

Rules Committee Approves New Curb on Debate

Senate Considers Rule Preventing Filibuster

Late AP News, Courtesy WMAJ

WASHINGTON — The Senate rules committee yesterday recommended adoption of a filibuster-curbing debate rule.

Senator Lodge (R-Mass.) who reported the development, said the committee voted 10 to 3 in favor of a rule which would permit the Senate by a two-thirds vote to limit debate on any matter at any time.

The present debate limitation rule applies to bills, but not to motions and similar matters. Consequently minorities have been able to use the filibuster—unlimited talk—to prevent Senate action on some controversial measures such as the "civil rights" bills President Truman had advocated.

The rules committee decision put the matter before the Senate. When an attempt is made to bring up the proposed new rule for a vote, Southerners who want to retain the right of unlimited debate are expected to resort to the filibuster.

Hearings To Start On Radar Screen

Hearings will start in Congress today on legislation to authorize the establishment of a radar picket screen around the continental United States.

The hearings will be conducted by the House Armed Services Committee.

The legislation is supported by the armed services and has been cleared by the budget bureau. Its purpose would be to warn of possible invasion.

Farm Price Drop To Be Investigated

The government will look into the recent sharp declines of farm commodity futures prices.

Agriculture Secretary Brannan ordered the Commodity Exchange Authority yesterday to make the investigation. He said it should get full information on trading in wheat, corn, and soybeans during the period of falling prices.

Brannan also told a Senate committee that the basic economic situation does not seem to offer any explanation for the lower prices. He attributed the declines in part to speculative influences.

Hoffman Explains Foreign Spending

Foreign Aid Chief Paul Hoffman has given a breakdown of how the United States will spend four and a quarter billion dollars in foreign aid in 1950.

According to his figures, Britain, France, Western Germany, and Italy would get the biggest allotments. Britain is down for the largest amount, 940 millions.

The sum is part of the five and one-half billions sought by the Administration for 15 months of foreign aid.

Acheson Hits Hungarians

Secretary of State Acheson has blasted the Hungarian government for its treatment of Cardinal Mindszenty. He called the case an example of religious persecution by the Communists, persecution which has horrified the free world.

He said the United States is considering possible action through the United Nations in the case of the cardinal, who was sentenced to life imprisonment. The House Foreign Affairs Committee has called the UN action or other moves to protest the treatment of the cardinal.

Labor Talks Extended

The Senate Labor Committee has voted itself more time to hear witnesses on the administration labor bill. The administration seeks to repeal the Taft-Hartley Act and to substitute a revised Wagner Act.

The committee voted to extend its hearings from tonight until February 22.

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Charge Given To New School By Milholland

Lauds Foundation Laid by School

In his charge to the School of Home Economics at the convocation in Schwab Auditorium Tuesday, James Milholland, acting president of the College, commended the School for the solid foundation it has laid for the development of the professional aspects of home economics.

"I charge you with responsibility for continuing to advance those curricula with the same zeal and discretion I know you will apply to the education of homemakers," President Milholland said.

Expressing the gratitude of the College to all who shared in the creation of the new school, President Milholland said "the expedition and effectiveness with which the whole project was consummated eloquently testify to the merit of its founders, notably Director Emerita Edith P. Chace and Dr. Laura W. Drummond."

"Thanks are equally due to the vision, zeal, and the unceasing efforts of Dean Grace M. Henderson," President Milholland continued. "Within a few short years, she has converted a long-standing dream into a reality. In the process she has also found time to strengthen both the personnel and the program in Home Economics."

"You have my best wishes for the successful continuation of your efforts to make home economics education at Penn State outstanding among the Land-Grant colleges," President Milholland continued. "Knowing what I do of yourself and your staff, I am confident that you will in due time achieve your heart's desire to your own credit, and for the greater service of Pennsylvania and its people."

Talent Show Names Judges

Six judges and a method of screening and final judging have been decided upon by members of the Penn State Club for their annual Talent Show in Schwab Auditorium at 8 p.m. tomorrow.

Contestants, who will be competing for three cash awards, will first be screened by the staff of six judges and the ultimate winners will be decided by audience applause.

Selected as judges for the 12-act show were Louis H. Bell, director of publicity; Daniel De Marino, assistant dean of men; William Lawless, all-College president; Malcolm White, news editor of the Collegian; Janet Lyons, WSGA president; and Ernest Sladics, president of the Penn State Club.

Reserved seats, at 74 cents, tax included, will be on sale at Student Union until curtain time.

PI Establishes Office Services

Establishment of an Office Services Division as a branch of the Department of Public Information was announced recently.

Services offered by the new division include typing, stencil cutting, mimeographing, assembling, folding and mailing. College agencies requesting work may furnish their own typed stencils and materials or have them supplied by the division. All charges will be made on a cost basis.

Henry F. Goeken, supervisor of Office Services Division, is located in 308 Old Main, telephone extension 183M.

Forum Speaker Changed

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Stanley K. Hornbeck

Envoy to Dutch Replaces Writer In Series Shift

Hornbeck to Speak On 'China and the US'

The Honorable Stanley K. Hornbeck, recently returned ambassador to the Netherlands, will replace Hanson Baldwin, noted military analyst of the New York Times, as speaker in the Community Forum series at Schwab Auditorium on February 15, Hugh G. Pyle, chairman of the Community Forum, announced yesterday.

An assignment to Alaska to cover the scheduled military maneuvers in that area for his newspaper forced Mr. Baldwin to cancel his engagement. Dr. Rose Cologne, chairman of the program committee, made arrangements to acquire a new speaker rather than accept Mr. Baldwin's offer to appear at a later date.

Experiences With Dutch

Mr. Hornbeck, whose recent experiences with the Dutch should throw new light on current developments in the Far East, will speak on "China and the U.S." He has recently been serving as professor of Chinese government at Harvard University.

Among other assignments, Mr. Hornbeck has been special assistant to the Secretary of State, Chief of the Division of Far Eastern Affairs in the Department of State and a delegate to all of the recent peace conferences.

Thought Suitable Substitute

The Community Forum Program Committee, taking into consideration the wide-spread experience of Mr. Hornbeck and the pertinency of the recent turn of events in the Far East, especially the activities of the Communists in China, thought him to be a suitable substitute for Mr. Baldwin.

San Carlos U. Offers Courses

University of San Carlos, Guatemala City, will present its third annual seven-week summer session from July 1 to August 19.

Planned primarily for North American students, the summer session has been approved by Veterans Administration and both undergraduate and graduate work have been accepted by the major colleges and universities of the United States.

Courses in the fields of Spanish, Latin American language, literature and institutions will be offered for two credits each. A maximum of six credits may be carried.

A master of arts degree is offered by the university in either Spanish literature or Latin American studies. Three summer sessions are required for such a degree.

A summer catalogue with detailed information may be obtained by writing air mail to Secretary of the Summer School, Apartado 179, Guatemala, C. A.

Extension Offers Typing Classes

Registration for two evening classes in elementary typing, offered by the Extension Services at the College, will be held in 7 Sparks Thursday, February 10, from 7 to 9 p.m.

Classes will convene for the first time Tuesday February 15, in 9 Sparks. Elementary Typing (1) will meet from 6:30 to 8 p.m., while Elementary Typing (2) will meet Tuesday and Thursday from 8 to 9:30 p.m. Persons who have taken typing but who would like to increase their skill should register in Elementary Typing (2).

BX Adds Supplies, Varied Inventory

The BX will be open continuously from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. this week. If scheduling is possible the store will be open during these hours throughout the semester.

A new stock of supplies has arrived, and a more varied inventory will be added.

There are still many used books that haven't been sold; they will be on sale all this week.

3-Day Program For Home Ec School To End

The Home Economics School will conclude its three-day inauguration program at the College today.

Demonstrations, discussions, and movies on all phases of homemaking will round up the program in behalf of the school's recent departure from the School of Liberal Arts.

At 9 a.m. Dr. Jean D. Amberston, professor of Home Economics, will discuss "Values for Family Living Held by Teachers of Home Economics" in 118. Demonstrations on experimental cookery and advanced foods work will be shown at the same hour.

Pennsylvania Report

A report on Pennsylvania farm housing will be given by Gladys Wasmuth, assistant professor of housing and home art and a forum, "Learning to Teach," will be conducted by student teachers at 10 a.m. Also at that hour demonstrations on weaving, textile design, winter flower arrangements, color and design will be given by students.

At 11 a.m. Ina Padgett, professor of foods and nutrition, will discuss recent developments in the field of nutrition in room 118.

Students Serve Lunch

Lunch prepared by students in Hotel and Institution Administration will be sold in 5 and 7 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

At 1 p.m. Mabel C. McDowell, professor of clothing extension, will speak on visual aids as a help in making clothes in 114. At 2 p.m. social usages and children's garments will be discussed in rooms 14 and 223 respectively.

At 3 p.m. Dr. Grace M. Henderson will visit with parents and prospective students in the Living Center.

Movies and slides on many different phases of home economics will be shown every hour except 2 p.m. throughout the day.

Students, faculty and towns—
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Staff Publishes Largest Yearbook

This year La Vie, College yearbook, will be the largest that has ever been published on the Penn State campus. The book includes 2636 seniors, some of whom graduated in the Summer of '48, February '49, as well as those who will graduate in June of '49.

The book itself contains 478 pages. It will be distributed in the middle of May, the first La Vie since 1942 which will be given to seniors prior to graduation.

"We met the February 1 deadline," said John English, editor of La Vie, "and now two thirds of the book is already on the presses."



English

Bristol Outlines Plan For Peace In Tuesday Talk

James Bristol, representative of the American Friends Service Committee, outlined what can be done, why it should be done and how it can be done to promote world peace in a talk entitled "Laying the Foundations for Peace" in the Hugh Beaver Room, Old Main, Tuesday night.

He began his speech by describing the "twisting, bitter cynicism" that prevails in the world today, adding a brief comment on reviewing Tabi's play, "After World War III," which gave the solution of world peace only after one man survived in the entire world.

Cynicism Prevails

Bristol augmented this statement with another example of the remark made by a Lutheran bishop of Paris who declared in essence, that we should take an atomic bomb and go wipe out Russia. Since this remark was uttered by a high prelate of the church, Mr. Bristol believes there is a good reason why cynicism prevails in the world today.

Throughout the world there persists many lofty and high ideals, Mr. Bristol said, yet in actual practice these are denied. For example, during the formation of the United Nations, the ideals were for world peace, yet Sweden, who was not at war, could not join.

The speaker asserted that in
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Work on 5 College Buildings Resumes

Construction work on five of the new buildings at the College was back in full swing yesterday, after a two-week work stoppage ended Tuesday, but union picket lines were continued on three projects.

The Centre County Building Construction Trade Council settled grievances with four contractors Monday night and is still negotiating with M. W. Schreffler, J. Alvin Hawbaker and Donald Stabler, contractors for excavating of men's dormitories, a breeding center and drainage trunk line.

The union, protesting the use of non-union workers, has indicated pickets will be maintained at these projects until an agreement is reached.

Lion, State Meet Jointly

Members of both State and Lion party Steering Committees met in 410 Old Main at 7 p.m. Tuesday. At the joint meeting, various policies, important to both parties and to College politics in general, were considered.