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The Publicity Committee is well-pleased at student reaction to the CAMPUS CRIER. The first edition of the newsletter seemed to be accepted with a great deal of enthusiasm and approval, and we hope that interest will continue.

The student written response was fairly good considering that this opportunity is a new one. In the line of prompting, it may be well to better inform students about the hows and whys of writing to this newsletter. Some students have said that they don't know what to write about. We answer that any topic dealing with student life that is of general interest is acceptable. In the way of a few suggestions, let us hear some views about such topics as the worth of the Honor System, Student-Administration relationships, the value of Student Government, campus entertainment, and specific bills being presented in the Student Senate.

Many students no doubt believe that letters to a publication must be critical. While it is true that criticism is appealing to most people (human nature), it should be remembered that a few words of praise for a job done well and suggestions for new SG projects are well-accepted.

For students who do not wish to have their names printed with their letters, we will withhold names upon request. It is, however, the decided policy of this committee--as it is the policy of most publications--that the writer's name be signed to a letter. The letters are received by the Publicity Committee Chairman and are discarded after publication without disclosure of names.

Letters from students may be of any length. They should be concise, however, and written in good taste. The Publicity Committee reserves the right of editing.

In conclusion, this committee realizes--or hopes--that responses will grow as the newsletter grows. Meanwhile, we encourage you to take out pen and paper and address a letter to "Letters from Students", Box 1061. Letters for the next edition of THE CAMPUS CRIER should be in by December 10. --C.T.

SENATE NEWS

A bill which would levy a fine on students who do not pay their SG fees on time has yet to pass through the Senate although three attempts have been made. The first attempt, in the form of a bill written by President Jim Buie, and a second attempt, an alternate bill presented by the Judicial Committee, were defeated on the floor. At the November 7th meeting of the Senate, the Judicial Committee presented another bill that was tabled because of technicalities. It is almost certain that a new bill will be presented at the next Senate meeting.

President Jim Buie is working on an amendment to the Student Government Constitution that would abolish the Student Council. This will be a step in the revision of the Honor Council and in the revision of the entire constitution.

Future bills coming before the Senate will deal with the "necktie situation" on Sunday nights, the addition of recreational facilities for students, the appropriation of school pennants or paintings (possibly both) for the Student Union, and appropriations for a used adding machine for the SG office and a tape recorder for the taping of a weekly radio show on one or more of the local stations.

A constitutional amendment which will come up for consideration shortly concerns the establishment of a Board of Review for campus clubs and organizations. (Social fraternities and sororities excluded.) This amendment would put the groups "in co-operation with Student Government", and provide for campus organizational unity, the filing of club constitutions with SG, and the establishment of a SG board which would review the organizations each semester. Also, under this bill, no new club could be formed without presenting a constitution for approval by the Student Senate.

A committee to codify Senate bills has been formed and is headed by Sen. Melvin Shrevos. The committee will devise a system of coding the