

Discipline Subcommittee Favors USG Resolution

The administrative members of the Senate Subcommittee on Discipline said recently that they would favor the passage of the new Undergraduate Student Government resolution to add another voting student member to the subcommittee.

THE RESOLUTION was passed by the Senate Committee on Student Affairs last week and was forwarded to the Senate Committee on Committees for consideration. If the resolution passes this committee it will be presented to the Senate.

Presently the discipline subcommittee has four voting members: the University psychiatrist, a faculty member, the dean of the college in which the student under consideration is enrolled and either the USG president or cases involving male students or the president of the Association of Women Students for coeds.

If the resolution is passed, the

chairman of the tribunal or central judicial originally hearing the case will also sit as a voting member of the subcommittee.

John D. Walmer, University psychiatrist, said that although he was satisfied with present student participation, he was favorable to increased student participation.

"This is just what I want to see. I would like to see total student handling of disciplinary problems someday."

"If this resolution represents more interest on the part of the students to take part in the decision-making, and more willingness to accept responsibility for conduct on campus, then I favor and encourage it," Walmer said.

Ralph G. Ascah, associate professor of chemistry, said that the resolution has both advantages and disadvantages.

"By enlarging the subcommittee, the additional student may

make it unwieldy, but at the same time he will be able to present an opinion that will be valuable since he is closer to the problems of student discipline.

Ascah, stating that he has no objection to having the resolution passed, said, "This is obviously a new proposal and worth testing. We shall see how it fares in the Senate."

In addition to these voting members, the subcommittee has other members who act in an advisory position, including representatives from the offices of the Deans of Men and of Women.

Daniel R. Leasure, assistant Dean of Men for disciplinary matters, said that the resolution was a real contribution. "It would be a boon to the whole judicial system," he said.

"THE STUDENT would be more familiar with the case and have a knowledge of conditions and problems that might be foreign to the committee," he said.

Leasure, who has supported the idea from its inception at the judicial workshop during student encampment this fall, said that the resolution deserved "real consideration," and that he hoped the Senate would pass it.

Marian B. Davison, assistant to the Dean of Women, also said she had no objection to having the resolution passed.

Mrs. Davison said she felt that the chairman of the judicial originally hearing the case was the logical student to add to the subcommittee, although "women's judicials rarely hear cases that are serious enough to be sent to the subcommittee."

'64 Applications Due For Foreign Study

By STEVE CIMBALA

Applications for the Study Abroad program for the 1964 spring term must be submitted by Feb. 15, Dagobert de Levie, director of the program, said yesterday.

Students wishing to participate in the program can obtain forms in 212 Willard, office of the Liberal Arts Study Abroad program, from 8 to 12 a.m. and 1 to 5 p.m. daily, De Levie said. He emphasized that the program is not restricted to students in the College of Liberal Arts, but that students from any of the University's colleges may apply.

Any student who will be a sophomore, junior or senior during the 1963-64 academic year is eligible for the program, he said.

THIS YEAR'S ten-week program will send a total of 116 University students to study at the Universities of Strasbourg (France), Cologne (Germany) and Salamanca (Spain).

Concerning qualifications for next year's program, De Levie said students should have an all-University average of 2.50 or better and must show evidence of

maturity, stability, self-discipline and strong academic motivation. Preferably, applicants should have a background in at least one foreign language, he said.

Final selection will be made by the Committee on Study Abroad after consultations with the students' advisors.

Next year's overseas program will coincide exactly with the University's official spring calendar and will conclude approximately June 8, as does this year's program, De Levie said.

COSTS OF the term abroad will be about the same as the costs of a term at the University, with the addition of travel expenses and a \$35 registration fee, he added.

In addition, De Levie announced that registration for participants in this year's program will be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 7, in 10 Sparks. This procedure is necessary, the project director said, because the study abroad participants did not pre-register for the spring term as did other students.

When the student is abroad, he will be registered here and no problem of transfer of credits is involved, he said.

TODAY ON CAMPUS

Artists Series

Tickets are still available at the Hetzel Union desk for the program to be presented at 8 p.m. Sunday by Jose Limon and the American Dance Co.

Interlandia

Everyone is invited to join the Interlandia folkdancers at 7:30 p.m. in White Hall. Dances from many nations will be taught. Admission is free.

SENSE

The Council for Abolishing War will be discussed by Leo Szilard at 8:30 p.m. in 214 Boucke. The talk is sponsored by SENSE; Students for Peace and is open to the public.

Applications

All Mil Ball Queen applications must be returned to the Hetzel Union desk today.

All WRA applications for activities leaders must be returned to the HUB desk today.

Applications for women's orientation committee and leaders are available at the Hetzel Union desk. The deadline for returning them to the HUB desk is Tuesday.

Other Events

Agriculture Research Seminar, 4 p.m., HUB assembly hall.

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Biophysics Seminar, 2:20 p.m., 300 Walker. O. William Jones to speak on "Recent Developments in the Characteristics of the Genetics Code."

Chess team, 8 p.m., 218 HUB. Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship, 7:30 p.m., 111 Boucke.

Mineral Industries Colloquium, 3:45 p.m., Mineral Industries Auditorium.

Model UN, 8 p.m., HUB assembly hall.

Newman Club Dance, 7 p.m., HUB ballroom (free).

Presbyterian University Fellowship, 7:30 p.m., Presbyterian Center.

Skating Party, 7:30 p.m., Wesley Foundation.

UN Rehearsal, 2:15 p.m., HUB assembly hall.

WRA Open house, 7-9 p.m., White Hall.

Pattee Shows Collection To Honor Robert Frost

An exhibit honoring the memory of Robert Frost, Pulitzer-Prize poet, who died this week is on view at the Fred Lewis Pattee Library.

It contains signed presentation copies of the poet's books and several of his letters and Christmas poems.

Among the letters on display are those written to the late Fred Lewis Pattee, former Penn State professor, and to the late Amy Bonner, a poet.

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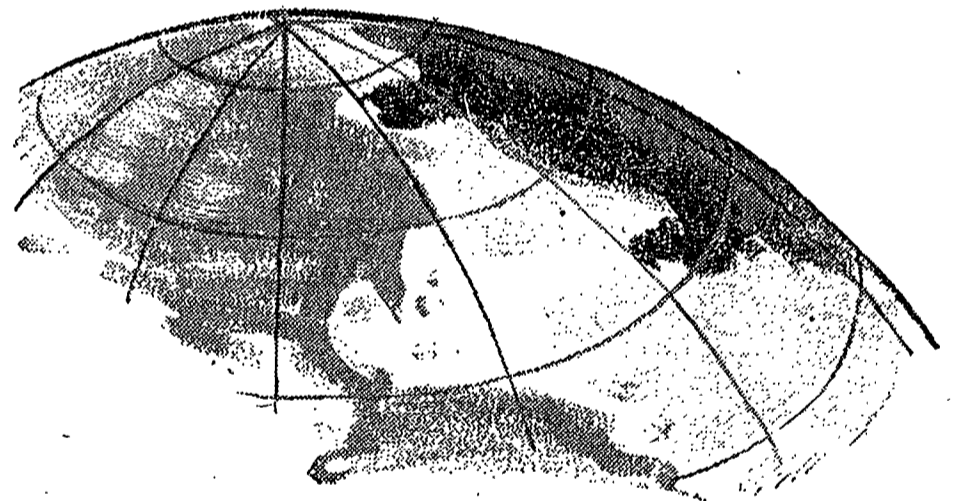
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