

ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Student Council Minutes
January 10, 1949

The publication of these minutes is a new policy of Student Council intended to enable the members of the Student Association to keep posted on the current issues being handled by their Student Council. These minutes will be published weekly and will be available at the desk in Clark Union and at other key positions throughout the school. If a broader interpretation is wanted, contact your representative. A complete coverage of major issues will be published in Sprit.

The meeting was called to order at 5:10 P.M. by President Ben Short. The minutes of the previous meeting were read, corrected and approved.

President Short asked that the representatives from the B Block Chemistry, Electrical, and Mechanical departments elect their representatives for the Class Advisory Committee this week.

Louis Gup suggested that ^{the dance} ~~Council sponsored~~ ^{by Council} dance either formal or semi-formal eliminating the expense of flowers. Discussion followed. The idea was dropped.

President Short reported on the plans for the dance in April. The committee looked over the Collegiate Club ballroom last week to get ideas for decorating. They have contacted a decorator from Syracuse for ideas.

Phyllis Streeter reported on the hospitalization plans for RIT students. Three plans have been considered and explained. The Blue Cross was highly recommended. Further information concerning the organizing of groups to obtain this hospitalization will be given to students on request.

Eugene Penler reported on the next Student Mixer, sponsored by the Alumni Association Friday, January 21 from 8:00 - 12:00 midnight in the Eastman Lounge. Council members were asked to talk up the dance so that it may be as successful as the last.

Louis Gup mentioned that the basketball team is hardly known. He suggested that they have their pictures taken and a photograph be placed on each bulletin board in the departments. Discussion followed. Idea was dropped. He is going to check with Mr. Brodie concerning the possibility of the lineups being printed and handed out at the games.

He again asked about the possibility of having student identification cards. Eugene Penler explained to him that this idea came up ~~once~~ before in Council and was voted down. A memorandum will be left for next year's Council concerning this.

James McBride reported on the mascot idea. Very few appropriate suggestions have been turned in. Discussion followed. There is still student interest and the committee is still working on this. New and better ways of obtaining student co-operation is going to be tried.

Eugene Penler reported that an article will be published in Sprit concerning the Bridge Club and a Discussion group.

Student Association tickets for the B block retailers has been taken care of.

Motion was made that the meeting be adjourned. Seconded, Carried. The meeting was adjourned at 5:50 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara Rounds
Secretary