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New School Receives Governmental Grant

Washington has received a $5,000 governmental grant which will be used to improve the room of the School of Health, Education, and Welfare. The grant will provide additional equipment and personnel for the school.

Dr. Charles S. Davis, president, and the staff of the school are grateful for the grant and will work to ensure its effective use.

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Activities End With Rat Hop

Rat Hop — The annual Rat Hop, sponsored by the Winthrop Recreation Association, will be held on Saturday, December 12, from 9:30-11:30 p.m. in the Recreation Building. The dance will mark the end of the school year for the freshmen and will be their last official event as freshmen. The dance is open to all students, and the winners of the best costume contest will be announced at the end of the dance.

19 Professors Added To Faculty

As Fall Semester '66 Commences

Academic Reorganization

The academic reorganization of Winthrop University has created three new departments: Business and Economics, Social Sciences, and Natural Sciences. These departments will work closely with the College of Arts and Sciences to provide a comprehensive education for students.

The new departments will be led by Dr. Paul S. Brown, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, and Dr. Joseph F. Dwyer, dean of the College of Business and Economics.

The restructuring of the faculty will allow for more specialization and focused educational programs.

Radio Station

To Aid Frost

A "Winthrop Win" radio station, WTRI, will broadcast information helpful to incoming freshmen, according to Harper Gates, assistant director of Freshman Relations.

The programs will be broadcast on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday evenings from 9-10 p.m. in the fall term.

Petitions Available For Class Officers

Petitions for the Class of 1966 education, social, and political clubs are available in the Office of Student Affairs.

The petitions will be available from 10-11 a.m. and 1-2 p.m. on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday.
Fee Refunded Needed

Last year during room registration many students were placed in the new eighty story dormitory, which was to be ready for the fall semester. Because of this plan the construction of the dormer was not completed in time for the students to move in to the new dorm were tripled up in various dormitories.

Some students have already paid their fees for the new dormitory, which was $530. Therefore, some students are seeking refunds from the college. Because of the confusion on the fees being paid there will be no refunding to the students. It is hoped that the college will return and refund the money to the students.

The ‘Censorship’ Question

There was much concern and discussion around the Board of Publications on censorship and its effect on the student newspaper. Some students were sure that an order Platform concerning censorship examined every word that appeared in the newspaper. Some felt that the administration kept a close watch on certain issues and others (those that read the paper carefully) realized that the student newspaper was essentially self-censoring.

At this time we want to explain a policy which was set up at the end of last year and which will prevail to a dispute over the appropriateness of any particular editorial page.

Last spring, the Board of Publications met with editors to discuss the boundaries of censorship on the editorial pages. This was done because of the disagreements that had occurred. Prior to this there had been no set line for editors to use in handling editorial content. Once the Board had the boundaries set, there was no disagreement between them.

When such a problem arose, time was wasted as the issue was debated and the article in question took up a close examination of its merits and demerits. Certainly about the amount of authority which each could assume created tension, but, of course, the less time which could have been spent in producing a better paper.

The question should be to take in the Board of Publications for discussion was this — Who is to make the final decision on any article which appears on the editorial page?

Most of the editors present at the discussion felt that a student publication should be governed by the Board of Publications. They did, however, express that final decisions should be handled by the staff and ultimately, the editors. We argue that it is the editor who must make the responsibility of everything that appears in the paper, therefore he should be the person in charge of the decisions.

Members of the Board expressed the opinion that a student newspaper should be governed by students themselves but were hesitant to allow an editor the power of making final decisions.

The suggestion made at that time and later accepted by the Board was the formation of a ‘Censorship’ Committee. Five students serve as arbiters in disputes between editors and the Board. The purpose of this committee will function only where both editor and arbiter are present to reach a decision.

Believing that such a committee of unbiased students will benefit The Johnsonian in its attempts to maintain student control over the content of the paper, the staff will comply with the decisions made by this committee as long as its members remain uninvolved.

Society

November 29, 1964

By Frank Gardner

In previous years, it has been the tradition of the Student Government Association to honor the student who had been most administratively effective in any administration. This award is essentially a recognition of the leadership which the individual had exhibited in the SGA and to which the student had contributed most. This year's laureate is Eula H. Brown, president of the Board of Student Publication.

Society members have been pleased to see the leadership that this year's SGA has shown, not only in terms of publications, but in the many other areas as well. This year's SGA has continued to be an organization which is devoted to the administration of the student publications and the activities of the student body. They have also shown a great deal of enthusiasm and spirit in their support of the student publications.

The annual SGA banquet will be held at the Student Union this Friday. The purpose of the banquet is to provide an opportunity for the student publications to come together and to discuss their problems. The banquet will also serve as a forum for the student publications to express their appreciation to the administration for their support.

Civil Service Program Begun

By Student Governing Body

by Frank Gardner

The Civil Service Program, which was begun by Student Governing Body, is designed to familiarize students with the various aspects of the University's administrative structure. The program is open to any student, and is intended to provide an opportunity for students to learn about the workings of the University, to gain a better understanding of the University's policies and procedures, and to become more involved in the University community.

The program consists of a series of workshops and seminars, each of which is designed to focus on a particular aspect of the University's administration. The workshops are led by faculty members and administrators, and are designed to provide an in-depth look at the various areas of the University's administration.

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