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The great thing in this world is not so much where we are, but in what direction we are moving.

- Oliver Wendall Holmes

August 4, 1978

News Release...

The following is a news release issued jointly by the AFT and BOG:

Tentative settlement of salary negotiations between the Illinois Board of Governors of State Colleges and Universities and the American Federation of Teachers-Local 3500 was reached on July 31, 1978. AFT Local 3500 is the bargaining agent for academic employees of the five Board of Governors Universities, which are: Chicago State University, Chicago; Eastern Illinois University, Charleston; Governors State University, Park Forest South; Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago; and Western Illinois University, Macomb.

The tentative settlement of the salary reopener includes a monthly salary increase of 3.8 per cent plus $70; increases in the increments received in recognition of promotion and of completion of a professional terminal degree; allocation of funds to establish salary minima, and merit funds.

The ratification of the tentative agreement by academic employees and the Board is scheduled for September. If ratified, the agreement will be in effect through August, 1979, when it will expire along with the remainder of the full agreement. Negotiations for the second full agreement will begin this coming winter.

The collective bargaining agreement between the Illinois Board of Governors of State Colleges and Universities and the AFT Local 3500 is the first collective bargaining unit in four year public higher education in Illinois.

For the Love of Singing...

The GSU Community Chorale invites interested singers from the south suburbs as well as University personnel to join in preparations for a Christmas recital.

The Christmas portion of Handel's "Messiah" will be performed Sunday, December 17, 1978. Needed are four soloists; soprano, contralto, tenor, and bass. Those interested in auditioning should contact Dr. Rudolf Strukoff, director, at 534-5000, x 2454 or 534-6625. The first rehearsal will be Monday, September 11, at 8 p.m. in the recital hall. Regular rehearsals will be Mondays from 8 to 10 p.m.

Deadline Extended...

for submitting nominating petitions for vacancies on the Council of Faculties and the Faculty Advisory Committee to the BHE. New deadline is 12 noon, Monday, August 14. Nominating petitions and more information may be obtained by contacting Diane Hallisy in the U.A. Office, x 2121.

Attention All GSUers...

Volunteers needed to assist Provost McCray and Chairperson Shekib with the First Fall Barbecue on September 6, 1978. Interested persons should contact Diane Hallisy, x 2121.

Arrgh...

Omitted from last week's Faze 1 report on the Constitutional Referendum were results of the Support vote. The final tally was 34 Yes and 11 No.
GSU CLASSIFIED ....
Vacant Civil Service Job Classifications
as of August 1, 1978:

6/28 Work Program Participant ......... BO
7/10 Procedures & Systems Planner I .... A&R
7/14 Personnel Officer III ............ Per
7/21 Parking Meter Attendant .......... BO

POSITIONS OPEN ...

Special Programs & Instructional Services/LRC
Project Director: Administration of Special
Services for Disadvantaged Students Project,
select, train and supervise staff. MA in
Educational Psychology, 1 yr administrative exp. Deadline for application 8/11/78.

College of Environmental and Applied Sciences
School of Health Science, University Prof. of
Communication Disorders: Teach speech/lang.
development, language disorders in children.

University Prof. of Nursing: Instructing
nursing students leading to a BSN or MSN.
Ph.D. preferred; MA w/specialty in maternal
child health required. Application deadline 9/1/78.

University Prof. of Nursing: Instructing
nursing students leading to BSN or MSN.
Ph.D. preferred; MA w/specialty in commu­
nity health required. Deadline for application 9/1/78.

University Research Associate: For period
10/15/78 thru 5/31/79. Analysis and inter­
pretation of Lake Michigan Basin. BS or MS in Meteorology or Aerosol Science required.
Application deadline 9/15/78.

University Prof. of Environmental Planning:
Teaching upper divison and grad level. MA
preferred. Application deadline 8/15/78.

College of Human Learning and Development
University Prof. of Mathematics Education:
Teach undergrad & grad methods courses. Ph.D. in Mathematics Education preferred.
Deadline for applying 8/11/78.

Research Associate Teacher Coop Project:
Field-based teaching/lab oriented math­
ematics methods courses. MA in Curriculum or School Supervision preferred. Application deadline 8/15/78.

Learning Resource Center
University Research Associate: (2 positions)
1) Specializing in Reading/Writing (full­
time) to design materials and curriculum, coordinate workshops and modules, tutor
students, train and supervise graduate assistants and tutors. 2) Specializing
in Math (half-time). (Same description
as above).

For more info on above, contact Pers. x2194.

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE
The US Office of Education is offering
scholarships for bilingual-bicultural com­
petency based higher education at GSU.

Interviews for these scholarships will be
held August 8 at Providence of God School, 1814 S. Union in Chicago, and August 9 at
the GSU Campus.

Applications and official credentials
should be filed in the Office of Admissions
by August 12 for the fall Trimester.

The scholarships cover full tuition and
required admission and activity fees at
GSU.

For further information telephone Vinicio
H. Reyes, director, bilingual-bicultural
education, at 534-5000 x 2294 or 2354.

BRIDGING THE GENERATION GAP .......

The Vick House, located on the GSU campus,
which formerly housed the GSU Day Care Center
has been leased to the Eastern Will County
Senior Services.

The senior center is a community focal
point on aging, where older persons, as
individuals or in groups, can come together
for services and activities designed to
support their independence and encourage
their involvement in and with the community.

An Illinois not-for-profit corporation,
the center serves elderly residents in Will,
Washington, Crete, Monee, Green Garden and
peotone townships. Ms. Shirley Harshbarger
is Executive Director. For further info.
on activities and programs call 534-0484.

M E N U - O F - T H E - W E E K ..... 

Mon Minestrone; Swedish Meatballs, Potato
Pancakes, Roast Beef Sand., Fried
Rice, Green Beans.

Tues Chicken Rice: Liver & Onions, Chili/
Burritos, Pastrami Sand., Whipped
Potatoes, Diced Carrots.

Wed French Onion; Breaded Veal Cutlet,
Baked Fish Fillet, Chili-Dog, Cottage
Fries, Mustard Greens.

Thur Beef Noodle; Knockwurst/Red Cabbage,
Spaghetti/Meat Sauce, Baked Ham Sand.,
Hash Browns.

Fri Tomato Rice; Swiss Steak, Maccaroni/
Cheese, Roast Turkey Sand., Whipped
Potatoes, Harvard Beets.

NOTE ....

The Journal of the Communication Assoc.
of the Pacific, Vol VII, No. 1, July 1978
is in the LRC.
GSUings

BOB JENSEN (BO) being promoted from 2nd Class to 1st Class Petty Officer in the Naval Air Reserves at Glenview Naval Station.... BETHE HAGENS (EAS) traveling to Washington D.C. as one of 25 special consultants to President Carter's Solar Energy Policy Committee....JIM LAUKES (ACORN) being named as Coordinator of Midwest Regional Solar Action survey....ELIZABETH BRUTVAN (EAS) being quoted extensively in Chicago Tribune article "Getting to the Nucleus of Science Anxiety"....DON HERZOG (BPS) attending a faculty institute on "Nuclear Energy Technology" at Argonne National Laboratory....MEL MUCHNIK (CCS) having a life-time dream become reality -- he and his wife Janet and children are leaving on a sabbatical trip to the Middle East. They will travel through nine countries, by air, land and water, en route to Jerusalem. Mel will be submitting journalistic reports for radio broadcast on National Public Radio network and Voice of America....DAVE WIGHT (CCS) beginning a new venture -- A pioneer GSUer, Dave has accepted a position as Director of an advertising school in California -- he will be missed by students and staff alike who have had the pleasure of sharing his infectious, creative, enthusiasm through the years....

OUTSTANDING GRADS....

Television channels 2 and 7 have appointed two GSU alumni to staff positions. Frank Jackson, producer of "Common Ground" and community affairs manager at channel 2 has been promoted to executive producer for all public affairs programs. Jean Gater has joined channel 7 as new community affairs/editorial assistant. Jackson and Gater are GSU media communications alumni.

You are invited
to a Special Preview Tour of the
GSU NATURE TRAIL
Wednesday, August 9, 11:00 am
The tour will begin at the South East corner of parking lot A.

MEET HERE

PARKING LOT A

Trail ½ mile
5 minute walk

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FRIDAY, August 4
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  Testing (F1101)

SATURDAY, August 5

SUNDAY, August 6

MONDAY, August 7
9:30 a.m.  ICC Production Meeting (ICC Preview Room)
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.  Vice Presidents' Meeting (PCA)

TUESDAY, August 8
9:30 a.m.  Class Guest Speaker, Dr. R. Griffith "English as a Secondary Language" (B1318) Open to all.
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.  SHS Coordinating Council (SHS Director's Office)
2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.  Academic Council (PCA)
3:00 p.m.  Faculty Research Seminar: Dr. J. J. Diamant, Netherlands scholar (C3301)

WEDNESDAY, August 9
11:00 a.m.  GSU NATURE TRAIL Special Preview Tour (meet at SE corner of parking lot A)
1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.  Interviews for Bilingual-Bicultural Scholarships (UTE Bilingual Office, HLD)

THURSDAY, August 10
8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon  GSU & Community College personnel meeting (B1501)
9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon  CHLD Administrative Council C3324
5:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.  RASH Meeting (EH, A1102, B1106, B1107, B1109, B2325)

FRIDAY, August 11
9:30 a.m.  Class guest speaker: "Teaching Reading in High School" (B1318) Open to all

SATURDAY, August 12
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.  CHLD Orientation for new students (EH, C3301, C3303, C3307, C3323, C3324)

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