Central Board Minutes
February 11, 1958

The meeting was called to order by President Roger Baty. The
minutes were read and approved.

PUBLICITY-TRAVEL:
Baty read the following report from Publicity-Travel:

Applications for College and Career Days have been dispursed to
the student body - they are due Thursday at 5 p.m. The program
has been altered somewhat this year. Each week, a "keynote"
speaker will be sent out to the scheduled high schools, with
two or three students accompanying him. Interviews for app­
licants will be scheduled for this weekend - Saturday....
Requirements for applications are: sophomore, junior, senior
and a 2.5 over-all average. For the Booster Night Saturday,
February 15, a dinner is being served at the Lodge for the
alums, with entertainment by the Jubileers. Those Boosters
arriving by train will be met by the Spurs and Bear Paws.

ELECTIONS CHAIRMAN:
Baty made the motion that Jake Braig be elected chairman of the
elections committee. Content seconded. Passed 15-0. Baty
suggested that the Judicial Council and AWS elections be held on
the same day. Braig is to work with Ulrich in presenting the
revised Constitution before the student body.

CONSTITUTION:
Crawford announced that the revised Constitution will be ready
Saturday February 22. Baty called for a special Central Board
meeting Saturday February 22 at 9 a.m. for the purpose of going
over the Constitution.

SENTINEL:
Baty announced a meeting with the Sentinel, Saturday 15 at 10 a.m.
This meeting will be held to discuss plans of Sentinel.

RELATIONS WITH THE KAIMIN:
Baty reported favorably of the supplement in the Kaimin February
7. This article was a reprint of John Smurr's speech to Mortar
Board. Brammer stated that things are slow now and the Kaimin
has time to print such material. The general consensus of
Central Board was in favor of such articles in the Kaimin.

TRADITIONS BOARD:
Higham suggested that Traditions Board be told to get the
pictures in the Field House of the Homecoming Queens, Bear
Paws, Spurs and ASMSU presidents up to date.

ATHLETIC PROGRAM:
Jiggs Dahlgberg explained the position of MSU in the Skyline
conference. As a member of the Skyline conference MSU is expected
to participate in the major sports. We are the smallest school
in the conference and Utah State and MSU are the poorest financially.
The $42,000 received for the student body is just enough to cover
traveling expenses. There are 60 scholarships given for football
and 18 for basketball. These scholarships cover tuition, loan
of books, board and room, and an arbitrary job that consists of
$15 a month. Each scholarship may be split up between two or
three students. If MSU decided to become an independent team
the schedule would become indefinite and shaky, participators' interest would decrease and traveling expenses would increase. To obtain the opinion of Central Board, Higham proposed that the activity fee be raised $5 with the stipulation the ASMSU would receive $1 of this increase. Morrison stated that it will take much publicity to get the student body in favor of this increase. Schuster asked if there was any moral justification in making students pay who are not interested in sports. After discussion it was decided that people had to pay for many things in which they were not interested and sports are no exception. Dahlberg said this raise would not guarantee better teams, but the chances of more success would increase. The last raise in the student activity fee was about 1940. A vote was taken and 10 were in favor of raising the activity fee. For information Baty will find out the procedure to raise activity fees.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted

Sue Williams
ASMSU Secretary

Present: Baty, Higham, Brown, Williams, McFarlane, Ulrich, Braig, Swares, Content, Cogswell, Schuster, Morrison, Peterson, Crawford, Datsopoulos, Palin, Martin, Loy, Davey, Brammer, Kottas, Ubl, Underdahl, Dahlberg.