5 May 1955

Present: Mr. Behen, Mrs. Botty, Mrs. Bridgham, Mr. Dykema, Mr. Franklin, Mr. Gosselin, Mr. Kitchen, Mr. Reilly, Mr. J. Smith, Mr. Swartz.

1. The minutes of the preceding meeting were approved as mimeographed.

2. Mr. Swartz asked for suggestions for his subcommittee on possible changes in the summer session. He would welcome any comments or suggestions as to what problems should be considered. Some suggestions were given by members of the Committee.

3. Mr. Dykema mentioned that the nursing program would require the scheduling of two sections of Communication 105 from 11-12:30 on Tuesday and Thursday. He asked whether these sections should be restricted to nurses only. It appeared to be the consensus of the committee that this period should as far as possible be kept open and that therefore only nurses should be admitted to these sections.

4. Mr. Behen moved that Item 5 of the minutes of 7 April 1955 be talled. Mrs. Bridgham seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved by the committee.

5. Mr. Dykema at the request of Mr. Ives raised the question as to the propriety of the motion approved under item 3 in the minutes of 17 February regarding a second major in the same degree. The ensuing discussion indicated a good deal of uncertainty among members of the Committee with regard to the problems involved. No decision was reached. (On the recommendation of Dean Smith, the 1955-56 catalog will continue the statement of the present catalog on the second degree and the resolution of 17 February will be held in abeyance.)

Respectfully submitted,

Karl W. Dykema, Chairman

MINUTES OF THE ACADEMIC STANDARDS COMMITTEE

19 May 1955

Present: Mr. Beckman, Mr. Behen, Mrs. Bridgham, Mr. Dykema, Mr. Franklin, Mr. Gosselin, Mr. Kitchen, Mr. Reilly.

1. The minutes of the meeting of May 5 were approved as read by the Chairman.

2. The rest of the meeting was devoted to a discussion of the report of the Subcommittee on Prerequisites - which has been prepared by Mr. Reilly, Mr. Behen, and Mrs. Bridgham. It was moved by Mr. Reilly that copies of the report be submitted to all department heads with the request that they discuss it with their instructors and report their comments to this Committee. It was seconded by Mr. Behen and unanimously approved. (Copies of the report have been sent to those department heads who are not members of this Committee. Those who are members of the Committee had already received copies before this meeting.)