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Approval of courses:
Econ. and Bus. Admin. Dept.
1, 2, 26, 48, 49, 159, and 178
Art Dept. (See attached for courses)
Home Econ. (See attached.)
Music Dept. (See attached.)

History Dept. asked for a change in present courses, 168 and 172, and to add a new course, 176. It was decided 3 courses in this area too many. Request returned to Dr. Welty saying 2 sufficient and if he wished to change the present two, request should be sent to the Senate.

Declaration of Intent -- Math Fraternity -- Approved.

Minutes of the Meeting of the Faculty Senate, Thursday, April 21, 1952, at 3:30 p.m. in the Dean's Office.

RECOMMENDATION: Dr. Stephen moved that the Senate accept the proposed program as presented. Seconded and carried.

Music Department:
E. R. McCartney, Chairman
S. V. Dalton, Secretary
Ralph V. Good, Dean Graduate School
C. Thomas Bair
Alice Beasley
Doyle Brooks
Harold Choquette - Late because she is teaching a pre-summer class until 1-00.

C. Thomas Bair - The following request for changes in its offerings in the Fall:

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, E. R. McCartney. He announced that the departments had been studying their departmental offerings and that several wished to present their plans today.

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Declaration of Intent -- Math Fraternity -- Approved.

Approval of new courses.
173. Latin American History Colonial Period. 3 credit hours.

Economics and Business Administration Department:
1. 172. Mexico and the Caribbean. 3 credit hours which is
Dr. Thompson presented the following courses for approval:

I. Introduction to Business Administration
2. Introduction to Business Administration. 3 credit hours.
3. American Economic Development
4. Financial Institutions
5. Financial Institutions and the Caribbean. Three hours
7. Business Organization and Finance

For description of the courses and reasons for their need, see the attached report which Dr. Thompson presented to the members of the committee. Dr. Thompson reported that the courses listed on his Curriculum Study report would be dropped from the catalogue.

This report was discussed at length; questions were asked regarding the choice of numbers for the courses; who would enroll for these courses; and whether the department was scattering the offerings too much.

RECOMMENDATION: Dr. Stephen moved that the program recommended by Dr. Thompson be approved. Seconded and Carried.
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Art Department

Mr. Moss presented a report of the curriculum study and the revision proposed by the Art Department for the improvement of the offerings in their department. (See the attached report.)

This was discussed for some time.

RECOMMENDATION: Dr. Stephenson moved that the Senate accept the proposed program as presented by Mr. Moss. Seconded and carried.

Music Department

Mr. Barr presented the attached report for improvement of the course offerings. This was discussed.

RECOMMENDATION: Dr. Richardson moved that Mr. Barr's recommendation be accepted as presented. Seconded and carried.

History Department asked approval to change two courses and to add a new course.

Dr. Welty presented the following request for changes in its offerings in the Latin American Field: In order to bring up the question regarding credit given for this organization, the Math Club carries activity credit and it was suggested that this be discussed and it was suggested that this be discussed. It was suggested that the mathematics honorary fraternity be changed as follows:

I. To change our present courses as follows:
   a. 169. Latin American History. 3 credit hours, which is a survey of the entire Latin American History.
   b. 173. Latin American History Colonial Period. 3 credit hours.

RECOMMENDATION: Mr. Brooks moved that this "declaration of intent" be approved. Seconded and carried.

II. To add a new course:
   176. Mexico and the Caribbean. 3 credit hours. This will be a good course to offer for summer sessions and extension classes.

(Descriptions of courses are attached. These were read to the Senate.)

It was suggested that three courses in the Caribbean area are not warranted as shown by the enrollments in the two courses now available. After some discussion, it was the decision of the Senate that three courses on the Caribbean and Central America area are not justified and that two courses seemed to be sufficient. It was suggested that Dr. Welty be notified that if the History Department wished to change the present courses, or add one and drop one, or any change or combination they thought best, this would be approved.

Meeting adjourned at 5:30 P.M.

[Signatures]

[Stamp] D. O. Dalton, Secretary
Home Economics Department: and trends in business ownership and leadership.

1. Miss Beesley reported that course number 52 would be dropped as it seemed not justified itself. It has not been possible to offer it at an hour when the men students could enroll in it. Personal; production; marketing; internal organization was central; adjustment to external environment.

Miss Beesley said that they wished to add one course, "Home Crafts" for two credit hours which would take the place of a course being offered. Readings in which students are doing needlework, etc. It was suggested that the number for the course should be determined later.

RECOMMENDATION: Mr. Most moved that Miss Beesley's request be approved. Seconded and carried.

Declaration of Intent: to petition Kappa Mu Epsilon to organize a chapter here.

Dr. Stopher presented the attached declaration of intent of several students to petition the national organization of Kappa Mu Epsilon, an honorary fraternity in mathematics, to organize a chapter on this campus.

It was suggested that this would bring up the question regarding credit given for this organization. The Math Club carries activity credit and it would not be wise to give activity credit for both as there is some overlapping of membership, meetings, etc. Honorary fraternities were discussed and it was suggested that if a group wished to petition, they were free to do so. Activity credit is not asked for the mathematics honorary fraternity.

Financial Institutions. Two credit hours. Spring semester. Prerequisite, Financial Institutions, Course 10.

RECOMMENDATION: Mr. Brooks moved that this "declaration of intent" be approved. Seconded and carried.

Meeting adjourned at 5:10 P.M.