CENTRAL BOARD MINUTES
November 30, 1960

Before the meeting, Hometown News cards were filled out by all student delegates. A photographer from the Sentinel was present to take pictures.

The meeting was called to order by President Paul Ulrich in the Silver Bow Room at 4:20 p.m. The minutes were corrected to read: page 4, paragraph 3, line 29: into a group subordinated to the faculty.

BUDGET AND FINANCE
Bon reported that Pantzer and Dundas had checked into the Missoula firms for the question of investing part of the reserve fund of approximately $11,000. He said that there is now $10,703.24 in the fund. Bon then moved that the money now in the Activity Fee Increase Reserve Fund and the General Reserve Fund be divided equally for deposit in the Western Montana Building and Loan Association and the Missoula Building and Loan Association and that withdrawals from either account require the signatures of the ASMSU President and Business Manager and the Auditor of Student Accounts. Seconded by Carlson. Bon said that this investment would draw 4% interest. Motion carried unanimously.

Bon moved that approval be granted for the Sentinel to spend $90 from their Sentinel Reserve Fund for mailing bags. Seconded by Johnson. Bon said that the Sentinel wanted to buy 1000 mailing bags which would last them two to three years. These bags will be used for mailing Sentinels. Motion passed unanimously.

Bon explained that the Spurs and Bear Paws were represented at the last B&T meeting to request approval for a Christmas Tree to be placed and decorated on the Oval. He said that if ASMSU would buy the initial lighting equipment that the Maintenance Department would cut down, erect, decorate, and otherwise take care of the tree. The tree will be placed approximately a third of the way down the Oval from Main Hall. The Spurs and Bear Paws will replace the bulbs in future years. Bon moved that $100 be allocated for lighting equipment on a Christmas tree to be erected in the Oval. Motion passed unanimously.

PUBLICATIONS BOARD
Walsh gave the quarterly report of the Kalmin. McGlashan had given the business report in which she stated that advertisers had improved, circulation and mailing difficulties had been resolved, operational expenses have been normal, a new typewriter had been purchased and that the salary for the new associate editor in charge of photography was covered by a
four-page Friday issue rather than the usual eight-pages. Monthly budget reports are available both in her office and at the field house for interested persons.

Olson gave the operational report on the Kaimin. Walsh said that he had reported that a photographer had been added to the staff as approved by Central Board. Marie Stephenson had replaced Arlene Kne as associate editor, and that the team of editors and reporters were working more closely than ever before. Dave Patten had reported on the progress of the Venture magazine. He had said that this Fall's issue should be out for distribution Thursday or Friday of next week, which is on schedule. Contests are being planned for the near future in art work, poetry, non-fiction articles, and short stories. Walsh said that James Dullenty had been elected as co-chairman of Publications Board so that meetings could still be held in the case of his absence.

STORE BOARD

Dan Bieri reported that the Store Board was meeting every third Wednesday of the month. The Student Store has a net profit as of January 30, 1960 of 3.9% or $12,715.65. $5,000 plus $200 interest of this will go to the athletic department to pay off the loan assumed by ASMSU and the Student Store. The Board is also thinking of setting a fund aside for future store development. There will be $584.5 put in this fund, which will be administered by a special committee composed of two Store Board members, two Central Board members elected at large and one member appointed by the President of the University. Bieri said that 10.1% of the gross profit went for salaries. He listed salary changes for 1960-61 as follows: the manager's salary was raised from $637.50 to $675 per month; floor manager, from $300 to $375 per month; half-shift secretary, from $127.50 to $130 per month; head book clerk, $225 to $250 per month. Part time employees will receive $1 per hour for the first year experience; $1.10 per hour; second year; $1.25, third year; and $1.25 to $1.50 per hour, fourth year. He also said that according to the by-laws drawn up for the Incorporation of the Associated Students Store, the three delegates elected last spring for the two year terms drew straws to determine which two would serve the two-year terms and which would serve the one-year term needed to establish a continuation. Jan Gerbashe and Suzie Frizalle were awarded the two-year terms and Dan Bieri received the one-year term. Repairs for the previous year are as follows: desk, $350; desk 200; carpentry work 285; painting 55.

As yet the Student Store is not Incorporated. The final decision still rests with the tax exemption which was filed this fall with the Bureau of Internal Revenue. It will take 30-60 days for a reply. When this is back, if the report is satisfactory, the Articles of Incorporation will be filed with the Secretary of State, Murray.

STUDENT UNION

Datsopoulos reported that after January 1 no more signs will be allowed on the outside of the Lodge. The Board discussed
the Class AA Basketball Tournament to be held in Missoula March 13-18, 1961, and the possibility of providing entertain­
ment for the high school attendants. It was suggested that
ASMSU and the "M" Club sponsor a dance on the weekend.

Under Movies Committee a new amplifier is being set up and
the screen is being improved.

Batsopoulos announced that the Four Freshmen were available
January 19, 1961, which is a Thursday night. They would
either have two performances of 1 ½ hrs for $1750 or they would
have just one 2 ½ hr. performance for $1500. He said that he
would double check with the agent and the group would definit­
ly be able to be here. If the group would sing for two concerts
the times would be 7:30 and 9:30 p.m. Batsopoulos said that
he had checked about extended hours for the girls. All
communication with Bob Hope has been stopped. Batsopoulos said
that Hope had been "disqualified". Les Elgart is still
available for a one hour concert and a three hour dance Feb. 10, for $2000. Ben moved that negotiations with the Four
Freshmen be made for two 1 ½ hour performances on January 19,15
for $1750. Seconded by Dodge. Batsopoulos said that this
group appeared on campus four years ago and had two full
houses on a weekend. Dodge suggested that maybe as much money
wouldn't be lost if they had one concert for $1500. Ulrich
said that the reason that Roger Williams didn't fill the
house was that he was competing with "Ben Hur" which was
playing for the first week. Ulvila said that this was early
enough in the quarter for the students not to have too many
studying problems. The motion was carried 11-0, with
Batsopoulos, Oswald and Stone abstaining. Batsopoulos then
announced that he already had the contracts here for the group
waiting to be signed and returned.

Batsopoulos announced that the contract for Les Elgart is on
the way and the group will appear on campus February 10, 1961.

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS
Batsopoulos moved that Jack Griffith be accepted to replace
Denis Adams for Traditions Board Chairman for the remainder of
the year. Seconded by Ben. Carried unanimously.

Batsopoulos moved that Sally Shiner and Eric Myhre be accepted
as co-chairmen of Homecoming Committee and that Helen Dwelle
and David Eacret be approved as members of this committee.
Seconded by Johnson. Shiner and Myhre were recommended by
the 1960 Homecoming Committee Co-chairmen, Griffith and Nelson.
Motion carried unanimously.

TRADITIONS BOARD
Adams reported that the "Fight Song Contest" is on its way.
T-Board has met to draw up regulations and requirements.
They are:
1. The competition is open to all students and alumni.
2. All entries will become the property of the Associated
   Students of Montana State University.
3. A board of prominent judges, among them alumni, faculty
   members and professional musicians, will be announced.
1. The committee and judges reserve the right to reject any or all entries.

5. Authors will use a nom de plume on the manuscript. A sealed envelope containing identification and nom de plume will be sent to President H. K. Newburn, Montana State University, Missoula, Montana and marked "Song Contest". The envelope will be opened by President Newburn at a public ceremony after the judges have submitted their decisions to Dean Luther Richman of the Fine Arts College.

6. Words and melody must be original and sent to Dean Richman.

7. Entries must be postmarked previous to midnight, March 31, 1961.

8. The winning song will be published in the MSU Song Book and will be premiered by the Treasure State Band at the 1961 Homecoming, when the Grizzlies meet the Denver Pioneers, October 14.

9. The award, a C clef, handcrafted of Montana Silver, will be presented at the Distinguished Service Awards Ceremony, Friday evening, October 13, 1961.

10. If the song is written by collaborating writers, duplicate prizes will be awarded.

11. Additional prizes will be given if the judges submit more than one song for an award.

Traditions Board is working on a Christmas SCS to be held December 8 at 7:30 p.m. The Christmas Tree Lighting ceremony will be held then along with the singing of carols.

MCDEL UN
Romstad reported that the Selections Committee with Paul Möller, Chairman, Ron Long, Arashmides Menjazeb, Buzz Romstad, Dr. Stillson and Dr. Hanson, had held interviews last Monday and Tuesday of 10 minutes each. There were around 37 applicants who appeared for interviews. The committee selected delegates on their knowledge of the United Nations and world affairs and self expression through speaking. Those selected were: Garry Morrow, John Carlsen, Joan Elder, Carol Cooper, Katherine Jones, John Schultz, Scott Scerson, Ali Al Sadi, Virginia Ragland, David Fuller, Dorothy McBride, Eva Neisser, and Judy McVey. The five standby delegates in this order are Sandra Orr, Allan Jeska, Paula Simmons, John Mroz, and James Bretz. The five standby delegates were chosen in addition to the 13 delegates and rated so that they can replace a delegate if he cannot attend. Dr. Stillson is in charge of the delegation. He will be leading discussion and research every Thursday night at 7:30.

CAMPUS PUBLICATION
Celness said that the Publication Department of the University had said that a publication of campus individuals in booklet form would not go over. So he said that he talked to Rolf Olson who expressed an interest in running a feature once a week or more. Olson had said that the Kaimin was rather in a bind as to reporters now. Celness said that with the cooperation of the Kaimin this project will be under way next quarter.
OLD BUSINESS

Johnson moved that the by-law change concerning the removal of Activities Board from ASMSU be removed from the table. Seconded by Bon. Motion carried unanimously.

The discussion was reviewed on the pro side by Johnson. He said that Planning Committee had reviewed the problem and had voted 6-1 to accept it; the dissenting vote being Farrington.

He said that there would be more coordination by putting everything in one group of committees. On the division of funds, ASMSU would keep control of the money situation of Dance and Special Events. Carlson presented the con side.

He said that an authoritarian type government is the most efficient, but that the members won't be responsible to the student body. All Central Board would be doing would be to save a veto power. He said that they would plan entertainment and lectures, etc. They now have jurisdiction through the committees. He also expressed a distrust of Student Faculty committees; they can easily be halted by domination.

Carlson said that the student government has increased efficiency and administration ability in the past and that it was worth while keeping. He said that this move would be strengthening the Student Union at the expense of ASMSU. Johnson said that at the present time the President has the choice of members for the Student Union Board. Carlson said that in the case of Visiting Lectures, the committee now has the apparatus to bring in a speaker if he was wanted by the students but banned by the faculty and administration.

Johnson said that the bulk of funds for this committee comes from the administration and alumni. She said that of the $3500, only $1000 comes from ASMSU. Carlson said that until last year ASMSU supported the committee almost entirely. Stone said that the question to him seemed to be whether these student activities should be controlled by representatives of the students or by delegated authorities.

Grimm said that the activities for the students should be controlled by the students. Ulvila said that the Visiting Lectures committee had a very hard time going by itself. It is much more efficient now as the students want efficiency. Cogswell said that a double set of committees could be formed and that the committee should be within Student Union's control if they are using Student Union funds. Bon said that the efficiency and coordination had improved during the past years, and that a form of government should be able to improve on itself. He said that Central Board would be shirking its duty to admit defeat.

Ulrich turned the meeting over to Datsopoulos in order to speak against the motion. He said that originally the Student Union had majority of student members until Dr. McFarland's administration. The activities programs after that time were almost non-existent and were taken over by ASMSU. Now ASMSU acts as a recruiting agent for setting up committees for the use of Student Union. He said that they have been cooperating well and there was no friction that he could see. He said that it was dangerous to give up control that the student body has.

If the Student Union failed as it did in the past the student body wouldn't be able to get the control back easily. Then they would be faced, if the SU refused something wanted by the students, with the alternatives of either setting up its own
committees or not scheduling the event. There is not a large enough student body for two sets of committees. The best means of running the committees now is through Central Board with a fairly large body of student representatives. The control is the question; there would be no difference in efficiency or in coordination. Bartlett said that Ulrich seemed to be challenging whether the Student Union board would work with Central Board. She said that on all other campuses the SU worked with the student government and that there shouldn't be this fear. Whitelaw asked that if there were no friction, then where did the problem come in. Bartlett said that it was obvious with the turnover of chairmen there must be friction somewhere. Johnston said that Central Board should remember how the committees were picked originally. Farrington said that there was no reason why a Personnel Committee wouldn't work under ASMSU. Stone said that the committee framework was too difficult to try to rebuild. Carlson told how the Student Store was dissolved and run in an illegal status. He said that he and other students had worked in connection with a faculty student committee for a year trying to reincorporate it. The main result of the year was to get equalization on the committee with five faculty and five students. Morris suggested that the difficulties could be worked out with out passing the proposal. Ulrich said that ASMSU was moving in this direction and had plans for the consolidation of various committees. Cogswell said that the campus will soon have to have a director of the Student Union as well as a program director. He said that the students attending the Student Union Convention had brought back this proposal as a suggestion inevitable to a Student Union. Ulrich said that many Student Unions had boards that were elected. Cogswell said that President Newburn would probably go along with having a majority of student members on the board. The members now include the Vice President of ASMSU, the chairman of Activities Board, and another member of Activities Board all three of which are either elected by the students or approved by Central Board. The latter two are recommended to Pres. Newburn for appointment. Other members are Dean Cogswell, Dean Clow, Dr. Shannon, and Mr. Dugan, chairman. Earl Martell and Dave Blenda are nonvoting members. Newburn is the only one who has control, Ulrich pointed out. Daley mentioned that Newburn will not always be here and that the committees and control might be better under Central Board which is representative of the student body.

The motion was defeated 11-11, with Datsopoulos, Colness, Cogswell, and Oswald and Johnson in favor; Mossey abstained. Johnson changed his vote from aye to nay in the case of reconsideration.

NEW BUSINESS

Ulrich announced that meeting will be held next Wednesday.

Ulrich reported that he had talked with Mr. McCollum, manager of the Student Store, who suggested putting the "M" on Mr. Sentinel in concrete with lighting for nighttime. He had said that the Book Store and ASMSU might jointly sponsor this.
Vasser said that a project like this would be terribly expensive. Carlson said that the Store had $5000 or $6000 available. A straw vote taken showed that there was enough interest among the students to look into costs, etc. Vasser said that the tradition of painting the "M" would be lost. Grimm said that the concrete emblem would easily be blown up or otherwise destroyed.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Mossey
Secretary, ASMSU

Present: Ulrich, Datsonoulas, Ron, Mossey, Colness, Johnson, Lee, Carlson, Dodge, Mylta, Muria, Romstad, Whitelaw, Daley, Mintzer, Vasser, Cogswell, Oswald, Stone, Bartlett, Browman, Olson, Dunn, Grimm, Dwelle, Stephenson, L. Johnson, Ragland, Mowatt, Bieri, Farrington, Walsh, Schults, Morgenstern.