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Senator Seeks Greater Voice For Students

Senate will meet today at 3 p.m. in the CC Assembly Hall. Among the items on which it may take action are a series of amendments to the Faculty By-Laws changing the composition of the Senate and a resolution urging the increase of professional salaries in SUNY.

The amendments are proposed by Jack Schwartz and would fix the Senate at 100 members. The composition of the Senate would be as follows: 35 undergraduate representatives, 15 graduate representatives, 40 representatives from the teaching faculty (at least one from each school and college), one library representative, three representatives from the non-teaching staff, and six ex-officio members—President, Vice President for Academic Affairs, Vice President for Student Affairs, Dean of the University College, and the two Albany representatives to SUNY's Faculty Senate. All Senate terms would be for one year. Any changes in the By-Laws endorsed by the Senate must be approved by the Voting Faculty.

The resolution to increase salaries is proposed by the Personnel Policies Council and is part of a SUNY-wide effort which originated at SUC Brockport. Its intent is to achieve parity with City University of New York in regard to salaries for teaching faculty and non-teaching professional staff.

It advocates the following minimum salaries for 1970: professor, \$21,240; associate professor, \$16,760; assistant professor, \$13,760; instructor, \$11,960. An across the board raise of at least 19% is advocated for non-teaching professionals.

Senate will also consider a recommended minimum rate of progress for EOP students.

Two Albany Students Win National Praise

Gino Danese, a geography major, is one of 1,153 students from the United States and Canada who have been elected winners in the annual Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship competition. Patrick A. Foltz, an English major, is among 1,152 receiving honorable mention. Foundation president Hans Rosenhaupt described the designates as "the most intellectually promising" 1970 graduates planning careers as college teachers.

A list of the winners will be sent to all graduate school deans in both countries with the recommendation that the schools provide them with graduate fellowships. Some 150 Woodrow Wilson fellowships are reserved for those designates who fail to receive funds from the school of their choice.

Students Press Wagner Issue

Students and others pressed last week for information about the future status of Gerard A. Wagner, assistant professor in the department of rhetoric and public address, whose two-year contract was not being renewed this spring. The concerned individuals gathered Monday outside the office of Vice President Charles O'Reilly who had, earlier that day, received an 18-page report on the case from Dean O. William Perlmutter. Dean Perlmutter had made recommendations which were shared with those seeking a decision.

They were that Mr. Wagner be given a year term, continuing his present salary; that he be counseled and assisted in the completion of his dissertation during this time and especial attention be given to his course load "so that he fulfills his obligations to himself and his family"; and, since he was not fulfilling the role he was assigned originally, that he serve during 1970-71 at the rank of lecturer. Some supporters termed the announcement a partial victory.

A memorandum to President Kuusisto from Dr. O'Reilly described Dean Perlmutter's report as "complex" and dealing "with many factual matters that need to be examined in relation to other information." Dr. O'Reilly indicated that he would make every effort to provide the President with his own recommendations by March 12.

"It would be grossly unfair for me to review this matter in haste," he

said. "To be fair to Mr. Wagner and the others involved in this situation, it is imperative that we follow the principles of due process and concern for the personal rights of all involved."

A special letter drawn up by Dr. O'Reilly was distributed to all members of the faculty and staff. In it, he called attention to the necessity of providing them with "some background about a situation which is of great concern to some of our students." A copy of his memorandum to President Kuusisto was included.

Women's Liberation Committee Investigates Child Care Center

Infant and child day care was the topic of a meeting last Tuesday afternoon between students, members of Women's Liberation, faculty, and administration. The group, which had made the decision to meet after the open meeting the day before, agreed to establish itself as a committee, send out a questionnaire, and begin exploring space and funding possibilities.

At present the committee consists of Mrs. Barbara Pelton, Mrs. Susie Childs, Mrs. Elizabeth Ewen, Mrs. Sally Pollock and Mrs. Suzanne Loveys, of Women's Liberation; Seth Spellman, special assistant to the President; Mrs. Carol Biernachi, Cecile David, from the School of Social Welfare; Ed Taubman, of Sen-

ate's Educational Policies Council; and Vice President Clifton Thorne. Women's Liberation will recruit a staff member and an additional faculty member to complete the group. Mrs. Pelton will serve as temporary chairman.

The questionnaire, to be drawn up by Dr. Spellman with the help of Women's Liberation, is intended to determine the extent of desire for such a program, the number of children involved, and the type of care preferred by parents.

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New Program Offers Diversity, Mobility

Undergraduate students are now eligible to study at more than 50 institutions of higher learning in New York State through the Visiting Student Program of the Association of Colleges and Universities of the State of New York. The purpose of the program is to enable a student to attend another school in New York for a semester or a year without the necessity for a formal transfer.

The two basic requirements for participation in the program are that the student obtain approval from the university and that he accept full responsibility for tuition fees and other such charges that are in effect at the chosen school. Under this program full transferability of Regents Scholarships and Scholar Incentive Awards is assured.

Among participating schools are Colgate University, Bard College, St. Lawrence University, Pratt Institute, Fashion Institute of Technology, and the Old Westbury Campus.

Interested students should see Marcia Lembcke in the Office of the Academic Dean, AD 218.



THE MOODY BLUES, who have gained popularity in such places as Australia, Yugoslavia, Singapore, Sweden, and Brazil, come to Albany on Sunday.

Moody Blues Highlight Weekend

Tickets are on sale outside the CC Ballroom for each of three Greek Weekend Concerts, March 20, 21, and 22. The price for each concert is \$2.50 with tax, \$5 without. Each performance will start at 8 p.m. in the gym.

Friday's concert features the Rascals with Nick Brignola and The Mixed Bag. Canned Heat with Tarus Light Show and The South Wind will perform Saturday.

Ticket sales for Sunday night surpass both Friday and Saturday by

at least a two-to-one margin. The reasons could be English performers John Mayall and the Moody Blues.

Mayall, guitarist, pianist, and mouth percussionist, will perform with his three-man drummerless band: Johnny Almond, on flutes and saxophones; Jon Mark, on acoustic style; and Steve Thompson, on base guitar.

The five-member Moody Blues includes Mike Pinder, Graeme Edge, Ray Thomas, John Lodge, and Justin Hayward.

Sixty-Two German Works Now Showing in Gallery

Sixty-two German Expressionistic works in various media are on view in the Art Gallery through April 5. All are from the collection of the Museum of Modern Art. Recent prints by Robert Cartmell, instructor in printmaking, will be shown in the Gallery Lounge during the same period.

Entitled *The Passionate Years: Expressionism in Germany 1905-1930*, the exhibit surveys a movement spearheaded by younger artists who opposed the emphasis on materialism which took hold in Europe during the two decades prior to World War I. Rejecting the Impressionist eagerness to paint the world as it appears to the eye, the Expressionists sought instead to depict the world as it is experienced through emotions.

The exhibit contains works by members of the two important Expressionistic groups which emerged during the period of intellectual turmoil and great artistic creativity prior to World War I: Die Brücke (The Bridge) in Dresden and Berlin and Der Blaue Reiter (The Blue Rider) in Munich.

Also represented are a number of individual artists who were not affiliated

with either of the groups but whose work is closely related. They include Ernst Barlach, Kathe Kollwitz, Wilhelm Lehmbruck, and Oskar Kokoschka.

The Passionate Years: Expressionism in Germany 1905-1930 contains 17 oils, five watercolors, and five sculptures. Some 35 prints and drawings are also included since both groups dedicated much of their effort to graphic art with Die Brücke issuing an annual portfolio of etchings and lithographs from 1906-1912.

Great Dane Sports

Before filing away the 1969-70 basketball season, a brief review and preview is in order.

Back in October, the team was termed "rebuilding". Gone were three stars from the glory years of 18-4, 18-6, and an NCAA tournament bid. This year's squad didn't equal those marks, but its 13-9 record was better than most expected. Coach Dick Sauers called it his "best defensive team".

The highlights were a third straight Capital District Tournament championship, earned by upsetting a strong RPI team; and a victory over arch-rival Siena. Captain Jack Adams and key subs Jim Sandy and Ed Arsenneau were the team's only seniors, so Sauers has a strong nucleus returning next fall.

Adams finished with a flourish, scoring a personal varsity high 22 points in two of his final three games. His 11.9 scoring average was the best of his three-year career. Jack Jordan was the scoring (16.5) and rebounding (255) leader. He'll be back, as will other starters Jim Masterson (11.8), Alan Reid (10.0), and Steve Sheehan (8.0); plus reserves Mike Hill, Les Newmark, and John Heher, who missed most of the season with an injury.

Liddle New Member Of SU Art Council

Mrs. Nancy H. Liddle, associate director of SUNYA's Art Gallery, has been elected a member-at-large of the newly-formed Council of Gallery and Exhibition Directors of State University of New York. She will represent four-year colleges.

The council has been established to encourage the exchange of gallery information and exhibits among the diverse institutions of SUNY and to provide a central agency for obtaining information and consultants on gallery construction, exhibition materials, lighting, security, and other problems related to gallery work.

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MONDAY-President's Conference with Students, CC Patroon Lounge, 2:15 p.m.

TUESDAY-Film: "Vali, Witch of Positano," IFG, LC 18, 7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m.; Lecture: Archaeological Institute of America, Albany Area Society, CC Assembly Hall, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY-Elections: Poll on requirement eliminations, CC Main Lounge, today and Thursday, 10 a.m. through 4 p.m.; Dialogue, CC Patroon Lounge, 2 p.m.; Greek Follies, CC Ballroom, today and Thursday, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY-Film: "Enter Laughing," State Quad, LC 6, 7 p.m. and 9:15 p.m.; Informal class: "New Trends in Jewish Thought," HU 115, 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY-Bloodmobile, Red Cross, CC Ballroom, 9 a.m. through 3 p.m.; Film: "Charge of the Light Brigade," State Quad, LC 7, 7:30 p.m. and 10 p.m.; Mixer, EOP, CC Ballroom, 8 p.m. through 12 p.m.

'Round the Campus

The University Chapter of the SOCIETY OF SIGMA XI will be installed here May 14 when the society's national president will present the charter to President Kuusisto. Roger R. Revelle, Richard Saltonstall Professor of Population Policy at Harvard, will give the banquet address. Serving on the general arrangements committee for the installation of the new chapter are James Bradford, H.P. Droebek, Jerry Feldman, Harry L. Frisch, Arthur Long, Joseph L. Norton, Eugene C. Ogden, Eugene Rabinowitch, Harold S. Story, Hudson S. Winn, Jerold J. Zuckerman, and C.L. Andrews, chairman. . .

Among SPECIAL LECTURES scheduled are "The Paranoic Machine and I", to be given tomorrow afternoon at 4 in Humanities 354 by Giose Rimantelli, department of Romance languages, and "The Civilization of Provence" (in French), Thursday evening at 8 in Humanities 290 by Paul Chovelon. . . Governor Rockefeller

has announced the PROMOTION of Robert Rienow to the rank of Brigadier General, State Retired List, in the New York National Guard. . .The Ad Hoc Committee on Senatorial Authority received more than 500 RESPONSES to its questionnaire on the proper function of the Senate. Committee members met last week to consider the action to be taken in the light of the response. . . "It is appropriate this day to CONGRATULATE THE STUDENTS of the State University in Albany on their exemplary behavior during the appearance on the campus of William Kunstler, attorney for the Chicago 7. This exemplary behavior came despite provocation to unruly demonstration." The comment was made in a *Knickerbocker News* editorial. . . More than 200 students from throughout the state attended the pre-teaching ENVIRONMENTAL CONFERENCE sponsored by the SUNY PYE Club. . .UPCOMING EVENTS: "The Roar of the Greasepaint-The Smell of the Crowd," Experimental Theatre and Music Council production, Thursday and Friday; Chamber music concert, Sunday.

Professionals Urged To Write Congress

Paul Wheeler and Joseph Norton, members of the State University-wide Faculty Senate are calling the attention of faculty members to a matter concerning TIAA-CREF.

Their comment: "Some states have begun to threaten the TIAA-CREF Insurance Program by imposing what could become fifty different sets of regulations on the Association. Faculty who are in that retirement system are urged to write Senators Javits and Goodell, and your representative in the House, urging Congressional approval of Senate Bill S1290 and its companion H.R. 9010. Otherwise, easy mobility of professional staff members may be seriously disturbed."

Also, the SUNY Faculty Senate representatives have received a copy of a letter sent to Chancellor Gould from Robert P. Fairbanks, chairman of the committee on the University budget, and containing a resolution on budget matters.

Blood Drive Friday

A Red Cross Bloodmobile will be on campus this Friday in the CC Ballroom from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Donors will be accepted on a walk-in basis.

Each potential donor will receive a brief physical check-up which includes temperature, pulse, weight, blood pressure, hemoglobin count, and medical history. Donors of blood are given free blood coverage for themselves and members of their immediate families in the event of future need. Further information may be obtained from Nikki Smith, AD 320, 7-3929.

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Faculty Achievements

VINCENT ACETO, library science, has been appointed a consultant for the Educational Media Selection Centers Project of the National Book Committee. The project is funded by the U.S. Office of Education. Mr. Aceto read a paper, "Films and Creativity in the Educational Process," at the annual conference of the New England Library Association in New Hampshire.

JOHN BOWEN, psychology, has published a research report, "Familiarity Scale Values for 420 Nouns in Twelve Combinations of Frequency of Occurrence and Conceptual Categorization," in the journal *Psychological Reports*.

SORRELL CHESIN, student affairs, was a contributor to the Winter 1969 issue of *College Student Survey* with his article, "Effects of Differential Housing on Attitudes and Values."

DONALD FAVREAU, general studies, will speak on "The Junior College Up to Date" at the 42nd Annual Fire Department Instructors Conference in Kansas City, Mo., March 25. He will present a paper, "Fire Related College Programs," at the Symposium on Training and Education in the Fire Service of the National Academy of

Sciences, National Research Council, in Washington on April 8-9.

WILLIAM MCHUGH, educational administration, has written "Collective Negotiations in Public Higher Education" which appears in the February 1970 issue of *College and University Business*.

Members of the women's physical education department were actively involved in the annual conference of the New York State Association for Health, Physical Education, and Recreation held in January. BARBARA PALM was conference manager for the Association of Women in Physical Education in New York State and planned and supervised 15 different meetings.

MEREDITH FORREST conducted a demonstration on conditioning for advanced competitive swimming. EDITH COBANE spoke on women's basketball rules and officiating and was toastmistress at the AWPENYS banquet.

Campus Exchange

FOR RENT: 3-bedroom furnished house in Guelderland, available June-August 1970. Call P. Lee, 7-8680 or at home, 438-1685.

FOR SALE: 4-bedroom house in Westmere, \$11,000 4-3/4% assumable mortgage. Call Peter Benedict, 7-3975. . . . Vartyper headliner Model 820, excellent condition. Call the *Albany Student Press*, 7-2190; if no answer call 7-2288.

WANTED: Furnished apartment to rent with heat and utilities paid, private bath preferred, for mature, single woman employed at SUNYA; can pay up to \$125 per month. Call Jane Spencer, 7-4630 or at home, 489-0015.