

Campus Asks ROTC Change; Young Friends Plan Lion Wants Later Frosh Hours Panel on Near East

By PAT EVANS

The All-University Elections Committee heard something new in the way of political party planks this week — Campus party's platform suggestion that Reserve Officers' Training Corps courses should be elective rather than compulsory for men students.

Gary Young, Campus party clique chairman, presented the plank at the committee meeting for the review of the platforms of Campus and Lion parties.

He told the committee that he had spoken with a member of the administration about elective versus voluntary ROTC courses.

Young said he was told that steps could be taken toward making the courses elective if students express a desire for such a program.

Under the provisions of the Morrill Act, Young said, land-grant schools as the University are required to offer military training to students, but it need not be mandatory.

Several members of the Elections Committee said they felt the plank was outside the realm of political parties.

The committee approved the plank by a 15-1-2 vote. A second plank was unanimously approved by the committee. It stated:

"We feel that no artificial penalty should be imposed for unexcused absences from classes, with the exception of practicum courses."

Campus party's plank on student services included two sections. One recommended that a commission be established to set up a University check-cashing service. This was approved unanimously.

The second section originally proposed that a student insurance plan be initiated to provide additional accident and illness coverage for students. After discussion, Young agreed to committee suggestions that the plank be changed to read:

"We propose that the student government recommend to the University that a University-sponsored student insurance plan be initiated . . ." The revised plank was unanimously accepted.

IFC to Debate Rotation Plan

The controversial fraternity-independent rotation system will be a subject of discussion at the Interfraternity Council meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Hetzel Union auditorium.

Although there will be discussion of the plan at the meeting, the council probably will not vote to favor or oppose the plan until a later meeting, James Hart, IFC president, said yesterday.

Other business at the meeting will include a discussion of the value of freshman rushing lists given each year to fraternity rushing chairmen, and whether or not they should be continued.

Lion party's platform plank on extending freshman women's hours came under fire from members of All-University Elections Committee at a meeting this week to review party platforms.

The plank originally stated: "We feel that the present policy concerning the freshman women's hours is unrealistic, and the possibility of their extension should be investigated."

Elections Committee voted this one down 15-3-0. Members said the plank itself was "unrealistic."

After discussion lasting a half hour, William O'Neill, Lion party clique chairman, changed his plank to the following:

"We feel that the present policy concerning freshman women's hours and the possibility of their extension should be further investigated and the results referred to the Women's Student Government Association."

The revised plank was accepted by the committee 14-5-0.

Another Lion plank which provoked heated debate asked that a joint class student opinion committee be established to ascertain the students' views "on issues that may arise in the future."

Some members of the Elections Committee said they thought such a committee would overlap the functions of existing agencies.

In two ballots, Elections Committee voted 9 to 9 and 6-10-2 on the plank. A two-thirds vote is needed to reject a plank.

The third plank, asking AM facilities for student radio station WDFM, was accepted unanimously.

The committee voted 15-4-0 to accept a plank advocating lengthening telephone hours in the dormitories in order to make these facilities available at the times when they are most in demand.

The final proposed plank advocated the formation of a student welfare committee. Members of the Elections Committee said such a committee was recently established by Cabinet. O'Neill then changed the plank to the following:

"We endorse All-University Cabinet's action in the formation of this committee and its work of investigating problems concerning student housing, food and health services; and the taking of appropriate action if warranted." The plank was accepted 13-6-0.

Columbia Prof Will Present Chapel Sermon

Ursula M. Niebuhr, head of the Department of Religion at Barnard College, Columbia University, will speak at chapel services at 10:55 a.m. tomorrow in Schwab Auditorium.

The Chapel Choir, directed by W. L. C. Taylor, will sing "Motet for All Saints' Day" by Percy Whitlock. George E. Ceiga, University organist, will play "Prelude Sine Nomine" by Herbert Howells as the prelude and "Diptych for All Saints" by Paul de Maleingreu for the postlude.

Mrs. Niebuhr has taught at Barnard College since 1941 and has been head of the Barnard-Columbia Department of Religion since 1946.

She received her bachelor and master of arts degrees from St. Hughes College, Oxford University. She received her master of sacred theology degree from Union Theological Seminary. She is the husband of theologian Reinhold Niebuhr.

Genevieve Dilts, associate director of the University Christian Association, will speak at the Protestant service at 9 a.m. tomorrow in the Helen Eakin Eisenhower Chapel.

Her topic will be "Teach Us to Care and Not to Care." The Rev. Hal Leiper will lead the order of worship.

The Meditation Chapel Choir will sing "Lord, for Thy Tender Mercy's Sake" by Farraut.

Miss Dilts joined the UCA staff this year. She served previously at the executive director of the YWCA at Ohio State University.

Riding Club Plans Show Tomorrow

The Riding Club will sponsor a public horse show beginning at 1:30 p.m. tomorrow at the riding stables.

The six classes of competition are novice horsemanship, intermediate jumping, open jumping, advanced jumping, advanced on flat and intermediate on flat.

The contests are open to all riding club members and their guests. Miss Marion Whitmore, State College, will be the judge. Ribbons will be awarded to the first, second and third place winners.

The Young Friends organization will sponsor a panel discussion on tensions in the Near East at 7:30 p.m. tomorrow in the Young Friends Meeting House.

Members of the panel will be students from Turkey, Jordan, Israel, Egypt, Pakistan and Lebanon who are attending the University. The meeting is open to the public.

The second of the TV Film Forums being sponsored by the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation will be shown at 7:30 p.m. tomorrow in the auditorium of the foundation. A kinescope of Leonard Bernstein's interpretation of classical music, based on Beethoven's Fifth Symphony, will be presented. This film was first shown over Omnibus.

Following the film Dr. Hummel Fishburn, professor of music and music education, will comment and answer questions. A second film provided by the Ford Foundation, "Understanding Modern Music," also will be shown.

A folk dance session will be held at 2 p.m. tomorrow in the Hillel auditorium.

The Westminster Student Fellowship will present a film "Man, One Family" at 6:30 p.m. tomorrow in the student foundation. The film deals with the racial issues and will be used for further discussions.

A meeting of persons interested in the Brotherhood of Saint Andrew will be held at 1:30 p.m. tomorrow in room 209 of the Helen Eakin Eisenhower Chapel. The group is a national organization for Episcopal men and other baptized Christians who agree to live under the rules of the Brotherhood—prayer and service.

The documentary film "Martin Luther" will be shown by the

Lutheran Student Association at 7 p.m. tomorrow in the Grace Lutheran Church. Discussion and refreshments will follow.

A service of Divine Liturgy will be held at 10:30 a.m. tomorrow in the Helen Eakin Eisenhower Chapel. The Rev. Zoganas of the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church in Altoona, will lead the service. This service is sponsored by the UCA and the Eastern Orthodox Society.

The Wesley Student Foundation will hold a fireside forum on "Let's Face Social Issues" at 6:15 p.m. tomorrow following a supper at 5:15 p.m. in the student center. The film "Broken Mask" will be shown.

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Today - Continuous from 1:30
Spencer Tracy - Robert Young
"Northwest Passage"

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"A Happy Hilarious Spoo!"
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Ralph Richardson in
"A NOVEL AFFAIR"

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● SATURDAY and SUNDAY ●
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"Reform School Girl"
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Rock Around the World
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PLUS CARTOON

WMAJ Programs

Saturday	
6:30	Sign On
6:35	Morning News
6:50	Morning Devotions
8:45	Morning Show
9:00	News
10:00	Morning Show
10:05	Overnight Roundup
10:15	Music for Listening
10:45	Chamber of Commerce
11:00	Farm and Home Forum
11:30	News
11:35	Social Security
11:45	Dateline London
12:05	Manhattan Melodies
12:15	Centre County News
12:25	What's Going On
12:35	Music for Listening
12:50	Farm and Home Forum
1:00	Warmup Time
1:25	Penn State Football
4:30	Saturday Afternoon on WMAJ
4:35	News
5:20	Saturday Afternoon on WMAJ
5:35	News
6:00	Saturday Afternoon on WMAJ
6:15	World News
6:30	Harris Breth
6:45	Sports Special
7:00	Music for Listening
7:05	Hi-Fi Open House (WDFM)
9:00	Saturday Night Dance Bandstand
9:30	Sports—Tommy Henrich
10:00	News
10:35	Saturday Night Dance Bandstand
11:30	News
11:35	Saturday Night Dance Bandstand
12:50	News and Sports
1:00	Sign Off

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