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The meeting was called to order by President Pantzer. The minutes of the meeting of January 9 were read and corrected.

Discussion of the proposed tour for a Masquer play was opened by Kirk Badgley. Only four large towns in the state wished performances and the trip consequently might become a financial failure. He reported that Mr. Haydon recommended that the trip not be taken this year in order to avoid a loss. Carter Williams made a motion that Central Board accept Mr. Haydon's recommendation that the proposed trip of the Dramatics Dept. be canceled for this year. Sally Hopkins seconded the motion and it was carried.

The possibility of taking the play to Helena for a test trip was tabled until Mr. Haydon can come to a meeting and explain his proposition in greater detail.

After discussion, Kirk Badgley made a motion that Central Board authorize the advancing of money from the Masquer Outside Entertainment Reserve Fund for the purpose of defraying expenses necessary to be paid in advance for the production of the University all student show, "The Student Prince", with the understanding that, if in accord with the intent of the students at the time this fund was established, that any deficit that may accrue from the play be paid from this fund. Walter Elliot seconded and the motion was carried.

A letter from Mr. Bell asking for an advancement from the band budget for next year with which the band wishes to purchase a set of tympani was read. Action on this matter was tabled until next meeting.

A motion was made, seconded, and carried for adjournment.

Catherine Berg
Secretary


Absent: Shallenberger.

Others Present: Millar.