

TISA, Blanket Tax Removal Discussed

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President Wayne Hanson stated in reply to the editorial that appeared last week in the Thresher concerning the TISA meeting that the action of the Rice delegation was directed in opposition to the idea of a candidate running unopposed, rather than in opposition to segregation policies. The editorial merely hinted that it was unique that the Rice candidate was a Negro.

Hanson also reported that the practice of taking up blanket taxes has been discussed with Dean Sims. The policy will be continued, but the student may forfeit either his blanket tax or his student activity card, so long as the card has his picture and signature on it. After a two or three day period it can be picked up in the Dean's office.

Long Duration

Syd Nathans reported that his Student Enthusiasm Committee is undergoing thorough organization and will soon be able to begin operation as a long-range year-and-a-half committee. Their first step will be to break down a study of student life into several aspects: the freshman year, curriculum, extra-curricular activities, and the colleges.

The remainder of the year will

be occupied with sending out questionnaires to other selected universities and to students currently at Rice. The double advantage of immediate action of this sort lies in the fact that the subjects questions will still be in a school year (instead of an entirely different summer environment) and the committee will gain experience in polling individuals.

No Revised Constitution

The following organizations have not as yet turned in a revised constitution to the Parliamentarian: Baptist Student Union, Der Eulenspiegel, Lutheran Student Association, Newman Club, Presbyterian Student Association, Rally Club, Rice Architectural Society, Rice Eng'g. Society, Sigma Gamma Epsilon.

These revised constitutions were due five months ago. If they are not submitted in the very near future, the organizations involved may be in danger of losing their privileges. Revised Constitutions should be submitted to Glenn Jarvis.

Service Award

The Senate was informed of its past policy of nominating possible recipients of the Service Award. The candidate chosen by a special committee is judged on

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outstanding contributions to the school out of the ordinary. Nominations will probably be submitted next week.

Next week the Senate again will break up into committees. The old and new Senate will meet in combined session on April 20, immediately after Easter recess.
