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Discussion, Languages  
Report from Committee I of the AACTE committees  
Discussed summary of enrollments and offerings  
of the subject fields.  
Curriculum Committee and AACTE committee V -  
difference between the two.  
Grade Point for Honors Convocation.

Minutes of the meeting of the Faculty Senate, Thursday, February 19, 1953,  
at 3:30 p.m. in the Dean's Office.

Members present:

E. R. McCartney  
Ralph V. Coder  
C. Thomas Barr  
Harold Choguill  
Geneva Herndon  
Joel Moss  
Ivan Richardson  
Emmet C. Stopher  
L. W. Thompson  
Margaret van Ackeren

Members absent:

S. V. Dalton - out of town  
Katherine Bogart - ill

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, E. R. McCartney.

Dean McCartney said that the Athletic Department of the college has prepared a statement regarding the policies in answer to a request from the North Central Assn. which is asking each institution to make a statement relative to policies. Copies of Mr. Gross' report have been made and one sent to each member of the Faculty Senate. Dr. McCartney said that this report will be discussed at a later meeting.

Languages:

Dr. Coder said that there seems to be an increasing demand for languages, not only for minors in languages but also for majors. It has been suggested that fifteen credit hours in each of two languages might work out very well for a major. Dr. Coder also said that the faculty members teaching languages have discussed the possibility of changing the first and second courses in languages from five to three or four credit hours which would make it possible to offer a course in conversational language in the first ten credit hours. The plan will be presented when it is complete.

Report from Committee I of the AACTE committees.

Dr. Stopher reported that he met with Committee I and told them of the action of the faculty Senate regarding the committee's report. He said that the committee felt that the report made was the result of considerable study and that they did not know what to do further. They asked if the Faculty Senate would make suggestions for further study.

This was discussed by the Senate. Dr. Stopher said that on Monday, February 2, Dr. Clippinger will meet with Committee I at 11:00 in the Dean's Office and that the members of the Faculty Senate will be welcome to this meeting.

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Summary of enrollments and offerings of the subject fields.

On December 3, 1952, a summary of the enrollments and offerings of the subject fields was sent to the members of the Faculty Senate by Dean McCartney. This summary was discussed.

Curriculum Committee and AACTE Committee V.

It was asked whether the Curriculum Committee appointed by President Cunningham was to take the place of AACTE Committee V. It was suggested that the Committee V is the one working on the report for AACTE and the curriculum committee appointed at the faculty meeting is for the campus only.

Grade Point for Honors Convocation.

Dean McCartney suggested that the members of the Faculty Senate should be thinking about the grade index for students who might be included in Honors Convocation if and when recommended to the faculty.

The meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

E. R. McCartney, Chairman

Standlee V. Dalton, Secretary