

# Rumors of Walker's 'Town'

## Bar vs. Voting Registration

Recently my wife registered to vote. They did not ask her for proof of age or residence, they just took her word for it. It seems odd that to get into a bar you need all sorts of identification papers, but to vote you don't need any proof. Why?

Peter Wood—resident of State College

A spokesman for the County Commissioner told Hot Line that the ladies at registration always "ask" about age and residence, and when the voter signs the certificate, he is signing an oath. The certificate which contains such information as residence and age, "should be read thoroughly," the spokesman said.

## Walker's 'Un-real' Estate

Is there any truth to the rumor that President Walker might have direct or indirect real estate in State College?

Name Withheld by Request

Although Walkertown has made headlines in past weeks, Vince Caracci, assistant manager of the University news bureau, said, "No. President Walker has no real estate in State College."



## Color Question Questioned

I applied for a marriage license three weeks ago and one of the questions on it read "are the parents white?" I don't think this is a legal question.

Name Withheld by Request

A spokesman from the Registrar's office at the County Courthouse said, "according to law color must show on a marriage license. However, the question is stated as 'what is the race of your father? mother?'"

## Hot and Cold in Geary Hall?

What is wrong with the water in Geary Hall? It goes haywire most of the time. When you want cold, you get hot and when you want hot, you get cold.

Name Withheld by Request

Mrs. Betty Fisher, assistant supervisor of housing for Geary and Packer Halls told Hot Line that she was not aware of the water trouble. She will have someone check it and in the future if anything else happens please contact her or the dorm hostess.

# Infant Vets Show Strength; Political Debate In Backroom

By JIM WOODCOCK  
Collegian Staff Writer

"Backroom politics" generally has a rather evil connotation, but there are exceptions.

Tuesday evening about 150 persons jammed into the back room of the Rathskellar on S. Pugh Street, and there was no doubt in any one's mind that they were there to talk politics.

The Veterans' Organization of the University is still in its infant stage, but Tuesday it began to show a surprising amount of strength. Before the meeting was over, the organization reaffirmed its endorsement of three candidates of USG seats representing town residents, and organized write-in campaigns for two candidates living on campus.

Candidates from Group The three town candidates, Lee Simmons, Marty Finan and Dexter Thompson, and the two write-in candidates, Fred Christina from Pollock A. and Stan Malis from Nittany Porter-Shunk, are all members of the nine month old organization. The endorsement itself is not unusual, but involved in the endorsement is a general

approval of the candidates' platform. According to the three town candidates, the platform, although stated in rather general terms, is a departure from the ordinary. Speaking for the trio, Thompson said that with "real student rights" come responsibilities.

"There is more to making demands on the system than just saying, 'we want!'" he said.

There is a connection between this responsibility and the second point of the Vet platform, "a strong and active USG."

Responsible to Students Simmons said any elected officer, whether in public or in student affairs, "has a responsibility to represent the desires of his constituency, regardless of whether or not those desires conform to present policies." Finan spoke briefly about a third point in the platform, the exemption of armed ser-

vices veterans from mandatory physical education.

"This plank in itself is important to all of us," he said, "but we are as interested, if not more interested, in showing that it is possible to work within the system."

The two write-in campaigns were organized at the end of the meeting after several members present said they would not have any candidate to vote for in their residence areas.

## Homecoming Contest Rules Set

# Queen Applications Due

By JOHN BRONSON  
Collegian Staff Writer

Candidate requirements for the 1968 Homecoming Queen contest have been set, and all groups that intend to sponsor a girl must have their applications to the Hertz Union Building main desk by Oct. 16.

Any group or organization may enter a candidate for the contest. This includes the women's residence halls, any house unit in men's residence halls, fraternity-sorority homecoming combinations, or any other campus organization.

Candidates must have at least a 2.3 All-University average, and may not graduate before December 1969.

The sponsoring groups may

not campaign for their candidate, or she will be disqualified. There will be no mention of the sponsoring organization when introductions of candidates are made.

Jan Fox, chairman of Homecoming, has emphasized the importance of the girl, rather than of the group backing her. Candidates will be judged on beauty, poise, and personality.

First round judging will be held Oct. 23. Judges for this and the next day's round will be a panel of faculty, administration members and alumni. The football team will cast votes in the third round judging Oct. 27.

The student body will make the final decision Oct. 30 - Nov. 1. Voting will take place on the

ground floor of the HUB.

The Homecoming Queen will be crowned at the Pollock Circle pep rally on Friday night, and reign over Saturday's activities.

At halftime of the Army game, the Queen and her court will be presented, and Penn State's former All-Americans, as well as President Eric A. Walker, will be introduced to the fans.

This year's Homecoming Queen will go to the Pitt-Penn State game Nov. 28 at Pitt Stadium to compete in the Eastern Colleges Athletic Confer-

ence Football Queen Contest.

This is a regional contest in which queens of member colleges and universities will compete against each other for a place in a national football contest.

Centennial Celebration Each of the regional contests is a part of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Centennial Football Queen Contest which commemorates the 100th year of collegiate football.

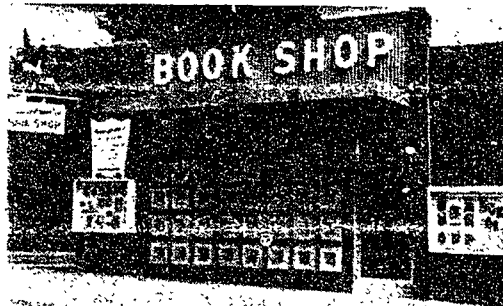
The winner of the ECAC contest will be sent to San Francisco Dec. 28 to compete for

the NCAA national crown.

Susan Politylo, the 1967-68 Homecoming Queen, said, "This is a fantastic opportunity for the 1968-69 Queen. Not only does she have the opportunity to serve as Penn State's Homecoming Queen, but she also has a chance to enter national competition."

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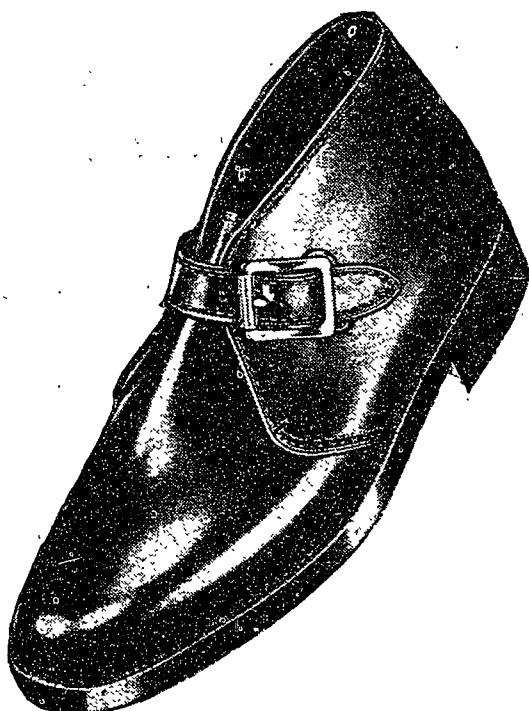


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Anyone graduating Dec. 6, 1968; March 22, 1969; June 14, 1969 must have his portrait taken according to the following schedule:

Last Name	Start	Finish
I thru L	Oct. 14	Oct. 18

Portraits are taken at the Penn State Photo Shop (214 E. College Ave. -- 237-2345) without appointment 9 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Women wear dark sweater and no jewelry. Men wear dark suit coat, white shirt and tie.

# FRATERNITY RUSH

The following houses will be open to all interested men (first term and up) from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, October 13 and Sunday, October 27:

- Alpha Chi Rho
- Alpha Epsilon Pi
- Alpha Kappa Lambda
- Alpha Gamma Rho
- Alpha Phi Alpha
- Alpha Sigma Phi
- Alpha Tau Omega
- Beta Sigma Rho
- Chi Phi
- Delta Chi
- Delta Phi
- Delta Sigma Phi
- Kappa Delta Rho
- Lambda Chi Alpha
- Phi Kappa Psi
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- Pi Kappa Phi
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- Tau Phi Delta
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- Tau Kappa Epsilon
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- Theta Xi
- Zeta Beta Tau

Consult the Rush Booklet, available at the IFC Office (203-E), HUB for house locations.