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The Council met at 6:30 p.m. in the Student Council office. Opening prayer was led by Glenn Parrish. Bill Floyd made introductory remarks to the council. Glenn Parrish explained the purpose of the Student Association. The preamble and various parts of the Constitution were read.

Bill Floyd explained that the meetings would not follow strict parliamentary procedure, except when a minority opinion must be protected. Council members were urged to bring suggestions to the meetings beforehand, if possible, in order for an agenda to be prepared.

Cabinet defined: Council to be more active than the Cabinet. The cabinet is to give suggestions and help carry out plans under the direction of the Council. The purpose of the Cabinet is to give more students greater opportunities to participate in student government.

Cabinet secretaries were listed (see introduction of council and cabinet).

Accomplishments of school year were listed (see permanent file).

Bill Floyd appointed members of the Council and cabinet to various faculty committees: Wayne Arnold, Physical Plant; Jim Borden, Academic Affairs; Glenn Parrish, Public Relations; Harold Vanderpool, Athletic Committee; Leon Clymore, Student Affairs and Discipline.

Plans were made for the Freshman class elections. It was decided that petitions, signed by ten people, would be submitted with the candidates' consent, thus nominating them for the office. The campaign would last from September 30 to October 5, elections held in Chapel, October 5. Results will be announced at the Student Association movie Saturday, October 5, and final elections will be held in chapel October 8, results announced in the Bison Wednesday, October 9. Speeches will be made Friday, 6 p.m.

Time of student council meeting was discussed. Motion made by Leon Clymore that the council meet each Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.; seconded by Wayne Arnold, and carried by the majority.

Bill, who is on the chapel committee, presented the idea regarding giving any student the chance to speak in Chapel if he desires to do so. Plan to announce it is the Bison. Students who want to speak must first submit a manuscript to the Student Council for screening. The best speeches will be chosen and submitted for final approval to Dr. Benson. This motion was made by Glenn Parrish, seconded by Sue Paxson, carried by the majority.

Devotional of students in chapel discussed. Suggestion from chapel committee to council was that a list of students be developed, giving names of those men who are acceptable to appear on Chapel programs. This suggestion was met with much disfavor by the council. (*NOTE: later, however, the president drew up such a list, as it was felt wise to try to cooperate with the committee, although emphasizing that this procedure was not looked upon with favor.)

It was brought out that many students work very hard for the Student Association but receive little or no credit. Suggestion of a plan for rewarding students that work the hardest. Council and cabinet members are not eligible; award to be given some time other than Honor recognition day. Award made to three students chosen by the Executive Committee (Bill Floyd, Glenn Parrish, and Sallie Turner) from lists submitted by the Council and cabinet. Motion made by Leon Clymore, seconded by Sue Paxson, carried by majority.

Award to be made to the foreign student who makes the most progress at his level. Student to be chosen by committee (Jim Atkinson, Sue Paxson, Benny Stephens).

Glenn Parrish moved that the meeting be adjourned; seconded by Sallie Turner; and meeting was adjourned.