

TODAYS WEATHER:
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a few scattered showers

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Freshmen Demonstration Causes Repercussions

Repercussions were felt in the administration and student government as a result of the mass demonstration by freshman Wednesday night.

Neil See, chairman of Tribunal, said that the demonstration was an unfortunate incident. He stated that he felt that the freshmen needed some clarifications as to the purpose of customs. See said that customs were revived this year to help bring back the school spirit that has been so sadly lacking in the past few years, and to help revive class spirit.

The Tribunal head said, "I cannot at this time give the freshman a definite date for the removal of customs." He said that he can promise the freshmen that "customs will not carry over an unduly long period of time." He asks the freshmen's cooperation in carrying out customs, explaining that most of the freshmen agree that customs are a good thing.

BULLETIN—All freshman men will be barred from the AIM dance in Rec hall tomorrow night as punishment for the "revolt" Wednesday. Tribunal Chairman Neil See announced last night. It had been announced previously that only violators of freshman customs would be barred from the dance.

Any freshman who has a protest about customs may write a letter to Tribunal fully explaining the case. See emphasized that the complaint must be a protest of a specific incident and not a flat denunciation of customs.

As to representation on Tribunal by freshmen, See said that the All-College constitution states that Tribunal shall be made up of four juniors and four seniors. Any change to give freshmen a seat on Tribunal would mean a ratification of the constitution, he added.

H. K. Wilson, dean of men, termed the mass revolt of the freshmen a "flare-up." He said that it was a good thing for the freshmen to let off steam as long as it didn't get too serious. He said that he hoped that mass meetings would continue to occur.

Upholds Customs

Another administration spokesman, Wilmer E. Kenworthy, assistant to the president in charge of student affairs, said "Customs were revived after careful consideration by the student government, and thoroughly worked out by All-College Cabinet. Under the circumstances it would seem that the freshmen should take them in good spirits since they are neither drastic nor difficult. The demonstration was an evidence of class spirit, but not as constructive as might be wise."

In that freshman rally, the frosh met in the West Dorm (Continued on page eight)

Home Ec School Aids Reception

Students from the School of Home Economics will provide the food, decorations and seating arrangements at the reception for President and Mrs. Milton S. Eisenhower in White Hall on Wednesday night.

The food for the reception, which is part of the inauguration ceremonies, will be made and served by students of the hotel and institution administration in the Home Ec school.

The menu calls for cheese sandwiches, cookies and coffee, all made by the students, to be served to the 1000 guests expected to attend the affair. Open-face sandwiches are also being bought by the College.

Decorations will be provided by the Home Arts division of the school, and the seating arrangements will be made by the social usage department.

All the work will be done by students in the school who have volunteered for the project.



Neil See

Frosh Women Change Homes

Most of the freshmen women on campus have vacated the cottages and moved into the Northwest Unit of Atherton Hall leaving Elm and Oak the only cottages still housing freshmen girls. In an attempt to keep the majority of freshmen women together, several sophomores were moved from Atherton into Simmons and McElwain. Because many women students who had reserved rooms for the fall semester in the dormitories did not return to the College, there were vacancies. This made it unnecessary to house many of the freshmen in cottages.

The recent cottages will be available to guests who visit the College to attend the President's inauguration, and various conferences held here.

Watkins Announces Deadline For Changes

A student may not change his schedule after tomorrow without a letter from the dean of his school in accordance with the College's undergraduate regulations, Scheduling Officer Ray V. Watkins reminded students yesterday.

Hatmen Talk Customs; Reporter Is Expelled

More than 75 hatmen met last night to discuss the customs program and problems entailed in its enforcement. Following comments from the floor and from Hat Society Council President Robert Fast and Tribunal Chairman Neil See, the Daily Collegian reporter was asked to leave.

Information concerning events that followed in the closed session was not available to Collegian. Harry Kondourajian, vice-president of All-College cabinet, informed the reporter, however, that the group had ended its discussion of customs.

Customs Enforcement

The discussion concerning customs included consideration of freshman dress, enforcement of minor customs rules, and the attitude of both hatmen and upperclassmen toward the program.

See, who reviewed customs rules, said the program should be administered in a "good-humored" manner, and that "a lot of this is a matter of common sense." First-time offenders who have broken minor rules, need not be turned in to Tribunal, but "wise

Fund Scheme Favored For SU, Other Plans

New Structure Marks Return Of State Party

The State Party, defeated in pus politics, whether or not the State Party would continue, was answered this week by party officials with a definite "Yes."

Harry Cover, chairman of the State clique, announced yesterday that the party would again function, under the familiar name, but with an entirely new organizational structure.

In outlining the new structure, Cover remarked that it is designed to give a much greater number of students an opportunity to participate actively in work within the party and in election campaigning. "One of the most significant improvements," he said, "is in the chance it offers women to determine party policies and conduct campaigns in their own right."

Under the new plan, all fraternity, dormitory and town elements would be grouped in separate wards, each with its own leaders, and further broken down into precincts on a basis of convenience and common interest.

Requirements for clique voting status were also altered and involve meeting attendance rather than signed petitions as in the past. A committee will be established to keep an accurate account of party membership.

Further details will be released at the party's first general meeting Sunday, Oct. 8. Exact time and place will be announced later. Cover said that all students interested in the party are invited to attend and are urged to take part in setting up the new inner-party organization.

The State Party, defeated in last spring's elections, is pointing toward a repeat of its clean sweep in last fall's freshman and sophomore class balloting.

Food Service To Open

The Home Economics Food service, located in the basement of the Home Economics building, now is in operation. Cafeteria style lunch will be served each Monday through Saturday from 11:50 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Tea service will be available Monday through Thursday, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

There will be no service next week.

Cabinet Removes Customs Rules For Night Of Inaugural Ball

By STAN DEGLER

All-College cabinet went on record as favoring a permanent fund-raising group in the Alumni association to raise money for the Student Union and other projects.

Cabinet also removed freshman customs for the night of the inaugural ball next Wednesday from 7 p.m. until 1 a.m. All customs for both men and women students, including

Parade, Rally To Hail Engle

The new football season will get underway tonight with a "Welcome Engle" pep rally as a preliminary to the game with Georgetown university tomorrow afternoon.

Coach Rip Engle and most of the football team will appear at the rally. It is rumored that the Freshman men may turn out en masse for the event.

The ceremonies will begin at 7:30 with a parade forming at Fairmount and Allen streets. It is scheduled to move down Allen street to College avenue, across College avenue, and up the mall to Old Main. The parade will be led by the Blue Band. Other marchers will include campus hatmen and cheerleaders.

The parade will break up about 8 o'clock on the steps of Old Main. There Hank Glass will officiate as master of ceremonies. Coach Engle will say a few words at the gathering. The rally will end with school songs and cheers led by the cheerleaders.

Original plans for the rally also included a bonfire, but they were changed because no suitable location for the fire could be found.

Homer Barr and Rudy Valentino, co-chairmen for the "Welcome Engle" committee, have requested a large turnout for the event.

Junior Hatmen To Help Usher

Men from Androcles and Blue Key, the two junior hat societies, will help serve as ushers for President Milton S. Eisenhower's inauguration on Oct. 5. Both societies were notified of this fact at their meeting Tuesday night.

Keys and copies of the constitution were distributed to members of Androcles at their meeting. Other business included naming a committee to assist the cheerleaders in working out the details of the flash card system, and a detailed explanation of freshman customs.

Donald Carlson, president of the society, told members that hats should be worn every day of freshman customs, and every Wednesday thereafter.

Business at the Blue Key meeting included forming plans to donate services to visiting athletic teams, and naming of men to work with flashcards at the football games.

In addition, the society made plans to offer its services to Coach Rip Engle and President Milton S. Eisenhower, and to participate in a salute to Engle ceremony at the game Saturday.

Vet Book Receipts Due

Veterans who turn in their book receipts by Sept. 30 will be reimbursed in the first payment Nov. 16 and 17, Richard Baker, coordinator of veterans affairs, said.

A box for the receipts is located in the hall outside room 6A in the basement of Old Main.

dating provisions, are to be set aside for that period.

John Erickson, senior class president, made the motion to support a permanent group in the alumni office to provide a fund for projects. The motion was passed unanimously with one abstention by Joan Wentzel, Leonides president.

Reads Letter

After Robert Fast reported for the Student Union committee, Mary Ellen Grube, president of WRA discussed the possibility of alumni assistance in financing the Student Union. She read a letter written by a graduate of 1904 which she said showed "some of the great enthusiasm the alumni have" toward such a project.

Fast told the Daily Collegian after the meeting that College officials had said that since Cabinet had voted a student assessment to pay for the Student Union that the administration was obligated to build it.

Long Range Program

Ross Lehman, assistant alumni secretary, explained to the group that a drive of the kind needed to raise funds necessary for such a project would require a fund-raising office, and that they had in mind a long range program with the Student Union and a field house as the two main projects.

The motion to remove customs for the ball brought to the floor by Edward Shanken, Liberal Arts council president, was passed unanimously. Cabinet also voted to assume all financial obligations for the inauguration ball.

Cabinet also appointed members of the Who's Who in the News in American Colleges and Universities committee. Members are Harry Kondourajian, chairman, Marlin Brenner, Nancy George, Mary Ellen Grube, John Erickson, Edward Shanken, and Joan Wentzel.

Fox Supports Customs Program

James Fox, freshman quoted by Collegian yesterday in a report of the freshmen revolt Wednesday evening, has denied he attacked customs. He said yesterday Collegian had misquoted him.

Fox said he had spoken at the West dorms gathering in favor of customs and that he thought customs were needed at Penn State. He denied making two of the four statements quoted in Collegian and said the other statements were printed out of context.

Grads To Hold Party

The Penn State graduate club will hold an informal party in 304 Old Main tomorrow night.

The party will be open to all graduates and staff members and will begin at 8 o'clock. There will be dancing, card playing and other types of recreation.

Date Of Fees Changed

The bursar's office has announced that the dates for payment of fees have been changed from Oct. 5 and 6 to Oct. 12 and 13. All fees, including room and board will be due on these dates. Fees are payable at the bursar's office in 6 Willard.