

On motions duly made and seconded, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

RESOLVED, That the changes in the Income and Expenditures Budget for 1968-69 as recommended by the President on February 4, 1969 be approved.

1968-69 budget changes approved

RESOLVED, That the operational budget of income, \$6,914,549, and expenditures, \$6,835,354, for Barnard College for 1969-70, as submitted in detail by the President on February 4, 1969, be approved.

1969-70 budget approved

COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT

Mrs. Elliott presented the report of the Committee on Development which is appended.

Report of Com. on Development

The Chairman expressed the satisfaction of all that the Ford Foundation Challenge had been met five months before the deadline. The New Chapter Committee and, in particular, Mr. Plimpton and his two Vice-chairmen, Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. Sulzberger, deserve great credit for this successful outcome. The Chairman suggested that the person who had contributed most toward reaching the goal was Miss Palmer—who at his request stood up and took a bow to enthusiastic applause.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE ACTING PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY

Dr. Cordier noted that during the previous week the Joint Committee on Disciplinary Affairs had announced the termination of disciplinary sentences stemming from last spring's demonstrations and recommended that all pending cases related to the spring be dropped. In a statement released to the press yesterday, which was not published in its entirety, Dr. Cordier fully concurred with the decision of the Joint Committee on Disciplinary Affairs; he said the rulings not only had the merit of equity but they were also an appropriate recognition of the calm and stability which had prevailed upon the campus throughout the autumn term. The faculty and nearly all of the students have engaged in constructive efforts toward bringing about unity in the University.

Termination by Columbia of disciplinary sentences coming out of riots of spring 1968

Delays and inconsistencies in the handling of cases by the disciplinary tribunals of the various divisions of the University had resulted in disparate punishment for students facing discipline for the spring demonstrations. There have been major inequities owing to the lack of uniformity.

The readmission to the University of those students suspended for protests in the spring is in no sense automatic. If a student wishes to rejoin the University community he must, in

addition to having demonstrated acceptable conduct, state his willingness to abide by University rules.

Dr. Cordier emphasized that his concern is for the unity, team spirit and forward movement of the University. He would rather save the young people than make sure that each offender gets his due punishment. There are many marvelous young people among us. He was greatly impressed with the intelligence and energy of two members of the Student Presidential Search Committee with whom he had met that morning.

Dr. Cordier reported that Columbia was moving vigorously toward an improved representation of Blacks in all University groups. The administration has been working closely with the black students who have been recruiting in the high schools.

Justice Goldberg stated that in his opinion the action of Dr. Cordier in supporting the Joint Committee on Disciplinary Affairs' decision was eminently right and he commended him for it heartily. In our society there can be no punishment en masse; judgment must be individual; everyone is entitled to be judged on what he himself does. Also, the courts on occasion extend clemency even to hardened criminals.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE FACULTY REPRESENTATIVES

Professor Mothersill stated that the Trustees would soon receive a list of courses which they might be particularly interested in sampling, with the hours and locations of class meetings.

Professor Robertson reported that the English Department planned to invite the Trustees to a departmental luncheon before long. He suggested that Trustees and alumnae might be willing to conduct seminars, at which they would talk about their work, for the students.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PRESIDENT

The President presented the following suggested revision of the Seventh Section of the Agreement between Barnard College and Columbia University:

Part IV: Agreement between Columbia University and Barnard College, Seventh Section, page 24

So long as this Agreement is in force, Barnard College as such shall grant no degree of Bachelor of Arts and the University shall grant no degree of Bachelor of Arts on women except upon (a) students of Barnard College as provided in Section Fifth of this Agreement and (b) students of the School of

Suggested revision of Seventh Section of Agreement with Columbia