

August 7, 1939.

Mr. Raymond Nichols,
Executive Secretary,
Chancellor's Office.

Dear Mr. Nichols:

As the Summer Session draws to a close there are a few items that occur to me, as a member of the Summer Session faculty, which should receive consideration for the future.

First and foremost, there is a definite need for the Union Building to be air-conditioned. Next in importance, it seems to me, for the comfort and efficiency of the summer students, is to have the Library air-cooled and the windows screened. Any number of students have complained about the difficulty they have in trying to study in the library, not only because of the heat in the building but also because of the flies. It would be a worthwhile investment to at least screen the windows and doors of the building.

At Southern Methodist University they are air-conditioning all the buildings where students meet in groups, such as the library. We would do well to consider that here, particularly in the Union Building and Watson Library.

Another thing I have observed this summer is the need for the hospital to be open at least two or three hours a day. We have taken care of a few emergency first aid cases here, and a number of students who have needed the services of a physician have not felt they could afford to consult a doctor down town. If we could at least have a registered nurse or an interne on duty every day at the student hospital for a couple of hours a day I am sure it would be a great accommodation to the students, and I believe they would be willing to pay for this service.

I thought it would be well to pass these observations on to you so that they might be considered when planning next summer's budget.

Very sincerely yours,

Director of Physical Education and Recreation,
Varsity Basketball Coach.

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