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### SENATE MEETING

Bill No. 17, Forever Generation Recognition, was introduced to the senate. The bill was sponsored by Harvey and seconded by Brown. Senator Harvey explainnation-wide religious organization for college campuses which is funded by various churches. The main purpose of the organization is to bring speakers and activities of interest to students to the campus. Senator Reed made a motion, seconded by Senator Keesler to suspend rules and vote on Bill No. 17. The motion passed unanimously. A vote was called. Senators Skeele, Saunders, Putnam, Williams, Penland, Harvey, Kessler, Parham and Brown voted aye. Senators Reed and Smith abstained. None of the senators dissented. Bill No. 17 passed. The Forever Generation was approved as a Type I organization.

The senate was then informed that the Ridgerunner will be contributing \$20 to the Hardship Relief Fund, and Dale Saunders said the BSA will be making a contribution after an amount is decided on at their meeting. Senator Parham made a motion seconded by Senator Skeele to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 4:12.

The Senate Nurd of the Week is. . .The Campus Commission.

## Students Read Less

(CPS)-College students are no longer being asked to handle as much required reading as their counterparts of 15 or 20 years ago, according to a spot survey taken by the New York Times.

"Ten years ago, anyone coming to college would have read books like "Huckleberry Finn." or "The Hunchback of Notre Dame" but now they haven't, and what they do read tends to be faddish, contemporary and of their own culture," said Perry Lentz, an associate professor of English at Ken-

yon College in Ohio.

But some believe that the situation is not as negative as it appears

"If we do read less, and I'm not ready to concede this in every case, it is partly a function that we ask them to do more with what they read," said William B. Coley of the English department at Weslevan.

"I think students do more interesting things. 'he said.

UNC-A will host this fall's Post Secondary Opportunity Session (P.S.O.S.).

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Over 200 students, mostly seniors from Asheville High and Buncombe county high schools are expected for the program set in Justice Gymnasium from 7 to 9 p.m. this Thursday.

Representatives from universities and colleges in the Carolinas and surrounding states will be on hand to explain the advantages of their institutions.

Institutions to be represented

Air Force ROTC, American Business and Fashion Institute, Applachian State University, Asheville-Biltmore Tech, Atlantic Christian College, Barber-Scotia College, Belmont Abbey College, Berea College, Brevard College, Cabarrus Memorial Hospital School, Caldwell Community College, Campbell College, Carson-Newman College, Catawba Valley Technical Institute, Central Weslyan College, Chowan College, Coker College Converse College, East Carolina University, Elizabeth City State University, Elon College, Emory and Henry, Erskine College, Fayetteville State University, Furman University, Gardner-Webb College, Greensboro

College, Guilford College, Hayword Tech, High Point Conlege. J.C. Smith University, King College (N.C.), King College (Tenn.), Lander College, Lees-McRue College, Lenoir Rhyne College, Limestone College, Livingstone College, Lousiburg College, McDowell Tech., Mars Hill College, Meredity College, Methodist College, Montreat-Anderson College, Mount Olive College, North Greenville Tech., NC A & T State University, North Carolina Central University, North Carolina School of the Arts, North Carolina State, Peace College, Pembroke State University, Pfeiffer College, Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing, Queens, Randolph 1ech., Scared Heart College, St. Andrews Presbyterian College, St. Augustine's College, St. Mary's, Salem College, Shaw University, Southwestern Technical Institute, Spartanburg Methodist, UNC-Asheville, UNC-Chapel Hill, UNC-Charlotte, UNC-Greensboro, UNC-Wilmington, USC-Columbia, Wake Forest University, Warren Wilson College, Watts Hospital School of Nursing, Western Carolina University, Wingate College, Winston-Salem State University, and Wofford College.

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By E. J. DEMSON, J.D. Campus Digest News Service

Before you turn over a sizeable sum of money to anyone --even your brother-make sure the conditions of the transaction are clearly understood and, perferably, put on paper and signed...

Q. Over a year ago in Florida I helped my brother out by paying \$1,200 for a car, which was registered in his name. I have the capcelled check

Recently my brother and his wife got a divorce and his wife got the car in the settlement. Now neither of them will pay me back my \$1,200. Is there anything I can do about this?

A. If you were to file a court action to recover the \$1,200 which your check shows you paid for your brother's car, you would have to prove it was a loan to him.

His defense to your lawsuit could be that the money was a gift. The law defines a gift as a voluntary transfer of property (money in your case) without any consideration or compensation therefore (Am. Jur. 2d Ref. Gifts, Secs. 1-11).

Unless your brother stated in writing that this was a loan, as with a promissory note, or orally in the presence of another, his contention that it was a gift could be regarded as valid.

Q. My former employer died two years ago, leaving a will which mentioned me and several other of his employees. The will says that, after debts are paid, the money should be given to three charities and specified amounts to several employees.

The rest of his estate was to be put in

trusts for his brother's two sons. Now the brother, and a daughter, are contesting the will.

My question is: Do we, his employees, have any recourse? Can our money be paid before the outcome of the brother's litigation is known? We live in New York.

A. If those contesting the will should

lose, the probate court processing of the estate will continue, and the legatees mentioned will be paid.

If the contestants win, your employer's estate will be distributed as the New York Statute of Descent and Distribution prescribes (E.P.T.L. Sec. 4-1.1). Unless you are an in-line relative of your employer, you would not be paid unless you could prove the legacy was payment for work performed.

Until the litigation is settled, there is nothing you and the other employees can do to hurry the distribution.

Q. I have lived in Phoenix for seven years and would like to know what the laws are here about making out my will. My children live in Ohio, and I own some property there.

A.It is always wise to seek the advice of an attorney in preparing a will. But you may prepare a holographic (wholly handwritten and signed by you) will which requires no witnesses. Arizona recognizes holographic wills as valid (ARS. Sec. 14-2503).

You should open with the words, "This is my last will and testament. I direct.." Then ilst who is to receive what, and sign it at the end. A holographic will should be filed with your important papers. It is proved by persons who can identify your handwriting.