

Senior Class Meeting Ends In Chaos

No Decision On Graduation Activities Pending Vote

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In a meeting of the senior class held yesterday to sound out opinion on graduation and social activities, degree candidates came to no resolution of any complaints, suggestions, or policies on the future of the class schedule.

The meeting began with Peter Schmidt, president of the class, stating that no vote could be taken at the meeting and that the class officers had decided to hold a referendum tomorrow.

Orderly Meeting

Mr. Schmidt later told the class after several people had requested to speak that discussion would take place later and that "this meeting is being held for your benefit and unless you keep order, there will be no meeting."

Boyd Page, treasurer, then stated that the senior class fund had approximately \$7000 left. He also stated that \$3000 of that sum would be spent on a class gift. This is twice the amount given as a gift by the two preceding graduating classes.

Mr. Schmidt then discussed the past and future social activities of the class. He acknowledged that there was a lack of publicity for the two class parties already held that had cost the class \$2093.

At this point, a student in the audience asked to see a show of hands of how many people had attended the two parties. Approximately 30 people raised their hands for each party.

Mr. Schmidt then stated that parties had been planned for the Friday and Saturday night preceding graduation on June 7.

Third Party

He indicated that a third party had been planned for Wednesday, May 20 at Lake Grenovia by the officers. He indicated that that party would run approximately \$2500.

In the area of graduation, he stated that Edgar Shannon, President of the University, had been invited to speak at graduation ceremonies.

Bill McManus, vice-president of the class, stated that a proposed constitution worked on by the class officers, would be presented to the class by referendum on Friday. The class has no constitution as of yet.

The floor was then opened to discussion. Paul Larsen, of the College, stated that he

felt that another speaker other than President Shannon should be invited to graduation exercises. He stated that he felt he could get people such as David Dollinger, George McGovern, or Hubert Humphrey.

Louis Levitt of the College then rose and proposed seven resolutions to be presented on Friday's referendum. Included in those resolutions were that a member of the graduating class be the speaker for graduation, and that the money for the class gift be donated to the Churchill Jordan Scholarship Fund and the transition program.

With the motion on the floor, the chair then recognized Jim Roebuck of the College who asked the racial policies of Lake Grenovia. Mr. Schmidt did not know, but a member of the class stated that it had been integrated for four years.

Mr. Roebuck then asked if the officers had ever met at Farmington Country Club. Mr. Schmidt replied that they had only met at the Boar's Head on money donated by an alumnus and taken advantage of by the officers.

Choice

Mr. Schmidt then indicated that the officers had planned to ask the students to decide if they wanted to continue with the present class schedule or if they wished to include the seven resolutions of Mr. Levitt on the referendum.

Before the vote, a motion was recognized and seconded that any resolution proposed would be on the referendum. No vote was taken.

Mr. McManus then proposed that anyone wanting to include an issue on the referendum submit a petition signed by 25 degree candidates.

Another motion was then made to adjourn the meeting and call a meeting for today at 7 p.m. No vote was taken on the motion.

A vote was then taken on the motion by Mr. Levitt to include his seven resolutions on the referendum. The motion was approved.

Mr. McManus, taking over the chair for Mr. Schmidt, then proposed that anyone wanting further questions on the referendum should bring them to a class meeting next Monday where the class could discuss them.

Before a vote could be taken on the motion by the remaining 200 students, Mr. Schmidt adjourned the meeting.

Mr. Schmidt told The Cavalier Daily after the meeting that a referendum might be held tomorrow.



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