Central Board Minutes
April 21, 1954

The meeting was called to order by Key Hudson.

TRADITIONS BOARD
Ryan announced that there will be an SOS on Thursday, April 29.

Ryan asked if there should be a Green Day this year. He said that it's a day when the freshmen go up and repaint the "M" in preparation for interscholastic. Lambros said that he thought the freshmen had planned to repaint it and then go on a picnic. He suggested that Ryan talk with the frosh officers.

COMMUNITY CONCERTS
Gaughan suggested that a Student Community Concert Association be set up to sell the tickets to the students. Eyer said that it could be set up as a sub committee of Outside Entertainment Committee. Baldwin said that if a separate committee is set up, the drive will be stronger. An indicative vote was 4-3 in favor of a new committee.

BY-LAW REVISIONS
Gaughan said that in the present by-laws there are two committees that don't do anything, the Student Improvement Committee and Student Betterment committee. Kind moved that they be deleted from the by-laws, it was seconded and passed.

Gaughan said that the constitution states a specific way in which to choose cheerleaders that is never followed. He suggested that the by-law be changed to read: That Traditions Board may select cheerleaders subject to Central Boards approval. Ryan said that it is impossible to follow the current rules. Eyer moved that Gaughan's by-law suggestion be approved. It was seconded and passed by a vote of 6 to 1.

MISSOULA TRAFFIC SAFETY COUNCIL
O'Donnell reported that the meeting they went to was well attended. He said many of the community organizations were represented in the group. He said that the aims of the organization are worthwhile and that by joining it we may have an opportunity to get the roads around the University fixed. He said that it will cost $10.00 to join. Baldwin said that the Red Cross is sponsoring a Safety on the Highways Campaign before final week. He suggested that this group might help. Kind moved that Central Board allocate $10.00 for membership in the Missoula Traffic Safety Council. It was seconded and passed.

BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE
Hoiness moved that $30.00 be allocated to Alpha Phi Omega for the purpose of refinishing building signs. It was seconded and passed.

Hoiness moved that any equipment purchased by Women's Intramural Sports in the years 1952-53 and 1953-54 up to April 1, shall be reimbursed to the Women's General Fund from the equipment reserve of $433.00. Any additional equipment at the authorization of Central Board may be taken from the equipment reserve. It was seconded and passed.

Hoiness read the budget. A copy is included in the minutes.

Dundas said that there has been a tax law change and that the Athletic Department no longer has to pay a tax on student admissions. He said that it will increase the athletic budget by about $1500.00.
Hoiness said that no amount was stipulated in the athletic budget for skiing. However, skiing is mentioned in the budget. Eyer said that if no amount is specified, they can just cut it out. Hoiness said that Dahlberg wanted it with no specifications so he can have a free hand and spend as much as he wishes.

Hoiness said that last spring Budget and Finance Committee appropriated $700.00 to the Kaimin to cover an expected deficit this year. This deficit was not realized and they made money instead. In this year's budget the $700.00 was taken back. Anderson said that we actually gave them a reserve and we haven't given a reserve to any other group.

Anderson suggested that it be stipulated in the budget that a representative from men's intramurals and one from WRA report to Central Board once a quarter on their activities.

Hoiness moved tentative approval of the budget. It was seconded and passed. Anderson said that there will be representatives of skiing and the Kaimin in next week to talk about those parts of the budget again.

ABSENTEE BALLOT

Anderson asked for permission of Central Board to allow students who are away on school authorized trips to vote in absentia. Kind moved that permission be granted, it was seconded and passed.

Gaughan suggested that a by-law be framed to deal with such situations if they should come up again. Anderson asked Gaughan to present a by-law at the next Central Board meeting.

Briggs suggested that the secretary keep a by-law book so they'll all be in one place.

Anderson reported that Annapolis requested permission to use the melody to the Montana Fight Song. Hoiness moved that such permission be granted, it was seconded and passed.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Phyllis Kind
ASMSU Secretary


Absent: Burnell, Newlin