

University Faces New Challenges

By BILL MAUSTELLER
"Find a better way, and use it."

That is the challenge of the future which the University must face, according to H. Thomas Hallowell, Jr., president of the Standard Pressed Steel Co of Jenkintown and one of the University's trustees.

Hallowell, Ralph Hetzel, vice president of the Motion Picture Association of America and a trustee, Bruce Sutherland, professor of English, and Robert Scholten, associate professor of petroleum geology, discussed "The Challenge of the Future for the State University" at the closing session of the faculty-trustee symposium last night.

Hetzel said that not only the University, but also the "world outside" must do its share in facing the future.

The University should keep its curriculums to a minimum, concentrating its strength to give students an education in the basic studies. Let business and industry take the responsibility of training in specialized fields, he said.

He advocated the use of tapes, television, and all possible audio-visual aids available. "The fantastic potential of these devices can only be realized when they are mastered," he added.

Hetzel also said lectures should be modified. The University cannot teach "everything," he added.

Sutherland said that proper training and education should be the prime goal—not expediency. We should utilize the things at our command without destroying the standards, he said.

Sutherland said that Pennsylvania has lagged far behind other states in preparing for the large avalanche of students who will enroll in the future.

"If we change, make the changes sound — we'll be stuck with them for a long time."

Scholten said that anything less than "excellence" will not suffice in answering the challenge of the future. Excellence in all the components of the University — faculty, students, facilities and administration.

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PHILADELPHIA MAYOR Richardson Dilworth is greeted by Dr. Eric A. Walker, at the dedication of the Philadelphia House in Runkle Hall. All of the units in the new halls are being named after Pennsylvania counties and their dedications will take place in the next few weeks.

Weather Expected To Remain Cloudy

Mostly cloudy and pleasantly cool weather should continue today and tomorrow.

There is still some doubt about Saturday afternoon's weather because of the uncertain future



movement of severe hurricane Hannah.

Temperatures should climb to a high of 73 degrees this afternoon and then fall to 58 degrees tonight. The expected high tomorrow is 70 degrees.

Cheerleaders Plan Pep Rally For Tonight

Frothy and the Nittany Lion will be on hand to help create school spirit for the pep rally at 7:30 tonight on the steps of Old Main.

The cheerleaders will first lead a motorcade which will start at 6:45 p.m. from the HUB parking lot and will tour the campus. They will then join with the Blue Band to cheer the team to victory against Colgate tomorrow.

Members of Delta Gamma sorority and Chi Phi fraternity will present a skit at the rally. Rosalie Samley, former Miss Pennsylvania and a member of Delta Gamma, will appear in the skit as the "Sweetheart of the Football Team."

The entertainers will present an imitation of Pat Botula and sing a song in honor of Colgate patterned after the famous dental cream of the same name.

SGA Backs UN Program

By CAROL BLAKESLEE and JIM MORAN

The Student Government Association Assembly last night endorsed the schedule of events for the United Nations Weekend, Oct. 23, 24 and 25.

Carmella LaSpada, chairman of the UN Weekend Committee, told Assembly that Penn State is the first university in the country to conduct such an extensive schedule for the weekend, in line with the UN's World Refugee Year.

Highlights of the weekend are a UN festival and a concert by the Chordettes, famous female vocal quartet. The festival will consist of displays and exhibits portraying the work of the world organization and the need for greater interest in refugee welfare.

Other events in the weekend include raising of flags of all the UN nations, a community peace conference, UN dinners in residence halls, UN religious services, a musical show for foreign students and the dedication of a tree in the HUB courtyard.

Miss LaSpada told Assembly that invitations will be sent to Governor David L. Lawrence, Pennsylvania congressmen, U.S. Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. and foreign ambassadors. She said all proceeds from the weekend will go toward the UN World Refugee Year program.

In other business the Assembly approved the report made by William Jaffe, chairman of the 1959 Student Encampment. His nine recommendations for the 1960 Encampment were accepted.

Howard Byers (U.-Sr.) questioned Jaffe on the purpose of one recommendation: that of holding a February Encampment reunion. Byers asked the purpose and accomplishment of such a meeting.

Jaffe explained that a reunion would help maintain interest in Encampment, and would provide a means to "keep tabs" on the progress made on Encampment recommendations.

The meeting would give Encampment members a chance to review the work done and the objectives of Encampment, he said.

The last reunion, he said, was held in place of a regular meeting of the legislative body, the (Continued on page eight)

Directories Distributed To Students

Students can finally stop jotting phone numbers and addresses down on scraps of paper, which usually end up forgotten in their pockets since the new Student Directory and the Faculty-Staff Directory have arrived.

Copies of the Student Directory have been distributed to student rooms in campus residence halls. Faculty-Staff Directories will be distributed to campus offices today or Monday, according to Wilbur F. Diehl, manager of telephones.

The Faculty-Staff Directory distribution will provide one copy for each campus administrative telephone, while a copy of the Student Directory will be issued to each department. A limited number of additional copies, as needed, may be available upon request by department heads.

Copies of the new directories, priced at 50 cents each, are on sale in State College bookstores, Nittany News, and the Student Book Exchange.

The Student Directory lists the names of the nearly 15,000 students on campus, including those living in fraternities, sororities and off-campus residence units. It also contains names of hostesses and counselors, along with the University calendar and other useful information.

The Faculty-Staff Directory is similar to the one published six weeks ago.

Steel Negotiators Make No Progress

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Steel negotiators, feeling the pressure of President Eisenhower's request for an early settlement of the 79-day-old steel strike, met twice yesterday but gave no signs of nearing a solution.

There was some speculation that the industry may have softened its position on a one-year wage freeze, but nothing said or done by the negotiators tended to confirm such optimism.

The four-man negotiating teams for the United Steelworkers of America and the nation's 12 biggest steel-producing firms met for an hour and a half before lunch and then resumed talks in mid-afternoon for another two hours.

In contrast to earlier negotiating sessions held in New York, when each side often issued statements critical of the other, the negotiators now were reluctant to comment.

At the end of the afternoon session, Steelworkers President David J. McDonald, head of the union negotiating team, and R. Conrad Cooper, a U.S. Steel Corp. executive and chief industry negotiator, met briefly with news-

men and issued this joint statement:

"We have considered our problems and will meet again today. We do not desire to answer any questions."

After that brief statement, which was read by Cooper, the two left the newsmen, declining to say any more about the day's activities.

Attending the meeting with McDonald for the union were Howard R. Hague, USW vice president; I. W. Abel, USW secretary-treasurer; and Arthur J. Goldberg, the union's general counsel.

Representing the industry in addition to Cooper were R. H. Larry, a U.S. Steel Corp. vice president; H. C. Lumb, a Republic Steel Corp. vice president; and John H. Morse, Bethlehem Steel Corp. general counsel.

Encampment Report

Guaranteed Parking Spaces Asked

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The right of a student to a guaranteed parking space on campus, if charged a fee, was asserted by Student Encampment members as a possible solution to the current parking problems.

The Off-Campus Living Problems workshop suggested that parking spaces be numbered and only one car would occupy each space at any one time. The workshop members felt that there is a need for study for the development of parking areas on campus so as to provide maximum parking.

With approximately 8200 cars registered by students, faculty, and staff, there are approximately 4500 available parking spaces provided on campus. This leaves approximately 4000 cars to find parking spaces off campus.

Possible solutions to this problem according to the workshop report would be: bumper to bumper parking with attendants

for the staff; numbered parking areas for student paid permits; parking lots with overflow availability for the faculty; and floating permits available for those cars parking in numbered parking spaces which belong to a car pool.

The workshop recommended that a committee be established through TIM to investigate the available number of long-time parking spaces in the downtown area and to make the results in the investigation known. The workshop cited that there are parking spaces available in the downtown area that are not being used by students. The cause of this problem was thought to be inadequate publicity.

With regard to downtown living conditions, the workshop has recommended:

•The University investigate the possibility of modifying the organic structure under which it operates, so as to bring the problem of off-campus housing within the realm of the responsibility of the University without endangering its legal immunity.

•The University investigate the possibility of having all landlords and students sign a voluntary agreement releasing the Uni-

versity from any legal responsibility. The agreement should also include a clause whereby the landlord agrees to keep his house up to University standards and allow inspectors to enter his house in the event of a complaint.

•A publicity campaign should be organized to stimulate the moral responsibility of the landlords in providing good housing.

•The town itself should also take more active steps in improving the conditions that to a large extent have been brought about by inadequate inspection and poor enforcement of existing fire and sanitation ordinances.

These recommendations were made as solutions to problems which arose following a 1957 decision of the Board of Trustees saying that the University could require all students to live in approved housing.

It was brought to the attention of the University that as a state institution, it cannot be sued. The University was then advised to cease any program regarding off-campus housing for which it could be held legally responsible. The recommendations were made on a basis that would relieve the University of any legal responsibility.