

Delegates Practice Campus Expansion

In a parliamentary practice Saturday, delegates from campus organizations passed a farcical resolution to purchase the State House, Lake Murray and Trinity Episcopal Church.

Alpha Order Recognizes Cecil Hardy

In an unprecedented tapping, Alpha Order, senior women's honor-service organization, tapped its 13th member last Friday night at the ODK Leadership banquet.

Cecil Hardy, a double-major in drama and English from Columbia, was not tapped into membership during Song Fest last spring because she was attending the University of Edinburgh in Scotland.

Miss Hardy is or has been an officer of Delta Delta Delta Sorority, chairman of World University Service, president of YWCA, member Epsilon Epsilon Epsilon, orientation counselor, vice-president of the English Honor Society and Vestry member of St. Patricks. She is a member of the University Players and has been in the USC Chorus and Concert Band.

Since the University "desperately needs additional classroom space," the delegates voted that the State House be converted into the political science department.

The present occupants in the capitol will be allowed to stay, only if they do not disturb University functions. The present employees and state legislators are to be given jobs according to their abilities.

Slater system will be asked to operate the feeding facilities, but the delegates voted unanimously to establish a private club to serve mixed drinks in the basement of the State House.

The dome is to be painted garnet with black trimming, and the statue of Wade Hampton riding on a horse will be changed to one of Paul Dietzel riding on a Gamecock and standing on Frank Howard's back.

Lake Murray is to become USC property as are the houses along its banks. The lake itself can serve as a reflecting pool and the houses are to be undergraduate library facilities.

Since the present hole on Davis Field will not be needed, the delegates decided that the hole be used for a burial ground during the faculty massacre (details for this unprecedented event will be announced later).

Trinity Episcopal Church is to be purchased to stimulate religion on campus. The delegates felt that the church must become a part of the University since all of the other historical shrines in Columbia will be Carolina property.

Otts, Jones, Witten Address Delegates

Gen. William C. Westmoreland, commander of U. S. forces in Viet Nam, is a prime example of leadership in action, Dr. John Otts, dean of the School of Education told the ODK Leadership Development Project last Friday night.

Otts addressed 140 USC student leaders at Hotel Columbia on "What Leadership Demands" at the evening banquet session of the two-day meeting.



DR. OTTS

He described Westmoreland as "straightforward, frank, discerning and devoted to a cause."

"He may not agree with it in every detail, but he is devoted to a position," the administrator commented.

Otts said he first knew Westmoreland when the general was a high school student, and commented that "Childs" as he was then called, exhibited as a student an outstanding degree of discernment and awareness. Continuing his analysis of leadership, Otts said, "the democratic process enriches the thinking of all."

The banquet meeting highlighted the two-day conference which puts leadership instruction on the USC campus on an organized basis for the first time.

Sponsored the USC chapter of Omicron Delta Kappa, men's leadership - scholarship organization, the project featured workshops and discussion groups for leaders on all phases of campus activity.

President Thomas F. Jones welcomed the student leaders Friday afternoon.

Jones, enroute to Cape Kennedy to watch a rocket launching, said that men and women, who know how to get things done and want to, will make our nation great.

He said that follow-through requires the greatest in leadership and that in organizations there were three groups of people — builders, maintainers and wreckers.

Vice-President of Student Affairs C. H. Witten, in a second address, said there are 150 student organizations at USC which have helped the University in its growth. "As long as these organizations continue to grow, the University will continue to grow," he said.

Witten said student organizations help carry out the purposes of higher education and that curriculum is a vital part of what goes on in the classroom.

Workshop and discussion leaders included Dr. B. L. Baker, head of chemical engineering; David W. Phillips, director of Student Union and Russel House; Dr. Lawrence E. Giles, professor of Education; Miss Patricia Paschal, assistant dean of women; the Rev. C. J. Hammett, chairman of the Carolina Campus Chaplains; and L. Eugene Cooper, dean of men.

Other workshop leaders were Dr. Reid Montgomery, professor in the School of Journalism; T. J. Ledeen, director of YMCA-YWCA and foreign student advisor; Mrs. Ada B. Thomas, asst. professor in



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Delegates Register For ODK Project

Delegates from student organizations register at the opening session of the ODK Leadership Development Project. The two-day project was designed to develop leadership. Delegates had the

opportunity to discuss problems and demands which currently confront leaders of all types of campus organizations.

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