

Mostly sunny today with temperatures rising to the mid thirties this afternoon. Partly cloudy tonight and tomorrow. Low tonight near 20. High tomorrow near 35. Weekend outlook: (still a guess) little change from the present pattern.

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The World

U.S. Jets Attempt To Free Khe Sanh Base

DA NANG, Vietnam — History's most concentrated aerial bombing campaign is underway around the U.S. Marine base at Khe Sanh in an effort to break the Communist siege ring, a qualified U.S. Air Force source said yesterday.

Although large numbers of North Vietnamese troops and supply and ammunition dumps have been presumably destroyed, Communist pressure on the base 14 miles south of the demilitarized zone builds steadily.

Some Marine officers believe that without the mighty bombing campaign, Khe Sanh already would be untenable. Only 5,000 Marines face a force of perhaps 20,000 North Vietnamese regulars.

In the past month, Air Force, Navy and Marine fighter-bombers have flown more than 7,000 sorties against the Communist positions around Khe Sanh. More than 85 B52 missions of up to nine planes each have rained bombs into the surrounding mountains.

Meanwhile, U.S. Marine jets poured rockets, napalm and tear gas yesterday against North Vietnamese troops holed up in Hue's walled Citadel in another phase of the American air campaign.

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Unarmed Navy Plane Shot Down By Chinese

WASHINGTON — Red Chinese MIG aircraft attacked two unarmed American planes which strayed near Communist Hainan Island Tuesday night. One was shot down, the other fled to Da Nang, South Vietnam.

The Pentagon, announcing this yesterday, said the two U.S. Navy propeller-driven A1 Skyraiders inadvertently strayed into Hainan's airspace because of navigational difficulties.

Peking Radio, in a broadcast monitored in Tokyo charged the United States with carrying out "war provocations."

"Navy pilots of the People's Liberation Army immediately dealt a heavy blow and shot down one of them and damaged the other," Peking said.

At the Pentagon, Asst. Secretary of Defense Phil G. Goulding said he did not know whether the second plane which escaped had been damaged or whether its pilot was injured.

Goulding said this pilot "reports he last saw the other plane in a vertical dive and smoking."

The Pentagon's chief spokesman made a point of saying two or three times he would not discuss the fate of the lost man. Some took this as a suggestion that search-and-rescue operations might be under way off Hainan's coast.

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The Nation

Bethlehem Steel To Acquire Mining Company

WILMINGTON, Del. — Bethlehem Steel Co. will acquire Cerro Corp., a mining firm, in a stock transfer valued at \$285 million, under plans approved by shareholders of both companies yesterday.

Bethlehem stockholders' meeting here, approved a change in their charter authorizing a new issue of 20 million shares of a new class of stock and the exchange of 7.1 million of the new share for Cerro stock.

Cerro shareholders met in New York. For each share of Cerro, stockholders will receive one share of Bethlehem's new \$2.80 series A convertible preferred stock.

The new stock, paying \$2.80 in dividends a year, may be converted any time to 1.33 shares of Bethlehem common. Bethlehem common closed yesterday at 30.

At yesterday's meeting Edmund F. Martin, Bethlehem's chairman and chief executive officer, said the Internal Revenue Service already has approved the tax aspects of the proposed purchase.

He said the Justice Department is now studying the proposed acquisition.

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Johnson Asks \$2 Billion for Riot Prevention

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. — President Johnson, in a move to meet the threat of rioting in the nation's cities, will ask Congress for \$2 billion to clear slums and build low-income housing, an informed AFL-CIO labor source said yesterday.

"It's going to be a terrific housing message," said one source. Johnson will probably send the housing message to Congress next week, or by the end of the month at the latest, he added.

Johnson will ask Congress for \$1 billion to expand the now largely experimental model cities program into large-scale rebuilding of big city slums, the source said.

The President will propose another \$1 billion to immediately expand construction of low-income units from about 50,000 a year now to 250,000.

The presidents of 18 AFL-CIO building trades unions Tuesday pledged their help in solving labor problems stemming from the proposed federal housing program. They also promised to work actively with civil rights groups to recruit Negro youths into their 8,500 union locals across the nation.

This was a sharp turnaround for the building trades, which for years have been the target of racial discrimination complaints.

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The State

ConCon Restricts Tax Concessions

HARRISBURG — The Constitutional Convention, in a surprise move, voted last night to revamp a proposal that would have permitted special tax breaks for private industrial and commercial development projects.

Delegates approved, 123-4, an amended version of the plan restricting tax concessions to industrial development projects sponsored by nonprofit corporations.

The convention had approved Herman Buck's original proposal on Monday, over the objections of several delegates that it would benefit private speculators.

In other developments, the convention rejected 15 proposed amendments to a lengthy proposal of the Local Government Committee.

Earlier, delegates had approved an amendment requiring the establishment of the appointive office of public defender in all Pennsylvania counties.

The proposal, introduced by House Minority Whip K. Leroy Irvis (D-Allegheny) an ex-officio delegate, was adopted on a 75-60 vote. The adoption followed rejection of a proposed amendment that would have made public defenders elected, constitutional officers.

The local government proposal was the sixth of seven committee packages the convention had to consider before it completes its work of revising four key sections of the state's 94-year-old charter.

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'I'm a Penn State Lover!'

THUS PROCLAIMS a happy little red and white button being promoted by Students for State to help stamp out campus apathy. The Collegian wonders what the button will do for campus promiscuity! See story on page 8.

Greek College Bowl Continues Tonight

By MARGE COHEN
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The third round of preliminary competition for the Greek Week College Bowl will begin at 6:45 tonight in 215 Hetzel Union Building.

Teams participating in tonight's eliminations will be Delta Theta Sigma and Tau Epsilon Phi vs. Kappa Kappa Gamma and Phi Sigma Sigma, and Delta Gamma and Alpha Sigma Alpha vs. Phi Gamma Delta and Phi Sigma Kappa.

Also, Tau Kappa Epsilon and Acacia will face Alpha Xi Delta and Phi Mu, and Kappa Delta and Delta Delta Delta will go against Triangle and Sigma Alpha Mu.

College Bowl Co-Chairmen Julie Conover and Lew Hirsch expressed their satisfaction with the matches held for the last two nights. They said that the competitions "went very smoothly."

These preliminary eliminations will produce the teams for the semi-finals to be held next Monday. The 4-member teams, consisting of representatives

from two sororities and two fraternities, are competing in 30-minute matches, facing questions ranging from science to liberal arts to trivia.

Questions for the matches

IFC Still Looking For Replacement

A replacement for Godfrey Cambridge for Sunday's "Greek Week-'68" Concert is yet to be found. Interfraternity Council Concert Chairman Fred Kirschner said last night that he is still waiting for replies from six comedians who were asked to fill the vacancy left by Cambridge.

Cambridge cancelled his appearance through an "act of God" clause in his contract with the IFC and the Panhellenic Council, sponsors of the concert. He is being hospitalized in Mt. Sinai Hospital in New York City for pneumonia.

The Young Rascals, billed with Cambridge for the concert will appear even if another comedian cannot be signed, Kirschner said.

were compiled by the General Electric College Bowl of national television. The trivia, however, is the innovation of the Greek Week College Bowl Committee. Judging of the answers is being done by professors from various departments of the University.

The finals for the College Bowl will be held Friday, Feb. 23rd, when plaques will be awarded to the winning team and to the first and second runners-up.

Winners of the competition held Tuesday night were Kappa Delta and Delta Delta Delta, Triangle and Sigma Alpha Mu, Phi Delta Theta and Sigma Chi, Acacia and Tau Kappa Epsilon, Alpha Xi Delta and Phi Mu defeating Alpha Phi Delta and Alpha Kappa Lambda, and Delta Zeta and Zeta Tau Alpha defeating Theta Delta Chi and Trieta Psi.

The winning teams from last night's matches were Lambda Chi Alpha and Sigma Phi; Kappa Sigma and Chi Lambda Phi; Zeta Beta Tau and Phi Sigma Delta.

Haas at the Jawbone

Professor Accuses Greeks Of 'De Facto Discrimination'

By BARBARA BLOM
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A University professor of sociology last night accused Penn State's Greek system of "operating in blatant contradiction of the goals of the University, such as better citizenship and brotherhood."

John W. Haas, speaking at the Jawbone Coffee House, 415 E. Foster Ave., said that fraternities and sororities take part in what he called "de facto discrimination."

Haas charged the Administration and the Greeks with "hiding their heads in the sand" and refusing to face the issue. He said that while fraternities and sororities "serve a useful function, especially in the setting of this University, they establish arbitrary criteria for membership which just shouldn't be, especially in an academic environment. These criteria band 'likes' together in a way that tends to encourage the continuation of stereotypic

thinking. "Sociologists have found that one tends to attribute generalized characteristics to those in groups outside of one's own," Haas stated. "Prejudice, therefore, is an outgrowth of the fraternity system."

"In light of the radical changes taking place right now in our society, the fraternity system as it is organized here is anachronistic."

He said that while the problem resulting from racial segregation are being tackled in the country, the University is the last place where the issue should be ignored.

Haas challenged fraternities and sororities to change their "discriminatory practices." He then appealed to the Administration to exert "further pressure than it has to date."

According to Melvyn S. Klein, assistant to the dean of men, there is no "de jure" discrimination in Penn State's system.

Klein pointed out that the Faculty Senate on Jan. 9, 1962, approved the following policy regarding the removal of restrictive membership clauses from the charters of fraternities, sororities, and other social organizations:

"After June 30, 1965, any social organization which has restrictive clauses still unrepealed shall be required to become inactive until the restrictive qualifications for membership are eliminated."

In response to a request from the Office of Student Affairs, the national offices for all fraternities here sent a statement that they do not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, or national origin.

Klein indicated that while discrimination is not part of the fraternity system at Penn State, at least as regards fraternity constitutions, the social nature of a fraternity tends to encourage the "perpetuation of a particular self-image among its members."

Korea Demands U.S. Withdrawal

PANMUNJOM, Korea (AP) — North Korea told the Americans yesterday that there will be war unless "you take your bloody hands off Korea and withdraw from South Korea."

Maj. Gen. Pak Chung Kook of North Korea was replying to a U.S. charge at an Armistice Commission meeting that the Communists had sent commandos into Seoul to try to murder President Chung Hee Park Jan. 21 and had committed 73 other serious violations of the truce in the past 44 days.

"The decision whether there is peace or hostility depends upon the whim of an apparently irresponsible North Korea," declared Rear Adm. John V. Smith, senior U.N. Armistice Commission representative.

"Your side can have peace merely by unilaterally stopping acts of aggression. You must stop dispatching armed murderers into the Republic of Korea."

Glaring at Smith, Pak replied: "We don't want war, but we are not afraid of it."

He said North Korea would match build-up for build-up and blow for blow and if it came to that "all-out war with all-out war."

This was an open meeting of the commission. The subject of the intelligence ship Pueblo, seized by the North Koreans Jan. 23, came up only incidentally. The Pueblo has been discussed at secret meetings between the United States and North Korea.

Pak brought up the Pueblo, saying the United States was taking advantage of the incident to make "full preparations for war."

Cyrus R. Vance, the envoy sent by President Johnson to try to smooth over relations with South Korea, put to a strain by the secret negotiations at Panmunjom, again postponed his departure for Washington.

The South Koreans have complained that the United States was paying too much attention to the Pueblo incident and not enough to North Korea's threats to South Korea's security. They also do not like the secret talks, from which South Korea has been excluded.

Vance was to have left Seoul Tuesday after two days of talks with Park, Premier Chung Ilkwon and other officials. Now he has extended his stay until Thursday at least, indicating he has been unable so far to placate the government.

Informed Korean sources said South Korea wanted the United States to warn North Korea it would join South Korea in retaliation against any Communist provocative acts. But they reported Vance replied that U.S. retaliation must depend on the nature of the acts.

The sources said the government was also unsuccessful in having some units of the 560,000-man South Korean army released from U.S. operational control. Such control has been maintained although the armistice halted fighting in the Korean War in 1953.

No Go for San Antonio Formula

Hanoi Rejected All Offers For Settlement, Says Rusk

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Dean Rusk said yesterday that a Communist North Vietnam has thus far rejected President Johnson's San Antonio formula for a peaceful settlement of the Vietnam war.

In a statement Rusk said that "I must report that all explorations to date have resulted in a rejection."

The United States, Rusk continued, is "not interested in propaganda gestures whose purpose is to mislead and confuse; we will be interested in a serious move toward peace when Hanoi comes to the conclusion that it is ready to move in that direction."

"Hanoi knows how to get in touch with us," the statement noted.

Robert J. McCloskey, press officer for the State Department,

read the Secretary's statement to reporters.

Asked whether the statement was drafted with Rusk knowing what was in the most recent peace feelers through U.N. Secretary General U Thant and Italian foreign minister Amintore Fanfani, McCloskey replied that the statement "takes into account everything we know."

Rusk's statement said it was issued in reply to questions on "the connection between the possibility of negotiations for a peaceful settlement in Vietnam and the military operations now in progress."

The San Antonio formula to which Rusk referred was contained in a speech Johnson made in the Texas city Sept. 29, 1967.

That speech set out that the

United States "is willing to stop all aerial and naval bombardment of North Vietnam when this will lead promptly to productive discussions."

It continued: "We of course assume that while discussions proceed North Vietnam would not take advantage of the bombing cessation or limitation."

Officials said the Rusk statement yesterday constituted the report of the administration up to the moment—in fulfillment of assurances President Johnson gave that there would be a report on the outcome of explorations of Hanoi's position.

Rusk said that "at no time has Hanoi indicated publicly or privately that it will refrain from taking military advantage of any cessation of the bombing of North Vietnam."

Vietnam Peace Distant, Thant Says After Talks

PARIS (AP) — U.N. Secretary-General U Thant conferred yesterday with a North Vietnamese diplomat and came away convinced that peace in Vietnam is as far away as ever, informed sources said.

After a 75-minute meeting with Mai Van Bo, head of the North Vietnamese delegation in Paris, Thant was said to believe the positions of North Vietnam and the United States were too far apart to hope for any early peace conference.

Later, Thant saw President Charles de Gaulle, a critic of U.S. policy in Vietnam. Both agreed that negotiations on Vietnam "are not for tomorrow," the sources said.

Politics Too Complex

Thant was said to feel the political situation in Vietnam was too complex to be settled by negotiations with the United States, even with a South Vietnamese representative at the American side. He reportedly insisted on the importance of the National Liberation Front, the political arm of the Viet Cong, whose role in eventual negotiations has been challenged by the Saigon government.

It was also emphasized during Thant's talks that Red Chinese influence in Hanoi, the North Vietnamese capital, was discouraging whatever sentiment there was in North Vietnam for negotiation, the sources said.

Thant was to have returned to New York from London Tuesday night after a peace mission that also took him to India

and the Soviet Union. He suddenly canceled his flight and came to Paris after spending the night in London.

Nguyen Van Sao, a North Vietnamese newsman, told other reporters in London that at Thant's request he helped to set up the session with Bo in Paris.

Ask Terms for Peace

Sao said the meeting primarily was to permit Thant to receive answers to questions he submitted to the North Vietnamese regime last week through North Vietnam's consul general in New Delhi. These questions were said to relate to Hanoi's terms for a peace conference.

After his talk with Thant, Bo quickly contacted his government, sources said.

In London, British authorities said they were disenchanted with Thant's views disclosed in talks he held Tuesday with Prime Minister Harold Wilson and Foreign Secretary George Brown. They reported Wilson and Brown disagreed with Thant's approach.

Thant is taking the view that if the bombing of North Vietnam halts he is satisfied that peace talks will follow within three or four weeks.

Wilson and Brown backed the formula President Johnson set up in a speech in San Antonio—an offer for a bombing halt if Hanoi would agree to prompt talks and would refrain from building up its military power in South Vietnam. North Vietnam has dismissed the proposal.

USG To Vote on Revision Act

By DENNIS STIMELING
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The controversial Constitution Investigation Committee Act of 1968 will be ready for a vote at the Undergraduate Student Government meeting tonight.

The purpose of this act is to establish a congressional committee to investigate the current constitution of USG. The committee would examine the structure, function and powers of the executive, legislative and judicial branches of USG and would recommend any necessary changes.

The committee, composed of six area congressmen and six ex-officio officers, would be headed by USG Vice President Jon Fox. Recommendations and suggestions by the committee would be presented at next week's congressional meeting.

The proposal, submitted by Terry Klasky, Harvey Reeder and Dave Vinikoor, has been praised by President Jeff Long as "long overdue." Several USG members, including the bill's sponsors and Long, expressed the hope that this bill will result in the elimination of several ex-officio officers and their replacement by area representatives.

'Revision Necessity'

Reeder indicated that the committee would seek the help of faculty members, student leaders and administration officials in making recommendations to USG. He added

that "constitutional revision is a necessity to change the current outdated structure of USG."

In other action, USG will discuss a bill which would provide financial aid to students who are charged with civil crimes and cannot pay the bail for their release.

The bill leaves establishment of guidelines for the program to the Legal Awareness Committee. Jon Fox, one of the bill's co-authors, said that if the bill is passed "funds will be allocated from the USG treasury for students involved in civil cases where bail has been set and the student is unable to pay. Too long USG has ignored this type of case. Hopefully they will now take action."

Long commented, "This bill will test the sentiment of the Congress on this idea. It is a very good idea."

Voter Age Resolution

The third major bill up for consideration at tonight's meeting calls for a resolution proposing a change in Pennsylvania's voting age.

The bill's co-sponsors, Long and Faith Tanney, Association of Women Students president, called upon USG to recommend to Governor Shafer and other state leaders that the voting age be lowered to 18 from the present 21.

The bill cites several reasons for supporting such a resolution. It is claimed that 64% of the American people feel the voting age should be lowered to 18. In four states the legal age is under 21, raising a question of voter equality in the remaining 46 states.

Many men between 18 and 21 are currently serving in the armed forces. The bill asserts that if a man is old enough to fight and die for his country, he is old enough to help select the leaders of that country.

'May Happen Soon'

Long called this "an extremely important issue. It (lowering the voting age) is going to happen in this state very soon. It may even happen in the United States Congress."

If adopted, the resolution will be sent to President Johnson, Shafer, Senators Scott and Clark, all Pennsylvania representatives in Congress, and all state legislators. In addition, letters would be sent to all colleges and universities in the state urging them to adopt a similar resolution.

Other legislation for tonight includes a bill extending the terms of USG officers to the ninth week of spring term rather than the current expiration date of the fifth week. Another bill would establish the mechanism to enable USG to send delegates to various conferences and seminars deemed helpful to the student body or student government.

On other matters, Long announced that Ellena Cletti will be installed tonight as the new congressman from North Halls. Also, James K. Keford will be named as head of a committee to lead USG's fight against the proposed \$100 tuition hike.