

ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
Student Council Meeting Minutes
November 28, 1955

The meeting was called to order at 5:10 p.m. by President Richard Mort.

No roll call was taken because of the absence of the secretary, Jane White.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, corrected, and approved.

PUBLICATIONS

Rob Brower reported that the distribution of activity cards would take place from 9 to 1 on Wednesday and Thursday of this week in the Eastman Building. He also stated that there would be partial delivery on Friday of the Student Directory. He suggested that the various department offices look after the distribution, and that activity cards be punched.

PARKING LOT

Jim Humphrey reported that parking lot stickers for upperclassmen of B-Block would go on sale in the Student Council office, Wednesday from 12 to 1 and Thursday from 12:30 to 1. Any A-Block cars with stickers will be removed from the lot.

It was moved that "Parkoa" be tabled until the next meeting. Motion was seconded and carried.

ASSEMBLY

Robert Ball reported that the Air Force will entertain with music at the assembly on December 7, at 1:00 p.m.

There is to be another assembly on Friday, December 16, at 9:00, with the Choraliers presenting their annual Christmas concert.

LOUNGE

Chris Rhoads reported on the drapery situation for the new Snack Bar. The estimated cost ~~ex-~~cluding installation was \$225.00. The motion that we allot necessary funds to buy and install the draperies was made, seconded and carried. The Chair moved that no card playing will be allowed between the hours of 8:00 and 3:30 P.M. Motion was seconded, discussion followed, and motion was not carried.

It was suggested that we recommend buying another 20 chairs for the Snack Bar.

CONSTITUTION
COMMITTEE

Rebecca Kent reported that the Dance Club's constitution had been sent in but found unsatisfactory. It has been sent back.

ATHLETIC BOARD OF
CONTROL

Art Borok^C is to meet with the Board to reconsider awards and differences in status of sports. The meeting is open to anyone interested and will be held either a week or two weeks from Tuesday. Recommendations on the problem of awards will be heard at that time.

It was also reported that Theta Gamma has buses for the basketball game at Brockport. There are 125 seats promised. A notice will be posted early Tuesday morning concerning the time of departure of the buses.

A pep rally is to be held at the Eastman Assembly Hall on Wednesday at 12:30.

NOMINATING
COMMITTEE

John Forward reported that the Committee has selected 4 members of Council to substitute for Vice President Kowalski who is out on block. The names submitted were as follows:

- 1) Edgar Watson
- 2) Bud Rusitsky
- 3) Richard Nally
- 4) Dan Miller

Robert Ball's name was submitted when nominations were made from the floor. It was moved that nominations be closed. The election will take place next week. The duties of the acting Vice President were outlined by the Chair. They include the Student Mixer, the Coffee Hour for the whole school on December 20, and Budget work.

NSA

A conference is to be held at Cornell on December 9, 10, and 11. Bill Northey requested Council's opinions as to sending 2 delegates at a maximum cost of \$40.00. These delegates would observe and report on the advantages in joining N.S.A. Dan Miller moved that we send 2 delegates to N.S.A. The motion was amended by Art Borock to the effect that the cost is not to exceed \$40.00. The motion and amendment were seconded and carried.

OLYMPIC
TRYOUTS

Bud Rusitzky moved that we pay June Johnson's expenses for her trip to New York City for the Olympic tryouts. The motion was seconded and discussed. The fact was disclosed that June made the trip without Council's knowledge. The motion was not carried. Another motion made by Mr. Rusitzky was that an investigation be made of the situation. Discussion followed, and the motion was carried.

As a result of the question, "Is there any way to stop such cases?" Robert Ball moved that requests for all athletic events such as this be presented to Student Council in written form by the faculty adviser, and it shall include the anticipated expense. The motion was seconded and carried.

HI-FI SET

A clarification as to who was the purchaser of the set was requested and it was learned that the Student Christian Fellowship bought the set from funds made by the R.I.T. night at the Barn.

TECHMILA

Jim Humphrey outlined to Council the staff organization of the year book. He recommended that a committee be set up to look over the year books from other schools with the purpose of obtaining suggestions for improving Techmila. It was suggested that we have more advertising in our year book.

Robert Ball moved that we make a recommendation to the advisers of Techmila to choose next year's staff in the winter so they can work with this year's staff for experience. The motion was seconded and carried.

Dan Miller suggested that next year's staff be composed of next year's graduating class.

A committee is to be formed to discuss the possibility of putting Techmila on a subscription basis as has been suggested. The committee under Publications is to be appointed by Rod Brower who may act as Chairman if he wishes.

TECHMILA

Bud Rusitsky moved that Rod's committee prepare a mimeograph questionnaire concerning the matter of subscriptions when they have completed their investigations. These questionnaires are to be sent to the Student body. The motion was carried.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

An Inter-organization meeting will be held on Tuesday, December 6.

A representative of the Brooks-Allen Company will be present next Monday to present their school blazer.

A suggestion was made that a letter be sent to Gail Crannell thanking her for the signs she made for the main bulletin board.

The motion was made for adjournment; it was seconded and carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

NANCY BARBOUR
Acting Secretary