INDIANA UNIVERSITY STUDENT SENATE MINUTES December 1, 1966

CALL TO ORDER

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The meeting was called order at 7:05 P. M. The minutes of the preceding meeting were adopted as corrected.

COMMUNICATIONS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Hunter read a letter from Marty Levy, President of the Union Board, in response to R-21. Mr. Levy in the letter said that the Senate is a democratic body elected to represent the student body in Student Government, not in the Indiana Mémorial Union. Senator Hunter noted that the members of the student body are all members of the Union.

Senator Lockwood reported on the IRHA Presidents' Council meeting.

Senator Lockwood said that the University Food Advisory Committee had met. He encouraged all the Senators to inform the dormitory presidents and enlist their help and suggestions.

EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

President Aulick sent the following appointments to the Judiciary Committee: Student Supreme Court, Carol Greenwood; Student Conduct Committee, Jim Durkott; and Attorney General, Roger Jones.

President Aulick gave a progress report on the Faculty and Course Evaluation Questionnaire of the Board of Academic Review.

Concerning the University Self-Study Report, President Aulick reported that the administration wants to set up a structure of studying student evaluation of the report. He said that a group called CAMPUS, under the direction of Norm Leighty would be making a study of the residential college plan.

Speaker Abraham reported on the meeting of the parking committee. He said that the committee refused a recommendation that a limited number of parking spaces that are usually not filled be designated as red parking spaces, since the philosphy of the committee has been to prevent traffic on the campus. He said that the possibility of parking meters is now being investigated.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Senator Ormes reported on the study of the Saturday class situation. He said that Dr. Remack feels that the increase of number of students in the next years will probably make the elimination of Saturday classes unlikely. Senator Lockwood said that no permanent change is necessary and that gnecessary Seturday classes are the only ones that should be eliminated.

FORUM

David Cahill spoke concerning the recent investigation in Forest Quadrangle and read a letter which he had written to the editor of the Indiana Daily Student. Discussion of the event followed, which included reports from Senators Varner and Schaich, Senators from Forest. Senator Varner felt the situation and been an inconvenience but that it was necessary. She said that no one had talked to her about being dissatisfied with the situation.

Senator Schaich gave some background on the investigation. She noted that most of the publicity had not been from official sources.

A resident of Forest gave the negative side of the investigation, reporting that many girls had been dissatisfied. She said that no one had been told what was going on, and no one had bothered to think of what his rights were in a situation such as this.

Mr. Cahill said that even if everyone were satisfied and the thieves were caught, the investigation was carried out forcibly.

Further discussion followed.

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OLD BUSINESS

There was no old business.

NEW BUSINESS

Senator Muncaster introduced B-28, "Bill to Amend the Student Government Consitution and the Student Elections Code to Provide for Additional Representation on the Student Senate." The bill was seconded.

Speaker Abraham sent the bill to the Judiciary Committee.

Senator Loftman introduced R-27, "Resolution Toward Student Solidarity." It was seconded. He read several articles from the <u>Indiana Daily Student</u> concerning the struggles for student rights and freedoms at the University of Michigan. He said that this resolution supports their efforts.

Senator Rindfusz moved to sent R-27 to committee. He said that there is much more information to be gained on this situation than that in the <u>Daily Student</u> which should be looked into before this resolution is passed. He added that the Senate does not usually concern itself in realms outside of Indiana University on a vote.

Senator Loftman replied that the Senate has a very valid concern with students throughout the country.

He noted the action of the police and said that the police acting unjustly does not mean that the students were acting unjustly.

Senator Hunter said that students all over the country owe alot to the students at Berkeley. He said that this is a matter of principal and that if freedom is advanced in one university, it is also advanced in other places.

Senator Rindfusz moved the previous question. The Debate ended. The motion to send the resolution to committee was passed.

R-27 was sent to the External Affairs Committee.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

Valerie Lee Senate Clerk