

Union Confers With University

Representatives of the University maintenance union met with University officials yesterday to discuss the wage classification plan offered by the University.

Representing the union were Kenneth Dixon, president; Harry Mingle, vice president; and Thomas Hartswick, treasurer. Attending the meeting for the University were Ray T. Fortunato, coordinator of labor relations, and John Butler, training coordinator.

According to Dixon, the union objects to the plan because "a worker has no assurance he will get into the higher wage classification brackets."

Divided Into Six Brackets

According to Dixon, the wage classification plan is divided into six brackets: hiring rate, minimum, lower intermediate, going rate, upper intermediate, and maximum.

Dixon interpreted the plan as follows:

A worker is hired at the hiring rate. After a period of three months, he is either moved to the minimum bracket or dismissed. If he is moved to the minimum bracket, he advances to the going rate according to his seniority.

In order to be advanced into the upper intermediate or maximum bracket, Dixon said, the worker must be recommended by his supervisor.

Termed Incorrect

A University official said last night that Dixon's interpretation was "not entirely correct," but declined further comment on the matter.

The union claims that is unfair to require that a worker be recommended by his supervisor before advancing to the higher brackets.

The union says the plan ignores seniority and fair salary increases. As an example, they cited a group of veteran employees whom they said are getting less money than some workers employed for a shorter time.

Meet Again In Future

Dixon said that the union and the University will meet again "in the near future," after a union committee completes the draft of an alternate wage plan. He said a committee of 14 union men was meeting Thursday night to work on the proposal. The committee consists of seven members of the executive board and seven members from the union-at-large.

The union is also sponsoring an open political meeting at 8 p. m. tonight in the IOOF Hall, E. College avenue. Candidates for state Senate and Assembly from both the Republican and Democratic Parties will be present to express their views on union legislative proposals.

Candidates Named

The Republican candidates are State Senator A. H. Letzler, and Assemblyman Preston H. Frost. Democratic candidates are Jo Hays, of State College, for state senate, and Charles M. Emerick, for state assembly.

The union proposals involve urging further University expansion, the construction of dormitories, social security, state auditing of University accounts, re-vamping the Board of Trustees, and making public University affairs including trustee meetings and financial records.

Stuart Will Address Young GOP Meeting

H. L. Pete Stuart, Centre County Republican chairman, will address the Young Republicans' Club at 7 p. m. tomorrow in 202 Willard.

Club members will present a report on the Young Republicans' Convention held last Friday and Saturday in Pottsville.

The club will start organizing for the fall campaign for state republican offices at the meeting.

Congressman James Van Zandt, who was scheduled to speak before the club tomorrow, will speak Oct. 14. State Senator Al Letzler will also speak then.

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Frosh Customs Board Punishes Six Violators

Fifteen freshmen appeared last night before Freshman Customs Board. Of these, three women and three men were found guilty of customs violations.

All six pleaded guilty to forgetting to wear part or all of their customs or refusing to wear them during custom hours.

The six students were sentenced to wearing 24-by-36-inch cards in a parade following a band of previous customs violators at Saturday's football game. The cards must be inscribed with the words "customs violator" in large black six-inch letters.

Violators will meet before the game at the open end of Beaver Field in front of the scoreboard. Parade members will follow the 30-member band either up the center of the field or around the track along the bleachers.

All freshmen must wear dinks to the first two home football games, Hugh Cline and Ann Lederman, co-chairmen of customs board, said.

Those freshmen who don't have their dinks and haven't received an exemption card enabling them to attend the game without their dinks, must sign a list at the Student Union desk in Old Main. All freshmen signing the list will be admitted to the game.

Freshman Customs Board will meet at 7 p. m. tomorrow in 304 Old Main.

Phys Ed Group Committees Set

A public relations committee and a social committee were organized Monday at the Physical Education Student Council meeting.

Betty Bemus and Andersos Bergesen, both fifth semester physical education majors, were named to the social committee for mixers to be given by the College of Physical Education and Athletics.

William Seckinger, fifth semester recreation major, and Dorothy Kellett, third semester physical education major, were placed on the public relations committee for convocations.

Plans were discussed for the first convocation, to be held at 11 a. m. Oct. 13 in 10 Sparks.

Homecoming Tickets To Be Sold Today

Alumni Homecoming game tickets will go on sale at 9 a. m. today in the new Athletic Association ticket office, 248 Recreation Hall, for \$3 apiece.

AA office hours are 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. West Virginia game tickets will be sold until 4 p. m. Oct. 15.

Tickets for the Virginia game Saturday also are available at the AA office at the same price.

Harshbarger Will Address APhiO Smoker

Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity, will hold a rushing smoker at 7:30 p. m. tomorrow at Phi Mu Delta, Richard Updegraff, president, has announced. All upperclassmen with a 1.0 All-University average who have been members of the Boy Scouts of America are qualified to join the fraternity.

The Rev. Luther H. Harshbarger, chaplain, will speak at the smoker.

Alpha Phi Omega service projects this year include assisting freshmen during orientation week and helping at registration in Recreation Hall.

Last year members solicited for Campus Chest, set up and took down bloodmobile equipment, and conducted a "keep off the grass" campaign.

They also aided with publicity during Religion-in-Life Week, served as guides at several alumni and University functions, conducted the Ugly Man contest to collect money for Campus Chest, helped to run the He-Man contest, and distributed posters for various organizations.

AIM to Consider Publication Tonight

The Association of Independent Men will discuss the possibility of reviving "The Independent," AIM's monthly newspaper which ceased publication last year, at tonight's meeting.

Joan Packard, Leonides president, will present a request for a joint AIM-Leonides executive board meeting, and five committee reports will be given.

The elections committee will report on Pollock, Nittany, Town and West Dorm elections. Also on the agenda are reports on National Independent Students Association, AIM's Orientation Week counseling, Autumn Ball, and National Students' Association.

The group will discuss hiring a secretary for the Judicial Board of Review.

Prexy Chapel Speech

President Milton S. Eisenhower's speech in Chapel Sunday will be presented by tape recording over WDFM, campus radio station, at 8 tonight.

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2 Forum Speakers To Give Readings

By PADDY BEAHAN

Two of the 1954-55 Community Forum speakers—Clifton Fadiman and Agnes Moorehead—will present programs of what Charles Laughton has termed "the lost art"—reading aloud.

Forum season tickets are on sale today through Saturday at the Student Union desk in Old Main and Griggs Pharmacy on E. College avenue. Tickets are priced at \$4.40 for the five-speaker program.

Clifton Fadiman, who will open the forum Nov. 9, has built his show around "readaloudables" he has collected during his long career as critic, author, and radio and television entertainer.

These selections range from a single sentence, which has struck his fancy, to a long short story. He intersperses his readings with pertinent comments.

'Information Please'

Fadiman emceed the "Information Please" radio program for over ten years, conducted "This Is Show Business" on television, and now has his own program, "Conversation" on radio.

At the age of 23 Fadiman became assistant editor of Simon and Schuster publishing house and in two years was editor-in-chief. In 1933 he was hired to review books for "The New Yorker" magazine. He is also on the board of judges of the Book-of-the-Month Club.

He has been a steady contributor to magazines and newspapers for almost 25 years. He has also written several books, most of them collections. For the past two years his essays on all subjects have appeared in a column, "Party of One," in "Holiday" magazine and a book of these essays will be published under the

name of the column this spring. Moorehead Program

Miss Moorehead, who follows Fadiman Dec. 6, will present her interpretation of dramatized selections from the Bible and by Ring Lardner, James Thurber, Marcel Proust, William Shakespeare, Rupert Brooke, and George B. Shaw.

Her program, "That Fabulous Redhead," will also include passages from famous letters, anecdotes from her career, and the complete radio program, "Sorry, Wrong Number," written expressly for her by Lucille Fletcher.

"Sorry, Wrong Number" was heard first in 1943 over "Suspense" radio program and was so popular Miss Moorehead repeated it three times in the next two years.

The actress carries all but two minutes of the half hour radio play, which portrays an invalid woman who has overheard her murder being planned.

Toured with Laughton

She toured two years with the First Drama Quartette's performance of "Don Juan in Hell." In this she was associated with Charles Laughton, who directed her present show, and Paul Greysays will be published under the

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"He's cute," said one coed to another.
"Umm, hmm, but he's crazy," replied Coed Two.
"Crazy how?" asked the first.
"Well, for one thing, look how he dresses. He has a whole wardrobe of those perfectly stunning Van Heusen Vanahue shirts . . . you know the beautiful colored ones with the wonderful collar styles, those short ones and button-downs and spreads and everything?"
"He must be loaded," commented No. 1. "He's really cute."
"Silly. You don't have to be rich to own Vanahue Shirts. They may look like custom shirts, but they only cost \$3.95."
"So what's so crazy?"
"Look at him," replied No. 2. He's got on that lovely green Vanahue with a blue suit."
"I don't care. He's cute."
"But he could wear almost any of his others . . . the pink, the yellow, the blue, or even the vintage. It's only because he's nuts."
Shortly thereafter, our No. 1 girl met the freshman in question at the drug store. With astonishing tact, she said: "My girl friend thinks you're nuts."
"So does my room-mate," he replied sadly.
"Why?"
"Just because I like pancakes."
"I love pancakes," she answered.
"You do? Well, gee, come over to the fraternity house. I've got trunks of 'em."
"You're cute," she said.
MORAL: Women are nuts.