Two SGIC Proposals Adopted By Instcomm

Two immediate remedies, proposed by the Student Government Council, were approved by the Institute Committee of a great deal of "rote" work, were approved and accepted by Instcomm during its meeting last Wednesday evening in Hayden Library. Instcomm also approved the recommendations of the Senior Ring Committee with regard to purchase of the rings, and approved the Junior Class, LSGC, WSMT, NKA, and THER TECH.

The first recommendation gives to the Executive Committee the job of assigning all activity officers and elections, except elections from freshman line, to the Executive Committee. This new change will have the right to review the decisions of the Executive Committee.

Approval of Activity Officers

The Executive Committee, by the approval of the second proposal submitted by the SGIC, will now be able to accept or reject any constitutional changes, except in Institute Committee and Undergraduate Association constitutions. This means that the President of the Executive Committee will have the job of approving the constitutions of new activities, and the SGIC may approve constitutional changes after these have been considered for technical correctness by the Walker Memorial Committee. Again the Institute Committee will have the right to review any Executive Committee decisions and to have approval or disapproval of any of these changes. In the case of small constitutions change, the SGIC will have the right of the job of initial approval or disapproval with the SGIC, internationally known for his knowledge, will have the right to appeal any decision made by the SGIC.

Visiting Professor Becomes Recipient OfPalladium Award

Dr. Carl W. Wagner, Visiting Professor of Metallurgy and actively engaged in a program of significant research here at the Institute, became the first recipient of the Institute's first annual "Palladium" Award.

The citation accompanying the medal, which was presented to Dr. Wagner in 1951 for award by the Rotary every year to an individual who has made the most significant contribution for "outstanding achievement in the field of the expansion of metals and its control."

Dr. Wagner, formerly professor of physical chemistry at the Polytechnic Institute of Baris, is a leader in the field of chemical thermodynamics and to the electro-chemical theory of oxidation and reduction.

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Robert M. Oliver. This committee, appointed editor of the Technology Press Director, has been appointed editor of the Technology Press.