

PARKING REGULATIONS: UGH!

Rumcr has it that LTC actually has parking. . . regulations, that is! After even further research (parking my car on campus for over one semester), I actually received a ticket; to help the griffin who passes these gems out, I have been renewing the notice daily on my own (this also conserves printing costs!).

Then, to my wonderment, the SCC, that formidable policy-making group, discussed the very issue this week! And I cast my whole $\frac{1}{2}$ vote against their corrective (?) measure: sending out another copy of the rules again . . .

Let's face it SCC! We do not need another wasted sheet of paper in our mailboxes! What we do need is a complete revamping of some obviously useless rules -- if they were useful they could be enforced.

First, SCC, according to authorities, controls the regulations, yet the money (if anyone ever has the guts to give a fine!) goes to the Business Office. This is an error!

Second, if campus parking is for married persons living in the apartments -- what about single women living there? And what about commuters?

Third, if the Pine St. lot is for Richards Hall seminarians, then why do F&Mers and Pine St. residents park there-- some even claiming they have their own reserved parking.

Fourth, speaking of reserved spots -- fine!, but there are far more of them than necessary. For example, why does Dr. Glasse need one? or a secretary who lives within walking distance?

Granted that married students may need to use their cars more than single students, I don't like to walk through the rain late Sunday night any more than John Doe likes Mrs. Doe to walk around late

at night. I could be mugged too, you know! Why can't the spaces directly in front of Richards Hall be for single male seminarians on a first come, first serve basis? Why can't reserved spaces be reviewed and lessened to allow for apartment dwellers? Why can't F&Mers, married and single, be informed with some authority that they have no parking privileges? Why can't Pine St. be better co-ordinated?

What it amounts to is if we are going to have parking regulations, let's have some that reflect the present seminary community. And, while we're at it, let's stop being lily-livered and start enforcing the regulations -- then somebody (like me and my protests) might start to take them seriously! Let's get on the stick, SCC, and do something progressive for a change; until then, S.G., you'll have to suffer consternation over the Lutzmobile!!!

---Brad S. Lutz

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REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

Would the person who responded with a typed note to Rev. Bill Johnson's open letter please identify yourself to me if you would like your note taken seriously. Thank you.

--Brad S. Lutz

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WELCOME TO NEW STUDENTS

Brad Arentz, Evelyn Aurand, Chie Layman, Dennis Moritz, Warren Sickman, Elvin Stoltzfus, Charles Peebles(?) -- THE SEMINARIAN welcomes you to campus. Hope you enjoy being here! See you at the party Wednesday.

SPORTS HIGHLIGHTS:

LTS 47 vs ØKT 27

Yes, sports fans, LTS' own "God's Men" soundly defeated the infidels from F & M's ØKT frat by a score of 47 to 27 this past Thursday night. Coach Donald "Doc" Englert's young round ballers performed with amazing grace (?), dexterity (??), and perfection (???), that the kids from F & M never really had a chance. This was due in part to fluidity of ball handling (!), quickness of hand (!!), fleetness of feet (!!!), and sharpness of eye (!!!!), plus a huge amount of help from above -- or was it just plain luck? Chuck McHose led all scorers with 27 points. He could have won the game, but he missed a foul shot. Way to lose the game, Chuck! Since Chuck blew it, the following pitched in to win the game: Randy Leisey, 6 pts.; Steve Gifford, 2 pts.; Ted Nace, 2 pts.; Brad Arentz, 2 pts.; Mike Romig, 4 pts.; Bob Stoult, 4 pts. (If the totals don't add up, don't blame this reporter -- I was only a math major in college!)

Everyone played a simply fabulous defensive game covering F & Mers like a wet zone (set it?); everyone that is except Chuck -- who was too busy shooting to play defense! Too bad that this was "Doc" Englert's hoopers last regular season game. One final note, after much deliberation and studying of game films, the sports editor decided that the game ball should be awarded to all the members of the team -- but what use is 1/8 of a ball?!

--Denny Moritz,
Student Body Reporter

SEMINARY BULLETIN OFF THE PRESS

The latest edition of the LTS Bulletin came off the presses this week. Coverage includes student field work, curriculum task force, Spring Convocation, and a description of "Volunteer Recruitment."

Good issue, Mrs. Payne!

--The Seminarian

GET IT TOGETHER, SENIORS

The senior class is again responsible for the daily chapel services. Let's follow through February with a better record than the first month. STAY UP!

FLU STRIKES

The ugly rumor that Bill Mayes is no longer with us is not true. Highly reliable sources say that LTS' own Woolworth's missionary still exists high in his penthouse suite on the second floor of Richards Hall. Bill's mysterious absence for more than a week has been necessitated by a combination of illnesses such as the London Flu and strep-throat. However, nurse Ball, Bill's personal nurse, reports that he may make an appearance in his classes Friday with full-go expected next week. More on this and other illnesses next week here and in the AMA journal -- if there is room.

--Dr. Moritz

NEW ARTICLE DEADLINE

All articles submitted to THE SEMINARIAN must be turned in to the editor by noon on Wednesday. All articles must be signed and dated; and are subject to being printed according to their timeliness. All articles that are questionable may be reviewed by the Advisory Board. If you are interested in writing an article, please contact the editor in advance for a special copy sheet -- this helps us plan the work on each issue.

THE ECUMENICAL NOTEBOOK



Orthodox Presbyterian
Pig Looking for Signs of
Grace
Revealed

FREE MEAL ?????

Hopefully, by this time, you all have received your invitations to the annual banquet of the Presbyterian Minister's Fund. This banquet is given to the members of our seminary community each year by this company in appreciation of the fine association it has with so many students and faculty and administration persons who hold life insurance policies with this company.

This is a highly unusual invitation, in that it absolutely and positively involves no commitment, pressure salesmanship, or obligation of any kind on the part of the recipient, as so many such so-called "free" gifts demand. Your decision to attend this guaranteed delicious meal leaves you open to nothing more than a full stomach and an absolutely free night out, unless you have to pay a babysitter.

The after-dinner speaker will be the president of PAF, Dr. S. Carson Wasson, who will be speaking on various aspects of personal finance, from what constitutes good family insurance coverage for the average pastor, to how one goes about administering a church budget. This evening, all in all, promises to be an extremely rewarding experience for everyone. Talk to those who have attended in past years and hear the good reports from them. If you have any questions or have not yet received your invitation, please speak to me soon! Bring your wife or mistress! Let me know your decision or send in your card to Mr. John Andes before February 23rd. Hoping to see you all on the 27th for an evening of great food and good fellowship!

Also, for those of you who may be in the market for life insurance for yourself or any member of your family, may I personally suggest Presbyterian Minister's Fund. If you would like further information, please contact me.

-Wayne A. Strever

GRAHAM RESPONDS TO CRITICS

MONTREAL, N.C.(RNS) -- Evangelist Billy Graham has issued a public statement here describing his position on the Vietnam War, his relationship to President Nixon, and his opinion of the role of an evangelist.

In the 800-word statement, which he said was being issued in response to "recent inquiries from the press and a few personal letters and telegrams," the evangelist declared: "I have regretted that this war has gone on so long and been such a divisive force in America. I hope and pray that there will be an early armistice."

Mr. Graham said that in addition to deploring war, "I also deplore the violence everywhere throughout the world that evidences man's inhumanity to man. I am therefore praying for every responsible effort which seeks true peace in our time."

Responding to his critics, he denied that he is the White House chaplain.

Although he believes President Nixon to be motivated "by a desire for peace," he said, "history will have to judge whether his decisions were right or wrong."

Of his own role, he said, "I am convinced that God has called me to be a New Testament evangelist -- not an Old Testament prophet! While some may interpret an evangelist to be primarily a social reformer or a political activist, I do not! An evangelist is a proclaimer of the message of God's love and grace in Jesus Christ and the necessity of repentance and faith ... Everywhere I go this year, I am going to call for renewed concern for each other, a revived dedication to just government, and a revitalized consecration to God in our national life."

-January 29, 1973

MALE CLERIC'S WIN IN WOMEN'S POLL

While women make up the majority of church members, they still prefer men as their ministers, according to a national survey made by William J. McKinney Jr., a doctoral candidate at Penn State.

McKinney, who obtained more than 700 responses to a questionnaire sent to United Church of Christ members, said women are willing to see either a woman or a man fill important parish positions. Women comprised 76% of the responses.

While 68% of those surveyed indicated a male would be their 1st choice for minister, a greater degree of acceptance of women in the pulpit was found among persons under 30, those with higher educational backgrounds and residents of small cities and rural areas.

Preferring males were suburbanites and big-city dwellers, persons over 60, those with high school educations or less, and people living in the south and southwest, the survey revealed.

McKinney said a frequent reason given for choosing men over women for ministers was that men have greater ability to command respect in the community.

Other people cited tradition, the greater likelihood that men are the primary family breadwinners, men's ability to dedicate more time to their profession and more competence in pastoral counseling and handling personal problems.

One woman, an active church member, said:

"I think that women should be able to hold any position in a church but I am afraid if too many positions are filled by women at one time we will lose men, who are already in the minority in our church."

Most people attributed the lack of women in high church posts to the fact that men traditionally had held these positions, that men are less restricted by family responsibilities or are freer to travel.

--THE MORNING CALL, 1/20/73
Allentown, Pa.

SCC NOTES

The SCC held a regular meeting on February 7 at 4pm in the HUB.

PARKING -- Al Johnson has agreed to assist John Hoff in enforcing parking regulations. Tony Szilagyi will aid in the clarification of all rules.

LTS BUDGET - the Seminary Executive Committee will hold an open meeting on Monday, February 12 at 10:30am in the Hafer Center to explain the budget, including a tuition hike.

PARTY - a party for new students will be held on Wednesday, February 14 at 9pm in the HUB. The party is the gift of the HUB committee.

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NEW ORGAN

At long last a new pipe organ will be installed in Santee Chapel. Students and faculty are needed to help dismantle the present organ(?) tomorrow and Saturday. Watch for an announcement of time.

The organ is expected to be completed by April 22 and will be used for a special recital at the arts festival on May 1 & 2.

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COMING EVENTS

Monday, 10:30am - open meeting on the budget in Hafer Center.

Tuesday, 9:00pm - bowling, 50¢ per game for LTS community at Leisure Lanes; contact Dr. Englert.

Wednesday, 9:00pm - community party in the HUB.

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