The Suffolk Journal
President Fenton to Retire After Five Years of Service

Friendship Is His Philosophy

Students and faculty were both surprised and disappointed at Judge John Fenton's decision to retire as President of Suffolk University. Judge Fenton answered the question of why he retired by saying that he had reached a point in his career that provided an ideal time to step down. He added that he hoped he had carried out his responsibilities in a manner satisfactory to the trustees and beneficial to the University. Judge Fenton will continue as a life member on the Board of Trustees.

President Fenton's 72 years have been active and exciting. He has gone through life making friends, expanding his areas of knowledge and giving his time and effort in helping others. Judge Fenton described his five years as "tremendously happy ones in an exciting era of education" and paid tribute to the support and cooperation he had received from the administration and faculty, updating the curriculum, adding two new libraries and doubling the enrollment.

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In his Philosophy

by Joyce Duggan

Seybold also noted that Suffolk's enrolment in its colleges and law school had nearly doubled under Fenton so that it now is close to 5000.

Judge Fenton became president of Suffolk after retiring as judge of the Massachusetts Land Court. He served on the bench for 28 years. He succeeded the late Dr. Dennis C. Hailey as Suffolk's fifth president since the founding of the school in 1906. Prior to that he was chairman of Suffolk's board of trustees.

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At the meeting of the Board of Trustees held on Wednesday, September 9, 1970, I requested that I be retired, effective as soon as a new President is elected and assumes his duties, which should be within the next few weeks. My request was granted by the Board of Trustees with deep regret.

I have been very happy during the five years I have served as President of Suffolk University, and sincerely hope I have carried out the duties and responsibilities of that office in a manner that has enhanced the University's standing and reputation and has been beneficial to it.

I am most thankful and extremely grateful and appreciative for the magnificent aid, assistance and cooperation I have always received from the members of the Board of Trustees, the Deans, the Administrators, the members of the Faculty, Staff and Students during my term of office. I shall be with you a few weeks longer and hope to be able to thank you personally.

I shall continue to serve as a Life Member of the Board of Trustees of Suffolk University.
New Journal Editor To Be Named

Much more happened at Suffolk than the Strike for Peace which started on Tuesday, May 5, 1970. While B.C. closed down, and B.U. cancelled graduation, Suffolk options classes. Yet, classes and issues weren’t the only things involved with the strike—people were also. Of course there were students for the strike, students against the strike and students who didn’t really care. There were students who cared about how the strike decision would go, yet were active in other areas of school—areas although not involved with the strike directly, were affected by the strike decision. There were class elections and Student Government along with the strike.

The Code of Justice has been passed by the Board of Trustees. Originally drafted by Richard Dell Aria when he was president of the Class of 1971 in his sophomore year, The Code of Justice is the written guarantee that all members of the academic community of Suffolk University are entitled to justice and all of the rights and privileges guaranteed to a citizen in the courts of these United States if the need should arise.

Student Government urges the Suffolk community to become familiar with the Code of Justice. The document has been published in this year’s Log and copies can be obtained in the Student Government office in the Ridgeway Lane building.

The student strike at Suffolk University last May was clearly involved the special authority of the University Board of Trustees on September 10, 1909. (The following was approved by the Suffolk University Board of Trustees on September 10, 1909.) We, the members of the college community of Suffolk University, in order to secure the proper administration of justice to all involved, do hereby agree to the principle that every member of this academic community be afforded all of the rights and privileges as determined by the laws of the United States of America. These rights and privileges shall be accepted as the standards of judgement of this University.

Although the Committee ran into difficulties (some administration oriented, some not), the student-to-student discussions on Friday, September 11, were highly successful and the committee members were pleased and impressed by the Freshman Class response to the candid, informal approach.

Toward the end of the day one Freshman girl stood up and told some of the Committee members: “If nothing else, we will all remember how helpful and friendly you’ve been to us all.”

The body made one purchase; an A.B. Dick sticker maker which has already proven its value to Student Government and Student Activities in genea and the right to counsel. The appeal mechanism is as follows: the President of the University and finally the Board of Trustees.

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1. All violations of the Student Government By-Laws charged by the Student Judiciary Review Board.

Charges brought for violations of University regulations shall be handled by a Student Conduct Committee chaired by a Dean of the University as selected by the President of the University, four faculty members, and four students, one from each class. The

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2. No form of justice handled within this University shall be conducted in accordance with full evidentiary hearing requirements so that all material facts may be properly obtained and considered.

3. All members have the right to a public or private hearing, as chosen by the defendant, in proper negotiations, and the right to counsel. The appeal mechanism is as follows: the President of the University and finally the Board of Trustees.

4. Transcripts of academic records shall contain only information about the academic status, including information pertinent to readmission. Academic records, disciplinary or counseling files shall not be available to unauthorized persons without the expressed consent of the student involved except under legal compulsion.
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Suffolk Denied Zoning Variance

by William F. Duques
HT Correspondent

(The following is reprinted from last Spring with permission from the Boston Herald Traveler.)

A zoning variance granted Suffolk University for a new five-story law school building at the foot of Beacon Hill was invalidated yesterday by the state Supreme Judicial Court.

The court said the proposed building on Cambridge street would violate the intent of zoning laws by "walling in" part of the adjoining, densely populated Beacon Hill historic district.

One of the purposes of forming the historic district, the court pointed out, was to preserve the area "as a tangible reminder of old Boston as it existed in the early days of the commonwealth."

The case is on the site of the former Stop & Shop at Cambridge and Hancock streets would have accommodated 550 students. The school is located farther up the hill just behind the State House.

The high court said the variance was void on its face because the city's zoning board of appeals did not have the "reasonable" reasons for granting it.

Walter M. Burse, Former Suffolk President

Walter M. Burse, the man who made Suffolk's accreditation possible, died August 27, in his Boston home, he was 72 years old.

Attorney Burse was first Treasurer and Trustee of Suffolk from 1946-1948. He was President from 1948-1954. During President from 1948-1954. During

Why should we be in such desperate haste to succeed, and in such desperate enterprises? If a man does not keep pace with his companions, perhaps it is because he hears a different drummer. Let him step to the music which he hears. —THOREAU'S WALDEN

Awards and Relationships

The Institute of International Education has announced the Fulbright awards for 1970-1971 for graduate study abroad. The final deadline for submission of applications at Suffolk University is December 1st. Students who are eligible to apply are seniors who will receive their Bachelor's degree in June, 1971. Applicants should be screened by their professors and records and the strong personal endorsement of their major professor is considered important.

For the Fulbrighters, a list of test centers, and in-

NTE Dates

Seniors preparing to teach high school may take the National Teacher Examinations on any of the four NTE dates announced by Educational Testing Service, a nonprofit, educational organization which prepares and administers this testing program. New dates for the testing of prospective teachers are: November 14, 1970, and January 30, April 3, and July 17, 1971. Results of the National Teacher Examinations are used by many large school districts as one of several factors in the selection of new teachers and by several states for certification or licensing teachers. The states and departments of education which use the examination results are listed in an NTE leaflet entitled "Score Users" which may be obtained in the Placement Office. On each day of testing, prospective teachers may take the Common Examinations which measure their professional preparation; and the Teaching Environment Background, and a Teaching Exam. The Teaching Exam measures their mastery of the subject they expect to teach. The Bulletin of Information for Candidates contains a list of test centers, and information about the Examinations, as well as a registration form. Copies may be obtained from the Placement Office.

JOURNAL STAFF MEETING TUESDAY, OCT. 6TH, 1 PM, IN R.L. 1

Anyone interested in writing or working for the Journal should contact Joyce Duggan or Ed Wickham or leave your name and phone number with Mr. Lewis, Director of Student Activities.
ECONOLOGY

The Department of Student Affairs has become increasingly interested in the vital areas of conservation and pollution. We are attempting to open communications pipe lines from various conservation agencies to our office with the hope of intention of these agencies publishing conservation information available to Suffolk University.

The students who are interested should visit the Student Affairs office on the second floor of the University Center.

Welcome Back!

Registration is left behind as fall 1970 begins. We can only hope that all students will be satisfied with the courses they have selected.

All College Mixer

September 25th 8-12 pm
Knights of Columbus Hall
541 Cambridge St, Allston

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(A postscript to the Student Code of Justice may be found in the following excerpt from the Suffolk University Bulletin:

"The provisions of this bulletin are not an irrevocable contract between the student and the University. The University reserves the right to change registration requirements at any time within the student's term of residence. The University further reserves the right to ask the student to withdraw for cause at any time."

Attention Alumni

Miss Dorothy MacNamara, Alumni Director of Suffolk University, has announced that only those alumni that have paid their registration fee will receive copies of the Suffolk Journal this year.

For this first issue, nearly 8000 copies will be distributed to alumni in the hopes of conveying this message. Readers with this issue only. Please make sure to return the registration card that came with this issue. Also, please make sure to return the registration card that came with this issue. Also, please make sure to return the registration card that came with this issue.