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The meeting of Feb. 18 was held at 6:00 p.m. in the SA office. All were present except Barbara Messer. Bruce opened the meeting with prayer.

Reports

Governor's Youth Council - Phil reported concerning his visit to this meeting. They toured the art museum, visited in the Governor's mansion, and sat in on a session of the legislature. Although it was a very enjoyable trip, he reported that nothing was accomplished in the aspect of ASGA.

Leadership Conference - Phil R. announced that the fifth annual conference, to be held March 5, had need of a basic program and speaker. Phil suggested the format remain the same, with the exception of adding a discussion or panel or 3 or 4 on race relations. The council agreed on the following basic format:

- keynote speaker
- panel
- brainstorming session
- discussion period

The council chose as a possible speaker Mrs. Cleveland. The following people are definitely invited:

- social club presidents
- special interest club presidents
- SA and Cabinet members
- class officers
- Bison staff
- Petit Jean staff

The conference will be held in the American Studies Auditorium, at 7:00 p.m. A brainstorming topic will be decided next meeting.

Treasurer's report - We have a balance of $301.43 in the business office. This does not count the income from students this semester.

Gene Stalling - It was decided the SA would eat dinner with him the day he comes to speak. Ronnie will check into this.

Jimmy Allen's Chapel Speech - SA members reported that students they spoke to reacted quite favorably to the speech. A few had some critical remarks about the speech, but not many.

Human Relations Forum - Ronnie reported the forum changed attitudes, opened eyes, and generally helped the racial situation, not only at CCC. Howard Wright, John Allen Chalk, Andrew Hairston, and Franklin Florence were the speakers. One of the highlights of the program was a play, "In White America", a black history, a reader's theater-type production. It was suggested that the group be invited to put the play on at Harding. The decision is presently pending.

Electric Typewriter - Lynn will check into getting a typewriter for the SA.

Dèlks in Laundry - Chris reported these should have been put in Feb. 18. He will check again tomorrow.
Brick Walk - Ronnie will check with Mr. Tucker about getting this fixed, to prevent "muddy accidents" on rainy days.

Coffee House - SA members who went reported that it was of good quality, although a few things sent wrong, especially sound. Jim Dowdy plans to have a few more coffee houses this semester. Mr. Ryeman volunteered to build a dinner for the Emerald Room that we can use for Coffee House. He estimated it would cost about $30. The council decided against buying one because of the little use it would get.

Movie Program Paid Chairman - It was suggested that the $125 per semester was not enough to pay the movie director. The council decided to raise it to $150 per semester, 6-3. The money will be paid out of the movie program, only if the program is making enough money to pay for it.

New Business

Slacks on Campus - It was suggested that girls be allowed to wear slacks to the cafeteria. After considerable discussion, the general consensus was that it was not wise to propose this because of the general impression it leaves of the school.

Hours for return from outings - It was suggested as a result of the discussion from the club officer's workshop, that students be allowed to return from outings later than 6:00. The council agreed the time should be extended. A time of 9:00 p.m. was agreed upon, by motion, to be back to campus after an outing. The motion passed unanimously. Gloria and Rod will write up the recommendation.

Napkin Holders - It was suggested that these be put on the tables in the Student Inn. It was decided this was not necessary.

Pattie Cobb Meal Tickets - It was suggested that a place be set up on weekends for students to purchase duplicate tickets if they have lost theirs, to keep from going hungry. Phil Johnson will check into this.

Awning - Ronnie will check into getting an awning for the walk between the Adm. Building and the student center.

P.A. System in Pattie Cobb Cafeteria - does not work well. Phil will check into this.

Selection of Cheerleaders - It was suggested that they be selected by impartial judges rather than by popular vote. After considerable discussion, it was decided that we leave the method as is.

Girl's basketball team - It was suggested that one be organized this year, especially to play next year. Phil Roberson suggested we have a student vote to see if they would support such an intercollegiate team. Ronnie will check with Dr. Olree about this.

Chapel on Campus - It was suggested that a small place was needed for students to go for prayer and meditation. Dr. Gilliam explained that this was tried several
times, especially after Mrs. Stapleton died. Plans were to build one in her memory. The idea never passed, because the cost would be too high. Sherr suggested that we recommend a room for this purpose be put into the new student center. This will be discussed in the next meeting. Ronnie will check with several people about it.

Chapel Announcements - Which are supposed to be posted on the bulletin board in the Student Center have not been posted regularly. Ronnie will talk to Dean Lawyer about it.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lynn Rolen
SA Secretary