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Above all, the Collegian will be tolerant. For in tolerance there is no room and there is no light.

Tuesday, March 7, 1939

STEP TOWARD COOPERATION

After eleven months of bucking with the College Senate on the question of a mid-year vacation, the Collegian is highly pleased to be able to commend the Senate for its actions at its meeting last Thursday.

For the Senate heard three student leaders, who presented the petition of the student body for a mid-year recess.

In assigning the problem to the Academic Standards group for discussion along with such suggestions as lengthening of final examinations period, the Senate showed that it is giving the mid-year vacation proposal the serious consideration it is worth but had heretofore been denied.

And, in deciding how to inform the student spokesmen as to what action had been taken on their petition, the Senate was careful to avoid saying that the petition had been voted down, but rather instructed the secretary to inform the students that the whole matter had been referred to the two committees for study in connection with the construction of future calendars.

These signs that the Senate has started to take a co-operative attitude in dealing with student-suggested measures are in pleasant contrast with the dogmatic manner in which the Calendar Committee and the Senate as a whole turned down the vacation proposal in January, failing to give any reason for their action.

WHILE THE PRESENT attitude of the Senate as a whole is indicative of new interest in the possibilities of a mid-year vacation, it is not clear whether or not it is still considering the possibility of such action in the 1939-40 calendar.

OLD MANIA

Talk of the Town:

One of the maniac's stooges (a motion we raised from an idiot) hid in closets and behind sofas this week-end and overheard the following genuine quotes.

Vegetable Soup: An informer tells us that Ran Keller has taken quarters in the dog-house.

no one knows who the hell wins half the crowd thought Hanna was robbed the other half thought not.

We predict the hit of the Thespian's Jubilee show is going to be Playwrite Bud Yanofsky's 'take-off on the former Player's drama Bury the Dead.'

All freshmen Collegian editorial candidates meet in Room 318, Old Main, at 7 p.m. tomorrow.

29 Women Who Vie For Offices: W.S.G.A. President: Peggy E. Jones, Senator for three consecutive years.

W.S.G.A. Vice-President: Janet N. Holzinger, Alpha Lambda Delta, College choir.

W.S.G.A. Treasurer: Betty M. Martin, College choir, candidate for Collegian business staff.

W.S.G.A. Junior Senator: Josephine E. Condrin, Home Ec Club and Council, Co-editor.

W.S.G.A. Senior Senator: Ann M. Borton, Senate, Freshman Forum, debate.

W.S.G.A. Treasurer: Mary F. Lettrill, Cwens, town senator, W.S.G.A. treasurer.

Two Schools Name Scholars

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died M. Taylor, 26—Jean Babcock, Josephine H. Beljan, Brian E. Christman, Robert P. Greenberg.

Chemistry and Physics: Seniors 3 average—E. Ruth Bietweiser, Harold S. Ray, Robert B. Richards, George F. Rummel.

Sophomores 3 average—Gerold B. Hilday, George P. Griesman, David J. George, Albert L. Myerson.

Jack Rex '39 forestry: 'No The present form of government was thought about after many years of experience and is as good as can be expected.

John Dimit '39, industrial engineer: 'Yes. At present there are two governments, both functioning for like purposes.

Latin American Talk Slated: Dr. Richard F. Behrendt, professor of education at the University of Panama, will speak on "Economic and Social Trends in Latin America of Today."

Man Council, hockey basketball Irene M. Paul International Relations Club, Swimming Club.

W. R. A. Treasurer: Manjory A. Harwick, Lakonides, hockey basketball, baseball captain, president of Golf Club.

W. R. A. Vice-President: Beatrice M. Lowe, Three years in W. R. A., sports teams, Lakonides, Cwens.

W. R. A. President: I. Eleanor Benfor, Lakonides, W. R. A. board, hockey, basketball, baseball, Freshman Council, judicial committee, Cwens.

W. R. A. Vice-President: Muriel E. Engelke, Lakonides, hockey, basketball, president of Hamilton Honorary.

W. R. A. Vice-President: Inez J. Hopkins, Lakonides, W. R. A. board, hockey, basketball, baseball, Intramural Board, vice-president, Cwens, Freshman Forum, May-Day committee.

WHAT DO YOU KNOW? WHAT DO YOU SAY?

By BERNIE NEWMAN

'Do you think we should have a combined men and women student government here?'

Dick Eitenberger, '40, mechanical engineer: 'I don't believe that there should be one distinct governmental setup with both men and women officers.

Jack Rex '39 forestry: 'No The present form of government was thought about after many years of experience and is as good as can be expected.

Dick Peters '41, lower division: 'Yes. It would facilitate a more comprehensive knowledge of the different men and women problems.

Mildred Pfingler '41, journalism: 'Definitely. As it is, men students control the campus Women activities here are equal in importance to those of men.

Don Crosswell '40, advertising: 'No. The efficiency of student government would be broken down because of too large a group.

Alice Murray '42, lower division: 'Yes. There are enough women students here to give them some say in student government.'

Cliques Ready To Set Slates

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By BILL ENGEL: With the Independents engaged in a concentrated drive to organize the non-fraternities men into a solid group, the respective Campus cliques continued their organizational efforts.

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