



Becoming mostly sunny and warmer today. High 60. Cool tonight; low 40. Mostly sunny and warmer tomorrow. High near 75. Thursday, partly sunny and continued unseasonably warm... but who would protest winter's delay?

## Gerson Asks For Large Turnout

# USG Elections Begin; 33 Compete

By DAVID NESTOR  
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The Undergraduate Student Government elections for area congressmen and the freshman class president begin today. Thirty-three candidates are vying for 23 congressional seats in the elections, which will be held through Thursday.

There are eight candidates for the freshman class presidency.

USG Elections Commissioner Steve Gerson said he is hoping for a very large turnout at the polls.

### Replies To Letter

"We are hoping that everyone on campus will vote in these elections to show the Administration that USG really

does speak for the student body," Gerson said.

In regard to a letter that appeared in the Daily Collegian saying that Nittany Halls should have two USG representatives because of its population, Gerson said that in all of Nittany, Shunk and Porter there is not one person willing to run for congress.

Gerson said that the students in this area could show that they really want to be represented by turning out a large vote.

Whoever gets the most write-in votes from this area will be the new representative, Gerson explained. There will be no names on the ballots in this area, but Gerson said that this should not prevent

the students from having a congressman.

Students living in residence halls may vote in their respective living areas between 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

There are two polling places in East Halls, one in Johnston Hall and one in Findlay Union Building.

Fraternity men and town residents may vote between 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. on the ground floor of the Hetzel Union Building and at voting booths at the foot of the Mall.

Gerson said that all fraternity men, both brothers and pledges, must vote only for the fraternity representative. Fraternity men living out of the house, either in

town or in a residence hall, must vote at the booth in the HUB or the one on the Mall.

Gerson said that in areas using paper ballots, votes will be invalid unless the voters tear off the number from the bottom of the ballot and deposit both the ballot and the number in the ballot box.

### List of Candidates

In addition to the one area which has no candidate, there are seven areas in which the candidates are running unopposed. In South, Pollock A, Pollock C, West A and North halls there is only one candidate and in East A and East C there are two candidates for two congress seats each.

The following is a complete list of the candidates and the areas from which they are running:

South Halls, one representative, Toni Benedict; Pollock A (Hartranft, Mifflin, Beaver), one Al Rubenfield; Pollock B (Shunk, Nittany, Porter), no candidate; Pollock C (Schulze, Wolf, Riner, Heister), one, Laura Wertheimer; Simmons-McElwain, one Judy Rubin and Mary Ann Ryan; West A (Hamilton, Thompson), one, Dennis Stimeles; West B (McKee, Watts, Irvin, Jordan), one, Barbara Mizik and Jeffery Shear.

East A (Tener, Sproul, Brumbaugh, Pinchot, Geary), two Aron Arbittler and Tom Ritchey; East B (Curtin, Packer,

Bigler, Pennypacker), one, Bette Jean Corson and Libby Hegyes; East C (Hastings, Stuart, Snyder, Stone, McKean), two, Patricia Noll and Regina Stehahn; North, one Alan Krivoy.

Fraternity, four, George Beighley, Robert Brinley, Hank Millman, Jim Sandman, George Strachan and Fred Westphal; town, six, Marty Finan, Terry Klasky, Bob Lachman, Don Paule, Ken Rodgers, Lee Simmons, Norman Schwartz, Dexter Thompson, Barry Todd and Richard Wynn.

The eight candidates for freshman class president are Gary D'Orazio, Robert Kepler, Steve Mackin, Roger Melott, George Rampulla, Don Rappaport, Robert Simon and Dave Still.

## Elections Begin For TIM Council

Election of Town Independent Men Council seats begins today. Thirty-five candidates are vying for the 21 available council seats.

Voting booths are located on the ground floor of the Hetzel Union Building and at the foot of the Mall. The polls will be open today, tomorrow and Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

The candidates are: Mitchell A. Abrams, Donald P. Andrews, Edward J. Beckwith, James Benardo, Gary Bongartz, Steven J. Brett, Ronald Carelli, Thomas R. Clark, Bob Connel, Edward C. Dizenzo, Jr., Stuart Goldberg, Thomas J. Green.

Scott Hildebrand, Linda Kauffman, Robert Krajci, Bob Lachman, Robert J. Lobb, Frank C. Lordi, Donald Musa, Fred Noll, Don Paule, Robert V. Reago, Giacoma Restuccia, Susan "Dusty" Rhodes.

David C. Rhoads, Elliott H. Sacks, Bruce A. Sauerwine, Richard C. Schreep, Steven A. Smallow, Michael Spitz, Dexter M. Thompson, Jr., Barry Todd, Marilyn Warnick, Garry Wamser and Wendy E. Weintraub.



## Homecoming Role MRC Looks At Constitution

By DIANE LEWIS  
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Men's Residence Council presented two bills calling for constitutional changes, discussed the role of MRC in Homecoming and announced three new appointments at last night's meeting.

The first bill presented to the Council last proposed a revision in Article III, Section C, of the constitution under eligibility of office. The bill, which MRC passed in the first of two consecutive meetings, replaces the original constitutional requirements of candidates having at least a 2.2 all-U, a 2.4 previous term average and a 2.0 while holding office, with a general requirement that they be "in good standing with the University."

The bill passed unanimously with one abstention. According to constitutional voting procedures, the bill must be voted on at two consecutive meetings before it is enacted as a part of the constitution.

### Election Bill Tabled

The second MRC bill calling for constitutional change in election of officers, was tabled until the next meeting. Under the present system, executive officers are elected by the voting members of the legislature. The amendment proposes that the executive officers (president, vice president and secretary-treasurer) be elected by the area house presidents.

Discussion on the proposal concerned the question of whether the house presidents were involved enough in MRC affairs to be given the responsibility of electing the executives. MRC President Gene Cavallucci said the purpose of the constitutional change was to "strengthen the role of the house presidents."

Cavallucci said it was a matter of bringing the elections closer to the area house presidents.

In other action, the chairman of the MRC Homecoming Committee, Harold Sokolov, reported to the Council the compromises reached with Jon Fox, chairman of the Homecoming Committee. Sokolov said MRC should work to make Homecoming a "truly all-campus event."

### Lists Compromises

"I'm tired of hearing that IFC (Inter-Fraternity Council) does all the work so why shouldn't they get all the credit," he said. The compromises give the men in residence halls the right to use residence halls windows to compete in the judging the right for each house to sponsor its queen and the opportunity for more banners to be displayed in the Hetzel Union Building.

Cavallucci also announced three new appointments. They are Bob Shafter, a Pollock Tribunal Chairman, as executive vice president; Bob Cavallucci, house president in Pollock, as MRC supreme court justice; and John Bowders, East Halls treasurer, as publicity chairman.

The next MRC meeting will be held Oct. 21 at which time the Senate subcommittee investigating the residence hall visitation bill, will give a report of its research.

## After Homecoming Game

# West Point Cadets To Visit Fraternities

Eight hundred cadets from the U.S. Military Academy will be permitted to attend fraternity social functions after the Homecoming game on Nov. 2.

At an Interfraternity Council meeting last night, IFC Adviser Mel Kline announced that he had received a call yesterday afternoon from West Point requesting that the cadets be given fraternity privileges. The Council voted to open the houses to the cadets after 9 p.m.

The decision to invite the cadets to parties will rest with each chapter house.

Cpl. Fred Dailey of the State College Police Department explained the new borough ordinance which classifies fraternity houses as public dwellings. He said that in spite of the new classification, fraternity houses could be entered for search only if a warrant is presented or if "there is a disorder that could be considered a breach of the peace."

The IFC Scholarship Concert with Lou Rawls and Godfrey Cambridge will be held Nov. 9. Concert Chairman Bob Broda said. Entertainment for the Jan. 26 Greek Week Concert has not yet been booked. "It could be anything from the Temptations to Sergio Mendes," he said.

## The professor ...

KENNETH H. WODTKE, associate professor of psychology and education, was one of five faculty members to speak at Sunday's Free Speech Movement meeting. He announced the formation of a Committee for University Reform which will meet at noon tomorrow in the HUB banquet room.

## ... and the student

REPRESENTING STUDENTS protesting alleged high rent and poor living conditions in apartments owned by State College landlord Shiu-Chuan Sun, Vincent Franklin claimed "all of you are subjected to a general gyp" and urged student support of a rent strike.

## from the associated press

# News From the World, Nation & State

## Heat Only Enemy Found at Khe Sanh

SAIGON — A combined force of 3,000 U.S. Marines and 1,500 South Vietnamese infantrymen swept around the abandoned Leatherneck base of Khe Sanh, but they found no enemy yesterday except the heat.

Associated Press correspondent John Wheeler reported that the allies' only casualties were felled by heat exhaustion as they hacked their way through dense jungle.

Elements of the 3rd Marine Division established Forward Fire Base Nanking on the site of their old Khe Sanh battleground, where 250 Leathernecks died and 2,500 were wounded in a 71-day siege that was lifted in April. The base was abandoned in June in favor of a more mobile Marine striking force in the northern provinces.

U.S. spokesmen said Nanking was a temporary fire base, set up only to secure the Khe Sanh Valley. They stressed that the Marines do not intend to stay there.

that step which will lead to the creation of a coalition government, paving the way for Communist takeover by political means," said Thieu.

Reiterating his conditions for peace, Thieu said Hanoi "has to acknowledge its aggression against South Vietnam and must agree to end that aggression."

"The most reasonable way to end the war is for both sides to scale down the level of hostilities, leading gradually to a cease-fire effectively controlled and guaranteed."

## Irish Leader Refuses Meeting with Wilson

LONDON — Northern Ireland's prime minister was invited yesterday to confer at No. 10 Downing St. on the savage weekend rioting in Londonderry. But he turned his back on Prime Minister Harold Wilson and hurried home.

Capt. Terence O'Neill was visiting Britain when the riots erupted. Wilson invited the Northern Ireland leader to London for talks. O'Neill preferred to see his cabinet first and returned to Belfast. A cabinet meeting is scheduled there today.

The British government has only limited power to intervene. The official line in Belfast is that London must stay out of Northern Ireland's affairs.

## France Urges End to Czech Occupation

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. — France declared yesterday that only an end to the Soviet military occupation of Czechoslovakia could remove bars to East-West cooperation in the search for world peace.

In a policy speech to the 125-nation United Nations General Assembly Michel Debre, the French foreign minister, described the Soviet-led invasion of Czechoslovakia as "another dark day in postwar history."

He asserted that, without an East-West detente, peace is impossible in Europe and the world, and added: "There is no detente that can accommodate itself to occupation troops stationed by force."

## State Senate Contest Nears Resolution

YORK, Pa. — York County citizens are due to learn who represents them in the Senate when the results of a long-contested election are announced, probably today.

The York County Board of Elections has 39 more votes to count before it determines whether Robert Beers or Henry Leader will represent the 28th district in the state senate.

## Police Seize Drugs; 3 Students Arrested

Three University students were arrested early yesterday morning on charges of possession and use of marijuana in an apartment in Bluebell.

The defendants, Larry Dalton (10th-science-Philadelphia), Marvin H. Gold (7th-liberal arts-Philadelphia) and Raymond Sirchie (7th-arts and architecture-Conshohocken) were arraigned before State College Justice of the Peace Guy Mills yesterday.

The three defendants waived hearing and Mills set their bail at \$250 each. They are now out on bail. Mills said

that the students were "bound over to Centre County Court."

Gold told the Collegian, "we're not sure if we're going to stick with the idea of waiving the hearing. But the authorities are under the impression that we are. I am glad to get out of that jail, though. It's a hell of a place and it's so small."

State College police entered the apartment with a search warrant. They found five containers of marijuana, (approximately half a pound), a pipe and a cigarette rolling machine.