

Parkinson Comments On 'Commitology'

By PAT DYER

"Commitology", a new biological "science" which deals with the life cycle of the committee, has revealed that a committee is not a structure, but an organic growth, quipped C. Northcote Parkinson last night in the first presentation of this semester's Lecture Series.

Parkinson kept his near-capacity audience amused for nearly an hour with his dry, humorous comments on modern bureaucracy, committees and the cocktail party. He described the effect of his theories, now known as "Parkinson's Laws," as comparable to "finding a sharp anchovie in strawberry ice"—something of a surprise.

Parkinson said he got his ideas for his first theories—that administrators make work for each other, and that work expands to fill the time available—during World War II when he served as major in the British army.

He presented these theories in a paper distinguished by many mathematical formulae (mathematics is a status symbol he said—it shows the subject is a serious and scientific work and equations break up the page) which was published by the London Economist.

He then turned his attention to further observations of bureaucracy. An administrator has two duties, he said.

He spends his mornings pushing paper around (from an in-basket to an out-basket with a possible detour through a LBW, let the blighter wait, basket); his afternoons he spends in committee.

A committee starts out with 5 members (only 3 are needed to elect a chairman and a secretary, but one must start with 5) and grows until it reaches the "co-efficient of inefficiency"—between 23 and 90 members, he said.

Another problem he investigated, Parkinson added, was that of the cocktail party. A cocktail party, scientifically considered, he said, is an opportunity for discovering who is important, significant, dynamic, and vital.

TIM to Lead Spring Week Float Parade

Town Independent Men's Council has decided to sponsor and build the lead float for the Spring Week parade.

The float will not be eligible for a prize, but will serve as transportation for the Spring Week Queen finalists. Leonides will be asked to help with the float.

Alpha Phi Omega, men's service fraternity, reported to TIM that they are taking a survey of townspeople in order to find streets suitable for TIM weekend parking.

In other business, TIM voted to hold their Spring Dance at 9 p.m. March 12 in the Hetzel Union ballroom.

The AIM band will play for the dance, and free dance tickets will be distributed by TIM starting next week.

Frank Burkett was appointed by the council to be TIM's candidate for Alpha Phi Omega's Ugly Man Contest on March 23.

All members volunteered for office duty so that now the TIM office will be open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

WRA Intramurals Begin

Women's Recreation Association intramurals in bowling and basketball begin this week.

Schedules for these tournaments, which will continue for the next month were distributed yesterday at the WRA meeting.

Three Students Get Fellowships

Three University students have been granted Woodrow Wilson National Fellowships to begin study toward advanced degrees in their fields next year.

The students are Alan C. Elms, senior in psychology from La Center, Kentucky; Joseph C. Flay, senior in philosophy from Reading; and Everett A. Van Dorn of Stow, Ohio, who was graduated in arts and letters in 1958.

Because of the serious shortage of college teachers, the fellowships are designed to recognize and assist outstanding students who wish to enter college teaching. They are supported during their first year of graduate study at universities of their choice. In some cases, such as that of Van Dorn, support may be extended for an additional year.

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No Student Tickets Left For Tonight's Concert

No student tickets remain for the Benno Moiseiwitsch Artists Series concert at 8:30 tonight in Schwab Auditorium. However, 12 non-student tickets are left.

Moiseiwitsch will open the program with "Impromptu in A Flat Major" by Schubert and "Carnaval, Opus 9" by Schumann. Following intermission he will play "Prelude in B Minor," "Prelude in G Major" and "Moment Musical," all by Rachmaninoff. He will also play "West Finnish Dance" by Palmgren, "Fairy Tale in E Minor" by Medtner and "Etude in F Sharp Major" by Stravinsky.

The program will close with three Chopin selections: "Barcarolle," "Nocturne G Major" and "Scherzo B Flat Minor."

Although born in Odessa, where he won the Rubinstein Prize at the Imperial Academy of Music when he was nine years old, Moiseiwitsch has made his home in England for more than 50 years. He has been awarded British music's highest honor, a Certificate of Honorary Life Membership in the Royal Philharmonic Society.

Delta Chi to Entertain Deans at Annual Dinner

Delta Chi fraternity's annual Deans' Dinner will be held tomorrow at Delta Chi. All the University deans are invited to the dinner, the theme of which is to "promote good administration-fraternity relations."



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Collegian Candidates

Candidates on the Daily Collegian news staff will meet at 6:30 tonight in 2 Carnegie.

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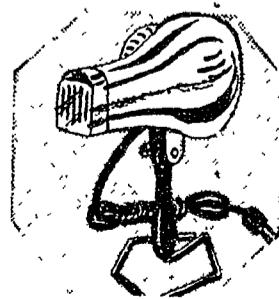


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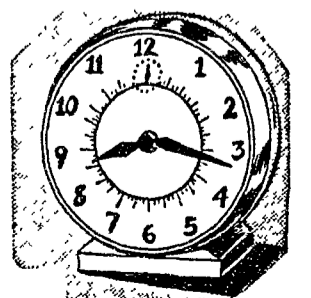
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14. Mental process
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16. What to buy Kools by
17. Gush, in a hurry
18. Buys a car
19. Shrunken continent
20. Caniff's Canyon
24. Reason d'
26. Latin wife
27. Mr. K's team
28. It's nothing
29. Man with a burning desire
31. A Kool so refreshing
33. What Diamond Jim turned on in his sink?
38. Snake that's almost a dance
41. Lacks a code
43. Full of fun
44. Names (Latin)
45. Hand on hip, elbow out
46. Builds
47. Time for a change

5. What 2 Down may be (pl.)
6. Half a pack of Kools
7. It's curvacious
8. "Take me to your ..."
9. Trim
10. Thin Man's dog
11. What Menthol Magic is
12. Blyth, Arbor, etc.
21. As they say in N. Africa: "... anyone?"
22. Start of existentialism
23. ...-face (reversal of opinion)
24. Period in ceramics
25. Difficult to dig
30. Swimming
32. Willie's shibboleth: "Kool!"
38. Temple (archaic)
34. What Latin lovers like
35. "... up to the Menthol Magic of Koola"
37. Tel
38. Little Miriam
39. Little Barbara
40. Plant that sounds like Cockney greeting
42. ... Vegas
43. Storage place for cookies



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