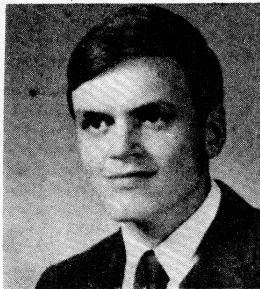


Pseudo-rep hoaxes S.C.

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Bruce

For the last few months, he has gone to the meetings, voted on resolutions and left again for class, just like every other Student Council representative.

But when Bruce Johnson (senior) reports about the meeting to his constituents about the meeting his words fall on deaf ears. For Bruce has no constituency or class to represent.

Technically Bruce is the representative from room 248, however there is no room 248 which is the crux of the matter.

"I decided as a novelty to attend a Student Council meeting earlier this year. A friend and I saw the girl taking the names of representatives, and we decided to make me the representative from room 248," said Bruce.

Bruce and his friend let seven other people in on the secret, "just to maintain the hoax." However something happened or rather didn't happen which surprised the nine people involved. Bruce was never found out and according to Bruce he is still a representative in good standing from 248.

"We thought it would last a couple of meetings," he explains, "but after a couple of months

my name was put on a list of representatives, and I was even counted absent a couple of times."

When asked if he felt there was any significance to his "hoax," Bruce replied, "The only significance is the inability of the attendance girl to think, and a negligence on the part or the people who made up the list.

"I didn't speak out, I was relatively quiet, I didn't want to draw attention to myself," he said of his conduct at the meetings, Bruce voted on all issues at the meetings he attended, but is quick to point out that he has kept a record of all his votes and he claims never to have cast a deciding vote.

"The reason I wasn't found out is there too busy evolving a system which will take care of all their needs, and now they're

grouping for a solution to their problems but they're not inspired enough to handle them competently.

"The most obvious problem was parliamentary procedure between the mish mash of minds in the society," commented Bruce.

"One meeting they didn't have anything specific to talk about, and someone brought up something about busses before football games. Someone else tried to table the motion and (Bob) Meek wanted the motion tabled for one minute after it was tabled. It was terribly confusing and I couldn't follow it."

Bruce commented about his significance as a critic and the worth of the council, "Any ideas of mine have no more credence than the average student, and the representatives should be above

the average student in leadership abilities.

"The Council is worth its own existence and the people are trying to serve some constructive purpose but just aren't able to organize."

His purpose for going through the whole act, "To point out the ineptness of some of the people on the student council."

Bruce felt "Very good," about the prank that was perpetrated, "They don't have representative votes anyhow, they think they're solved it but they haven't. Representative vote is not obtained because meeting's end up in clashes of personalities rather than disputes between truly representative voices.

"The only reason I'm letting the hoax out now is because I couldn't stand being on student council any longer."

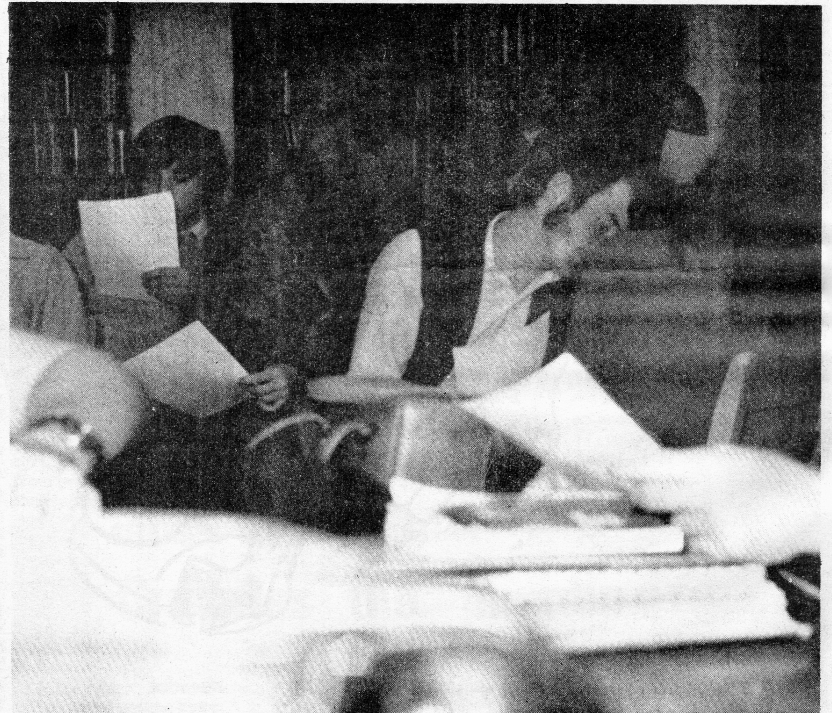



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Cafetorium to be renovated, Student commons planned for 80

Have you noticed the "snakes" hanging from the cafetorium ceiling since Christmas vacation? They're another part of the building project going on right now.

These are electrical conduits for the new florescent lights. The present lighting system causes the ceiling to consume most of the light before it reaches the table. It was not designed to be a study hall originally.

The ceiling of the cafetorium is going to be lowered to just below the beams, 14 feet above the floor.

In addition folding metal partitions will be set up which will separate the cafetorium into two areas.

During lunch periods, the partitions will be folded and the cafetorium used as it is now. At other times, the room will be divided.

The area is to become a student commons. It will accommodate 80-100 people, and will be furnished for students use. Exactly how this commons will be used has not yet been determined. Arrangements made in other schools are being investigated.

During the hours when lunch is not being served, the other division can be used for study hall.

The cafeteria will also provide a place where several classes could meet together.

If a large group is using the cafetorium, the partitions will be opened, and the commons will not be used that day.

Work on the cafetorium is behind schedule. The roof will probably be lowered sometime this summer and probably won't be finished until sometime next fall.