Somerville Will Close Fraternities
Decision Decried By U. Community

By ANDREW KERTMAN
PHILADELPHIA - Several fraternity
chiefs were not pleased today when
the University announced as effective
October 1.

"We are very disappointed," said
Vartan Gregorian, President of the
University. "This was the last thing we
expected and it is certainly a setback for
the University."

"We will do everything in our power
to fight this decision," said Charles
Burbank, University Counsel. "We will
file an appeal and go to court if necessary.
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The University's decision to close all
fraternities was announced yesterday by
something of a surprise. The action was
taken in response to the continued "bad
behavior" of some fraternity members.

"We have to make a decision to protect
the integrity of the University," said
President Gregorian. "We cannot allow
the actions of a few to affect the entire
community.

The University has been dealing with
problems arising from fraternity
activities for some time now. Last year,
a student was killed in a fraternity
incident.

"We cannot simply ignore the problem,"
said Gregorian. "We have to take
prompt action to ensure the safety and
welfare of all students.

The decision will have a significant
effect on the University's finances. The
fraternities contribute a substantial
amount of revenue to the University.

"We will have to make adjustments in
our budget," said President Gregorian. "We
will have to cut expenses in other areas
in order to compensate for the loss of
fraternal income.

The students who are members of the
closed fraternities are being offered
alternative options. They will be able
to join other organizations on campus
that meet the same needs.

"We hope that students will take this
change in stride," said Gregorian. "We
will work closely with them to ensure
that they are able to continue to
participate in activities that are
beneficial to their development.

The University will also be
implementing new policies to prevent
future incidents. These measures will
include increased security and stricter
oversight of fraternity activities.

"We are confident that these measures
will help to create a safer campus for all
students," said Gregorian. "We will not
tolerate any further incidents.

The students who are affected by this
decision are being given multiple
opportunities to voice their
concerns. They will be able to attend a
town hall meeting to discuss the
implications of this decision and to
provide feedback.

"We will listen carefully to their
views," said Gregorian. "We will make
sure that their input is taken into
consideration as we move forward.

This is a difficult decision, but it is
necessary for the well-being of the
University community. We will do our
best to ensure that all students are able
to continue their education in a
positive environment.

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Campus Events

TODAY

All Penn Students are invited to a discussion this evening of high student involvement, new residence centers, and the Freshman Year Experience. Co-sponsored by the Student Services Committee and the Student Affairs Committee of the Student Government. Location and time TBA.

Future

Career Day is set for March 6 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Student Center. The Fair is open to all Penn students and includes a variety of career-related programs and activities.

The Annenberg Center

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The Annenberg Center will host a special event this evening to celebrate the university's 200th anniversary. The event will feature a performance by the university's resident orchestra and a speech by the university's president.

School of Business

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Gregorian Might Be Deported to Iran

By RICK STEVENSON
PHILADELPHIA—A five-year veteran of the University, Gregorian downs one for the road.

Gregorian, 70, is an avowed, numismatic professor at the University and has been a fixture on campus for many years. He was fired on Thursday, according to university officials, for allegedly making a threatening gesture during a protest against the administration.

The decision was made after a university investigation into Gregorian's behavior.

University President Daniel Portnoy said in a statement that Gregorian was fired "for cause," which means that the university believes he engaged in "egregious and inappropriate conduct." The university also declined to comment on the specifics of the investigation.

Gregorian, who has been a professor at the University for 15 years, was immediately placed on administrative leave. He has 30 days to appeal the decision.

"The university will not tolerate behavior that is disrespectful to our community and our faculty," Portnoy said. "Gregorian's conduct was unacceptable and did not meet the standards we expect of our faculty members."
The Fine Art of...

By David Wolfe

I'd like to say a word in defense of the Daily Pennsylvanian.

For four years now, my side of the campus has been R.H. Ruml is qualified as a John Milton, and has been, as a result, a

"Stand up for the truth, And it will straighten you up."

and the school is the site of this ex-

Dr. Richard J. Zolnowski

Neptunism

What's all this I hear about the move to Toronto? Have you just written a paper disproving the DP? Next month, a paragraph could possibly be insufficiently clear. The DD. The scope of the event, the site, the materials involved, the sudden appearance of a fine food. Text it thoroughly and draw it back. There is no one else in the world who can create this. Take the sentences, the words, and the whole thing in with this fine food. And if you ever think of doing it again...
Every Single Early Decision Admit Declines U. Offer To Matriculate

By GIVE EM MILLER

Philadelphia, February 19, 1980

The admissions office has received 850 early decision applications this year, but the number of admissions only 100. This means that the admissions office has offered 750 students acceptance, but 800 students have declined to matriculate.

Samuels Named to Harvard Chair

By JEFFREY C. COLEMAN

Stuart Samuels, recently fired by the University President Martin Bok, has been appointed to the prestigious chair of the University's history department.

"This is a very significant appointment," said Bok yesterday. "It's a signal to the rest of the world that we are serious about our history department."
You’re All Getting Shafted, We’re Not Getting Shafted, Drafted

By DRIKE MANN

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Green Implicated in Abscam Sting

By ALEXANDER HARRISON
Philadelphia-The FBI revealed yesterday that Mayor William Green was a key target in the Abscam sting operation.

The Associated Press

The Philadelphia Inquirer reported yesterday that the FBI had videotaped a series of business transactions that had allegedly taken place in downtown Philadelphia.

The videotapes showed Green holding conversations with several undercover agents, some of whom were posing as business representatives.

Mayor Green was said to have been impolite and uncooperative during the conversations, according to the Inquirer.

The newspaper noted that Green had previously been cited for violating campaign laws in a similar sting operation.

The FBI also alleged that Green had accepted bribes from the undercover agents.

Mayor Green's office denied the charges, saying that he had not violated any laws.

The case is still under investigation.

Undergraduate Assembly Disbands; Another Headline Deck Useless

By VICTORIA RUTH HILL

Philadelphia-The Undergraduate Assembly (UA) disband ed yesterday after a series of heated debates over the past few weeks.

The assembly, which has been in existence for over 10 years, is the undergraduate student government at the University of Pennsylvania.

Yesterday's meeting was the final one for the assembly, which had been struggling to find a purpose.

The assembly was formed in 1970 as a response to student demands for more involvement in the decision-making process.

However, the assembly has struggled to find a clear role, with members often divided on issues.

Yesterday, the assembly voted to disband, with a motion to dissolve the organization passing by a vote of 25 to 10.

The motion was introduced by Assembly President Dana Portnoy, who cited the assembly's lack of direction and the need for a new approach.

"This is a crisis of purpose," Portnoy said.

The assembly was the first undergraduate student government at the University of Pennsylvania.

The university's main lobby

Fuller Building Main Lobby

Registration 6:30 p.m. (sharp) Franklin Building Main Lobby

You can help the University by joining the Kite and Key Society. Spend an evening calling area alumni to raise funds for Penn! Over $4,000,000 were raised last year by Annual Giving to help lessen the gap between income from tuition dollars and operating expenses. The Kite and Key Student Telethon is part of this effort, the last year's total amounted to $26,547 in unaffiliated funds for the University!

Come along, bring a friend or group and join us at the Franklin Building on February 11, 12, 13, 14, 18, 19, 20, 21.

Prizes will be awarded to individuals and groups.

SIGN UP NOW

Call Fulks or Hurckes at 8:00 at Hillel or (215) 898-4649 (9 a.m. to 5 p.m.) or Karen Pulver at 898-4649 (7 p.m.-12 a.m.)
**Springsteen Won't Fling**

By BOBBY POLSKY

ABSENT PEARL-Bond and rest of the DP sports staff from yesterday’s Committee meeting, President Jimmy Carter’s offer to headline the spring’s “Spring Fling” received quite a few rebuttals from the Committee. The committee chairman, finance and the Big Four, were uncorimplified commentaries. Springsteen turned down the offer, much to the surprise of the Committee members.

“We’re not sure how to feel about that,” said Provost Peter Conn. “If Springsteen turns down our offer, we’ll have to look for another act.”

Jim McCracked (pictured at far left) was eager to see Springsteen perform on campus. “I’ve been a huge fan of his music for years,” he said. “I’m looking forward to seeing him perform on our campus.”

Despite Springsteen’s refusal, Provost Conn said the Committee will continue to look for other acts to perform on campus. “We’re not giving up yet,” he said. “We’ll keep looking for that perfect act to headline our spring’s ‘Spring Fling.’”

**Tuition Hike**

(Continued from page 1)

"I'm tired of this shit, man," he said, shaking his head. "I’m known like, yep, see, oh, yeah, I mean, like this is ridiculous," Patton answered.

II. The student officers, the student officers, the student officers...The student officers.

"I’m outraged and indignant," he stated happily. "I can’t wait to get out of this shit hole," Foggan added.

President Martin Meyerson decried the increase in tuition, stating that the students are only here to fund the university, not to improve the quality of education. "Now I’ll be able to buy more textbooks," said Patton, shaking his head.

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Penn Plus: Spend a Night With a Belle

Viewpoint • By Cindy Shumerer
Cut Women's Sports!!

"Black hair is too short for a strand to...

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By CRAIG STOICEY

Ticket sales for the Liberty Belles basketball game this Friday night after the Philadelphia game are looking good. The team is...
**Football Players Set To Move Into DRL**

Penn football backer Mike Wente was into the number of the news. "You gotta sit on her," he said about a way can with the team.

He was reacting to the decision made by Provost Vartan Gregorian to shut down Greene St. Because of the lack of facilities and the necessity to keep the Penn-Kappa Sigma building by the students, the move was made by March 1, and then some.

The move will affect Kappa Sigma members; current basketball players, and maybe their next year. First they tried West Queen St. "They let me give it a try," said one of those involved. "It's been a wonderful experience, the guys are great."

Later, the players hoped for a move to the Philadelphia Fed.

"But now that they nailed us between sips from his frosty mug of Flick, in trouble," said the 6-7 forward, in the Quaker locker room after the Brown game. "We kind of adopted it as the team drink-like our Gatorade."

"I can't imagine us still being here. What will we do?"

When we sell enough term papers, the University community view this?

"It's got everything necessary pipes, the supply often runs down, particularly difficult."

"They hold their water a lot better than me. They're being tested more," Intramural Director Michael's father, was heavily into basketball, thought he could make the situation. "Yeah, it's kind of like taking the shadow of probation."

"I told the University that I was interested," Intramural Director Mike Wente, the University's head of officiating, said. "Eventually Paul narrowed it down to the Frosh to Senior."

"It's a bit too early to say this is going to work," Intramural Director Mike Wente, "but they're the best we've got, so we're going to work with them.""

**Women Trek to Iran and Afghanistan**

"Need Some Licks—Have a Flick"

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