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Central Board Minutes  
November 13, 1957

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

NSA:

Beiswanger read a written report from the NSA regional meeting in Seattle November 2 and 3. The purpose of the Fall Regional Conference was to criticize and evaluate the material handled at the Congress of USNSA. In this conference, the material gathered previously was further sub-divided so as to be put to a more direct utilization on the regional and especially on the campus level. The report included reports given on the commissions of Student Government, Student Affairs, Educational Affairs, and International Affairs. Peterson moved that Central Board accept the NSA report as presented by Beiswanger. Braig seconded. Passed 15-0.

BUDGET & FINANCE:

Higham read the financial report of the ASMSU General Budget Fund which will be voted on next week.

ALL-SCHOOL SHOW:

Higham asked Hulbert to place a notice in the Kaimin that a business manager is needed for the All-School Show to be presented spring quarter.

PARKING METERS:

Brown read a report concerning the parking meters for the 600 block of University Avenue. The City Council passed the ordinances stating that parking meters will be placed on both sides of the block mentioned above.

HONORS PROGRAM:

Schuster stated that any student who would like to gain more information about the Honors Program and its progress can make an appointment with her. Dean George Wagner, Dean of the Liberal Arts and Sciences School of the University of Kansas, will visit MSU December 2 and 3. He will have three meetings with students and will explain more about the honors program.

CORRESPONDENCE: THE CIVIC SYMPHONY:

Baty read a letter from Mrs. G. M. De Jarnette. It stated that the Civic Symphony Board will offer a block of 400 student tickets in return for free rent for the building used by the Civic Symphony. She asked if arrangements could be made to have the Spurs and BearPaws serve as ushers.

COMMITTEE SYSTEM:

Brown reported lack of committee action was due to the facts that there was nobody in charge and no reports were handed in by committee chairmen. Applications for ASMSU committees are to be handed in by Saturday noon November 16. There will be a meeting at 7:00 p.m. Sunday to go over the applications.

REPORTS TO CENTRAL BOARD:

Baty stated that two precedents concerning reports to Central Board will be set. They are: 1) Non-voting representatives are to submit a written report on their own reactions and the reactions of their living groups to the actions taken by Central Board, and 2) Central Board delegates are to submit



a report on what they are doing in Central Board and what they would like to do in the future. This will be held in confidence if so desired by the Central Board members.

SWIMMING POOL:

Wallace reported the completion of the closing roof of the swimming pool and tomorrow they are going to begin to erect the sides. The swimming team extended an invitation to Central Board to come to the old swimming pool November 21 and see the team in action.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION:

Beiswanger asked for opinions on the revised committee program as was passed by Central Board June 5, 1957 after it had been discussed for two previous meetings. He stated that at the time there was not any chance to foresee the possibility of not having a vice-president. The MSU campus should have a committee set-up to fit this campus situation. Baty clarified that no new committees had been added through the committee revision and this committee revision is not yet constitutional. Baty proposed that Central Board continue with both committee organizations and committee chairmen will have meetings with Brown. By the time of the passage of the new Constitution it may be decided which system works best for our situation. Each committee should be aware of the two systems: 1) the present system which is under Bud Wallace and has the ASMSU Activities Fund and 2) the revised system which will act as an informer and will give regular reports to Central Board. These two systems are titled Activities Board under the old system and Student Affairs under the revised.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

*Sue Williams*

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ASMSU Secretary

Present: Baty, Brown, Higham, Williams, Peterson, Datsopoulos, Content, Swarens, McFarlane, Cogswell, Schuster, Ulrich, Morrison, Crawford, Braig, Stubblefield, Kottas, Hansen, Wallace, Fry, Beiswanger, Hulbert, Upshaw, Robison, Adams, Crego, Ubl.