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COUNCIL OF ACADEMIC DEANS

The Council of Academic Deans met at 1:15 p. m. , Wednesday, July 15, 1970, in Dr. Cravens' office. Drs. Hourigan, Hardin and Page were absent. Dr. Tom Updike, Mr. Don Armstrong and Mr. Harry Largen were present to discuss the calendar for 1971-72.

Dr. Updike presented the proposed summer final exam schedule for approval. The schedule was approved and Dr. Cravens aksed Dr. Updike to get it printed in the Herald.

Dr. Cravens read a letter to President Downing from a student's parent relative to Western's new schedule. After some discussion it was decided not to finalize the dates for the spring semester, 1972, and summer school, 1972; but to wait until after experiencing the first year under the new schedule.

Attention was called to a meeting at Kentucky Wesleyan relative to extension programs in Owensboro. Dr. Jenkins, Dr. Russell and Dr. Hatcher indicated they should go or be represented. Dr. Cravens indicated a meeting would be scheduled Wednesday to discuss the Graduate Consortium. He said he would ask Dr. Charles Clark, Dr. Keith Taylor and Mr. David Mefford to attend.

Lecture Series speakers were discussed briefly. Dr. Cravens indicated we could get Paul Ehrlich in January at a cost of \$2,850. It was agreed to go ahead with arrangements for him. John Gardner was also received quite favorably as another possible choice.

Next attention was turned to the guidelines on teaching loads. Dr. Cravens suggested that the reduction of associate professors to 27 hour loads ride for another year. This was agreed to. Dr. Hatcher indicated that the instructional load cards needed to be updated. Dr. Cravens asked if the deans were ready for the guidelines to go to the president. Dr. Jenkins said he still had reservation on #5. He felt it was necessary to pay some extra for the teaching of extension courses. Dr. Hatcher suggested changing the wording of #5 and this was agreed to.

Dr. Chelf requested that the deans supply him the name of a banner bearer for their college as soon as possible.

Meeting adjourned.