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Another Council Review on ROTC Asked; Senate To Study Report

A special meeting of the Academic Council is expected to be held early in Summer Quarter to review the Faculty Senate's recent decision to terminate academic credit for ROTC courses by August 31, 1970, and the Senate tomorrow (June 4) is scheduled to discuss a committee report on military training which could materially affect the status of ROTC on the Stanford campus.

A petition for review, circulated by Professor Oleg D. Sherby, engineering, was filed last Friday with Academic Secretary H. Donald Winbigler asking for a review of the

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Residence Advising, Academic Information Center Announced

James L. Gibbs, Jr., Dean-elect of Undergraduate Studies, has announced the first in a carefully developed series of changes in the undergraduate academic advising system at Stanford.

The changes stem from recommendations of the Study of Education at Stanford and are designed to help students to take advantage of recent changes in degree requirements.

The innovations include integration of freshman advising into the residences and house programs, creation of an Academic Information Center, and changes in the freshman orientation program.

In the residence-based freshman advising program, a group of faculty advisors including at least one member from each of the three basic fields—humanities; social sciences; and science, mathematics and engineering—will be assigned to work with each residence area housing freshmen.

The faculty coordinator of each advising group, often the faculty resident, will work with upperclass students, tutors, resident assistants, sponsors and other concerned persons to insure that the freshmen receive the necessary assistance to develop their own educational programs.

While freshmen will be assigned initially to a specific advisor, they will be encouraged to use all of the members of their advising group as sources of advice and support.

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Summer Session To Include Range of Academic, Cultural Programs

Summer Session, ranging in length from eight to 10 weeks, will offer a full range of educational, recreational, and entertainment programs.

Traditional advantages of the Summer Session are fewer students, lower costs, smaller classes, more informal contact among students and professors, and a series of cultural offerings.

Sally Mahoney, Assistant Provost and Director of the Summer Session, says more than 4,000 students are expected to attend the Summer Quarter. The eight-week regular session will extend from June 22 to August 15, and the 10-week study period will be held from June 22 to August 28. Several short-term workshops also will be conducted throughout the Summer.

Miss Mahoney notes that last Summer 4,196 students attended the session, of whom 2,015 were nonStanford registrants; 75 were from high schools, and 976 were graduate and 964 undergraduate students.

Regular Stanford students may attend, including those who wish to substitute the Summer for some other academic quarter or who accelerate their graduation by taking full or partial loads during that period.

Summer visitors include undergraduates from other in-

stitutions and advanced students and professional leaders concerned with continuing education and professional development.

High school students who have completed their junior year and who are interested and able to perform University work also may enroll. Thirty-three courses are available for high school students.

Miss Mahoney points out that the Summer program is characterized by comprehensive course offerings. Courses and workshops carry regular academic credit.

A unique program, entitled "Intensive English and Academic Orientation," is offered for foreign students. It is designed especially for foreign graduate engineers and scientists accepted for study at any university or college in the United States.

The academic schedule may be obtained from Summer Session Admissions in the Student Services Building, ext. 2872, and the full range listing of the Summer's conference and workshop schedule is in the office of Mrs. Lois Fariello, ext. 2287, 221 Encina Hall.

Information concerning cultural and entertainment programs during the Summer may be obtained from J. Thomas

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Another Council Review of ROTC

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Senate's May 7 decision to terminate ROTC credit. Fifty-eight Council members signed the petition. Fifty signatures are required for such a review. The petitioners seek a mail referendum.

It was the Council that referred to the Senate on May 1 a no-credit resolution which has been widely understood as a mandate to terminate credit for ROTC. However, the Council's action was referral because it does not have the authority to initiate resolutions.

The Senate responded to the Council's request, and on May 7 adopted the resolution terminating ROTC credit. Now that a specific resolution is on the record, a petition may be filed for a Council review of that particular Senate action.

According to the Senate charter, if no regular Council meeting is scheduled within four weeks after the filing of a petition, a special Council meeting must be called if requested by the petitioners. No regular Council meeting is scheduled until Fall Quarter.

A quorum of one-fifth of the Council, or 204 members, must be present at such a meeting to take any action.

Meanwhile, the President's Advisory Committee on ROTC Affairs submitted its report to President Kenneth S. Pitzer early this week, and consideration of its recommendations is on the Senate's agenda for tomorrow.

Although President Pitzer appointed the study committee, he told the Senate on April 30 that it will be given the opportunity to consider any recommendations that are made "... before I make final agreements on behalf of the University."

The advisory committee was instructed by the Senate on May 7 to study and make recommendations for the "fair and equitable implementation" of the decision to terminate credit

August 31, "including any transitional arrangements needed for credit by those students presently enrolled in ROTC programs."

Specific points relative to credit for students presently enrolled in ROTC programs under existing contracts are expected to require special consideration by the University.

The Senate also instructed the committee to report its recommendation "as to the termination or retention and, if retained, the future conduct of any ROTC programs at Stanford, including in particular such objectionable features as the punitive clauses presently employed."

The committee conducted numerous hearings involving interested persons on both sides of the issue, and organized a poll of faculty and students.

THIRD SENATE REPORT NO. 1

Pursuant to provisions of the *Charter of the Senate*, members of the Third Senate (including Representatives whose terms of office extend through 1970-71 and those recently elected will be seated officially in September, 1970) met as a Senate-Elect on Tuesday, May 26, 1970.

The following actions were taken:

1. Sanford M. Dornbusch, Professor of Sociology, was elected as Chairman for 1970-71. As the Chairman of the Senate he will also chair the Steering Committee.

2. Four Senate Representatives were elected to serve on the Steering Committee of the Senate for the coming year as follows:

Lawrence J. Altman, Assistant Professor of Chemistry

George Leland Bach, Frank E. Buck Professor of Economics and Public Policy in the Graduate School of Business and Economics

William R. Rambo, Associate Dean of the School of Engineering and Professor of Electrical Engineering

Ronald A. Rebholz, Associate Professor of English

As the designate of the President, Provost Lyman will continue to serve on this Committee ex officio and without vote.

3. Thursday at 3:15 was established as the time for regular meetings of the Senate during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
H. Donald Winbigler
Academic Secretary

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SECOND SENATE REPORT NO. 21

At the regular meeting of the Senate of the Academic Council on May 28, 1970, the following actions were taken:

1. At the request of the President, the Senate, in an informal discussion offered advice to the President regarding the final Report of the ad hoc Housing Advisory Committee. In view of the great interest in this Report and its significance for the future of the University, further discussion of the Report was scheduled for the next regular Senate meeting.

2. A Report from the new Academic Council Committee on Awards, Prizes and Honors covering its activities since its organization in February was accepted on a voice vote, without dissent.

3. After reviewing a Report from the Academic Council Committee on Graduate Studies which contained a recommendation that the President establish a study group on graduate education, as well as guidelines for the functioning of such a group, pursuant to a referral by the Senate to the Committee on Graduate Studies of SES Volume VII, Recommendation 1 call-

ing for the establishment of a Commission on Graduate Education, the Senate on a voice vote, without dissent, adopted the following:

Resolved, that the Senate receives with appreciation the Report of the Committee on Graduate Studies and requests that the matter of its implementation be scheduled for further consideration at a subsequent meeting.

4. On a detailed Report from the Academic Council Committee on Research, which was circulated at the meeting, action was postponed until the next regular meeting in order to provide opportunity for careful study of the Report by members of the Senate. The report included sections on:

- a. Secrecy in Research
- b. New Research Directions
- c. Sponsorship of Research by the Department of Defense
- d. Forms of Review

In addition, the Senate received reports on which no action was recommended or taken as follows:

1. An interim report from the ad hoc Senate Committee on Student Involvement in Political Processes, anticipating that the final report would be issued in a few days and would recommend that the President establish immediately an executive committee to be composed of faculty, students and administrators with definite interest and expertise in this matter which would function throughout the Summer and Autumn and be charged with responsibility for developing and implementing programs of an educational nature designed to encourage and promote individual political action.

A Faculty Senate committee report on a proposal to provide an opportunity for faculty and student political involvement prior to next Fall's elections has been submitted to President Kenneth S. Pitzer.

Professor Robert C. Lind, engineering-economic systems, was chairman of the group, the ad hoc Senate Committee on Student Involvement in Political Processes.

2. A report from H. Thomas James regarding developments in the program, personnel and activities of the School of Education during his tenure as Dean of the School.

3. A report from the President which, in addition to the recommendations of the Housing Advisory Committee, included reference to serious concerns in the minds of alumni and friends of the University regarding the status of the institution and reference to the importance of interpreting effectively to concerned alumni and friends the University's efforts to deal with contemporary problems.

4. A report of the activities and actions of the University Committee on Land and Building Development for the current academic year.

Respectfully submitted,
H. Donald Winbigler
Academic Secretary

ROTC REPORT SUPPLEMENT

The report of the President's Advisory Committee on ROTC Affairs will be contained in a *Campus Report* supplement to be distributed this week.



PROFESSOR SANFORD DORN-BUSCH, sociology, will serve as chairman of the 1970-71 Faculty Senate. Former head of the campus chapter of the American Association of University Professors, he was a leader in the recent student-faculty-administration delegation to Washington. Professor Dornbusch was nominated from the floor and elected on the first ballot.

Summer Session Program

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Bacchetti, Director of Public Events, ext. 2551.

Stanford's Summer plans also include a week-long repeat visit by the Preservation Hall Jazz Band from New Orleans headed by Billie and DeDe Pierce, the New York Pro Musica in the Northern California premieres of its famed medieval music plays, and a single concert by poet-composer-singer Rod McKuen.

Eliot Feld's American Ballet Company, whose rise to prominence began a Summer ago at Italy's Spoleto Festival, will be seen in seven performances in Memorial Auditorium June 23-28, nightly at 8 p.m. with an additional Sunday matinee at 2:30 p.m.

Eight of the Feld company's ballets will be seen in the week of performances. An exact schedule of performances is still to be set, but "Early Songs" (to music of Richard Strauss) "Harbinger" (originally choreographed for Ballet Theater to Prokofiev's Fifth Concerto), and Herbert Ross' bitterly satiric "The Maids" will be included in the programming.

The Stanford appearances of the Feld troupe, the Pro Musica, and McKuen will be exclusive Bay Area engagements.

The four offerings had been planned as a part of the 1970 Stanford Summer Festival before the University decided to postpone a full-scale program for this Summer. The performances will be presented through the Office of Public Events.

The Pro Musica ensemble, making its fourth consecutive visit to the campus this Summer, will appear in Memorial Church from July 21 through August 2, an ideal setting for the presentation of the group's classic productions of "The Play of Daniel," "The Play of Herod," and "The Resurrection Play of Tours." Each will be seen four times, in repeating cycles as listed above, also the linear historical evolution of the life of Christ.

Also in a fourth consecutive visit is the Preservation Hall Band, which has been a complete sell-out in past visits. The Band's engagement this year has been shortened to seven performances only in Dinkelspiel Auditorium from June 30