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Minutes of the meeting of the Faculty Senate, Wednesday, June 30, 1965, at 3:30 p.m. in the Office of the Dean of the Faculty.

Members present: Mrs. Brown, Dr. Edwards, Mr. Forsythe, Mrs. Hellem, Dr. Nelson, Dr. Pierson, Dr. Rice, Dr. Staven, and Dr. Garwood, Chairman.

Members absent: Mr. Cleland, Miss Felten, Mr. Osborne.

Also present: Mr. Coulson.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Dr. Garwood. He said that Mr. Coulson who attended the meeting on Advanced Placement in English, last week-end, was here to report on the meeting.

Advanced Placement in English Meeting. Mr. Coulson reported on the Meeting, giving a resume of the discussion, seminars, etc. The Advanced Placement has been operating for the past 10 years and it has grown rapidly in that time. Mr. Coulson said that he is very much in favor of this program and he recommended the following:

I would like to suggest that a committee with Mr. Dalton or Dr. Garwood as chairman, be established to study advanced placement. The following areas are examples of those which often give advanced placement: American and European History, Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics, English, and languages. Some give credit and some give only advanced standing.

My feeling concerning English is that English should be a progressive plan from grade school through high school and college. College English I should be a step higher than high school English IV. Briefly, it should emphasize individual style, impressive handling of the types of discourse, intensive study of literature for inspiration, information, analysis and thought. Students who pass high school English IV should be able to meet this demand.

I am very much in favor of the honors program for freshmen. I also feel that we need to maintain the advanced sections of Freshman English for those who rank around the 85th percentile on qualifying entrance tests.

I should like to propose that next year a representative from several areas might attend the national meeting for advanced placement. The English meeting will be in Denver and the others will be scattered from coast to coast.

The discussion included the following: the number of schools in Kansas which participate in the program; how the papers are graded, participation of students;

is credit given or is this a base on which the student works to enrich his education; and relationship of College Entrance Tests.

It was asked if the Probation Committee would be ready to report at the next meeting, Wednesday, July 7. Dr. Rice said that they would be ready to report.

The meeting adjourned at 4:30 p.m.

John D. Garwood, Chairman

Standlee V. Dalton, Secretary

Florence Bodmer, Recorder