

cheap trick screws faculty, student senators

The academic senate has sanctioned the election of six student representatives, thanks (we feel) largely to the progressive attitudes of thinking senators.

But the University Act requires that, by doing this, faculty representation must also increase by the same number of seats.

For once the students are getting the better of the deal. While students may elect their representatives, the six new faculty members will be arbitrarily chosen by the present senators. The obvious advantage of this measure to reactionary senators is the opportunity to appoint more reactionaries, effectively nullifying the student vote.

Students individually and as a body have a moral obligation to congratulate those progressives who advocated a student voice; but they are obliged as well to express their contempt of the reactionary hypocrites who would make a sham of student representation with this fascistic dodge.

We owe it to those we call "teacher" to support their right to rid university government of the torpid conservatism that all-too-often corrupts university government. We must make our vote meaningful by seeking for them a meaningful vote.



the administration may as well give them away...

security boys

want spot checks

The SRC Security Committee's recent report contains a few surprising proposals.

The proposed security regulations include one that has to do with the searching of students' rooms.

The security service seeks the right to search students' rooms for missing university property. Students should take offence to this invasion of already inadequate privacy.

Students living on campus are not protected by the Landlord Tenants Act, and will have very little to say about their loss of civil liberties. The SRC can do something about it, when they discuss it next week at their regular Sunday night meeting. We hope a large turnout of students voice their disapproval of the suggested regulations at that meeting.

feedback

Although the Arts Council's recommendatory Selection Committee for a Dean of Arts is not responsible for determining its membership, perhaps an elected member of that committee should write concerning Mr. MacMullin's letter of 24 October. I was chosen by the committee to act as its secretary and I can say that at no time to my knowledge did the committee as such decide to dispense with student representation, which would have been contrary to its mandate.

The Arts Council resolution establishing the committee was passed on 2 May 1969 with the proviso that a student representative pro tempore

should be appointed by the Dean in consultation with the SRC executive to serve until the opening of the Fall term. Mr. T. Healis was duly selected to fill this position. The committee held two short meetings during the summer. One organizational, and one to arrange the preparation of advertising. Mr. Healis did not respond to attempts to contact him, and at both of these meetings members of the committee expressed regret that this should have happened.

The matter of publicity being urgent if the committee were to meet its deadline, it has met once on this matter during the Fall term after Mr.

Healis' term had expired. The Arts Council resolution further provided that at the beginning of the Fall term a student representative should be elected by the Arts students, either through the Arts Society or by some other method to be developed at the Dean's discretion. The Arts Society, I believe, does not yet exist; there is still a short time for a method of election to be arranged as the substantive work of the committee, its task of choosing nominees, has not yet begun.

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