Central Board Meeting  
March 30, 1956

The meeting was called to order by President Jystad in President McFarland’s office.

Jystad explained to the group that the meeting had been called to determine the method of selection of the faculty advisors to central board. Jystad said that with the increased membership on central board, the percentage vote of the faculty is no longer a question, that the board feels the faculty serve a necessary and valuable position on the board. Jystad said that the board feels that one of the delegates should be from the faculty proper and one from the administrative part of the faculty. Jystad said that the group recommends that the appointment of the faculty be made through the faculty organization. President McFarland told the group that he felt the continuity supplied by carry-over members was of value. He said that he felt this was a matter of sound administration. By having the faculty other than the administrative faculty choose the representative, the faculty might feel a split between the two segments. The difficulty with representation is a practical one of having enough people to do the work and serve on the committees. Cogswell added that it is a mistaken assumption that the Dean of Students is an automatic appointee to Central Board. President McFarland pointed out to the group that the process of having elections among the faculty was a very cumbersome process. If the delegate is appointed, that delegate has the security of having the confidence of the faculty and administration. It was suggested that the present central board prepare a list of faculty whom it would like as faculty delegates, and that the administration also prepare a list, and that the ASMSU president confer with the President of the University, and the two compare lists and draw up a list of the people who are possibilities. By this method, a person who is suitable to all parties could be selected.

With this conclusion reached, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

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Merrill, Cogswell, Erickson, Crippen, Jystad, McFarland, Crocker, Fowler, Crawford, Bayley, Lambros, Turner