# JCURNAL OF THE UNIVERSITY SENATE

Regular Session, October 30, 1961, 4:10 P. M. Monnet Hall, Room 101

The University Senate, meeting in regular session, was called to order by the Chairman, Dr. John G. Eriksen.

#### Present

Allison, John E. Bishop, L. Doyle Brixey, John C. Brown, V. Jean Comp, LaVerne A. Crim, Ed. F. Crook, Kenneth E. David, Paul R. de Stwolinski, Gail Eriksen, John G. Feaver, J. Clayton Fowler, Richard G. Granger, Bruce Hall, Rufus G., Jr. Harvey, Harriet Heston, Bernard O.

### Present

Holland, C. Joe Huff, William N. Lee, Cecil Morris, Virginia Olson, Ralph E. Patterson, Helen E. Rarick, Joseph L. Rice, Leslie H. Riggs, Carl D. Schottstaedt, W. W. Shadid, Tannell A. Springer, C. E. Steanson, Edith Upthegrove, William R. Wiens, Gerhard Williams, Lloyd P.

## Absent

Bittle, William E.
Campbell, John M.
Clark, F. Donald
Craven, Clifford J.
Cross, George L.
Dunham, Lowell
Heilman, Arthur
Johns, O. D.
Keeley, Joe W.
Kitts, David
Male, Roy R.
Stanley, A. J.

## APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

The Journal of the University Senate for the regular meeting held on September 25, 1961, was approved.

#### NEW SENATORS

At the meeting of the Faculty of the College of Arts and Sciences on October 3, 1961, Dr. Ralph E. Olson was elected to complete the unexpired term of Dean Arthur H. Doerr, 1961-62. He will serve as a member of the Senate Committee of Courses and Curricula.

At the meeting of the Faculty of the Graduate College on October 17, 1961, Dr. Bernard O. Heston was elected to complete the unexpired term of Dr. Orrin K. Crosser, 1961-62. He will serve as a member of the Senate Committee on Student and Public Relations.

# NOMINATIONS FOR UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES

# University Committee on Libraries

A replacement is needed for Dr. Orrin K. Crosser who is on leave. At the September meeting the Senate approved nominees Tom J. Love, Jr., Mechanical Engineering, and Preston L. Moore, Petroleum Engineering. Later it was discovered that Preston L. Moore is also on leave.

Acting upon the recommendation of the Committee on Committees, the University Senate has submitted to President Cross the following nominees:

> Tom J. Love, Jr. -- Mechanical Engineering Barton D. Turkington -- Mechanical Engineering Charles D. Dodd -- Petroleum Engineering

# Council on Instruction

Replacements are needed for John Whitaker, on leave, unexpired term to 1962 and for Edwin Fogelman, on leave, unexpired term to 1963.

Acting upon the recommendation of the Committee on Committees, the University Senate has submitted to President Cross the following nominees:

> Robert Howard -- Physics Gerald Braver -- Zoology Mortimer Schwartz -- Law Jim E. Reese -- Economics Robert Perry -- Chemical Engineering Harold Affsprung -- Chemistry

> > FINAL EXAMINATIONS



# Report from the Committee on Academic Standards

October 16, 1961

The Committee on Academic Standards met on October 9 and October 13 to consider the extent to which final examinations are given as scheduled.

At the request of the Committee, the chairman of this committee had briefly discussed the problem with Vice President McCarter.

As a result of the discussions, we recommend to the Senate:

That the dean of each College take whatever steps seem appropriate to insure compliance with University regulations concerning final examinations.

Submitted by the Committee on Academic Standards

John Brixey John Campbell Kenneth Crook

J. Clayton Feaver

David Kitts Roy Male Gail de Stwolinski, Chairman

## Final Examinations -- Continued

### Senate Action

The foregoing report relative to final examinations was presented by Professor de Stwolinski. She moved that the report be accepted by the Senate. Her motion was seconded and, following a brief discussion, it was passed.

# PRE-ENROLLMENT



Dr. Hall raised for discussion, as an item of new business, certain questions relative to the pre-enrollment of students for the second semester, 1961-52. He provided information indicating that a plan of pre-enrollment has been developed and that its use for the next semester has been announced.

Dr. Hall pointed out that the University Senate in past years has devoted considerable time to consideration of pre-enrollment procedures and has on two occassions indicated disapproval of the pre-enrollment idea. (See Journal of the University Senate, January 26, 1953 and January 31, 1955.) He emphasized the view that, since pre-enrollment must be expedited by the Faculty, it should have been a matter discussed by the University Senate.

Dr. Hall moved that a standing committee of the University Senate investigate whether pre-enrollment comes within the perview of the Senate. His motion was seconded.

Considerable discussion followed the motion by Dr. Hall. Dr. Williams then made a substitute motion as follows:

> The University Senate regrets the announcement of a plan for pre-enrollment without prior consultation with its members and requests that President Cross postpone implementation of this plan until full Senate debate can be undertaken.

The motion was seconded and passed by the University Senate.

#### ADJOURNMENT

The University Senate adjourned at 5:00 p.m. The next regular meeting will be held on Monday, November 27, 1961. Materials for the Agenda should be in the Office of the Secretary by Wednesday, November 15.

Gerald A. Porter, Secretary

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