

March 5, 1947

The meeting was called to order by Don Packard, and the minutes were read and approved.

Mr. Earle attended the meeting to discuss matters pertaining to the co-op. It is nearly time for the three day meeting of the College Bookstore Association to be held in Los Angeles this year. Because we work on the cooperative buying program and buy our co-op supplies at the same prices as larger schools, Mr. Earle thought it would be beneficial for him to attend. In this way, he can find out how others in the college bookstore business are coping with problems which all have in common. In order to retain membership in the association, he must attend two out of three annual meetings. The approximate expenses will be \$150, with flying as the means of transportation to be used. A motion was carried that Mr. Earle be sent to Los Angeles to attend this meeting.

We discussed how much net profit is made in the Co-op and where this money is used. The possibility of having a snack bar was considered. A Co-op board to meet with Mr. Earle once or twice a quarter will be selected and begin to function as soon as possible. The duty of this board will be to act as liason between Mr. Earle and the student body.

Don Packard reports that the idea of holding a sports banquet meets with general approval, so it will be held during the latter part of spring quarter.

A motion was carried that Jim Sanford and Arnold Lahti be advanced thirty dollars each for expenses to and from Reed College.

At five o' clock the meeting adjourned.

Patricia Loomis, secretary