesday night, 76-15. Now it goes to President Eisenhower.

There is no question of Eisenhower's signing it, or of Hawaii's accepting its terms.

But as in the case of Alaska last year, technicalities will take time. So it may be late July, possibly October, before Hawaii becomes a state. Territorial Gov. William F. Quinn said he is inclined toward the slower schedule but others will press for fast action.

In the sisterhood of states, Hawaii will rank 47th in size, 44th in population.

Rhode Island, Delaware and Connecticut have less area than Hawaii's 6434 square miles. In population, the nearly 600,000 total in the island cluster surpasses Alaska, Nevada, Wyoming, Vermont, Delaware and New Hampshire.

As the roll-call vote in the House hit the number required for passage backers of statehood beamed, exchanged handshakes, pounded backs.

Across the hall, in Speaker Sam Rayburn's office, Quinn had a telephone line open to Acting Gov. Edward Johnston in the islands. "Sound the sirens!" he shouted. "Close the schools, and get going!"

That was the signal to touch off bonfires and fireworks and a two-day holiday.

Calming down a little, Quinn added: "Try to keep the lid on a little, Ed."

Seldom has a major bill gone through Congress with the speed of the statehood measure. Apparently there was no particular urgency at the moment. It was just that the legislative channels were comparatively clear and both parties had promised admission to Hawaii.

Campus Party's Chairman Resigns

Glorio Patsy, junior in business administration from Carlisle, has resigned for personal reasons as Campus party chairman.

Charles Steele, junior in applied art from Camp Hill, has moved up from vice chairman to chairman. Provisions for choosing a vice chairman will be made by the steering committee.

Patsy is the second political party chairman to resign in a little more than a week. The first was Howard Byers, who resigned as University party chairman.

Cold Spell Will Follow Storm's End

The vigorous storm system responsible for the largest snowfall of the winter in State College will be moving out to sea today, and partly cloudy, windy and cold weather will follow in its wake.

Roads leading into the State College area are expected to be icy with drifting snow. Roads in

All upperclass women will receive 2:00 a.m. permissions tonight and freshman women will receive 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 a.m. permissions which they may use interchangeably for tonight and tomorrow night.

the Bedford, Altoona, Somerset area as well as routes 322 and 45 are already icy, and windy weather is expected to coat the ice with snow drifts.

Heavier-than-usual incoming traffic is expected because of the Interfraternity Council-Panhellenic Ball and the accompanying "big weekend." Import date housing is permitted at many fraternity houses for the weekend.

Today's predicted relief from snow should be short-lived, since another storm is moving rapidly towards Pennsylvania from the west. This storm is considerably weaker than its predecessor and its accompanying snowfall should be light.

The snow from the new storm, which is now in the North Central states, will probably begin during this evening and continue into Saturday, and a fall of only one or two inches is expected.

Strong winds and partly cloudy skies will be the main features of today's weather. Temperatures should rise slowly to an afternoon high of 37 degrees and fall into the middle 20's tonight. Tomorrow's high will be near 40 degrees.

Dairy Queen Entries

Applications and pictures of candidates for Dairy Queen are due at the Hetzel Union desk by 5:30 p.m. tomorrow. Any independent, sorority or fraternity group, except agricultural fraternities, may sponsor an applicant.

Review

Thespians' 'Annie' a Winner On Strength of 4 or 5 Songs

By DAVE FINEMAN
Collegian City Editor

Thespians had a winner in "Annie Get Your Gun" last night—all because of four or five good numbers.

What the show lacked in punch and movement was made up by three barrelfuls by the star, Bryna Nelson ("Doin' What Comes Natchurally," "Can't Get a Man with a Gun" and "Moonshine Lullaby"), a charming duet in the second act by Connie Adler and Robert McLean and the final

rendering by the whole cast of "There's No Biz Like Show Biz."

Director Ted Pauloski's aim was good when he put Miss Nelson in the lively role of Annie, the starry-but-sure-eyed country girl who finds out she needs to unset her sights to hit the target with Frank Butler.

Joe Bohart, as Frank Butler, seems a little unsure of himself and strains much too much for his songs to come over. Bohart looks the part, but he's paid too little attention to his singing.

McLean is the top male voice of the show—his "Who Do You

Love, I Hope," with Miss Adler, is one of the production's high points. He has a fine voice and a good sense of what must be done.

The dance numbers—usually a high spot in Thespians productions—appear to need a bit of work, especially the choreography in "I'm a Bad, Bad Man," which needs a lot of pickup in tempo. It gives the feeling of slowing down the whole show, and the effect last too long.

In one instance—the "Drum

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Assembly to Begin With April Elections

Will Act As Interim Body

By CATHY FLECK

All-University Cabinet last night approved a legislative assembly of 42 students, 20 of whom will be elected through classes in this spring's elections.

According to the proposed reorganization constitution approved for the second time last night by Cabinet, 3 sophomores, 6 juniors and 9 seniors, plus the junior and senior class presidents, will be elected by the student body in April for implementation.

The bloc of student councils fighting representation by classes in the proposed Student Government Association assembly will probably resolve the dispute without further amendments to the plan.

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The additional 18 members plus the freshman and sophomore class presidents will be elected next fall. The senior class representatives will comprise 29 per cent of the assembly membership; junior representatives, 26 per cent; sophomore representatives 24 per cent; and freshman representatives, 21 per cent.

Until next fall's elections, members elected in the spring will sit as an interim body. Following the elections the assembly will assume full powers as specified in the constitution.

Daniel Thalmer, chairman of the reorganization committee, explained to Cabinet members that through this electoral system, the members elected in the spring will have a few months to organize the assembly in order for it to become completely operative in the fall.

Each political party will nominate a number of candidates equal to 70 per cent of the number of seats to be filled except when there are three or fewer seats to be filled excluding the class presidents.

The presidents of the freshman and sophomore classes will sit in the assembly until

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—Collegian Photo by Lance Liebl

BE GOOD OR I'LL SNOW YOU—Gertrude Barth, freshman in education from Fredonia, N.Y. threatens Samuel Bowman, sophomore in business administration from Pittsburgh. Yesterday's snowfall of 8 inches blanketed the entire Centre County area.

Panhel Seeks Aid in Protest

Hundreds of letters from irate parents of sorority members and loyal sorority alumnae may soon join the letter that Panhellenic Council sent to President Eric A. Walker yesterday protesting a cutback in sorority housing space.

Following a suggestion by Shirley Pittman, president of Kappa Kappa Gamma, at an emergency Panhellenic Council meeting Wednesday night, sorority representatives agreed to contact parents and alumni in an effort to bring on a barrage of letters asking that sororities be given a chance to come up with what they feel is a more equitable housing plan.

Miss Pittman said members of her sorority had already made arrangements for their parents and alumnae to write Walker. She asked that all other sororities do the same.

In the meantime, Phyllis Mus-

kat, president of Panhel, said yesterday that Walker had turned the matter over to Robert G. Bernreuter, special assistant to the president for student affairs, and to Albert Diem, vice president in charge of business administration, for further study.

Miss Muskat said Walker told her Bernreuter and Diem would meet with representatives of the Department of Housing and sororities and discuss the situation. He said, however, that nothing could be done before Monday.

Copies of the petition which went to Walker were also sent to members of the housing department. Bernreuter and the

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'Dark Horse' Lions At EIWA Tourney

By LOU PRATO
Sports Editor

Penn State's youthful wrestling team has been tabbed as the dark horse in the 55th annual Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Association tournament which opens at Cornell University in Ithaca, N.Y. this afternoon.

Coach Charlie Speidel's well-balanced aggregation is rated just behind co-favorites Pittsburgh and Lehigh and on par with host Cornell in the 16-team battle for the coveted title.

Speidel, who never used the same lineup twice during the dual season, is set to go with the starting array that finished the regular campaign in a 15-9 loss to once-beaten Pitt.

Only one senior is included in the group. That's 177-pound entry George Gray, a third place eastern finisher at 167 last year. Gray is 5-1-1 for the season.

The rest of the lineup will have Don Wilson (5-1) at 123, Dan Johnston (5-1) at 130, Guy Gu-

ccione (2-1-1) at 137, Sam Minor (7-1) at 147, Neil Turner (3-2) at 157, Hank Barone (4-2-2) at 167, and Johnston Oberly (2-3-2) at heavyweight. Turner and Oberly are sophomores and the rest are juniors.

Guccione was another Nittany place winner in last year's EIWA circus at Pittsburgh. He copped second in the 137-pound bracket, losing to Lehigh's Joe Gratto in the finals.

Minor is given the best chance to bring home an individual crown from this year's 2-day at-

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