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## College and Union Must Cooperate

The decision of the members of local 67 of the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees (AFL) to negotiate further with the College is a move from which both the employees and the College stand to benefit.

A strike would have hurt the College and might have resulted in Penn State being compelled to close. A work stoppage would have hurt the employees too, for a strike works both ways; no work means no monthly pay check.

The union has accomplished a good bit of what it set out to do. It has won recognition, in the words of its leaders. It has won an increase in wages. It has started the ball rolling toward the "establishment of a well-understood system of wage classification" and "a democratically operated efficiency rating system."

According to figures released by the College from Jan. 1, 1946, to February 1951, wages for service employees rose 16.7 per cent. During the period from March 1, 1951, to February, 1952, the same figures show, salaries have increased 20 per cent on the average.

In the eyes of the union there still remain to be settled five points which the union feels stand in the way of complete agreement. None of them should prove to be insurmountable. They will not prove to be insurmountable if both sides sit down in an atmosphere of compromise and give-and-take.

Collective bargaining in the American industrial picture has more often than not been marked by unions asking for more than they hoped to get and employers offering less than they would eventually have to yield. The outcome has almost always fallen somewhere between the demands of the two factions, the side with the greatest bargaining power being able to achieve a larger percentage of its goals.

In the case of a public institution of a non-profit nature such as Penn State, collective bargaining procedures are somewhat changed. The College is not in business to make a profit. Every dollar the College receives as income, either from fees or by state or federal grants, is spent.

There is nothing left in the tills at the end of the year for a dividend for the stockholders. Penn State being a public institution, both the College and the union have a duty to the people of Pennsylvania. That duty calls for smooth and efficient operation of the state's largest educational institution.

Both the College and the union, now that the latter is vested with some degree of power, have a public trust and responsibility. That responsibility demands that an equitable solution

of the remaining problems be achieved. We have confidence in the willingness of the College to deal with the problem justly. We hope that the union will accept its new-found power with the same responsibility to the people of Pennsylvania.

## Safety Valve

### Students Have 'Solution' To College Wage Problem

TO THE EDITOR: May several students who have lived in College dormitories for three years give the College officials a little hint? We believe we have found a way in which the salaries of the service employees could be raised, but the budget for paying these salaries remain the same.

Why not just visit any of the dorms at any time during the day and notice how many of the employees find it possible to sit down and entertain themselves while their work waits? Possibly the College could release several of these employees. Their salaries could be used to take care of the wage boost for the rest that their union is asking for.

—Names withheld

## Gazette . . .

Friday, March 21  
INTERVARSITY CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, 405 Old Main, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, March 23  
BRIDGE LESSONS, TUE, 6:30 p.m.

Monday, March 24  
CAMERA CLUB, Lion Studio, 7:30 p.m.  
ELECTRONIC WARFARE UNIT 4-3, 200 Engineering E, 7 p.m.

COLLEGE HOSPITAL  
Harry Ankeny, Garrett Barnes, Robert Barwick, Mimi Beachler, Lois Brown, William Chestnutt, Paul Crofford, Karl Fuhrmann, Walter Gearhart, Barbara Greer, Howard Hallett, Harrison Hartman, Clifford Hoch, Lucy Joiner, Walter Keirsey, Ellis Maris, Richard McQuillen, Michael Meckley, William Ollendike, Richard Pearson, Richard Pigman, Dominic Scalera.

AT THE MOVIES  
CATHAUM: Street Car Named Desire 2:13, 4:06, 5:59, 7:47, 9:39

STATE: Pandora and the Flying Dutchman 2:11, 4:03, 5:55, 7:59, 9:45

NIITANY: Last of the Mohicans 6:25, 8:19, 10:15

COLLEGE PLACEMENT  
American Steel and Wire Co. will interview June graduates in M.E., C.E., I.E., E.E., Ch.E., Metal, and Sci. majors in Math., Phys. or Chem. Tuesday, April 1.  
Bendix Radio Corp. will interview June graduates in E.E. Tuesday, April 1.  
Foster Wheeler Corp. will interview June graduates in Ch.E., C.E., I.E., M.E. and E.E. Tuesday, April 1.  
North American Companies will interview June graduates in Com. and A&L Tuesday, April 1. Students who are draft exempt are preferred.  
Ohio Oil Co. will interview June graduates in P.N.G. Tuesday, April 1.  
United States Rubber Co. will interview June graduates in Chem., Ch.E., M.E., I.E., E.E. and Phys. Tuesday, April 1.  
Sperry Gyroscope Co. will interview June graduates in E.E., M.E., and Phys. Friday, March 28.  
Sylvania Electric Co. will interview June graduates in E.E., M.E., I.E., Ch.E., Com., A&L, Act., Chem., Cer., Metal, Oil Well Supply Co. will interview June graduates in M.E., P.N.G. and I.E. Wednesday, April 2.  
Reaction Motors, Inc. will interview June graduates and 1952 M.S. candidates in Aero.E., Metal, and M.E. Wednesday, April 2.  
Scintilla Magneto Division will interview June graduates in Aero.E., E.E., I.E. and M.E. Wednesday, April 2.  
Bridgeport Brass Co. will interview June graduates in Ch.E., Metal, I.E. and M.E. Monday, March 31.  
Columbia Southern Chemical Corp. will interview June graduates in Ch.E., C.E., I.E. and M.E. Thursday, April 3. They will interview chemists at all levels.  
International Business Machines Corp. will interview June graduates in Com. and L.A. Wednesday, April 2.  
Mergenthaler Linotype Co. will interview June graduates in M.E., E.E., I.E. and Com. Thursday, April 3.  
Ralston Purina Co. will interview June graduates in Ag.Ec., Ag.Ed., Ag.Eng., Agro., A.H., D.H. for sales and graduates in Ch.E., C.E., E.E., I.E. and M.E. for production Thursday, April 3.

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## The World At a Glance

### Peace Treaty Demands

PARIS, March 20—(AP)—The West's reply to Russia's proposals for a German peace treaty will insist that unified Germany be free to join the proposed European army, it was reported today.

France was insisting on this, it was stated, feeling that having German soldiers in the proposed six-nation army, with one uniform under a joint command, is less dangerous than an independent German army suggested by the Kremlin.

### Admits Aiding Party

WASHINGTON, March 20—(AP)—Sen. Owen Brewster (R-Me.) acknowledged today that he used Henry W. Grunewald, a shadowy mystery figure, as an undercover "conduit" to funnel \$10,000 in contributions to the primary campaigns of two Republican senators in 1950.

### Elections Commission

PARIS, March 20—(AP)—France, West Germany and the Saar agreed today to set up a joint commission to determine whether free and democratic elections can be held next autumn in the Saar Valley.

Both France and Germany seek control of the little border state's extensive coal and steel resources.

### WSB Favors Raise

WASHINGTON, March 20—(AP)—The Wage Stabilization Board was reported tonight to have recommended a 17½ cent hourly pay boost for CIO steel workers—with 12½ cents effective beginning last Jan. 1, and further 2½ cent increases next July 1 and next Jan. 1.

These reports came from reliable industry and labor sources who may not be named. They said the wage increases would be provided in an 18-month contract.

### College Funds Short

ANNVILLE, Pa., March 20—(AP)—Officials of Lebanon Valley College reported today discovery of a shortage in funds of the college.

Dr. Frederick K. Miller, president of the institution, said no estimate was available of the amount involved in what he termed "illegal borrowing." He said auditors are checking records to determine the amount.

Dr. Miller said that Claude R. Donmoyer, treasurer of the college, has been suspended and no charges have been filed in the case.

"We have been advised that funds were borrowed in an involved manner," Dr. Miller stated. "We don't know the amount nor the details of the situation."



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1:30 p.m. at the Student Union Desk.