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U.S. Calls Actions By Cuba 'Unfair'

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States yesterday denounced Cuba's seizure of two U.S.-owned oil refineries as unfair and unlawful and called on Prime Minister Fidel Castro to reverse his action.

This was announced shortly after the U.S. Agriculture Department suspended all imports of Cuban sugar to the United States, clearing the road for President Eisenhower to slash Cuba's sugar quota under a bill Congress passed Sunday.

5827 Freshmen Accept Offer For Admission

The University has 5827 acceptances for the fall freshman class out of 9072 admissions offered, Dr. Robert G. Bernreuter, dean of admissions said yesterday.

Bernreuter said he expects "some increase" in the number of freshmen admitted. Last year's class totaled 5428 in the fall with 224 admitted in the spring.

The University rejected 4394 applicants and 4669 of those to whom admission was offered, cancelled. Five hundred of the latter group had paid fees and then cancelled.

Bernreuter said the acceptances and rejections were "proportional" and to be expected.

Transfers entering the University last fall totaled 565 in the fall and 73 in the spring.

Swimming Lessons Offered To Boys

An experiment designed to determine the effects of practice on the rate of swimming will give local boys a chance to learn to swim this summer.

Non-swimming boys between the ages of eight and 13 may participate in the free beginning swimming class by contacting G. Alan Stull, instructor in physical education, at UN 5-5382 in the afternoon or AD 8-1125 in the evening.

The classes will meet daily between 9 a.m. and noon at the indoor pool in White Hall.

Today is the last day a boy may enroll for the free lessons.

Pattee Library Resumes Regular Schedule

Pattee Library will resume its regular schedule of open hours for Mid-Session with the exception of Friday evenings.

The Library will be open from 7:50 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Thursday and will close at 5 p.m. on Friday.

Saturday the Library will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Sunday from 2 to 10 p.m.

Eisenhower conferred with Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson about signing the new sugar bill and about the exercise of the President's power under it.

A formal, stiffly worded note delivered in Havana by U.S. Ambassador Philip W. Bonsal cited seizure of the oil refineries as proof that Castro is waging "relentless economic aggression" against free world nations.

The protest said the two U.S. firms had operated in Cuba as law-abiding companies for more than 50 years and have made valuable contributions to Cuba's economic growth.

In urging Castro to change his mind, the United States said it hoped he would "permit the refineries to operate under fair and reasonable conditions."

But U.S. officials held little hope that Castro would do anything but hold on to the U.S.-owned properties once valued at nearly a billion dollars.

The seized Texaco and Esso Standard refineries are estimated as investments worth \$48,300,000. These firms also had been forced to lend the Castro regime some 50 million dollars through restrictions.

The British protested the seizure of the Shell refinery just before the U.S. protest was delivered.

Cuban Minister To U.S. Resigns

HAVANA (AP) — Jose Miro Cardona resigned yesterday as ambassador-designate to the United States because of ideological differences with Prime Minister Fidel Castro's leftist government.

In an obvious move to avoid arrest or other reprisal, the veteran diplomat-lawyer took refuge immediately in the Argentine Embassy.

Miro Cardona, regarded as a friend of the United States, was the latest in a long list of former Castro supporters to quit.

Increase of Foreign Students Leveling Off in U.S. Colleges

The 48,486 foreign students from 141 different countries now in American college classrooms continue to represent the largest foreign student population in the world, but this year's increase is the smallest rise in the number of students in the last six years.

The Institute of International Education reported that the small rise may indicate that the heavy influx of foreign students is leveling off. In 1958-59, the increase of foreign students enrolled in American colleges over the previous year was 8.8 per cent, whereas this year the rise was only 2.6 per cent.

The number of foreign students at the University reached an all time high of 261 in 1957-58 and now appears to be stabilizing at 200 students.

Mrs. Rebecca Doerner, who administers international student affairs, pointed out that only a limited number of scholarships are available and work opportunities are not great at Penn State.

The larger metropolitan universities will always attract more international students, Mrs. Doer-

U.S. Faculty Abroad Drops In Number

The number of foreign faculty members who came to the United States to teach or to do research increased over last year but the number of United States faculty members going abroad dropped sharply.

In 1958-59 1,937 faculty members representing 71 countries affiliated with U.S. institutions. In 1959-60 the figure was 2,539 representing 79 nations.

The number of U.S. faculty members abroad total 1,777 this year. Michigan State University (147) had the highest number of faculty members abroad and the University of Pittsburgh was tenth with 33.

The largest percentage of U.S. faculty members abroad are specializing in the humanities and the second highest percentage in the social sciences.

Most of the foreign faculty members affiliated with 287 U.S. colleges and universities are doing work in the natural sciences, medicine and humanities.

Miro Cardona, who was the first prime minister under Castro's revolutionary regime, had been waiting for some time to take his Washington post. He was accepted by the U.S. State Department in mid-May.

In addition, he resigned as professor of penal law at Havana University, where militant pro-Castro students have been demanding resignations of faculty members on the grounds they do not show sufficient enthusiasm for Castro's policies.

Miro Cardona submitted his resignation in a letter to President Osvaldo Dorticos, with whom he had conferred at length last Saturday.

He told him first of his decision to resign from the university then added: "At the same time I resign as an ambassador of the republic. The reasons for this last are obvious. In a general examination of the questions we discussed in our conversation, I am convinced that the ideological differences between the plans of the government and my conscience cannot be surmounted."

"My duty forces me to resign this post," he said. "Perhaps, finally, and for the good of Cuba, it is I that am in error."

Miro Cardona, regarded as an elder statesman, was sent to Spain as ambassador when Castro took over.

He was recalled last January and his appointment to Washington was announced formally in May.

But associates said he had become increasingly unhappy with the leftist direction of the Castro regime. It was understood that he began making plans for political asylum several days ago.

Wise Reports Major Actions Taken By IFC Last Year

A revised deferred rushing program, changes in the scheduling of several major Interfraternity Council events and the setting up of the temporary fraternity assignment program for transfer students were the major actions taken by the IFC last year, according to a report by Wilmer E. Wise, assistant to the dean of men in charge of fraternity affairs.

Under the revised, deferred program, rushing will start during the seventh week of classes in the fall semester. The first date

a freshman will be eligible to be pledged will be the third week of classes in the spring semester.

For the last two years, freshmen have not been allowed to rush or even visit fraternities until the start of the second semester.

Greek Week, previously a spring activity, has been scheduled for the fifth week of classes in the fall semester.

This week of fraternity and sorority activities, co-sponsored by IFC and the Panhellenic Council was moved to the fall semester to avoid conflicts with the All-University Spring Week which is always held late in the spring semester.

Conversely, the IFC Workshops formerly held in October, were rescheduled for the spring semester. IFC Encampment, Sept. 13, will be held in the Hetzel Union Building instead of its usual location at the Civil Engineering Camp.

The IFC - Panhel ball, an annual event, will be held on page five

Collegian Distribution Days Tuesday, Friday

The Summer Collegian is published each Tuesday and Friday morning and distributed to the dormitories, HUB, Carnegie Building and various diners and shops in town for free circulation.

Anyone interested in working on the staff of the paper Monday and Thursday evenings should contact the editor at UN 5-2531 after 6:30 p.m.

Movie to Be Shown

Tonight's free movie, "Across the Bridge," to be shown on the HUB lawn will begin at 9:00 p.m. The movie stars Rod Steiger, David Knight, and Marla Landi.

Walker Stresses Need For Two-Year Degrees

A bold plea for more widespread support of the two-year college-level program for engineering technicians was sounded Saturday by University President Eric A. Walker.

Walker, who pioneered this type of program as Penn State's dean of engineering and architecture, insists that

less it is earned over a four-year period.

"Not all young people have the same capacity for education," he asserted. "... and by forcing all those who come to our schools into one educational mold we fail to provide the most gifted ones with challenges sufficiently vigorous to develop their full potential."

"More important," he added, "we lose the less gifted ones altogether by forcing them into courses beyond their mental capacities."

Walker noted that associate degree places are often unfilled while more students than can be accommodated seek admission to the four-year baccalaureate program.

The University now offers technical-institute type training at its campuses and centers in Abington (Opogntz), Allentown, Altoona, DuBois, Erie (Behrend), Hazelton, McKeesport, New Kensington, Pottsville, Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, Wyomissing and York.



YUM YUM—Evelyn Hoopes, almost 2, daughter of a grad student was a big customer of the new University Creamery salesroom Sunday. Despite the apparently overwhelming size of the cone, she managed to devour it unaided.