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Central Board Minutes
November 29, 1961

Absent: Bertelson, Browman, Carlson, Osterheld

The meeting was called to order by President Denis Adams in the Silver Bow Room. Correction to the minutes: under Vice President's Report delete "although the library has expressed concern over the competition" and add "and the library hopes this can be accomplished according to Osterheld".

Adams announced that the Central Board members would be honored at the opening basketball game, December 1, and should be in front of the scorers' table at half time to be introduced.

Adams read a letter from Harold Hunt, band president, saying that since there was some dispute the band had voted prior to leaving for the MEC game on buses. Only three opposed riding buses. Whitelaw said that he understood that preceeding this vote Mr. Eversole had announced that the band director would make the decision.

Budget and Finance

1) YOUNG MOVED TO ACCEPT KEITH NICHOLS AS BUSINESS MANAGER FOR THE ALL SCHOOL SHOW. SECONDED BY COLE. Nichol's recommendations and previous experience was read. MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

2) Young announced the Budget and Finance policy would be to allow 4¢ a mile for gas mileage and \$5 for room and/or board a day for all groups requesting travel funds. Cole questioned whether this was substantial for gas expense. Young said that it was not felt the depreciation of the car should be included, although some allowance could be considered if a major repair problem occurs. Train or bus would be other accepted modes of travel, although plane expense would not be.

Secretary Report

Leuthold explained the filing system and code, and asked for suggestions or criticisms. No folders except delegate folders should leave the ASMSU office. Committee chairmen should check their folders and file all reports.

Value of Trips

Carroll suggested adequate reports should be given to determine the value of trips. This would help future Central Board members evaluate worth and decide on special allocation requests. Tatsuyama asked if these should be written. Carroll said that they should be written and include a value estimation of the trip. Whitelaw stressed importance of the questioning and interview at Central Board meetings. COLE MOVED THAT ALL PERSONS WHO TAKE TRIPS ON ASMSU EXPENSE SUBMIT A WRITTEN REPORT WHICH CAN BE PUT ON FILE. SECONDED BY CARROLL. Mossey asked if this included sports' trips. Tatsuyama said that considering the time to write reports that they should be requested but not required.

Minute Correction: November 8 Minutes, Page 4 after the five minute recess: Tatsuyama asked what was unique about the bylaw as it was duplicating the Statement of Policies. As Central Board still had the power to hire and fire, the editor's opinion of signing editorials could be dealt with in other ways. Whitelaw agreed with this opinion of Tatsuyama.

There was some discussion on what reports "obviously" needed to be written with Whitelaw suggesting they be written on Central Board's request and Young saying the nature of the trip would determine need for a detailed expense account and written report. Tatsuyama clarified it by saying anything new would be considered necessary for a written report. COLE AND CARROLL RETRACTED THE MOTION AND SECOND. Whitelaw suggested that since formulating motions took so long to let Cole look into the matter and formulate a motion for another meeting.

BAND TO BOZEMAN

Eversole, band director, said he was at the meeting to defend the honor of the band against comments of Central Board members in the Kaimin. Eversole felt buses were the best transportation for the band. Objections to the train were: 1) Not enough time to properly set up, 2) Inconvenience of being $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles from the MSC campus with $3\frac{1}{2}$ tons of equipment to move. Eversole said band was a class as either a requirement or an elective. In class activities the instructor should have the say-so. The band members knew of the change. Eversole felt this was best for the band as a class and service organization and that they were going for a job and not as a social event. The reputation of the band was built on the job they do. Whitelaw said his opinion was based on questioning a few people. He suggested that if band was a class, they should not come to Central Board for funds. Eversole said the members should be more concerned with the job the band does with the \$800 allowed rather than with popular opinion. Young said if monetary support were pulled from the band, it would have to be removed from drama and other similar groups. Eversole said the trip was to provide service for the student body in return for the money. He suggested that something was wrong with the student body if only 270 students out of 4000 wanted to go to the MSC game and didn't feel the band should bail ASMSU out. Eversole congratulated the student body in their increased interest this year. Whitelaw said the question of jurisdiction on incidents such as this had not been settled.

Planning Board

- 1) Carroll reported that Marti Davis was unable to report on the Movie Presentation Committee.
- 2) Carroll said Traditions Board, Bear Paws, and Spurs were in favor of Freshmen beanies and would work to establish concrete plans for enforcing some tradition.
- 3) Carroll said Kaimin policies were discussed.

Big Name Entertainment

Adams had Bill Palmer draw up income and expense sheet from 1952-1961 on big name entertainment. A total loss of \$9,091.15 is recorded for these years. Adams asked if it was worth while and Whitelaw questioned whether it could be afforded. Young

said \$1600 was left in the General Fund to last through spring quarter. Adams said the reserve fund could be used as there are still some students on campus who paid into it with the \$2 increase two years ago. Young was against that as he felt it should be spent for something more enduring. Myhre said 500 reserve tickets would be sold at \$2.00 a piece, and 1000 general tickets, at \$1.50 a piece. Many students would like to have the ticket price lowered, but the contract states this as a minimum ticket price. \$275 was estimated for publicity. Jones said townspeople should be persuaded to buy blocks of tickets. Myhre said extensive plans have been made for both the townspeople and the high school. Ads would be run in the college and high school papers; film strips would be run in the theatre; talks would be given to civic clubs. Outside students would help Special Events committee. Young said Gov. Nutter was scheduled for the same date. WHITE LAW MOVED TO ACCEPT THE CONTRACT WITH THE LIMELIGHTERS AT \$2000 PLUS 100% OF THE PROFITS MINUS EXPENSES WITH THE SPECIFICATION THAT THE GROUP FLY TO SPOKANE AND TRAVEL TO MISSOULA ON THE TRAIN. IN CASE OF CANCELLATION THE BOOKING AGENT WOULD PAY FOR EXPENSES. SECONDED BY MINTEER. Myhre had said there could be Sunday afternoon performances if the weather interfered. Nichols said the entertainment should be chosen more carefully and in a long range plan. Young said publicity was a major problem. Whitelaw suggested the students might have different tastes and did not want big name entertainment. Myhre said Activities Board felt the Blue Hawks were an excellent band and no big name bands would be hired except for special dances such as Homecoming. Myhre said quartets lose the least money and the Limelighters were very popular. Carroll suggested the students just don't have the money to attend. Tatsuyama said it might be possible to have the students indicate their desire through the Kaimin. Walsh questioned whether this would serve the purpose and the methods of doing this. Myhre said the contract was due next week and the University Theatre was reserved. Performances would be at 8 pm and 10 pm. Wallace said Budget and Finance opposed bringing the Limelighters at that date and time. Some sort of coordination must be put in effect on all types of activities and entertainment. Paterson moved for a call of the question. Seconded by Tatsuyama. Motion passed with Whitelaw opposed. MOTION PASSED (11-0) WITH CARROLL ABSTAINING. Carroll said he appreciated the efforts of Myhre, but it was his policy to abstain when undecided.

Young announced that there were free tickets at the Lodge desk for the Missoula Civic Symphony.

As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Betty L. Leuthold, ASMSU Secretary
Diane Mossey, Recorder

Present: Adams, Carroll, Cole, Haarr, Hamlin, Haynam, Jones,
Leuthold, Minteer, Mossey, Paterson, Whitelaw, Young, Tatsuyama,
Cogswell, Steadman, Bothwell, Schwanke, Pengelley, Walsh, Myhre,
Holiday, Blaszek, Nichols