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## STUDENT BODY NOTES

The second meeting of the Student Body was opened by President Bruth Davidson in the chapel, on February 24, 1972, at 9:25a.m.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved with one correction: President Davidson pointed out that his first name was spelled Bruce (sorry Bruth!).

Treasurer Bob Young announced that there was \$403.38 in the treasury. This did not include this semester's dues which would bring the total to approximately \$800.00.

President Davidson announced that the Exec Committee was concerned in several matters this semester. Among them: constitutional revisions; a "job-description" for the liturgics position; the possibility of housing single female students on campus.

The Social Committee chairman, John Harding, reported on several upcoming events:

- 3/10/72 - Movie and party
  - 3/24/72 - Gangsters' night
  - 4/7/72 - Spring Banquet, Sheraton Inn, Fort Washington
- Choice of 2 dinners: Roast of Beef - \$4.50  
Turkey - \$4.25

See Pete Fauerbach for details.

Rick Sebastian, representing the Seminary Community and Worship Committee announced that the administration would be asked to play a more active role in student housing. Also, the Facilities Use Committee is now considering the possibility of establishing a small chapel somewhere on campus.

In connection with this, Barry Henderson moved that the Seminary Community and Worship Committee consider this possibility themselves.

Barry Ridge announced that the Professional Correlation and Admissions Committee was considering such things as intern placement and the confidentiality of senior dossiers. Also, students who apply for financial aid may request that their fellow students on this committee not be present when their request is heard.

The Academic Integration and Library Committee is considering: The curriculum; improvement of bookstore operation; course offerings and descriptions, and the grading system.

There being no unfinished business, the meeting moved hastily on to New Problems.

1. The Amendments to the Student Body Constitution-By Laws were read, and passed unanimously.
2. The Amendment to the Student Body Constitution was read and will be voted on at the next meeting.
3. Larry Smoose proposed a resolution ending further football competition with the Gettysburg Seminary; and to seek more effective means of communication with the school. Jan Newpher proposed an amendment to include the end of any form of competition with Gettysburg. The amendment was defeated. The original motion passed 19 to 16.
4. Jan Newpher made the following motion: "that a committee of three, elected by the Student Body, be set up to study the best way to place a student on the Board of Directors with full voting rights; and upon submission of a proposal to the Student Body by the end

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# MORE MINUTES

# BANQUET NOTES FROM PETE

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of the semester, May 1972, and with the approval of the Student Body, to proceed to facilitate the putting of the proposal into effect.

The motion passed unanimously.

5. The proposal of the Executive Committee regarding the vacant Liturgics - Homiletics post was moved and seconded.

The motion passed 18 to 14.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:15a.m.

This year the Spring Banquet will be held on April 7, 1972 at the Sheraton - Penn Pike Motor Inn at Fort Washington. The festivities will start at 6:30 with a cocktail hour followed by dinner at 7:30. From 9:00 to 1:00 there will be dancing to a live band.

The dinner choices are Pot Roast of Beef at \$4.50 or Roast Turkey at \$4.25. Tickets can be purchased from John Harding, Bruce Petteiger, John Morill or Peter Fauerbach. Tickets will be on sale til March 23 but get them early before they run out (ha, ha).

Thank you.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Skip McDowell  
Secretary

Pete Fauerbach

# ANNOUNCEMENT TO BE PREPARED

As was recorded in the minutes of the student body, a motion was adopted by the student body "that a committee of three elected by the Student Body be set up to study the best way to place a student on the Board of Directors with full voting rights; and upon submission of a proposal to the student body by the end of the semester, May 1972, and with the approval of the student body to proceed to facilitate the putting of the approved plan into effect."

Nominations will be accepted up until 5:00 p.m. Friday March 3. If you wish to submit your name or the name of someone else for election, please do so by then. The election will be held from Monday, March 6 until Wednesday, March 8. A ballot will be placed in your mailbox on Monday.

Bruce Davidson,  
president, student body.

# THE TRENCHCOAT CAPER

LOST: One Black Trenchcoat. Mr. Robert Hughes, Howard's nephew, lost his black rain coat. If you check the lining of yours and find his name there, the chances are that you have his coat and not your own. So please check!! Who knows what kind of reward his uncle might come up with--maybe a great big thank-you!.

"A community is like a ship, everyone should be prepared to take the helm."

-Henrick Ibsen

This Thursday night, beginning at 6:00 in the student lounge and running 'til (curfew?), there will be an "assembly party" for the purpose of making display surfaces and reading exhibits for the art show. We also hope to plan a group project for the purpose of involving those who visit the exhibit, but whether this gets off the ground will depend on the turnout. So bring your ideas, maybe a paint brush, too! We'll need any materials you might have lying around and would like to lend or donate for writing (crayons, pens) cutting (knives, cutting boards, straight edges) and fastening (especially a power stapler) and such things as magazines, newspapers, mat board, construction paper, ink, etc. If you're a letter of sorts, we'd really appreciate whatever time you can give us.

Don't forget, the exhibit starts Monday! See you Thursday night.

Barry Henderson

# GREETINGS AND FAREWELL

The Seminarian Staff wishes to both welcome and wish safe journey to the laymen who have been visiting with us these last few days. We have not only enjoyed talking with these men informally but also we found their occasional contributions in class to be helpful to the discussions. We look forward to more of these events in the near future.

# DR. REUMANN AWARDED FELLOWSHIP

NEW YORK CITY--(PRT)--The Rev. Dr. John H.P. Reumann, professor of New Testament at the Lutheran Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, has been awarded the 1972 Franklin Clark Fry Fellowship.

Dr. Reumann is the fourth recipient of the award given annually to honor the memory of the first president of the Lutheran Church in America who died in 1968.

The \$5,000 fellowship is made possible by a grant from the members of the Aid Association for Lutherans, Appleton, Wis.

Dr. Reumann will receive the award March 14 at the Statler-Hilton Hotel in New York at a dinner during the spring meeting of the Board of Theological Education.

"As a churchman he has bridged the frequently wide gap between scholarship and the life of the average pastor and church member," the Rev. Dr. E. Theodore Bachmann, executive secretary of the Board of Theological Education, said about Dr. Reumann.

Among the guests invited to the dinner are Mrs. Franklin Clark Fry, the Rev. Dr. Robert J. Marshall, president of the LCA and AAL president Walter Rugland.

The award is presented to an LCA professor with an earned doctorate for "recognized gifts as a teacher, churchmanship and a creative project--including research and publication."

Dr. Reumann's project includes the completion, with Professor Kenneth Grayson, Bristol University, England, of a handbook on the Greek New Testament for use in exegesis by students and pastors; the preparation of a book for a popular audience on "lives of Jesus" since 1904, when Albert Schweitzer's "The Quest of the Historical Jesus" appeared, and a period as visiting scholar at a Third World theological center, perhaps in India.

The son of an LCA pastor, Dr. Reumann, 45, was graduated from Muhlenberg College, Allentown, Pa., and the Philadelphia Seminary. He received his masters degree and doctorate from the University of Pennsylvania.

He became assistant professor of New Testament at the Philadelphia Seminary in 1955 and was made full professor in 1959.

He is married to the former Martha Weber Brobst. They have three children.

Dr. Reumann has served as consultant to the Lutheran-Roman Catholic National Dialogue and on committees of the Lutheran World Federation and World Council of Churches.

His writings include "Four Centuries of the English Bible" the "Romance of Bible Scripts and Scholars" and "Jesus in the Church's Gospels."

He previously received a Guggenheim Fellowship which aided his sabbatical at the University of Goettingen, Germany, 1965-66.

Previous recipients of the Fry Fellowship include the Rev. Dr. Wesley J. Fuerst, dean of the Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago; the Rev. Dr. Lloyd Sheneman, currently director of the Washington Theological Consortium, and Dr. Arthur Voobus, professor of New Testament at the Chicago Seminary and specialist in Syriac studies.

Editor's note: We at the Seminarian, taking the liberty of speaking for the student body, would like to extend congratulations to Dr. Reumann on this outstanding achievement.

## GRADUATION

A brief Senior Meeting will be held in room 1 of Hagan Hall on Wednesday, March 1 (TODAY) at 9:50a.m. At this meeting we must make a final decision on the location for graduation. A senior committee (Barry Ridge, Paul Jann, M. Wuchter) will be meeting with a subcommittee of the Seminary Community Committee (Ed Saling is the senior representative) to narrow down the choices for location prior to the Wed. class meeting. If you have any suggestions for the location or will not be able to attend, give your suggestions to one of the seniors listed above.

Holy Communion will be celebrated tonight in the Shaefer-Ashmead Memorial Chapel. The service begins at 7:30 p.m. Dr. William Lazareth will be the preacher for this celebration. It would be good if we could have as many members of this community present as possible. Hope to see you there!

# CONGRATS

Well, it finally happened--Bob Young bit the dust. Last Friday night he got engaged to Miss Jean Bjorenson. What more can I say except congratulations to Bob and Jean. I don't feel like I'm losing an assistant editor, I feel like I'm gaining a typist! Watch out Bob, I'll steal her away from you yet!

Dennis Kohl.

# PHASE II

Let me make this perfectly clear! Beginning Monday, March 6, the bookstore will move into phase two of its great (I just got squirted and held up with water pistols) book clearance sale by auctioning off the books on the sale tables at unbelievably low prices! Come on in and haggle, bargain, and bid, as we aim to clear out these fine and valuable titles to make room for new ones! Come on in and **Save!!!**

# STOLES

One of the ultimate faith decisions confronting seniors is buying stoles. There have been many discussions about what place has the best deal. People under consideration have varied from a singing fundamentalist in Broken Bark, Alabama, to a near-sighted spinster held captive in a tower of Cardinal Krol's Cathedral.

Certainly as an ethical Christian's decisions must be made in an evil and corrupt world (even for holy objects), I recently opted for buying from the den of iniquity the home of thieves and robbers, more commonly, but less accurately, called the "Pub House". In the catalogue I found one fabric to be within my price range, this being a wash and wear, drip dry terri-cloth with a tin foil cross stapled on it.

(Unfortunately it is not returnable in the case of bad grades.) The price was \$78.88, tax included (not totally expected).

But there is grace at the "Pub House"! With a Mt. Airy Bookstore sales slip, a discount of approximately 25% to 33% is granted on vestments with less free will gifts on other items. Even Mt. Airy's in-resident entrepreneur, Dwight, gets a cut. So, think about it. But hurry, grace ends with ordination!

Bill Janson.

# STAFF

The Seminarian is a student publication of the Lutheran Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, Pa. Our offices are located on the third floor of "F" Hall. We print every Tuesday evening. The deadline for items to be printed in the Seminarian is 5:00 p.m. on Tuesdays. Our staff is very small this week and we would have appreciated more help, so if you can, please help! We will include all those people who caused any kind of interruptions in the staff this week to fatten out the list. Here we are:

- Editor: Dennis P. Kohl
- Ass. Editor: Bob A. Young
- Crank: Jeff Rhein
- Linotype operators: Bob Young, Dennis Kohl.
- General Aid: Barry Henderson.
- Contributors: Skip McDowell, Bruth Davidson, Henrick Ibsen, Bob Hughes, Pete Fauerbach, Barry Henderson, PTR, Mike Wuchter, Bill Janson.
- Interruptions: Bruce Potteiger, Dave Rhone, Martin J. Heinekatt, Dwight Shellaway, Nancy Sullivan, Bruth Davidson, and a cast of thousands.
- Scoop of the week: Bob Young and Jean Bjorenson.
- Proof reader: Tom Richards.
- Speller: Jeff Bortz (who also interrupted).
- Make-up: Dick Olson (Olsie)
- Lighting: Barry Ridge.
- Lyrics and Music: Steve Bongren
- Mixer: Dennis Laskey
- New Member: Denton Keys
- Editor of the Quack: Barb Kempees
- Editor of the Table Talk: What Table Talk!?
- Lay-out: Fred Soltow and a cast of thousands also.

# Water 00

Tonight as I sit here at my trusty typewriter, I unfortunately must be armed. That's right, right here in peaceful Philly I must sit with a gun by my side--and why for soothe? Water guns have appeared on campus already this year! Be forewarned! Be forearmed! Come on campus and experience the thrill of victory and the agony of defeat.

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There will be no convocation today. As was reported in last week's Seminarian, Drs. McCurley and Lundeen were to present the convocation today, but because of Dr. McCurley's illness, this convocation is put off until next week and the schedule moved back one week.



We present Dr. McCurley with the BRONZE SERPENT Award for this week (see Numbers 21:4-9). Actually we wish Dr. McCurley a speedy recovery and pray that he might soon be back with us. Presently he is recovering from a high fever and a broken tooth, both of which have been a very painful for him. Again, our wishes for a speedy recovery!!

## CAT NEWS

Martin J. Heinekatt is recovered well from his recent operation. As a matter of fact, Martin has been more playful here of late than before his operation. We want to extend thanks to everyone who has contributed to the Martin J. Heinekatt Fund, and especially to Dr. Rubin, the veterinarian on Mt. Airy Ave. who performed the operation as a "gift to humanity". Martin thanks you all.



"I want to make one thing perfectly clear--I don't know what's wrong with him, but as soon as he gets over it, I'll have him eating peanuts out of my hand again--make no mistake about it!"