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CENTRAL BOARD

May 24, 1967

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 in the Activities Room by President Loren Haarr.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Haarr reported that the drug symposium went extremely well. The tapes taken and a pamphlet to be prepared will be edited and distributed to high schools. ASUM also has the rights to the television program on the symposium. There will be a formal report next Wednesday evening as to the financial end of the drug symposium. Due to a shortage of funds, the ASUM president and business manager will be the only delegates to the MSPA Convention. Haarr stated that he had endorsed his own name on the letter to the Board of Regents regarding the women's housing regulations.

VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

All committees are to submit their quarterly report to the Vice President.

BUSINESS MANAGER'S REPORT

Van Heuvelen reported that at a meeting with the Financial Aids Officer it was learned that ASUM has loaned out \$3,006 in student loans. He also reminded everyone to keep a close check on their budgets. VAN HEUVELEN MOVED \$67 BE ALLOCATED TO SEND DELEGATES TO THE MSPA CONVENTION. SECONDED BY THOGERSEN. MOTION PASSED.

The minutes were approved as read.

STUDENT SERVICES

HUDSON MOVED BOB BLAKELY BE APPROVED AS ADVISER FOR STUDENT SERVICES. SECONDED BY SMITH. MOTION PASSED. Hudson questioned how much money is in the Student Services budget. Van Heuvelen informed him that they do not have a budget.

PUBLICATIONS

EGGENSPERGER MOVED CENTRAL BOARD WAIVE THE BY-LAW REQUIREMENT OF GRADE POINT AVERAGE FOR GERALD ANDERSON FOR BUSINESS MANAGER OF THE BOOK. HARSTAD SECONDED THE MOTION. Eggensperger explained that he has a 2.00 over-all after transferring from another school, and he has above a 3.00 in work completed while at the University. The By-Law requirement is a 2.25. MOTION PASSED. EGGENSPERGER MOVED JERE GILLES, PEGGY HERBERT, LOUISE FENNER, LYLE WILLIAMS, AND JANICE HOON BE APPROVED AS ASSOCIATE EDITORS OF THE BOOK. SECONDED BY HUDSON. MOTION PASSED. Eggensperger reported that the Sentinel is progressing on schedule. The M Book is currently at the printers. It will be ready by its deadline.

MISSOULA AFFAIRS

DAILEY MOVED THAT LEON SALINGER BE APPROVED AS A MEMBER OF MISSOULA AFFAIRS BOARD. SECONDED BY ANDERSON. MOTION PASSED. DAILEY MOVED COSMOPOLITAN

CLUB BE GIVEN A PERMANENT SEAT ON THE MISSOULA AFFAIRS BOARD BECAUSE THEY HAVE EXPRESSED THIS DESIRE. EGGENSPERGER SECONDED THE MOTION. DAILEY WITHDREW HIS MOTION, AND EGGENSPERGER WITHDREW HIS SECOND. Dailey reported that this committee has been discussing sending representatives to the different service groups in Missoula. They plan to begin sending a delegate to the Missoula City Council meetings. Allen asked if a member has been attending the Missoula Chamber of Commerce meetings. Dailey said that a member will be starting to attend these meetings soon.

FIELDHOUSE-PHYSICAL PLANT

Briggs reported he has received a copy of the plans for future development on the campus. There are present plans to change the parking situation in the parking lot behind Turner and Jesse Hall. These plans have been suggested to the girls, and Briggs said he should find out tomorrow if the girls have accepted these changes. He will, therefore, report further on this matter at the next meeting. Smith asked why the parking in front of Brantly still has a time limit on it. Briggs explained that this is still used a good deal for a loading zone. Briggs has discussed the parking fee with Mr. Parker, who explained that it is seemingly presently tabled. But there are good chances that it will be put into effect for next year. The Physical Plant at present has no money to make the changes and additions on campus which are necessary; and if improvements are to be made, they will need an increase in money. Briggs said that he has not seen the new rules governing the traffic regulations and car registration. Haarr suggested that Briggs obtain a copy of these rules and study them.

PROGRAM COUNCIL

Grauman reported that Program Council has passed a motion to make the tapes on the symposium available to anyone wishing them. She will begin composing the pamphlet on the symposium.

ATHLETICS

ALLEN MOVED MIKE LYGSTAD BE APPROVED AS A MEMBER OF ATHLETICS BOARD. SECONDED BY SMITH. MOTION PASSED. Allen reported that recruiting for next fall is going quite well. Eight junior college fellows have been recruited.

ADMINISTRATIVE RELATIONS

Groenhout, reporting for Johnson, stated that the board has been doing a great deal of work in regard to the women's housing regulations. He reported that there was a joint meeting of Administrative Relations and the Rules and Regulations committee which proved to be very productive. From this meeting came the decision that a poll should be taken to find out exactly what the women's grievances are and what they would propose as solutions. The administration will be approached to help support this poll by providing the necessary funds. The purpose of such a poll would be to serve both the students and the administration better. Groenhout further explained that the poll would be more effective if it were conducted next fall. It would not be wise to have a rushed poll. The idea of this poll is to have the student define her

problem and give solutions. Hudson inquired as to whether or not Student Services could perhaps help a good deal in this area, and joint meetings are to be encouraged whenever they would be helpful. Penland asked if anything has been done concerning group requirements. Groenhout stated that Johnson has been doing individual study in this field, but the commission has not discussed it at present.

NEW BUSINESS

Haarr introduced Oakley Coffee, Director of the UM Foundation, who wished to speak in regard to the Mansfield Endowment. Mr. Coffee explained that the purpose of the UM Foundation is to make a good university even better. He further explained that there are two things which the UM Foundation would like to do:

1. Bring the excitement and inspiration to the students that one receives when rubbing shoulders with top people.
2. Create good publicity. As he explained, it is real easy to get lots of bad publicity but very difficult to get good publicity.

In keeping these two ideas in mind and also the idea of developing something that would be a memorial to Mike Mansfield (graduate of this university and a member of the faculty on leave) the Mike Mansfield Lectures on International Relations was put into planning. This program would supplement the present program on campus by bringing in world leaders to speak. The Foundation is seeking \$100,000 but figure they will actually exceed this amount. Mr. Coffee explained that they do not wish to ask ASUM for funds for this purpose but that they would appreciate the students asking their parents to help in this campaign. Letters are to be sent out shortly under President Pantzer to the parents of all registered students suggesting that their money would be appreciated. The three methods of obtaining money are as follow:

1. Solicitation of the large corporations and big-name people.
2. Two dinners (one in Washington and one in Helena).
3. Individual contributions (to be listed as "Friends of Mike").

In answer to Eggensperger's question as to when this program would be put into effect, Mr. Coffee said it was hoped to have the first series of lectures sometime after the first of January 1968. Mr. Coffee also stated in answer to Anderson's question concerning whether or not there would be a charge for these lectures, that there would be no such charge. Briggs asked if this would be a classroom situation or open to everybody. Mr. Coffee answered that ideally the lecturer would be urged to spend at least a week on campus, during which time he would give two lectures and spend the rest of the time holding conferences with interested people. ANDERSON MOVED IT BE RECOMMENDED TO THE ASUM PRESIDENT THAT HE DRAFT A LETTER SUPPORTING THE UM FOUNDATION PROGRAM AND THAT THIS LETTER BE ADDRESSED TO THE STUDENT BODY. SECONDED BY BRIGGS. MOTION PASSED.

ANDERSON MOVED FOR ADJOURNMENT. THOGERSEN SECONDED THE MOTION. MOTION PASSED.

PRESENT: DAILEY, ANDERSON GRAUMAN,
BRIGGS, McGRATH, ALLEN, SMITH, HUDSON,
HARSTAD, BROWN, SELWAY, VAN HEUVELEN,
THOGERSEN, HAARR, EGGENSBERGER, Graham,
Groenhout

ABSENT: FLETCHER, FOLEY, JOHNSON,
KUNDERT, LEARY, LIBECAP, MOORE, SCHAFFER,
WHEELER

Respectfully submitted,

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