SU takes post-humous stand for Technocracy

by Neal Watson

Students' Council decided in perhaps the most dramatic moment of the meeting, to "express its displeasure with rather than "condemn" the University administration for its policy concerning the Technocracy office in HUB Mall.

Technocracy has been evicted from HUB and Arts representative D'Arcy Keene said it is an example of the University administration "pushing its weight around." This action by the University reflects, Keene asserted, "university's exclusively commercial-oriented policy concerning the allocation of space in the campus mall.'

Students' Union President Robert Greenhill argued that the University was attempting to encourage people to come to HUB. Keene said the University wanted "HUB Mall to compete with West

Edmonton Mall." Michael Ford, the publisher of the university "yearbook" Evergreen and Gold, spoke on the possibility of reviving the publication for university distribution.

The university terminated the publication in 1970 because of the excessive cost.

The Evergreen and Gold would now cost 30-35 thousand to produce and cost students \$2 said Ford. It would be available for distribution April 10.

When asked about the relationship between the Evergreen and Gold and the Students' Union, Robert Greenhill said there was no commitment by students' council, "just an expression of interest.

A straw vote was subsequently carried by council supporting the "concept of having the Evergreen and Gold resuscitated' and giving the executive and also called the PSUA a "worthy

further into this matter.

V.P. External Andrew Watts, reporting on University Night, made available a report outlining how to promote University Night, and how to get MLAs and councillors to attend. Watts said consideration should be given to opening the event to all students and greater care should be given to providing students with information.

Watts also said, pointing to past University Night failures, that he did not know if University Night could be made a success. He said what was needed was a "different and more comprehensive format" to revive the concept.

Robert Greenhill also reported to council the resignation of Clubs Commissioner Dawn Noyes. Greenhill said a nominating meeting would be held November 17 to fill the

In other council news, the employment contract of Students Union Business Manager Tom Wright was accepted in principle.

Academic Affairs Board (AAB) chairperson Ann Befus moved that council ratify the AAB decision to grant money to the following campus organizations: \$685 to the Undergraduate Psychology Association, \$400 to the Student Geographer's Association and \$510 to the Political Science Undergraduate Association (PSUA).

Questions were raised about the grant to the PSUA in light of the recent controversy involving that organization.

Arts representative Tony Brouwer defended the association saying the PSUA sponsored forums were well run and well attended.

President Robert Greenhill

council the authority to look organization and cautioned coun- Board's recommendation to grant cillors not to prejudice their \$200 to the Canadian Dental judgement of the association as a

result of the actions of a minority. Students' Council also approved the Administration

Association to host the Western Canadian Dental Student Con-

As well, council ratified the External Affairs Board decision to give \$400 to the Central America Campus Committee and the Eugene Brody Board decision to grant \$1000 to CUSO.

CJSR to walk the plank

by Mark Roppel

As part of its drive to go FM, CJSR has submitted a proposal to the Long Range Planning Committee to expand the station's office space.

The proposal involves expanding into room 282B, presently part of the Gateway office, and the building of a walkway over the east staircase similar to the walkway at Dinwoodie. The walkway would be walled in and have glass doors. It would front on the hallway across from the cafeteria and connect to CJSR's main hallway.

The proposed renovation would cost between \$15,000 and

"We're quite busy and quite cramped - it will only get busier and more cramped," says Station Manager Colin Keylor. "We have people piled on top of each other," complains Keylor. "Everyone has to wait in line to use the phone."

Students' Union VP Finance Greg McLean who is also a member of the Long Range Planning Committee, sympathizes with Keylor. "I think the lay out right now needs improvement."

"The plank across the stairway is not a bad idea," says McLean. However, the expansion into room 282 B could cause problems.

We need that room as much as they do," says Gateway editor Brent Jang. "We use it for inter-

views and we need the room to hold meetings.

"We are going to try and please everyone," says McLean. McLean expects the proposal to be discussed at the next meeting of the Planning Committee, this Wednesday at 5:00 PM.

If the proposal is approved the walled-in walkway would be a reception area.

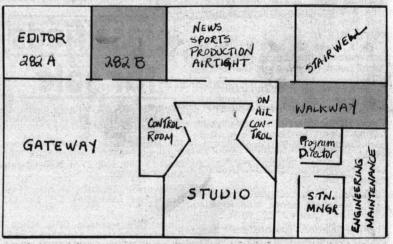
"If we had a receptionist, she could answer the calls," says Keylor. This would free Keylor and other people working a CJSR for more important tasks.

Room 282 B would become

the new home for the record library, and the rest of the office space could be reorganized (see diagram).

CJSR would like the renovations to start as soon as possible but Keylor recognizes that it would be the most convenient to renovate during the summer.

A proposal to expand CJSR was originally presented to the Long Range Planning Committee in 1979 by then Station Director Gary McGowan. The present proposal is a scaled down version of this original plan.



CJSR's imperialist expansionist policies revealed: today second floor SUB, tomorrow the world. If Colin Keylor and his band of space-hungry thugs have their way, they will not only build a walkway over the stairwell, they will alsoin what could constitute a blatant violation of international law - seize part of the Gateway offices.

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