The meeting was called to order by President Rick Jones in the College Inn at 7:35 p.m.

Correction of December 11, 1963 minutes: ASMSU officers present.

Jones introduced Mr. Gardner Cromwell, the new faculty representative to Central Board.

General Statements of Officers

Bonnie Kositzky, Business Manager: Kositzky advised the CB members to be informed on the budget that will be compiled from proposed committee budgets for 1964-1965. The completed budget will be submitted sometime in the spring. There is $11,000 in a savings fund and $1,127.88 in the general fund. ASMSU officers may be obtained up to $125 a quarter.

Ronnie Bowler, Secretary: The minutes are being sent to all living groups on campus as will a list of all CB delegates and addresses in case any student desires to contact them.

Jim Richard, Vice President: ASMSU committees are posted in the ASMSU office and chairmen of the committees may obtain a key to the office at the Lodge Desk with a key card. Richard suggested a new approach to handling the proposed new student union building: find out how much money can be accumulated in 20 years including projected enrollment and plan a new building from there. MSU students pay the second highest incidental fees of any western college, second only to MSC. He would like a written agreement from the administration on the land as a protection for future students. Students can still apply for committee memberships and that a new chairman for Traditions Board will be selected in the next few weeks.

Rick Jones, President: There is a lot of work to do regarding social regulations. ASMSU, through the Student Life Committee, will work with AWS and the Deans' office. The problem will not be taken directly to the Board of Regents. Jones is not here to conduct a "rah rah" campaign for a new student union nor will he try to prohibit one. He would encourage discussion and hope students would express their opinions even more than in the past. CB is willing to hold joint meetings with the Student Union Executive Board to discuss the question of a new SUB. There has been criticism of some of the material in the VENTURE. President Johns is in favor of discussion of some of the problems and changes that can be made. The VENTURE staff would like to make it a bigger magazine with material from other schools in Montana and out of state plus a national writer. There will be an issue at least by spring quarter. There will be a meeting of MSPA (Montana Students' Presidents' Association) this quarter probably in Helena. The question of the value of a constitution for an organization such as this will be discussed. The meeting could possibly be bogged by the making of a constitution. A decision should be reached by the end of the quarter regarding financing of the proposed F-M Radio station by the Special Reserve Fund of the State Board. Entertainment for Homecoming should be selected by the end of this quarter or early spring quarter.

Student Information Committee: George Cole, chairman

Dean Bolen said that there is a possibility that a student or students from areas of the school other than music might go on the music school's tour this spring. The University students would talk with the high school students not necessarily upon the merits of attending MSU but the merits of even going to college. Hunter and Bergerson are working on the possibilities of a Student Union campaign. Bruce Franks has been added to the committee. An idea committee has been informed also. Watts asked if it would be possible to hold discussions with the leaders from the various high schools during Interscholastics to present a well-rounded picture of MSU college life.
Kositzky corrected an assumption regarding the levying of fines by Traffic Board. The Board only made an operating decision which lowered the fine from $10 to $3 if the driver is properly registered with the University.

Respectfully submitted,

Connie Bowler, Secretary

Present: BEHAN, TAYLOR, GRISH, ULMER, ASSOCLINE, ROSS, NATT, SCHWANKE, COLE, DENNIS SPECK, MACDONALD, JONES, KOUPKIN, RICHARD, BOWLER, CROMWELL, Wines, Nichols, Erickson.

Absent: TURNER