

## JOURNAL OF THE UNIVERSITY SENATE

Regular Session, October 26, 1964, 4:10 P. M.  
Student Union Building, Room 165

The University Senate, meeting in regular session, was called to order by Dr. James G. Harlow, chairman.

<u>Present</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Absent</u>
Bell, Digby B.	Kondonassis, Alex J.	Campbell, John M.
Berthrong, Donald J.	Levy, Gene	Daron, Garmon H.
Bienfang, Ralph D.	Love, Tom J.	Ewing, George M.
Brues, Alice M.	Maehl, William H., Jr.	Monahan, William G.
Bowen, Willis H.	Matlock, J. Ray	Patnode, Robert
Chisolm, Mildred Y.	McFarland, Dora	Plint, Colin A.
Christian, Sherril D.	Phelps, Elbridge D.	Smith, Thomas M.
Collier, Robert E.	Phillips, Marion C.	Steen, Wilson D.
Cross, George L.	Reeves, Charles H.	
Daniels, Raymond D.	Rice, Leslie H.	
Duncan, J. Paul	Rohrbaugh, Lawrence M.	
Eek, Nathaniel S.	Scheffer, Walter F.	
Eriksen, John G.	Smith, William H.	
Gibson, Arrell M.	Sutherland, Stephen M.	
Harlow, James G.	Turkington, D. Barton	
Huneke, Harold V.	Wallingford, E. Keith	
Jentz, Gaylord A.	Warren, Mary A.	
Jones, Lillian W.	Wilcox, Stewart C.	

## APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

The Journal of the University Senate for the regular meeting held on September 28, 1964, was approved.

## SENATE INFORMATION

Organizational meetings have been held by Senate committees and chairmen have been elected as follows:

Committee on Committees . . . . .	E. Keith Wallingford
Committee on Courses and Curricula . . . . .	Alex J. Kondonassis
Committee on Student and Public Relations . . . . .	Mildred Y. Chisolm
Committee on University Organization,	
Budget and Publications . . . . .	Elbridge D. Phelps
Committee on Teaching and Research . . . . .	Walter F. Scheffer

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND ROTC

Explanatory Comment

Various aspects in the offering of physical education were studied by the University Senate in 1963-64. Certain of the problems continue to be the concern of the Senate Committee on Courses and Curricula. D. Kondonassis, chairman of that committee, reported on October 26 that one meeting to consider the problems had been held, that no recommendations have yet been formulated, and that a more substantial report will be made at the November meeting of the Senate.

Memorandum from Vice President McCarter

October 26, 1964

President Johnson has signed the ROTC Bill that was passed by Congress just before the recent adjournment, and it is now in effect.

President Coss wishes to refer to the University Senate, with a request for recommendation, the question whether the University should offer the two-year program, the four-year program, or both.

The ROTC question and the question of required Physical Education, which the Senate already has under consideration, have some obvious interrelationships.

The purposes of this memorandum:

1. To get the ROTC question on the Senate's docket, so that the way may be cleared as quickly as possible for the flow of necessary information about the new ROTC Act from this Office to the appropriate Senate Committee.
2. To express the hope that the Senate will defer conclusive action on the Physical Education question until the ROTC information is in hand.

Senate Action

The foregoing memorandum from Vice President McCarter was referred, by the Chairman of the University Senate, to the Senate Committee on Courses and Curricula. That committee will continue to study the problems of Physical Education and ROTC.

SOONER CITY NURSERY SCHOOL

Report of the Senate Committee on Student and Public Relations

October 20, 1964

After investigation and discussion of the problem of admission policies for the Sooner City Nursery presented in a letter from Professor Leon Ginsberg, the committee formulated the following statement:

Sooner City Nursery School -- continued

In our opinion, this does not involve a matter of policy making and is, therefore, not properly a matter of Senate concern; it should more properly be referred to the Office of the Dean of Student Services.

Inasmuch, however, as a matter of policy clarification has been raised, we recommend that a statement concerning conditions of admission to the Sooner City Nursery should be prepared and distributed by the appropriate agency.

Senate Committee on Student and Public Relations

Digby B. Bell

Thomas M. Smith

John M. Campbell

Wilson D. Steen

Sherril D. Christian

Mildred Chisolm, Chairman

Senate Action

The foregoing report relative to the Sooner City Nursery School was presented by Professor Chisolm. She also read to the Senate the following statement from the Dean of Student Services.

October 20, 1964

The proposal by Professor Ginsberg that the Sooner City Nursery School be asked to prepare a written explanation of its enrollment procedures, criteria and priority system for selection, to be provided to those seeking the service of the School, and published in student handbooks and other appropriate publications has been discussed and such information is now in the process of preparation for inclusion in future publications.

I think Professor Ginsberg's proposal is a good one, and by personal experience I know he is correct about the excellent nursery and kindergarten we have under Mrs. Keeley's direction.

Jodie C. Smith

Following a brief discussion, Dr. McFarland moved that the report of the Senate Committee on Student and Public Relations be adopted by the Senate. Her motion was seconded and passed.

ADJOURNMENT

The University Senate adjourned at 4:23 P. M. The next regular meeting will be held on Monday, November 30, 1964. Materials for the Agenda should be in the Office of the Secretary by Wednesday, November 18.

Gerald A. Porter, Secretary