

SENATE NEWS

Since the middle of March the legislative branch of our Student Government has been quite busy handing out money for Union Improvements, tennis court renovation, dances, the Liberal Arts Forum, and the literary magazine.

Senator Sally McDuffie introduced Senate Bill 63-3.2 which called for an appropriation of \$40.00 to redecorate the Student Union by placing pictures and pennants on the walls. This will be carried out next year by the Development Committee.

Another bill (S. B. 63-3.3) called for appropriations totaling \$1,100.00 for dances on March 30 and April 20.

The college literary magazine, The Colonnades, was the recipient of \$100 as a result of a bill introduced by Senator Melvin Shreves. This money will go to cover the unexpected cost of the magazine.

At a poll taken on April 24, the Student Body voiced their approval of a \$1,000. appropriation for the renovation of the college tennis courts. The bill was written by Ex-president James A. Buie.

Another \$525. was appropriated to the Liberal Arts Forum to acquire Harry Golden for their program. This bill was written by Ex-president Buie and introduced by Ex-senator Bob Saunders.

The final piece of legislation to be acted on by the Senate was a resolution of admiration and appreciation to the ~~Ex~~-senate speaker, G. Lynn Ryals, Jr. Needless to say, the resolution passed without opposition.

Student Affairs Committee

A call meeting on Friday, March 7, reviewed the report of the subcommittee on rooms and hours to be specified for night study sessions for students. The lecture room A-2-1 was designated for individual study, and 104 Alamance was designated for group discussion. Mr. Gwaltney consulted Dr. Danieleley after the call meeting and reported on March 18 that Dr. Danieleley suggested one room be provided with ash trays.

Questions were raised by Mr. Hassell on the mechanics involving the letter to new students on the Honor System. Should it be a part of the admissions policy or should it be part of the information going out to students? Mr. Graves then recommended that acceptance of the Honor System be made a required part of the admissions policy with a letter of explanation on the Honor System included with other information on the College.

The Committee also recommended that Mr. Biddle write a bill for the Student Senate whereby each student in day school should sign a pledge to uphold the Honor System.

The Committee then discussed student complaints about charges for repairs in dormitories, and Mrs. Epperson stated that there is a list of standard charges for certain repairs. The discussion then centered on the problem of the return of room keys to the Business Office at the end of each semester. A motion was made by Mrs. Epperson that we recommend to the Business Office that the deposit on room keys be raised next year to five dollars and that May 22 to noon May 25 be designated as days on which students may return keys. She also urged that the matter be well published. Mr. Biddle seconded the motion, and the Committee unanimously approved.

The Committee discussed at length the extensive cost involved for girls taking part in the May Court. Mrs. Epperson was asked to talk with Mrs. Griffin about the matter.

Further discussion concerned care of furniture and buildings (apropos of the cigarette burns on the gymnasium floor after the previous Saturday night's dance), the loose tile at the door of the Student Union (to be reported to Dr. Danieleley), and the need for having the stobs and wires around grassed areas checked.

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After reading a communication from Dr. Danieleley which called our attention to the burning of shrubbery near McEwen where a dance was held Saturday, March 30, the Committee discussed the fact that many outsiders had attended the dance and apparently proper procedure had not been followed by the Dance Committee. A motion was made that Bob Gwaltney speak to the chairman of the Entertainment Committee concerning handling of dances for the rest of this year.