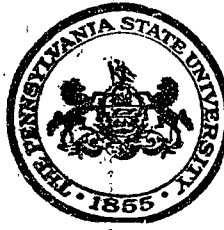


Fog and low cloudiness dissipating this morning followed by sunny and milder this afternoon. High near 65. Clear and cool to night with ground fog possible by morning. Low near 40. Partly sunny and warmer tomorrow. High near 70.

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### Early Results

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Pollock A (no results) Al Rubenfield	East C (final) Patricia Noll—170 Regina Stepahn—178	Norman Schwartz—380 Lee Simmons—316 Dexter Thompson—432 Barry Todd—318 Richard Wynn—311
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### Winners Discuss Aims; Mellott Frosh President

**By DAVID NESTOR and ALLAN YODER**  
*Collegian Staff Writers*

Results of the Fall Term Undergraduate Student Government elections were announced at 10:30 last night in the ballroom of the Hetzel Union Building.

Elected to the freshman class presidency was Roger Mellott. Twenty-three congressional seats were also filled.

Steve Gerson, USG elections commissioner, said late last night that some results are still tentative. The votes of several ballot boxes will be recounted.

Krivoy Wins in North  
Alan Krivoy, the winning candidate from North Halls, said after his election that "my main object in USG

Terry Klasky, victorious incumbent town congressman, said "there are two things that I want to see USG accomplish in the coming year. First, a restructuring of the Congress and completion of the reorganization program that I started last year."

Klasky said that he would like to see USG "push through legislation passed last year and get the Faculty Senate to accept and pass these bills." In connection with this he mentioned the Student Protection Act and his bill limiting 400-level course enrollments to 35 students.

"The administration has turned up its nose at us for varying reasons. I want to get the Senate to act favorably on USG bills," he said. Klasky added that we would like to see student participation on the University Board of Trustees, either as observers or ex-officio, non-voting members.

**Ryan Defeats Rubin**  
Mary Ann Ryan, who defeated Judy Rubin in Simmons-McElwain, said, "I was shocked by the Collegian's endorsement of my opponent."

She went on to say that she would like to see USG "opened up to smaller groups, and encourage these groups to work through USG."

In connection with the Free Speech Movement, she said that she would like to see President Walker meet with USG for an open forum, concentrating on items of campus interest.

**USG 'Will Kill It'**  
Bob Lachman, new USG town congressman, also discussed the Free Speech Movement.

"If USG takes the movement over, it will die. USG will structure it, and this structuring will kill it."

**'Get Deadwood Off'**  
The new congressman from Hamilton and Thompson in West Halls, Dennis Stimmel, said "The elections are over and it's time to get the deadwood off USG."

Stimmel said that he wanted to make the congress more liberal and progressive, and that USG should demand power in the University from the Faculty Senate and the Administration.

Mellott, the new freshman class president, said that he wants to install "enthusiasm" in the freshman class.

He based his victory on honesty. "I tried to be honest with the freshmen. I didn't offer anything fantastic, just the truth."

### 3 Bears Chase Golden Fleece

*By The Associated Press*

The campaigns of George C. Wallace and Richard M. Nixon took new turns yesterday, while Hubert H. Humphrey planned strategy for the next three weeks with his running mate and campaign manager.

George C. Wallace, declaring that the Vietnam war "is the most important matter facing the American people," bore down hard on foreign policy in speeches yesterday after announcing he would send his running mate, Curtis E. LeMay, to Vietnam.

The third party presidential candidate, in stronger than usual language, said in Peoria, "I'm going to assure you that we will win the Vietnam war militarily with conventional weapons, should diplomacy fail."

**Why In Vietnam?**  
"If we lose politically and diplomatically and cannot win militarily, I wonder why we're there in the first place. We're not going to police the whole world. And your sons and your grandsons are not going to continue to go to Vietnam forever."

Wallace's opening remarks of his speech announced his decision to send LeMay, a retired former Air Force chief of staff, to Vietnam on what Wallace called a fact-finding mission.

Wallace charged Wednesday that Richard M. Nixon is in cahoots with the Gallup Poll and said the national public opinion polls are rigged.

**Investigate Polltakers**  
Wallace called for a congressional investigation of the professional polltakers, who he said are controlled by the Eastern moneyed interests.

The third-party presidential challenger predicted the next major poll will show that he has lost ground to Republican Nixon. He offered this explanation at a rally of 5,000 in Scranton, Pa., elaborating at an airport news conference in Albany later.

**Nixon Speaks to Labor**  
Nixon charged yesterday that "some union treasuries are being emptied to support the sagging campaign" of Vice

President Humphrey.

The GOP White House campaigner staged a rally in Moline, Ill., and another in Akron urging Republicans to work for the ticket, cautioning them against overconfidence.

Nixon made his assertion about union funds in a statement issued in industrial Akron.

"Today, the rank and file of American labor is rightly resentful of the way some union treasuries are being emptied to support the sagging campaign of an administration that has proven to be a false friend of labor."

**Going To 'Win Big'**  
In Moline, Nixon forecast he would "win big" in the Nov. 5 election. He said, "the stakes are too high not to have a change in America this year."

The GOP nominee, campaigning in Illinois and Ohio, said he is taking nothing for granted despite the signs that he is ahead, and will campaign intensively in the waning days of the race.

**No Debates Jolts HHH**  
Humphrey quoted his political stock on Wall Street—in a mixed market—and then huddled with his running mate and campaign manager yesterday to plan strategy for the final three and a half weeks of their uphill campaign.

The vice president met with Sen. Edmund G. Muskie, the No. 2 man on the Democratic ticket, and Lawrence O'Brien, national Democratic chairman and campaign chief, at Humphrey's hotel suite.

The Humphrey-Muskie campaign strategy received a jolt yesterday. Humphrey said he regretted Senate Republican Leader Everett M. Dirksen's barring of action on legislation that would have changed the equal time rules to permit a television debate involving Humphrey, Nixon and the third party candidate, George C. Wallace.

Humphrey earlier took his search for campaign cash and votes to Wall Street and standing under a pink confetti shower drummed a theme of Democratic prosperity.



TIME'S UP . . . Their part in student government finished, the voting machines will now go back into a dark and dusty storage, while the students who voted and those elected try to keep from doing the same.

### Paule Tops in Voting For Town Men Council

Results of the voting for Linda Kauffman, 311; Dexter Town Independent Men's Council was announced last night in Sacks, 286; Bob Connell, 294; conjunction with the Undergraduate Student Government 276; Marilyn Warnick, 262; Robert Krajci, 242.

Of the 35 candidates running for council, the 21 with the most votes were elected. The following is the list of candidates elected and their vote totals: Don Paule, 385; Bob Lachman; 380; Susan Rhodes, 365; 156.

### Students Probe Bookstore Issue

*By JANICE MILLER*  
*Collegian Staff Writer*

At the meeting of the Student Union, held last night in Waring, a discussion centered on possibilities of establishing a student-run bookstore.

One of the members of The Union, a graduate student from Berkeley, said, "We know we need a bookstore; we must discuss how we will set one up."

This student offered information about Berkeley's student-run bookstore. He said that their bookstore operates on a profit basis; the profits, however, are used to benefit the students themselves in providing funds for lectures and similar cultural activities.

Discussion on this topic resulted in a proposal to initiate correspondence with student governments of universities which have successfully employed the use of a student-run bookstore.

**Discount Centers Source**  
A group also established a tentative plan in connection with discount book centers in New York. It was discovered that certain book centers advertise the sale of books at discount prices in The New York Times Book Review section.

The Union intends to send letters to these book centers, explaining the book situation at the University, and inquiring whether or not the centers would be willing to send representatives to discuss possibilities of a discount bookstore.

It was also pointed out that if the required books for each term were known before the start of the term, a boycott could be established by ordering books from these agencies if individual orders would be placed with some sort of guarantee of refund if the books are not used.

It was mentioned that "three major bookstores downtown have a monopoly on book sales in this area" and that "ordering books outside would force the bookstores to lower prices."

**No Interference with Freedom**  
When the idea was brought up of demanding professors to do away with required texts, it was quickly discarded because the group doesn't "want a boycott that will interfere with the professors' academic freedom."

Chairman of The Union, Richard Hart, said that the Faculty Senate has a "hang-up that a student bookstore cannot operate without creating a deficit." A report is now being made by the Union to find out what problems would create such a deficit, and how they could be avoided.

### 3 Astronauts To Go 11 Days Apollo 7 Ready

CAPE KENNEDY, Fla. (AP)—Weather was "a bit of a question mark," but three confident Apollo 7 astronauts yesterday were given a "go" to blast off today on an 11-day space flight that could steer America back on course to the moon.

Even as the countdown clock began for an 11 a.m. liftoff, however, project officials admitted there was "a distinct possibility" the flight by veteran astronaut Walter M. Schirra Jr. and his two space rookie copilots, Donn F. Eisele and Walter Cunningham, will not go the full 11 days.

**May Be Shortened**  
"We expect the possibility—and we think it's a distinct possibility—to shorten it, but we are planning for the full duration," said William C. Schneider, Apollo 7 mission director for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

"Our most important learning for this flight is to determine how the spacecraft lasts," added flight director Glynn Lunney in a news conference. "We can gain just about every systems objective in the first three or four days," if an equipment problem requires the mission to be terminated early, he added.

"Weather is a little bit of a question mark at the moment," as far as the launch is concerned, said Dr. Werner von Braun, director of NASA's Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville, Ala., which developed Saturn-Apollo rockets.

**Predictions Good**  
"The predictions are good, but there will be some shower activity in the morning. And should the shower situation indicate that the wind prior to launch may increase, it may become necessary for the crew to leave the spacecraft in which case we would scrub for 24 hours," he said.

Otherwise, "everything is right on the money and all tests of subsystems clicked off like a charm" in preparation for liftoff, the rocket expert said.

### Collegian Wins First Class

The Daily Collegian has been awarded a First Class rating by the Associated Collegiate Press for Winter and Spring Terms 1968.

The Collegian scored 3,400 out of a possible 4,000 points to win the award, second highest of the ACP.

ACP awarded Collegian perfect scores in the categories of news balance, sports writing, sports display and copy-reading, among others.

## News From the World, Nation & State

**Thieu Denies Report of Coup Attempt**  
SAIGON — President Nguyen Van Thieu went on radio and television last night and denied reports of a thwarted coup against his one-year-old elected government. He blamed the reports on "rumors" spread by "Communists and their henchmen."

Thieu made no mention of the fact that high-level government sources and spokesmen—although not from his office—had told newsmen that there had been a coup attempt Tuesday night.

These sources said there had been arrests in connection with the coup and that more persons would be taken into custody. Thieu said there had been no arrests.

Throughout Wednesday and Thursday in Saigon, official and off-the-record comment from government officials on whether there had been a coup attempt was in direct contradiction. There did not appear to be any political affiliations among the various spokesmen to explain the contradictions, however.

**Saigon VC Starve As Caches Seized**  
SAIGON — Some North Vietnamese units that once threatened Saigon are on the verge of starvation after huge food caches were seized in allied sweeps, U.S. officers reported yesterday.

Adding to the enemy difficulties, North Vietnamese bases near the Cambodian border have been pounded by U.S. B52 high altitude bombers and enough weapons have been captured since Jan. 1 to equip four divisions, the U.S. Command reported.

The command added that in the past two weeks nearly 100 tons of cached rice have been found.

**President Not to Replace Earl Warren**  
WASHINGTON — President Johnson pulled back yesterday from any new effort now to replace Earl Warren as chief justice of the United States.

It was left unclear, however, whether Johnson might

make another attempt before his term expires Jan. 26.

Warren submitted a notice of retirement last June to take effect at the President's pleasure. Johnson nominated Associate Justice Abe Fortas to head the court. At the same time he submitted the name of Homer Thornberry, an old friend who is now a U.S. Court of Appeals judge in Texas, to fill the vacancy that would be created by Fortas's elevations.

The Fortas nomination was blocked in the Senate by a filibuster and Johnson withdrew it, at Fortas's request.

Later, with no opening to fill, he also pulled back the Thornberry nomination.

**Senate Says 'No' to Three-Way Debate**  
WASHINGTON — Efforts to remove the legal hurdles to free television-radio debates between the major presidential candidates collapsed yesterday in the face of a Republican sit-out that blocked Senate action.

Majority Leader Mike Mansfield, D-Mont., was unable to muster a quorum to take up the House-passed legislation and said under the circumstances he had no choice except to bow to the GOP opposition.

And even after that, with the Republican sit-out lifted, it took nearly two hours to muster a bare quorum of 51—17 Republicans and 34 Democrats. Most of the 49 other senators were out of town.

Mansfield then moved that action on the equal time bill be postponed indefinitely, thus killing it.

**Wilson, Smith Fail to Agree on Rhodesia**  
GIBRALTAR — Rugged negotiations marked new meetings yesterday of Prime Minister Harold Wilson of Britain and Ian Smith of Rhodesia on the white-ruled African territory's future, though their language was described as affable.

The two leaders talked for 3½ hours before lunch, first privately then with members of their delegations, in the wardroom of the Fearless, a British assault ship moored at this British base at the western end of the

Mediterranean. They met alone for another 2½ hours in the afternoon.

There was no indication that the talks would persuade Smith to renounce white control of the rebel British colony.

**Mail-Order Gun, Bullet Sales Banned**  
WASHINGTON — Congress sent President Johnson Thursday a gun control bill weaker than the one he asked for but still the strongest it has ever passed.

The bill would make it illegal for a person to buy, either in person or through the mails, any guns or ammunition outside the state in which he lives. It would also outlaw sales of firearms or ammunition to juveniles, fugitives, mental incompetents, drug addicts or persons under criminal indictment.

The House, completing action on the measure, passed it by a 160-129 roll call vote. The action climaxed a long fight that was intensified after the gunshot killings of Sen. Robert F. Kennedy and Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

The bill requires a mandatory additional jail term of 1-to-10 years for a first offender and 5-to-25 years for subsequent offenders who use or carry guns in the commission of a federal crime.

**Nine Convicted of Draft Records Burning**  
BALTIMORE, Md. — A jury found nine Catholics guilty yesterday of three charges in connection with the seizure and burning of draft board records.

The jury deliberated one hour and 20 minutes.

The jury was polled for each of the defendants and after the last verdict of guilty was pronounced, somebody in the audience stood up and said:

"Members of the jury you have just found Jesus Christ guilty." Several other persons in the courtroom seconded that statement.

Chief U.S. District Judge Roszel C. Thomsen, ordered the room cleared.

The audience sang "We Shall Overcome" as they left

and continued the civil rights hymn while standing around a bare room during the Post Office which houses the U.S. District Court.

**N. J. McCarthy Men Endorse Humphrey**  
WOODBURGH, N.J. — Leading New Jersey backers of Sen. Eugene McCarthy and the late Robert F. Kennedy yesterday endorsed Hubert H. Humphrey for the presidency.

The McCarthy-Kennedy supporters said: "Each of us in our individual rather than in any representative capacity urges all Democrats to join actively in support of Hubert H. Humphrey and Edmund S. Muskie."

The statement, read by Daniel Gaby, a McCarthy delegate to Democratic National Convention, was timed to coincide with a visit by Muskie to New Jersey yesterday.

Gaby said "Our quarrel with the vice president related to his position on the Vietnam War. To the limited extent that Mr. Nixon has confided in the public, he is even more of a hawk on the Vietnam question than Mr. Humphrey ever was. We believe that Mr. Humphrey has become more receptive to fresh approaches to the Vietnam solution."

**Negroes Arraigned for Grocer's Death**  
PITTSBURGH — Three young Negroes were arraigned yesterday on charges of murdering a white grocer—a slaying that marked the beginning of a series of racially-tinged incidents.

Jailed after arraignment before Coroner Ralph J. Stalter of Allegheny County were Russell L. Sewell, 18, of Pittsburgh's Oakland section and Roger DeVaughan and Homer Dennison, both 17 and both of the Homewood-Bush-ton area.

They'll be given a hearing Oct. 18.

Detectives said they picked up the three youths Wednesday night at an early yesterday.

They're accused in the death of Michael DeLuca, 64, who was gunned down in his small store in Homewood-Bush-ton Monday afternoon.