

GENERAL MEETING
(April 1, 1963)

The meeting was called to order in Bartlett Hall at 7:05 p.m.

The Secretary's report was read and accepted.

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The following motions were proposed and passed by the brotherhood:

- 1) Move: that A.P.O. absorb the cost of the UMOC contest this semester; this not to set a precedent for future semesters.
- 2) Move: that the editor of the Minuteman be directed to look into getting a non-profit organization mailing permit.
- 3) Move: that fifteen dollars be appropriated for the Minuteman.
- 4) Move: that Kappa Omicron chapter purchase placards for the library stating "we hope that others are quiet so that you may study."
- 5) Move: that the banquet be held Saturday May 18, 1963.
- 6) Move: to strike the phrase "Kneeling as you are will you extend your right hand toward the American flag,...; and substitute for this "Facing the American flag will you raise your right hand in the scout sign" on page 18 of the ritual manual.
- 7) The following motion; to strike the phrase "Will you kneel" from the President's part as stated at the bottom of page 17 in the ritual manual was amended to read:
To strike the phrase "Will you kneel" from the President's part as stated at the bottom of page 17 in the ritual manual and substitute "bow your head to show humility"

The following motions failed to pass:

- 1) Move: to strike the phrase "with this assurance, are you willing to take this obligation"? Answer "I am."
- 2) Move: to strike the phrase "with this assurance are you willing to take this obligation?" Answer "I am." and substitute for this the reading of the oath itself.
- 3) Move: that the cost of UMOC be taken out of the \$500 Service fund.

Mark Cheren appointed the following to serve on the nominating committee; Mark Cheren, Jonathon Tuttle, Jim Farrow, Jack Kooyoomjian, and George Cusson.

A name for the pledge class was chosen. It will be called the Centennial pledge class.

Announcements:

- 1) Please return little brother comment sheets at any meeting on or before April 29.
- 2) There will be a membership committee meeting concerning the Board of Review and the Pledge Initiation before the next general meeting. Members of this committee will be personally notified of the time and place.
- 3) Brothers make sure that you know the pledge whose manual you are signing. It is your duty and his to get to know each other.
- 4) There will be a dance at Bowditch Lodge at 8:30 April 6, 1963.
- 5) The awards committee will be asked to meet as soon as possible.
- 6) The following people will assist the Program committee for the remainder of the semester; George Jones, Bob Cahill, and John Childs.
- 7) Bob Coffin, Bob Huot, and Jack Kocoyoomjian were chosen as members of the Finance Committee for the remainder of the semester.

The following motion was also passed by the brotherhood:
Move: that Gamma Sigma Sigma be invited to participate in the Amherst Fair project on a fifty-fifty basis.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted: *Robert J. Johnson*
Recording Secretary