



ROBERTS CAPTURES PRESIDENCY MIDLERS ELECTED TO ALL POSTS

Alton Roberts was elected president of the student body in a general balloting yesterday. Also elected were Sandy Jacobs, vice-president; Gilbert Furst, secretary; and Stephen McKittrick, treasurer. The men elected are all midlers.

One hundred and thirty-eight students voted in the elections out of one hundred and sixty-nine eligible voters. Balloting was conducted by a special committee on elections from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. in

Hoh Lounge. The committee was appointed by the 1964-65 student body president Greg Shannon. The general balloting followed the selection of nominees at the student body meeting on Monday night.

The tally was as follows: president, Alton Roberts 101, Paul Frable 36; vice-president, Sandy Jacobs 70, Robert Klaiber 64; secretary, Gilbert Furst 73 Stanley DeCamp 59; treasurer, Stephen McKittrick 83, Robert Peery 54.

HEIGES DISCUSSES PLANS IN NEWS CONFERENCE

In a special news conference with the Seminarian staff yesterday, President Heiges discussed topics pertinent to the seminary community.

Dr. Heiges announced that the Rev. Marshall Johnson will fill the New Testament position for next year in Dr. Reumann's absence. Pastor Johnson will also be completing his doctoral dissertation for Union Theological Seminary, New York.

Dr. Heiges also announced that the faculty is working out arrangements whereby selected students of the Lutheran Deaconess School now located in Baltimore will be enrolled in the fall of 1965 for a one-year specially designed program. He also assures that the seminary will cooperate fully in developing a satisfactory permanent graduate program for the Deaconess School. The deaconess

students will not be housed on the seminary campus. When relocation is achieved, the seminary will try to arrange permanent quarters for the deaconess candidates. It is planned that the deaconess students will be enrolled in a two-year program with an emphasis on Christian education. Dr. Heiges also explained that the administrations of the Lutheran Deaconess School and of our seminary have been authorized to prepare recommendations concerning long-range academic, administrative, and financial relationships between the seminary and the deaconess school.

President Heiges related that Dr. Seltzer has suffered a relapse and may not return to teach next year. If not, plans will be made to fill the position in the liturgics department.

COMMITTEE EXTENDS DEADLINE

Only 29% of the student body answered the questionnaire on "Dialogus." The committee does not feel free to publish these results since this represents only a minority opinion. As made clear in the last survey (concerning the Seminarian), the function of the sub-committee is to provide a concise summary of student opinion. The feeling is that a lack of 71% to respond to the questionnaire does not leave the committee free to represent the student body.

In light of the fact that some students would like to have these results published, the committee will accept further questionnaires for the remainder of this week. At least a majority of the student body must respond before the committee will publish the results (a 100% response would be pleasing). The forms may be returned to any committee member or to the box in the TV room. If additional forms are needed, the committee is willing to mimeograph more copies. The deadline for the return of the questionnaires is Sunday, April 11.

Paul Frable, Jr.

HEYER COMMISSION ABOLISHES FUND DRIVE

In the past few years among the student body, there has been a noticeable increase in antagonism toward, resentment of, and disgust with the Heyer Commission, its concerns and objectives and especially its annual Lenten fund drive. While the Heyer Commission was once the most popular organization on campus, no one who has been intimately connected with the organization in the past few years can fail to have noticed the decreased interest not only in the Heyer Commission but also in the mission field.

Interestingly enough, there is a parallel between the fates of the Church in our modern society and the Heyer Commission in our seminary community. Like the Church, the Heyer Commission has become an activity for those who just happen to be interested in it. But once a year the majority who are otherwise not interested try to salve their guilty(?) consciences by giving to the "fund drive." But under such a setup, it is inevitable that the majority will soon decrease and finally disappear.

At this crossroads the question is whether or not the primary concern of the Heyer Commission, i.e. the establishment and support of the Church for the propagation of the Gospel in other lands, is a valid

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CALENDAR**Wednesday, April 7**

Dr. Wilson: "Gnostic Use of the New Testament," Chapel, 11:30.

Easter Dinner, Refectory, 5:30.

Dr. Heineken: "The Sacraments," Ascension Church, 8:00.

Thursday, April 8

Mt. Airy Players: "High Sign" and "Sarah and the Sax," Chapel, 8:00.

Friday, April 9

Mt. Airy Players: "High Sign" and "Sarah and the Sax," Chapel, 8:00.

Saturday, April 10

Mt. Airy Players: "High Sign" and "Sarah and the Sax," Zion Church, Olney, 7:30.

Monday, April 12

Mr. L. Edwin Wang: "Don't Buy Unnecessary Insurance," Room 1, Hagan Hall, 1:15.

Wives' Club: Dr. Tappert will speak on "Minority Cults," home of Mrs. Charles Sigel, 7:45.

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ACADEMY AWARDS

The film is the twentieth century's peculiar art form. Movies are our own, our native medium; and therefore it would not seem excessive to expect that from time to time they might convey something of the quality of consciousness of our curious age. Even more important, that true artistic achievement and endeavor might be justly rewarded. Because of the technical ingenuity of the film, movies have often concentrated on traditional categories (on documentation, spectacle and movement, on melodrama and farce).

Last night, the average alhambra had its babies win the prizes. That jolly good fun movie My Fair Lady won the top prize of "best film of the year." All right, it is difficult to condemn harshly this sparkling gem with its color, spirited song, and gurgling glee. But to award the "best actor" award to Rex Harrison is a travesty! That is indeed carrying the Cinderella story a bit too far! In comparison to the meaty performances of Richard Burton and Peter O'Toole in Becket and that of Anthony Quinn in Zorba the Greek, Harrison easily turns into a pumpkin!

Mediocrity, escapism, and fluff took the prizes of the ball last night. Let us hope that the Cinderella of artistic sensitivity will one day have her grueling kitchen work awarded! But maybe that is hoping too much?

Frederic Brussat

WANG SPEAKS ON INSURANCE

On Monday at 1:15 p.m. in R. 1 Hagan Hall, Edwin Wang, the LCA Director of the Board of Pensions, will speak on insurance and pensions. This will be Mr. Wang's second visit, because he wants to give every student the opportunity to find out how the pension plan works and what insurance is the best buy. He says that seminar-ians often needlessly purchase insurance before they know what is offered. He urges that everyone attend this brief but important meeting.

SYMPOSIUM COMMITTEE PRESENTS PANEL DISCUSSION

On May 3 at 7:30 p.m. the Symposium Committee will present a panel discussion on the topic of Lutheran and Reformed talks. The panel will consist of Dr. Martin J. Heineken and Dr. Theodore G. Tappert of our faculty and Dr. George S. Hendry of Princeton Theological Seminary.

Dr. Hendry has studied at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland, and also at the Universities of Tübingen and Berlin in Germany. He came to Princeton Seminary in 1949 as the Charles Hodge Professor of Systematic Theology, the chair which he still occupies. He is currently a member of the Presbytery of New Brunswick of the United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A.

Dr. Hendry is an associate editor of Theology Today. His major publications include The Holy Spirit in Christian Theology, The Gospel of the Incarnation, and The Westminster Confession for Today.

ELLWANGER SPEAKS IN CHAPEL

On Friday April 9, The Rev. Joseph Ellwanger, a Missouri Synod pastor from Birmingham, Alabama, will speak during Chapel. The Benevolence Committee on behalf of the student body has awarded \$150 to the "Concerned White Citizens of Alabama," an organization which Pastor Ellwanger represents. Pastor Ellwanger has been very active in the civil rights struggle in Selma.

KLAIBER ASSUMES DUTIES

Bob Klaiber has been chosen Junior Sacristan for the school year, 1965-66. Bob replaces Frank Wilhelm who will automatically move into the position of Senior Sacristan, held this year by Senior Bob Danielson.

In order to familiarize themselves with their responsibilities and to be ready for seminary opening in the fall, Wilhelm and Klaiber have assumed their respective offices. Thanks to Bob Danielson for all his labors this year.

BANQUET SPEAKER ANNOUNCED

The Rev. Earl Knaus, Pastor of the Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, will be the guest speaker for the Spring Banquet, Friday, April, 30. Brian Snyder, making the announcement in behalf of the Middle class, stated that Pastor Knaus is a most dynamic and compelling speaker.

Pastor Knaus has served as chaplain of Upsala College and of Hartwick College. He has also served as the Eastern Regional Secretary of the Division of College and University Work of the National Lutheran Council.

NOTICES

The Senior Class Retreat has been canceled because of the negative response by members of the class to the petition concerning the event.

Mrs. Heinbach would like to remind everyone that in accordance with the Seminary policy, the canteen is closed between the hours of 11 a.m. and 12 noon.

The next issue of the SEMINARIAN will appear on Wednesday, April 28. The staff hopes that everyone will have a HAPPY HOLIDAY!!

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one. In spite of the ethical relativists of the last generation, it is still generally agreed by the Church that the command of our Lord to go into all the world and make disciples of all nations is still the commission of the Church.

The approach to a renewal of this basic Christian commission is not merely to change the names from Foreign and Home Missions to World and American Missions (as if American Missions were somehow out of this world!), but rather it is to abolish these divisions in order to see the work of the whole Church as ONE WORLD MISSION.

No longer is the concern to be seen in terms of Christian and non-Christian nations but in terms of ONE WORLD MISSION - whether it be in heathen America

or heathen Germany or heathen Tanzania! And whether we be American Christians or Chinese Christians or Lebanese Christians, we stand united in Christ in our mission to ONE WORLD because we are ONE CHURCH against ONE WORLD. And whether it be in center city Philadelphia or the hillsides of Jordan, the needs of our brethren are our concern even as our needs are their concern because we are ONE FAMILY in Christ.

Because of our common mission, it's also fitting that we should daily make intercessions for the Church throughout the world, and in particular during the next four weeks, we of the Heyer Commission are asking that you make special intercession for the mission of the Church at the Schneller School in Khirbet Kanafar, Bikaa, Lebanon: during this time we will have asked them also to make intercessory prayer for us.

Specifically you are asked to pray for the following three things:

- 1) that those who teach at the school might be encouraged by the renewed gift of the Holy Spirit;
- 2) that those who study at the school might have receptive hearts for the planting of the Word of God;
- 3) that the Word of God might bring forth abundant fruit among the teachers and pupils alike.

More information concerning the work of the Schneller School and their needs will appear in the next issue of The Seminarian.

Jim DeLong on behalf of
the Heyer Commission

SCHNEIDER GIVES INFORMATION ON CONSULTATION

Rudy Schneider announced yesterday that pamphlets concerning "A Consultation on Race Relations" have been placed in the mail room. The consultation will be held at Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Virginia, April 23-24.

Schneider also announced that there are funds available to help defray the costs at the consultation. A meeting for all interested students will be called next week, according to Schneider.