

ELECTION DATE SET STUDENT UNION COUNCIL REPORT

The second Student Union Council meeting of the semester was held on Sunday, Feb. 5th, in the Board Room of Kelley.

Present were George McGibbon, Kevin Gauthier, Mike McMahon, Mike Kennedy Ray Shalala, Gerald McKenna, Dodi Crane, Anne MacAulay, Cheryl Cannon, Maria Driscoll, Pat Turnbull, Mary Anne Hutchinson, Caroline Hill, Carole Woodhall, Robert Coles and Don MacLean.

A number of issues were discussed during the hour and a half meeting.

The first of these was Personnel Board recommendations. Jim Picone was nominated as Head Bartender; Sharon Timmons as recording secretary and Cheryl Cannon as Station Manager for Radio CIMN. All positions were passed unanimously.

A motion was passed that Sue Hornby be accepted as Electoral Officer and also that Maurice Rogerson be accepted as Deputy Returning Officer.

Dates for the General Student Union election were set for Wednesday, February 22nd, with nominations opening on

Wednesday, February 15th to midnight, Tuesday, the 21st.

Kevin Gauthier, vice-president of the Student Union, reported that the Constitution Committee had finally finished the amendments to the Student Union constitution. This committee was set up early in the fall of '77.

A lot of work went into this committee. Kevin reported that copies of the new constitution would be available early this week and that a meeting will be held on Friday for all interested persons.

The new constitution is to be discussed at the next council meeting before being presented at the General Meeting sometime in March.

Marlene Wright, editor of Nexus 77 has finally been paid her honorarium. The Student Union treasurer, John Neville, and vice-president Kevin Gauthier felt that considering the amount of work and time put into the yearbook, the hard working editor deserved the honorarium owing to her.

The meeting was adjourned, the next meeting to be held on Feb. 19th, at 6 p.m. in the Board Room at Kelley.



GAY RIGHTS: ANITA HITS TORONTO

TORONTO (CUP) — Despite her initial statement that she wouldn't attack gay rights, anti-gay crusader Anita Bryant had more than a few words to say about homosexuality in a press conference held Jan. 16 following her arrival in Toronto.

Bryant said she hopes to "stem the tide of moral decline" now affecting Canada and the U.S. And she spoke with optimism

of the repealed legislation concerning gay rights in Dade County, Florida, where homosexuals can no longer teach in public schools.

Bryant termed the Dade county reversal "a barometer for the rest of the country" and expressed confidence that gay rights legislation in other parts of the U.S. would soon be repealed.

The promoter of Florida

orange juice elaborated on the dangers of employing homosexual teachers in U.S. schools. She said she would rather hire an incompetent heterosexual teacher than consider a competent homosexual for the same position. But a serious problem exists because it is not always easy to tell "who's a homosexual and who isn't," she added.

"I would be just as much against a drunkard who put

his bottle on the table," she said, "as I am about a homosexual coming out of the closet and admitting it in the classroom."

Bryant received \$7,500 for her brief Toronto visit from Renaissance International, a Canadian evangelistic organization which will also fund a scheduled speaking tour for Bryant across Western Canada in late spring.

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