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RECOMM.: Cr. for The House to 3 cr. hrs. and credit for Int. Dec. and Fur. 71 changed to 2 cr. hrs.

RECOMM.: Nursing Ed. program apprvd. for B.S. DEGREE
RECOMM.: Camp Counseling and Leadership 49 approved. (chg. in)
RECOMM.: Schedule (calendar) for 2 sch. yrs.—1955-56, 1956-57
RECOMM.: Summer Session commencement on Thurs. of 9th week.

Minutes of the Regular meeting of the Faculty Senate, Wednesday, Dec. 15, 1954 at 3:30 p.m. in the Dean's Office.

Members present: E.R. McCartney, S.V, Dalton, Ralph V. Coder, Don Adee, Doyle Brooks, Alice Morrison, Joel Moss, Katharine Nutt, L.W. Thompson, Gerald Tomanek, Margaret van Ackeren.

Member Absent: Calvin Harbin

Others present: Helen McCullough, Leora Stroup

Request for changes in number, name and credit, and for a new course in Economics and Business Administration:

The following request was read: "Faculty Senate: In order to bring our accounting offerings in line with those of other institutions, I request the Senate to grant permission to change the name and number of our present course, Valuation Accounting 159, to Intermediate Accounting 60, and that 54 Intermediate Accounting be changed to number 59 Intermediate Accounting.

"Course number 152, Income Tax Accounting should be changed to 62 Income Tax Procedures.

"Course 160 Advanced Accounting is to be discontinued. I am requesting a course that will be more usable to our students—Governmental and Institutional Accounting.

"Course requested: 162 Governmental and Institutional Accounting. Two credit hours. Prerequisite, 31. A study of budgeting and operation of fund accounts for state, municipal and public institutions. Accounting control as a means of effecting improved administration of public enterprises. Some attention is given to accounting systems for educational, charitable and other types of institutions."

/Signed./ Leonard W. Thompson.

RECOMMENDATION: It was recommended that the above changes, and the course, 162 Governmental and Institutional Accounting, be approved. Seconded and carried.

Request for changes in credit hours of courses in Home Economics:

The following request was read: "Faculty Senate: We wish to change The House 56 from a two-credit-hour course to a three-credit-hour course. This change will put this course on an equal credit-hour basis with the course as given at the other state colleges.

"We wish also to change Interior Decoration and Furnishings 71 from a three-credit-hour course to a two-credit-hour course. This change will put this course on an equal credit basis with the course at other colleges."

/Signed./ Alice F. Beesley.

RECOMMENDATION: It was recommended that the credit for the course, the House, be changed to 3 credit hours and the credit for Interior Decoration and Furnishings 71 be changed to 2 credit hours, be approved. Seconded and carried.
Nursing Education Program:

Miss Stroup gave a brief review of the collegiate nursing program in the colleges of the United States. Our course was designed to cover a 39 months period and the students would then take the State Board exams for the R.N. Miss Stroup, who had previously handed the Senate members the plans of the nursing program, explained the "Suggested Courses to Complete Work for the B.S. Degree" and the training of the students in the hospitals.

Suggested Courses to Complete Work for the B.S. Degree

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RECOMMENDATION: It was recommended that the above program be approved. Seconded and carried.

Request to change the number and title of the course, Camp Counseling 76:

Dr. Adee presented the following request: "It is hereby requested that Camp Counseling 76 be changed to Camp Counseling and Leadership 49. The high number which the course now bears immediately discourages those lower division students who wish to take the course in preparation for anticipated work in the camping field during the summer following their first and/or second years in college."

RECOMMENDATION: It was recommended that Camp Counseling and Leadership 49 be approved. Seconded and carried.

Tentative Schedule of the important school-year dates for the next two years:

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The above schedule was discussed. It was suggested that the Christmas vacation should be two full weeks beginning on Friday at 5:00 p.m. with Christmas Day about in the middle of the time and that no note should be given as to whether New Year's Day came after this two weeks. This would give an addition weekend.
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It was thought that this plan would not be feasible when New Year's Day is the first of the week, Sunday, Monday or Tuesday.

RECOMMENDATION: It was recommended that the Schedule shown above for the two school years, 1955-56 and 1956-57, be approved. Seconded and carried.

Summer session commencement on Thursday or Friday:

At present the plan has been to have the enrollment for the nine-weeks summer session on Tuesday and the commencement on Friday night of the ninth week. It was suggested that since July 4 is the only break during the session, the classes in the summer session probably meet for more clock hours than they do during the regular semester. The possibility of closing the summer session on Thursday of the ninth week was discussed.

RECOMMENDATION: It was recommended that hereafter the Summer Session will begin on Tuesday of the first week and close on Thursday of the ninth week in place of Friday as it has been in the past. Seconded and carried.

The meeting adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

Standlee V. Dalton, Secretary
E.R. McCartney, Chairman