



Fund Slash to Reduce Staff of Ordnance Lab

The staff of the Ordnance Research Laboratory will be reduced by 42 beginning Nov. 15 because of a cutback in funds according to Dr. Merritt A. Williamson, dean of the College of Engineering and Architecture.

Williamson said the cutback in funds is the result of a cut made by Congress in Department of Defense funds. Funds for the University's laboratory come from the Defense Department through the Navy.

At the same time, the University disclosed plans to offer an undergraduate course in underwater missile engineering during the spring semester.

No statement was made as to how the cut in staff would affect the instructional program.

Members of the staff whom the cut will affect have been notified, Williamson said.

In a memorandum, he said, "The University Administration regrets the necessity of this action. Everything will be done to help those who are affected to locate other suitable employment within the University or elsewhere."

At the end of September, there were 245 persons on the ORL payroll. The ORL performs two functions: it does extensive research in underwater missiles and equipment for the Navy and conducts an instructional program.

To do its research work, ORL maintains an underwater test station in Black Moshannon State Park and laboratories at Naval stations in Newport, R.I., Key West, Fla., and Keyport, Wash.

It also maintains the Garfield Thomas Water Tunnel on west campus for testing designs of propellers, body shapes and auxiliaries of underwater devices.

The instructional program, set up two years ago by Dr. Gilford G. Quarles, director of the ORL, includes an accredited course in underwater missile engineering and a number of seminars.

The course and seminars are offered to students, members of the armed forces and representatives of industry.

University officials said the course in underwater missile engineering will be taught by Arthur T. Thompson, professor of engineering research and associate director of the laboratory.

The course will treat research, development and design aspects of torpedoes and students will study such topics as transducers, guidance and control systems, propulsion and propulsor systems, fire control and attack trajectories.

Flu Analyses Expected Back In Two Weeks

Reports on blood samples taken during the recent respiratory illness to determine possible Asiatic flu are expected in 10 days.

Blood samples were taken from eight or ten students considered to have the worst cases of the flu and flu-like illness.

The first reports on the tests from Philadelphia laboratories will contain the identification of the strain of organism, according to Dr. Herbert R. Glenn, director of the University Health Service.

Further reports from at least half the number of samples are required to confirm the disease-causing organism, Glenn said.

One blood sample was taken from each student at the height of fever, followed by another sample 10 days later.

A few days are required for processing at the hospital laboratories and about two weeks per sample is needed at the Philadelphia laboratories.

The Associated Press last night reported that the virus diagnostic laboratory at Children's Hospital, Philadelphia, has confirmed only 136 Asian flu cases in the state, although

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THAT'S A MOUTHFUL—Children from Woodcrest "race" students to the marshmallow at a fraternity Halloween party.

Russians to Dine in Waring, See Classes, Dorms, Football

Four visitors from the Russian embassy will begin their campus tour today with a luncheon in Waring Hall as guests of the Association of Independent Men.

Their tour will be centered around student affairs, since they have stressed their desire to become acquainted with student life at an American university.

After lunch they will see some of the residence halls and other buildings on campus.

At 2 p.m. they will be at a press conference in the office of Dr. Robert G. Bernreuter, special assistant to the President for student affairs.

Robert Steele, All-University president, will take the four visitors to his 3:10 class in the history and government of Russia. The course is taught by Vernon V. Aspaturian, assistant professor of political science.

They will then go on a short

tour of Recreation Building and will watch football practice at Beaver Field.

The four will have dinner at Phi Mu Delta fraternity after a visit to the home of a faculty member.

At night, they will stop at the Indie Week Halloween dance at the Hetzel Union Building.

If they stay Thursday, they will be taken on a tour of a student chemistry laboratory and will visit the University farms after a luncheon at McElwain Hall.

JBR to Meet Tonight

The Association of Independent Men Judicial Board of Review will meet at 8 tonight in 212 Hetzel Union.

Soph Suspended for Semester, Senior Placed on Probation

John Roberts, sophomore in the Division of Counseling from Kingston, was suspended yesterday from the University for the fall semester for "conduct detrimental to the University."

The suspension was a ruling of the Senate Subcommittee on Disciplinary Action.

In another ruling of the subcommittee, Norman Weintraub, senior in business administration from Philadelphia, was ordered on disciplinary action for the fall semester.

Both rulings were in accordance with recommendations submitted to the subcommittee by the Tribunal last Friday.

The Roberts' ruling included a

stipulation that he may apply for readmission next semester.

In a hearing held last Thursday before the Tribunal, Roberts said he fell asleep while driving a car to his dormitory from a fraternity party.

The car he was driving ran into a parked car at about 4 a.m. Oct. 19 on Burrowes Rd. near Beta Theta Pi. He was treated at the University Hospital for cuts of the forehead which required several stitches.

Roberts told members of Tribunal he had gone to a fraternity party after 11 p.m. He said he had been drinking from the time of his arrival at the party until shortly before he left at about 3:45 a.m.

Roberts denied that he had obtained any drink at the fraternity but that he had brought with him

Zhukov Reported Arrested by Reds During Weekend

Marshal Georgi K. Zhukov may be under arrest in the Kremlin according to the International News Service.

The INS reported a Soviet diplomatic source in East Berlin as saying Zhukov had been accused of building a "cult of personality" and has been held in detention since Saturday.

The Associated Press, however, reports Communist Boss Nikita S. Khrushchev as saying last night that Zhukov will get another job, "but we have not decided" what it will be.

Khrushchev declined to explain why Russia's top soldier was dismissed as defense minister.

"We have not decided on a new job for him yet, but he will have one according to his experience and qualifications," Khrushchev asserted. "I saw Marshal Zhukov today. He was in good health."

Khrushchev and other Soviet leaders appeared at a Turkish Embassy reception honoring Turkey's national day. All sought to minimize the importance of Zhukov's ouster, which has astonished the non-Communist world and thrown parts of the Communist world into a state of high confusion. They insisted it was an internal matter.

Both Khrushchev and Premier Nikolai Bulganin reminded correspondents of Secretary of Defense Charles E. Wilson's resignation recently in the United States.

"It's all the same," they insisted. "There is no difference."

The Soviet leadership has failed for three days to offer the Soviet public any explanation of Zhukov's sudden dismissal. Some of the leaders indicated an explanation might be forthcoming soon. Thus far, only a 32-word announcement has been printed, announcing that Marshal Rodion Y. Malinovsky replaced Zhukov in the ministry.

Tonight's reception gave reporters the first chance they have had to question Soviet leaders about the change.

As for Zhukov's new job, Khrushchev said: "You will not hear about it tonight."

These comments came amid a welter of toasts to peace and friendship, which Khrushchev led enthusiastically in his usual ebullient style.

In the background was a developing drama around the Zhukov affair.

Foreign Language Tests To Be Given in Sparks

The regular written foreign language examinations will be held at 7 p.m. Nov. 4 in Sparks Building.

German will be held in Rooms 227 and 228 and French and Spanish in Room 316. Conflicting examinations in French and Spanish will be held at 7 p.m., Nov. 5 in 1 Sparks.

Fresh Polls For Councils Open Today

Six student councils will hold elections for freshman council seats today and tomorrow, with All-University Elections Committee officiating at the voting booths and at the counting of the ballots for the first time.

Peter Fishburn, committee chairman, said students without matriculation cards will not be permitted to vote. Elections Committee members will punch the matriculation cards in the upper right-hand corner when students vote.

Walter Makinster and Alan Shoup were elected to the Mineral Industries Student Council freshman seats in elections held yesterday in the Mineral Industries 1 lecture. Ninety-eight per cent of the freshmen in the college voted in the elections.

The six council elections today and tomorrow are:

●Business Administration—Fifteen freshmen are running for the five freshman seats. Voting will be held in the Hetzel Union cardroom and in 101 Boucke.

●Chemistry-Physics—Twenty-four students are running for four council seats. The positions include a freshman in chemical engineering, a freshman in pre-medicine, a freshman in science, chemistry or physics and a sophomore in chemical engineering. Voting will be held in the HUB cardroom and in the lobby of Osmond Laboratory.

●Division of Counseling—Fifty are running for the 20 seats on the newly-established council. Elections will be held in the HUB card room.

●Education—Thirty-two are running for the seven freshman seats. Voting will be held in the HUB card room and in front of Schwab Auditorium, or in the lobby of Schwab Auditorium in case of rainy weather.

●Home Economics—Five freshman seats are open. The number of candidates was not available last night. Voting will be held in the HUB card room and in the lobby of Home Economics Building.

●Liberal Arts—Thirty-two students are running for six seats. This number is "an all-time high," according to Robert Nurock, council president. Elections will be held in the HUB card room and in the lobby of Sparks Building.

Lion Forecasts Mild Weather

The Nittany lion looked approvingly at himself in a mirror, flexing his biceps, triceps and tail muscles.

"Pretty smooth," he said. "Yes indeed, I am a slim, trim all-American looking lion."

He put on a white button-down shirt, low-cut sneakers, olive corduroy pants, the black chapeau of a hatman, and the final crowning touch—his fraternity pin.

With a last smile in the mirror, the lion went out to greet his public with today's weather forecast: mostly fair skies and slightly milder temperatures.

