Central Board votes to contribute to the Friends of the Library from the student general fund

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Central Board, Montana State University student governing body, has voted to contribute $500 from the student general fund to Friends of the Library, reports Ed Whitelaw of Summit, N. J., student body president.

The gift continues the tradition of strong student support for the organization devoted to improving library facilities at the University, Whitelaw noted. Many organizations and individuals have donated books, manuscripts and money to Friends of the Library, but the greatest support for the group comes from the students themselves, he said.

Friends of the Library, organized in 1960 largely through student efforts, is a cooperative project of students, faculty and other Montana citizens, Whitelaw explained. Membership is open to anybody interested in maintaining high standards for higher education in the state, and the organization now has active chapters in several Montana communities. Sumner Gerard, state senator from Madison County, is president of the organization.

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