

March 25, 1963

The meeting was called to order by the Speaker, George Harris. The invocation was given by Jerry Monroe. The minutes were read and approved as read. ~~XXXXXX~~

Committee Reports:

Process and Procedure- Allan Segal - Allan told of the amendments that would be up for a second reading tonight. One was on the Speaker Pro Tempore qualifications and the other was on memberships of organizations and the presentation of their constitutions before entering the House of Representatives.

Amendment No. 1 to the University of Houston Constituion did not meet approval of the committee.

Amendment No. 2 did not get approval by the committee wither. They feel that the Senate is elected by popular vote and that the House shouldn't be.

Judicial Code Bill was not favored by the committee either as they feel we have adequate provisions for the Student Court now.

Certification and Installation - Barri Bodden - Three new members were sworn in. Barri moved to drop the members that had missed 3 consecutive meetings or five for the entire year. It was seconded automatically by her committee. There was a question on Judy Murphy's attendance, as she said she did not miss 3 consecutive meetings or five in ~~XXXXXX~~ the year. Johnny Odem then made a substitute motion which suspended all those members names that were read except that of Judy Murphy. It passed 48-4.

Social, Education~~xx~~ and development committee- Chairman Linda Knapp is no longer in the house.~~xx~~ Speaker, George Harris then appointed Marilyn Holub in her place.

Old Business: Allan Segal read House Bill Amendment No. 1, and it was seconded by William Soffar. Lewis Barri moved to table the bill back to committee., Jim Farley seconded it and it went back to committee by a vote of 33-24.

Allan Segal read House By-Law Amendment No. 2. It was seconded by his committee. He then proposed an amendment to his Amendment which reads~~xx~~ as follows: The lesser officers of the house shall require but ~~one~~ semester of prior service.

The amendment passed 50 -0 and the amendment passed as amended 53-0.

Duane Bauer than ~~xxxx~~ made a motion to reconsider House Resolution Number 4. It was seconded by Jerry Monroe. Speaker, ~~George Harris then~~ George Harris then turned the gavel over to Johnny Odem, Speaker Pro Tempore. The motion to reconsider the resolution passed. Duane then made a motion to amend the resolution so it would state: That the House and the Senate jointly propose to President Hoffman and the faculty senate that a student-faculty committee of eight be appointed for the purpose of meeting as a constitutional convention, the five student members and three faculty members to be named by a joint executive committee of the House of Representatives and the Senate and approval

by the House and the Senate. Marilyn Holub called for the question and no one was opposed. It passed 35 -21 to amend the ~~bill~~ resolution.

New Business:

Lewis Berry announced that a school on Parliamentary Procedure was going to be sponsored by ~~the~~ Young Republicans and that everyone is invited to attend. Details will be published in the Cougar later. The speaker will be a member of the Texas Society of Parliamentarians.

Charles Sicola read House Bill Number 11 on Cheerleader Elections. It was the first reading. ~~It was~~ He moved that we suspend the House rules and vote on it tonight. It was seconded ~~but~~ failed
27 - 23.

Jerry Monroe ~~then~~ read Constitutional amendment no. 3 and ~~asked~~ moved to suspend the House Rules so could go into effect in the next general election. The rules were suspended by a vote of
42 - 2.

The amendment passed 50 - 2.

Sabra Hall moved the meeting be adjourned. It was seconded and passed. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Sue Ellen Friedman
Secretary.

Elizabeth Stone
Acting Secretary